ALL THE LATEST NEWS, VIEWS AND COMMENT ON SPORTS OF TRACK, FIELD AND ARENA AT HOME AND ABROAD

OLD TIMERS WILL PLAY BALL TODAY

An Interesting Ball Game Between Pros and Amateurs Being Played in Boston Today for Sweet Charity's Sake.

A baseball game is being played to-day at the American League grounds in Boston which is arousing interest in every nook and corner of America. Arrayed on opposing aggregations are veteran professional and amateur players who have mostly all retired from active participation in the national game but who when in the zenith of their careers were famous the world over.

The organization representing the amateurs is composed mostly of former collegians. The receipts of the game will be converted to charity. The professionals will line up as follows with A. G. Spalding as captain.

Catchers—James O'Rourke, Boston. '73 to '79 and Mertie Hackett, Boston, '83 to '84.

Pitchers—A. G. Spalding, Boston, '71 to '75, and T. H. Bond, Boston, '77 to '80.

First base—T. H. Munane, Boston, '76 to '78.

Second base—John F. Morrill, Boston, '76 to '88.

Third base—H. C. Schaefer, Boston, '71 to '78, and William Nash, Boston, '85 to '95.

Shortstop—George Wright, Boston, '71 to '78, or Robert Wheelock, Boston '87.

Left field—Frank Barrows, Boston, '71; F. H. Whithey, Boston '76 and Tom McCarthy, Boston '85.

Centre field—William Hawes, Boston '79.

Right field—John E. Manning, Boston. '73 to '78.

The extra players will include Sam Wright, Boston '74; George Wood, Worcester '80; Thomas Gunning Boston '85 and '86, and Jerry Hurley, Boston '86.

The game begins promptly at 3 o'clock There will be a concert by the Boston Cadet band from 2 o'clock to 2:45.

The playing rules under which the game is to be played will be those in force in 1879.

It will be seen that Tim Murnane now of the Boston Globe and President of the New England League intends taking a whirl on the diamond for "old Times sake" and he will not lack for distinguished company. Al. Spalding the greatest sporting goods manufacturer in existence and Wright Brothers of Wright and Ditson will do likewise. Old Jim O'Rourke is still in the game he being owner and backstop of the Bridgeport team in the Connecticut League. Jim enjoys the distinction of seeing, while he is in harness, his son Jim Jr., make his debut this season in the big leagues with the New York Highlanders. Tom McCarthy is another noted old timer who will again disport himself on the green.

HAYES WILL GIVE ROOSEVELT A STICK

Memento of Marathorn Victory Cut in Ireland and Named by Richard Croker.

President Roosevelt will soon receive what is probably the most effective "big stick" he ever held in his hands—a gigantic Irish shillalah, which was cut in Nenagh, Tipperary, Ireland, by John J. Hayes, winner of the London Marathon, and received in Boston Tuesday by Mr. Hayes.

The weapon weighs 20 pounds, is about a foot and a half long, mounted in silver and suitably inscribed. This inscription makes it a memento of the great race which the young American won against the world, "The Marathon Big Stick."

Young Hayes was riding in a jaunting car when he saw the root growing, and he decided that it was too fine a specimen to pass by. He was on his way to the home of Richard Croker at the time, and when he told the former Tammany chieftain what he intended to do, Mr. Croker suggested the name. The entire inscription is as follows:—

THE MARATHON BIG STICK.

To Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States, from John J. Hayes, winner of the Marathon race, London, 1908.

DOMISTIC HINTS FOR GIRLS

A very unique and cunning little pincushion may be made by following the directions here given. Take a baby's pink or blue finely-woven stocking and cut a pasteboard sole to fit it. After you have shaped the bottom of the stocking by placing the sole inside it, fill it to within



a few inches of the top with sawdust. Tie the top together with white ribbon, making a full bow or rosette of the ends. The cushion will stand on the dresser, and pins may be stuck into it from the tiny toe to the top.

A DISPUTE OVER YESTERDAY'S GAME

New York Giants Won From Chicago and Thus Tightened Their Hold on First Position.

An unfortunate dispute marred the conclusion of the New York-Chicago game in the former city yesterday, and for a time the result seemed to be in doubt. In the absence of official action in the matter, however, the game goes on record as it was played and in the tables of standing this morning, a victory is accredited to New York, and a defeat to Chicago. This assures the retention of the lead by New York to the end of the Chicago series, thus enabling her to conclude what have been accounted her season's quota of "hard games" with a hold, even if not over-firm, on the league leadership.

