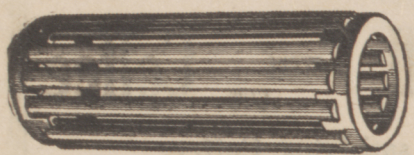


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\$10,000 RACE AT GRAND RAPIDS WON BY FARM HORSE

R. T. C. Took the Big Money in Four Heats—Favorite Zombrewer Beaten in 2.11 Pace

Grand Rapids, Mich., July 27.—\$10,000. With all conditions favorable, the second day of the grand circuit meet brought out 5000 spectators. The big race of the day was the 2:12 trot for the Furniture Manufacturers' purse of \$10,000, and it was won by R. T. C., the much-talked-of farm horse.

The most interesting of the stake races was the 2:09 pace, which was won by Twinkling Dan, driven by Murphy. He was second favorite in the betting, with Don the favorite, but walked away with the first and third heats and lost the second in an eyelash finish.

The biggest surprise of the day occurred in the 2:11 pace, won by Annie Laurie. The betting was 25 to 3 in favor of Zombrewer.

Gold Dollar was an easy winner of the 2:09 trot in two straight. He won at Kalamazoo, and so was the favorite at the booking stands.

Today will be decided the first handicap races of their kind ever held in the grand circuit. These will be the 2:05 trot, with \$50 entry and \$500 added, and the 2:17 pace, purse \$1000. The event of greatest interest will be the 2:12 pace for the Furniture Manufacturers' purse of \$5000, with probably a dozen starters.

The summary:

2:11 CLASS, PACING.

Purse, \$1000.
Annie Laurie, bm., by Walter Direct—Maud W. by Tom Webster (Dean), 2 5 1 1 1
Zulu Hal, brm, by Hal Dillard, (O'Brien), 3 1 2 3 3
Mark Night, blb, (Hall), 4 2 3 2 2
Stephen A, grh, (Pall), 5 4 4 4 4
Zombrewer, grm, (Snow), 1 3 4 4 4
Time, 2:04½, 2:07½, 2:06½, 2:08½, 2:08½

2:09 CLASS, TROTTING.

Purse, \$1000.
Gold Dollar, chg, by Pulsus—Daisy Gold, by Emerson Gold
Dust (G. Macey), 1 1
Don Labor, brg, (Kimlin), 2 5
Captain George, bh, (Murphy), 7 2
Direct Tone, brg, (Opdycke), 5 3
Baron Penn, brh, (McHenry), 3 7
Emboy, bg, (McCarthy), 4 4
Creighton, bg, (Lasell), 6 6
Time, 2:06½, 2:11.

2:12 CLASS, TROTTING.

Furniture Manufacturers, purse

Base Ball
Turf

FREDERICTON

WON EXHIBITION
GAME, 6 TO 5

Team Was in the Clouds in First Inning but Afterwards Came to Earth

The local team squeezed out a victory last evening in a five inning game of the exhibition variety in which the Marathons of St. John had the small end of the score. The tally was 6 to 5 at the end of play. Fredericton scoring their winning run in the fifth. The Greeks did all their scoring in the first inning when the locals gave a heart-breaking exhibition in the field and showed conclusively how baseball ought not to be played. The Fredericton team amassed the magnificent total of four errors in the short space of one inning and they coupled with a single by Williams and a sizzling three base hit by Nelson helped drive the Greeks to cross the pan. With the score 5 to 0 against them the locals had to play an up-hill game. And play they did pulling themselves together and putting up a first class exhibition until the game was called on account of darkness at the end of the fifth. The Marathons also had several moments of weakness in the first inning and managed to have a couple of errors in that time. After that they were in the game at all stages.

CURIOUS CONDITION

The first inning besides showing that the locals had a pronounced erratic streak developed a curious state of affairs as far as the organization of the team is concerned. Bates was receiving punk support and for that reason orders were issued to take him out and put Crosby in. The crowd did not take kindly to the change and yelled for Bates to be given a chance. The pitcher went on the bench and then the order to remove him was altered and he was induced to go back to the box although as might be expected he did not feel very much like doing so. Surely the organization of the team should be such that an affair of this kind will not occur again. Divided counsel cannot run a team and the season is far enough advanced for someone to be selected to decide once and for all what should be done in cases such as that which arose in last night's game. It is to be noticed that the statement that "the team went play behind Bates" was not well supported by the class of ball put up in the remaining four innings. In that time only two of the Greeks reached second.

HOW IT HAPPENED

George Winters the ex-big leaguer, who just now is handling the destinies of the Marathons started things by striking out. It was a lovely start. Then Williams hit one that was too high for Bob Conley. Donahoe hit to Duggan and the manager of the Fredericton team let it get away from him. Williams getting to third. Donahoe stole second and Bob Conley made a poor throw to the plate when Riley hit to him. Two runs came in. Callahan not to be out-done made an error when McGarry hit to him. The third run came in. Nelson came to the bat and drove the longest hit of the game. Bob Conley got the ball in time to keep Nelson from leaving third. Lynch hit to Bates and was safe when the ball got away from him. Nelson came in on an error. Rootes sacrificed but Upton hit to Bates and was thrown out retiring the side. After that there was nothing to it for the Marathons, Fredericton playing something like a ball team.

