

BIG PROGRAM OF HARNESS RACING FOR THIS WEEK

Indianapolis, Sept. 3—Principal action is listed this week when several big stage races will be contested. Today many of the stars who competed in the \$66,000 Hambletonian three-year-old pacing futurity are scheduled. Wednesday come the \$12,000 Frank P. Fox two-year-old pace, the richest race for age and gait in the world, and the \$5,000 Silver Flash Gas 2.10 pace.

The L. S. Ayres Co. \$5,000 2.10 trot is on the card for Thursday. Friday, closing day, the Indianapolis Elks' Club 2.06 pace and Pluto Water 2.16 pace, each worth \$2,000 will be raced.

The Horseman will introduce the Hambletonian winner, Spencer 2.02½ developed by Indianapolis' own Lon McDonald, dean of big time recluses. He should add to his futurity laurels.

The free-for-all trot will see stars as Hazelton 2.01½ from the stable of Walter R. Cox; Guy Ozark 2.02¼ the property of E. Roland Harriman of New York, and Sam Williams 2.02¼, who belongs to the Cleveland sportsman, George H. Tipling, battle it out.

In the L. S. Ayres trot, Holly-wood Colin, the undefeated Harriman trotter, will try to keep his slate clean against Benelwyn, the Texas star. The latter finally came into this own at Syracuse this week when he set a new trotting race record of 2.01½ for the season in marching off with the historic march of the Colin performer.

Winnipeg 2.02½ a likely two-minute pacer owned by E. J. Baker St. Charles Ill., and trained by Sep Palin of Indianapolis, is one of a star band listed to go in the Silver Flash pace. He should cop without trouble.

The Fox pacing stake, sponsored by the well known Indianapolis breeder, appears an open race and has created a great national interest. Red Pluto, with Palin up, won the first edition of the classic last year.

Ben—So your engagement to Eva is off. And I just thought she doted on you.

Lou—Yes she did. But her father proved to be an antidote.

"It was a free fight wasn't it" we asked.

"Well I understand that they didn't charge anything for it" responded old Riley Rezzidew.

RIVAL FIRST SACKERS LEAD YORK FIELDERS

"Skinny" Shannon, Imp First Baseman Leads the Fielders with an Average of .973—Closely Followed by Buck Miles, Devon Initial Sacker—Dick Malloy and Murray Kierstead Lead Outfielders, with fine Averages—Each Made Only One Error During League Games—"Pop" Donovan, Veteran Imp Backstop Well Up in Averages—Dinsmore Leads Pitchers in Fielding.

Official fielding averages of the York County baseball league show that Purvie "Skinny" Shannon led the fielders of the circuit with an average of .973. "Buck" Miles, Devon first sacker was a close second, being only one point behind the loose Imp regular. The latter played in more games and might be entitled to more credit. Shannon's record was: 72 putouts, 2 assists and 2 errors. Miles' made 137 putouts at the first station, handled 1 assist and offended with 4 errors. Donovan Imp receiver, made 90 putouts, assisted in 15 putouts and erred 4 times.

Dick Malloy led the outfielders with an average of .944. His only record included 16 putouts and one assist in 18 chances. He made only one error. Murray Kierstead reliable Imp outer gardener was a close second with 13 putouts, one assist and one error in 15 chances.

Bill Rutter, diminutive Imp short-fielder handled the most number of assists having 43 to his credit but he also offended with the most number of errors notching up 17 misplays for the 18 league games. Buddy Miles and Eddie Lawrence each had 13 errors. Ten players had fielding averages over the coveted .900 margin and were as follows: M. Watson 1000; Shannon (F) .973; E. Miles (D) .972; Donovan (F) .963; Malloy (D) .944; Kierstead (F) .933; McPherson.. (F) .933; Bailey (D) .922; Dinsmore (F) .914; H. Keene (D) .907.

Following is the list of York County league fielding averages:

Player	G	P	O	A	E	Ave
M. Watson D	2	1	0	0	1000	
Shannon F	8	72	2	2	.973	
E. Miles D	18	137	1	4	.972	
Donovan F	18	90	15	4	.963	
Malloy D	13	16	1	1	.944	
Kierstead F	12	13	1	1	.933	
McPherson F	3	26	2	2	.933	
Bailey D	15	74	9	7	.922	
Dinsmore F	9	4	28	3	.914	
H. Keene D	18	9	30	4	.907	
Robertson D	13	13	21	4	.894	

Wheeler F	8	16	7	3	.884
J. Watson D	17	22	6	5	.882
O. Keene D	16	31	42	7	.858
Cain F	11	5	17	4	.857
Garvie F	11	5	17	5	.851
K. Watson D	11	10	0	2	.833
Davis F	14	16	20	8	.818
Thompson F	7	14	4	5	.782
Rutter F	18	18	43	17	.782
Baker F	5	3	13	5	.761
H. Miles D	18	25	20	13	.758
MvLenahan F	18	8	7	5	.750
Currie F	4	6	0	2	.750
Lawrence D	16	20	18	13	.745
Brewer D	8	5	0	2	.714
Myshrahl F	8	9	3	5	.705
Jacobson F	4	0	2	1	.666

Around the Big League Circuit

American League—	R	H	E
Boston	7	15	1
New York	8	12	3
Batteries—Morris, Settlement, Ruffing and Heving; Helmach, Ryan, Moore, Hoyt and Bengough.			