Pittsburg, winning from Brooklyn, pulled up to within three points of Chicago and among today's possibilities is the assumption of second place by the Pittsburg team—something which would happen should New York York again defeat and Pittsburg take the final game of the Brooklyn series.

Today's New York-Chicago game, by reason of yesterday's dispute and the certain amount of bad blood engendered, will be watched with even keener interest than any which have preceded it. The standing, Wednesday's games included, is as follows:

National League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	88	50	.638
Chicago	90	54	.625
Pittsburg	89	54	.622
Philadelphia	74	64	.536
Cincinnati	68	73	.482
Boston	59	82	.419
Brooklyn	48	92	.343
St. Louis	47	95	.324

In the American League, Detroit was beaten again and lost more ground, dropping to third place, Chicago this morning leading the champions by six points. Cleveland, in the first place, now has a ten point lead over Chicago, while St. Louis is now but thirteen points behind Detroit. The standing this morning is as follows:

American League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Cleveland	83	60	.580
Detroit	79	61	.564
Chicago	81	61	.570
St. Louis	78	62	.557
Boston	68	73	.482
Philadelphia	65	73	.471
Washington	59	77	.434
New York	46	93	.331

National League.

At Boston—Boston, 7; St. Louis, 2. Second game—Boston, 4; St. Louis, 1.
At New York—New York, 2; Chicago, 1.
At Philadelphia—Cincinnati, 1; Philadelphia 0.
At Brooklyn—Pittsburg, 2; Brooklyn, 1.

American League.

At Detroit—Boston, 4; Detroit, 1.
At Chicago—Chicago, 3; Philadelphia, 2.
At Cleveland—Cleveland, 9; New York, 3.
At St. Louis—St. Louis, 5; Washington, 4.

BARTLEY CONNOLLY BERTON

Portland, Me., Sept. 21.—In the rooms of the Pastime club this evening Larry Conley, of South Boston defeated Bartley Connolly, of Portland, and the decision of referee Ned Henry was received with great applause.

The bout was rather tame up to the fifth round, and very even. In the fifth Connolly did some fine uppercutting with his right, got in a few face blows and closed one of Conley's eyes, having much the better of the round.

With the opening of the sixth and last round the South Boston boy gave one of the best exhibitions of rapid ring work ever seen here. He sent Connolly through the ropes, and when he came back to the ring knocked him down with a right to the neck. Connolly took the count to eight and then came back to the centre of the ring and made a desperate effort.

Conley showered blows on him and sent him through the ropes a second time. Connolly seemed dazed, but made a last effort. His seconds sprang into the ring. Conley waited for him to come back, but he did not. It was a complete victory for Conley, and an unexpected one. Connolly was dazed by the blow he received when he was knocked down and could not rally.



He—I often go out beyond my depth.
She—Well, you're not so deep.

OLD TIME BOXER DEAD

After an illness of a year, caused by nervous trouble, John C. McGee, the old-time middleweight boxer, died at midnight Sunday at his home in East Boston. McGee was born in Londonderry, Ire., forty-six years ago. In 1885 he became a boxer, gaining quite a reputation. His last battle was with Dick O'Brien in Providence, Nov. 27, 1893. Since then he had been in the liquor business.

He was also greatly interested in soccer football.

FIRST DEER FROM BARNSVILLE.

H. J. Keys, who accompanied by L. Garnett, left the city on Saturday last on a trip to Barnsville, arrived on Tuesday with a large deer, weighing in the vicinity of four hundred pounds, bearing a handsome head. The carcass was disposed of among his many friends.

Mr. Keys left yesterday morning for the second time for Barnsville, in the hope of capturing another deer, and will return on Saturday, next.

Miss Geneva G. Crawford and Earl V. Gavaza, of Malden, were married in that city yesterday by Rev. Charles H. Moss of the First Baptist Church. The bride is from St. John, N. B., the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford of that city.—Boston Transcript, Sept. 22.

Pink Pain Tablets—Dr. Shoop's—stop Headache, womanly pains, any pain, anywhere, in 20 minutes sure. Formula on the 25c. box. Ask your druggist or doctor about this formula—it's fine. Sold by all druggists.

GREAT RACING YESTERDAY ON PROVINCIAL TRACKS

Laura Merrill and Ollie Online Were the Winners at Sussex ---Fast Ones at Woodstock and Charlottetown.

