

# NEWS of SPORT

## Drivers Fined in First Day's Racing; Warning Produces Required Results

**John Willard and W. J. Utton Fined for Not Driving to Win in Fourth Heat of 2.20 Trot—Warning That There Will be Something Further Brought Out Fastest Time in Last Heat—Peter Will Tell Winner of Race—Red Line Won 2.13 and Lambert Todd Junior Free-for-All.**

The first day of the Midsummer meet on the Fredericton track produced two good events won in straight heats, the 2.13 Mixed by Red Line in 2.09½ and the 2.10 Pace by Lambert Todd in 2.08½. It also produced a race which dragged five heats with the best time in the last heat after two drivers had been fined and also had been warned to drive the last heat to win. The drivers fined were the veteran John Willard of Presque Isle and Utton of Barton, Vermont. The discipline met with the approval of the crowd to a certain degree. Had it been heavier the spectators would have appreciated it more for it was patent that the two drivers in the fourth heat were making a joke of the event. The contrast between the time for the fourth heat 2.17½ and that of the fifth after the warning was given, which was 2.11½, was marked enough for all to observe.

The first day's racing took place under typical midsummer weather conditions, the weather was hot and fine. The splitting up of the 2.20 caused the event to drag out the majority of the spectators stayed till the last. The track was in excellent condition.

### Red Line in Straight Heats.

The Woodstock entry Red Line was too good for the field in the 2.13. He took the event in three straight heats with 2.09½ in the second heat his best time. Kasoff was second each time and R. H. Brett third. Earl North looked good for the fourth division of the purse until drawn in the third because of injury.

### Junior Free-for-All.

The 2.10 Pace also named the Junior Free-for-All went to Lambert Todd. The old timer from Vermont had enough to win each of three heats. Floyd Direct and Caruson fought out the decision for second

money. The 2.08½ in first and second heats was the best time of class and card. Dan Hedgewood was fourth although formerly a free-for-all.

### The 2.20 Trot.

The 2.20 Trot was the one which furnished the only incidents out of the ordinary. In this Gwendolyn Aubrey driven by Willard was favored by many to win. She took the first heat but after that Katherine Claud and Peter Will Tell each took a heat. The fourth heat was so much an exhibition of pulling that the crowd howled loud and long and asked for the veteran reinsman from Presque Isle to be taken down. That was not done but fines though light were imposed on him and Utton. After that it was horse racing. Gwendolyn Aubrey escaped taking a mark of 2.11 not being race winner. Peter Will tell took 2.14.

### The summary:

### 2.13 Trot and Pace, Purse \$500.

Red Line ch.g. 2.09½ by Col. Johnson, Gallagher & Hammond, Woodstock N. B. (Toole) ..... 1 1 1  
Kasoff, b.g., H. A. Nevers, Agent, Houlton, Me. (Nevers) ..... 2 2 2  
R. H. Brett, F. G. Quincey, Bangor Me. (MacWilliams) 3 3 3  
O'Dell, b.m., Edwards Stables, Auburn, Me. (Johnson) ..... 6 5 4  
Earl North, b.g., J. N. Willard Agent, Presque Isle, Me. (Willard) ..... 4 4 dr  
War Bride, b. m. W. R. Christie, Presque Isle, Me. (Bur-rill) ..... 5 7 5  
Peterkin ch.g. G. W. Reed, Fort Fairfield, Me. (Cam-eron) ..... 7 6 6  
Time, 2.09½, 2.09½, 2.11.  
2.10 Pace, Junior Free-for-All, Purse \$500.  
Lambert Todd, b.g., 2.02½, by Jim Todd, W. J. Utton, Roar-

ing Brook Farm, Barton, Vt. (Utton) ..... 1 1 1  
Floyd Direct, b.g., J. N. Willard, Agent, Presque Isle, Me. (Willard) ..... 3 2 2  
Caruso blk. g., Edwards Stables, Auburn, Me. (Johnson) 2 4 4  
Dan Hedgewood, Woodstock Driving Club, Woodstock, N. B. (Toole) ..... 4 3 3  
Vera Grattan b.m., Frank Adams, Halifax, N. S. (Cum-mings) ..... 5 5 5  
Time—2.08½, 2.08½, 2.08½.