	R	H	E
Boston	4	6	0
New York	3	9	1
Batteries—Russell, Morris and Berry, Heving; Johnson and Grabowski.			

	R	H	E
Philadelphia	1	1	0
Washington	6	10	1
Batteries—Ehmke, Powers and Cochrane, Perkins; Hadley and Ruel.			

	R	H	E
Philadelphia	4	7	1
Washington	5	7	1
Batteries—Earnshaw, Rommel and Cachrane; Braxton, Marberry and Tate.			

	R	H	E
Detroit	2	7	2
Chicago	5	12	1
Batteries—Sorrell, Smith and Har-			
grave; Adkins and Berg.			

	R	H	E
Detroit	5	12	2
Chicago	7	12	0
Batteries—Gibson, Stener and Hargrave; Blakenship, Cox, Walsh and Berg.			

	R	H	E
Cleveland	3	7	3
St. Louis	5	8	1
Batteries—Shaute and Myatt; Blae-			
holder and Manion.			

	R	H	E
Cleveland	10	13	3
St. Louis	16	17	1
Batteries—Uhle, Underhill and L. Sewell; tSewart, Schulte and Schang.			

National League—	R	H	E
Chicago	1	5	2
Pittsburgh	16	19	1
Batteries—Root, Tincup, Buch, Holly and Hartnett; Brame, Hensley and Hargreaves.			

	R	H	E
Chicago	3	11	1
Pittsburgh	6	11	1
Batteries—Carlson, Jones and Hart-			
nett; Kremer and Hargreaves.			

	R	H	E
New York	4	10	1
Philadelphia	3	12	0
Batteries—Scott and Hogan; Ferguson, Sweetland and Davis.			

	R	H	E
New York	9	21	1
Philadelphia	3	6	1
Batteries—Genewich and O'Farrell			
Baecht, Miller and Davis, Schulte.			

	R	H	E
St. Louis	5	12	0
Cincinnati	6	14	0

WINNER OF THE HAMBLETONIAN TO RACE SEPT. 1-7

Indianapolis, Sept. 2—Spencer, the wing footed son of Lee Tide-Petrex who captured the \$66,000 Hambletonian three year old trot this week at Syracuse, N. Y. is scheduled to make his next appearance in The Horseman Futurity at the Grand Circuit meeting here, Sept. 1-7. The race is listed for Monday, Sept. 3.

The colt will be called upon to trim practically the same field he disposed of in the harness turf's premier classic. It likely will be composed of Scotland, Red Aubrey, Gaylworthy, Etta Volo, Otzinachson, Bogalusa the Great and two or three others. Guy Abbe, the Calumet Farm colt who finished second in the Hambletonian, is not entered in The Horseman, but is scheduled to be seen in The Marott Shoe Shop three-year old trot.

The victory of Spencer in the big race was extremely gratifying to veteran Lon McDonald of Indianapolis, dean of Grand Circuit reinsmen. It was he who developed the colt as a two year old and whipped him into his present sparkling form that enabled the horse to show his heels to the nation's leading three year old stars.

McDonald is home here recovering from severe injuries suffered in a bad spill two weeks ago at Cleveland and consequently could not pilot the son of Lee Tide in his big engagement.

Spencer, without question, is the greatest colt McDonald has developed for the Grand Circuit fray and he has tutored many brilliant ones. Spencer's first mile in the Hambletonian in 2.02½ was only a half second from the world record for three year old trotters in a race held by Mr. McElwyn 1.59¼ owned by W. H. L. McCourtie, Dallas, Tex. He is likely to set a new mark when he goes to the post in the historic Kentucky Futurity at the Lexington Grand Circuit meeting, Sept. 24, Oct. 6. He then should be in the greatest form of his career.

Spencer is owned by David M. Look of New York, who bred him. The colt comes from the famous family of Axworthy. Lee Tide, his sire, is a son of the fastest trotting stallion the world ever has seen, the lamented Lee Axworthy 1.58¼ a scion of Guy Axworthy. The latter was sired by Axworthy.

Philadelphia Aug. 29—Tommy Loughran, world's light-heavyweight champion will start his campaign for the heavyweight title, recently relinquished by Gene Tunney on October 1 or 3.

Batteries—Johnson, Sherdel, Alexander and Wilson; Rixey, Kolp, Ash and Picinich.

	R	H	E
St. Louis	2	8	2
Cincinnati	3	11	1
Batteries—Rhem, Reinhart, Hald and Wilson; Luque and Lukeforth.			
Brooklyn at Boston, both games postponed.			

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