In the first the locals tallied twice. Conley flied out. Duggan singled. Larry Conley did the same sending Manager Duggan to third. Callahan sacrificed and with men on second and third Bob Conley hit to Williams who was not equal to the occasion. Duggan scored and Bob Conley stole second. An error by Donahoe let in another. In the next inning Fredericton batted in two more runs touching Upton up for two singles and a two-base hit. There was nothing in the third. In the next the locals tied the score Larry Conley bringing Bob Ganley home with a nice sacrifice after he had reached third on his own two-bagger and Duggan's safe hit. To Frank Hughes fell the honor of winning the game. After Bob Conley had been thrown out by Winters "Tanker" selected a nice looking shoot from Upton's offerings and slammed it out for two bases. Tom Howe nobly sacrificed him to third. Then the active Mr. Rootes who but recently has been put on the Marathons' pay-roll let one of Upton's benders get away from him. The ball did not get far but far enough to let Hughes slide home with the sixth run.

The box score follows:

SPORT

MARY CROMWELL BEAT THE FAVORITE YESTERDAY

Dimple K. which had Heavy End of the Betting in 2.14 Trot and 2.17 Pace got Only Third Money Baring Took the 2.30 Trot in Three Straight

The midsummer meet came to a close yesterday with Baring an easy winner in the 2:30 Trot, but with Mary Cromwell, like Stanley Mack on Thursday, upsetting the calculations of the knowing ones by romping in a winner in the mixed race. Dimple K., a hot favorite in the betting, won the first heat but after that she was away back. Prince Louie, with one first and two seconds, came in for second money. The race was the best of the meeting, Prince Louie and Mary Cromwell providing the excitement in the latter part of the race. These horses ran one dead heat after a race from start to finish.

JUST CRITICISM.

The handling of the betting at the meet which is just ended, has been strongly criticized by local followers of the racing game. In every case the book-makers offerings were not of the kind to attract any great number of people and the result was that those desirous of backing the horses did not do so to the extent they otherwise would have and the owner of the privileges lost business which he would have had if the odds offered had been at all reasonable. The book-maker always has the big end of the betting but in this case evidently wanted everything in sight.

2:30 TROT CLASS, PURSE \$300.

Baring, as was expected, had everything his own way in the 2:30 Trot. His best time was 2:24½ in the third heat. There was a big field, eight horses starting. Rapidly, J. E. Sullivan's horse, was second in three straight heats, performing in a way that rather surprised the crowd. Our Protien, belonging to the Moncton Stables, won third money, being third in two heats and third in the other, when Royal Pandect beat him out in a good race.

THE 2.14 TROT AND 2.17 PACE

The mixed class provided the racing of the day. Dimple K. was the strong favorite but won only the first heat in which Mary Cromwell was a good second. In the second heat Dimple K got away on a good start but Prince Louie was leading at half. On the back stretch Mary Cromwell pulled up on the leader and passed him.

FREDERICTON

	A. B.	R.	H.	P. O.	A. E.	
Ganley, c. f.	3	1	1	1	0	0
Duggan, lb.	3	1	3	7	1	1
L. Conley, l. f.	1	1	2	0	0	0
Callahan, s. s.	2	0	0	1	1	1
R. Conley, 2b.	2	0	0	0	3	2
Hughes, r. f.	3	1	1	2	0	0
Howe, 3b.	2	1	1	1	0	0
Griffin, c.	3	1	1	1	0	0
Bates, p.	2	0	0	0	1	1

Totals.....21 6 8 15 6 5

MARATHONS

	A. B.	R.	H.	P. O.	A.	E.
Winter, s.s.....	3	0	0	0	3	0
Williams, 3b.....	2	1	1	1	0	1
Donahoe, 2b.....	2	1	0	2	2	1
Riley, c.f.....	3	1	1	0	0	0
McGarry, lf.....	3	1	0	0	0	0
Nelson, r.f.....	3	1	1	0	0	0
Lynch, lb.....	3	0	1	8	0	1
Rootes, c.....	1	0	0	4	0	0
Upton, p.....	2	0	0	0	1	0

Totals.....22 5 4 15 6 3

Summary—Fredericton, July 27th, 1911. Fredericton 6, Marathons 5. Five innings. Stolen bases, Donahoe, Lynch, Duggan (2), L. Conley, R. Conley. Two base hits, Ganley, Hughes, Griffin. Three base hit, Nelson. Sacrifice hits, Rootes, L. Conley, Callahan, Howe. Struck out by Upton, 2, by Bates 3. Passed balls Rootes 3. Umpire, Evans. Score by innings—Fredericton..... 2 2 0 1 1—6 Marathons..... 5 0 0 0 0—5

HEARD ON THE BLEACHERS

Bates had the crowd right with him. Winters got lots of sympathy when he struck out in the first inning.

The Fredericton team has the faculty of pulling itself together when things look bad. It did last night.

The crowd was only fair sized. Evening games are not likely to take here.

The Marathon team looks better every day.

Hughes is developing into an outfielder of some class. He can slug the ball some too.

Upton did not appear to have anything the locals could not fathom.

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