### 2.20 Trot, Purse \$400.

Peter Will Tell, ch.g. 2.14½, by Peter O'Donna, W. V. Douse Woodstock, N. B. (Douse and Hana-fin) ..... 4 2 1 1 2  
Gwendolyn Aubrey, b.m. J. N. Willard, Agent, Presque Isle, Me. (Willard) ..... 1 3 5 4 1  
Katherine Claud, b.m., W. J. Utton, Roaring Brook Farm, Barton, Vt. (Utton) ..... 2 1 2 3 3  
W. R. C., ch.g. W. V. Douse, Woodstock, N. B. (Toole) ..... 6 4 3 2 ro  
V. Peters, b.s., Frank Adams, Halifax, N. S. (Cummings) ..... 3 7 7 ro  
Eliza Todd, b.m., Frank Adams, Halifax, N. S. (Adams) ..... 5 8 6 ro  
Sue Jolla, g.m., Dr. MacIntosh, Hartland, N. B. (Langille) ..... 7 5 8 ro  
Brother Edward, b.g. W. R. Christie, Presque Isle, Me. (Bur-rill) ..... 9 6 4 ro  
Joe Niles, blk.g., E. B. Avery, Woodstock, N. B. (Avery) ..... 8 9 9 ro  
Freeman Axworthy, ch.g. Edwards Stables, Auburn, Me. (Johnson) ..... ds  
Time, 2.14½, 2.15½, 2.14½, 2.17½, 2.11½.  
Col. Sutherland—How is it you haven't celebrated your wife's absence, Finney?  
Finney—Boss ah's afeard o' dis here new thing dey calls remote control!

## MARYSVILLE OUTPLAYED BY DEVON TEAM

**League Leaders Outbatter and Outfielded on Their Own Grounds—Score 7 to 2.**

YORK COUNTY LEAGUE.				
	Won	Lost	Tied	
Marysville	9	4	2	
Fredericton	5	7	3	
Devon	6	9	1	

"Johnson" Keene held Marysville to four hits and two runs last evening, despite his sore arm, at the Marysville diamond in a York County Amateur League fixture, while his team-mates hammered John McInnis all over the lot and sent him to the showers in the last inning of the game after three hits came in a row. Estey, who relieved him stopped the Devon attack. Marysville errors accounted for six Devon runs, as also did Devon's lone error account for one Marysville run.

### The Scoring.

Devon started the scoring in the first frame. Rutter hit for two bases, stole third. Staples flied out. Malloy was given a base on balls. Rutter scored when Bobby Hodgson dropped Keene's fly. After receiving Hodgson's throw to the plate, Bailey threw wild to third to catch Malloy and he scored. Keene going to third on the play. Mike White took K. Watson's fly and Irvine was thrown out at first by McInnis, ending the inning.

Three more were added in the second. E. Miles went all the way to second on H. White's error. Went to third when Lawrence was given a base on balls. H. Miles sacrificed perfectly and E. Miles scored, Lawrence going to third on the play to first. Rutter flied out to Amos MacPherson. Lawrence scored and Staples held up at second on H. White's second error of the inning. By fast running, Staples scored from second on Keene's long single.

Marysville's two tallies came in their half of the inning. Minue was passed, went to second on Cochran's single. Mike White hit a roller to E. Miles who tried to get Cochran at second but the throw was bad and Minue scored, Cochran going to third. L. White was caught trying to steal second but Cochran scored on the throw through McInnis and A. MacPherson were easy outs.

The last two Devon runs came in the fifth session. Keene, K. Watson and Irvine hit in that order. McInnis was taken from the box and Bob Estey started to pitch for the home team. An error and a fielder's choice netted the two runs.

The features of the game were Amos MacPherson's shoe-string catch of Rutter's fly and his throw to first base when he doubled H. Miles. Irvine's good catch of A. MacPherson's long fly in the second and Keene's pitching in the fourth frame when he sent the only three batters who came to the plate, back to the bench by the strike-out route.

The box score and summary follow:

### DEVON.

	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E
Rutter, 2b.	4	1	1	3	0	0	
Staples, rf.	3	1	1	1	0	0	
Malloy, 3b.	1	1	0	0	0	0	
Keene, p.	3	1	2	0	4	0	
K. Watson, lf.	3	0	1	0	0	0	
Irvine, cf.	3	1	1	3	0	0	
E. Miles, lb.	3	1	1	4	0	1	
Lawrence, ss.	2	1	0	0	1	0	
H. Miles, c.	2	0	1	4	2	0	

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### MARYSVILLE.

	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E
A. MacPherson, lf.	3	0	0	3	1	0	
E. MacPherson, 2b.	1	0	1	0	0	0	
H. White, ss.	3	0	0	2	2	2	
Bailey, c.	3	0	2	2	1	1	
Hodgson, cf.	3	0	0	0	0	1	
Minue, lb.	1	1	0	5	0	1	
Cochran, rf.	2	1	1	0	0	0	
L. White, 3b.	2	0	0	3	0	0	
McInnis, p.	2	0	0	0	3	0	
Estey, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	

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Score by innings:—  
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