Sussex, N. B., Sept. 23.—The attendance at the exhibition today was the largest of the week. A large number of persons from outside points were in town and helped to swell the total attendance of the fair. The races this afternoon attracted many from St. John and the evening train tonight was crowded with returning visitors. The weather was perfect and well suited to Ayrshire day, as the judges devoted the greater part of the time to judging that breed of cattle. The entries of Ayrshires were numerous as the farmers in the vicinity of the town pay particular attention to the development of this breed. Some magnificent specimens of Ayrshires were in the competition.

Walter McMonagle, of Sussex, swept everything in the Guernsey cattle, Harding Bros., of Welsford, had a clean sweep in the Holsteins. In grade cattle the entries were numerous and competition keen.

The awards for the drawings entered by the pupils of Sussex school were made today.

The second day's racing in connection with the exhibition proved of much interest. A fair sized crowd was in attendance. Laura Merrill won the free-for-all in straight heats after running a dead heat with Estill Boy. Terrace Queen was distanced. The 2.25 trot and pace went to Ollie Online in straight heats. Harry W., of St. John, was distanced in this race. Laura Merrill's best time was 2.17. The dead heat was run in 2.16½. The best time in the 2.25 was 2.19½.

The attendance at the races was much better than on the previous day but was not what it should have been. There were quite a number of St. John people present for the afternoon's sport. The weather was fine and the track continued fast. The wind was stronger than on Tuesday but not enough to interfere with the drivers, although blowing in their faces on the back stretch.

The free-for-all was the race of the day. The general expectation was that Laura Merrill would win, but Estill Boy had numerous backers. Some discontent was expressed when the judges decided that Laura Merrill and Estill Boy ran a dead heat as many thought the Fairville mare had won. The decision gave rise to disputes over bets and the section of the National Trotting Association's rules covering the case was read from the stand.

The first heat of the Free-for-all furnished a surprise in the distancing of Terrace Queen. It had been expected that Mr. DeWitt, her owner, would drive the Queen, but at the last moment Tom Holmes, the colored driver, was put on the sulky. Terrace Queen was not in the race for a second. Will Be Sure, the pole horse, took the lead, with Estill Boy second and Laura Merrill close behind. Holmes' horse dropped away at once and continued to lose ground until she got the flag. At the third quarter, Laura and Estill Boy shot ahead of Will Be Sure, and went neck and neck for the wire. The two horses finished on apparently exactly equal terms and the judges, after some consultation, decided a dead heat; time, 2.16 1-2.

On the second heat, the horses got away on the word. Raymond tried to get the inside position from Estill Boy, but failed. The two horses shot down the back stretch together, and maintained this position until turning in for home, when Estill Boy made a bad break and allowed Duncanson's mare to get away from him. He was a couple of lengths behind when passing the stand, but pulled up a little on the second lap. The Fairville horse, however, had the heat, winning by more than a length.

In the third heat, Laura Merrill led all the way. Will be Sure again started at a fast gait but failed to keep up the pace.

As it was 5 o'clock, the starter ordered the drivers to have their horses out in time as sundown was approaching. The final heat went to Laura Merrill after a lively brush with Estill Boy. McGowan drove Will Be Sure in the lead for the first half mile, but was passed by the others.

The 2.25 went to Ollie Online in three heats and the victory of the Springhill horse seemed to please the crowd. Thos. Hayes, who won second money with Quincy A. also received applause.

Trouble with Ollie Online's sulky delayed the first heat. It was between Quincy A. and Ollie Online all the way through, the latter winning by a couple of lengths. Harry H. was distanced. The driver asked that he be allowed to run but the judges could not accede to the request.

The next heat afforded some excitement. Quincey A. had a good lead at the half. Ollie Online, by breaking, lost ground, but closed up the distance. On the home stretch, Blomidon tried to go outside the leaders and broke, but managed to get second place. Ollie Online won quite easily.

After scoring repeatedly, the horses got away on the last heat. Ollie Online at once took the lead. On the first lap, Blomidon lost a tire. The accident put him back to fifth place. This was another easy heat for Ollie Online:

The Summary:

2.25 Trot and Pace; Purse $300.

Ollie Online, Nat McNair, River Louison (N.B.)	1	1	1	
Quincy A., Thomas Hayes, St. John..	2	4	2	
Gypsy Brazilian, G. B. Fenwick, Sussex	3	2	4	
Bessie Pardine, A. Stewart, Fredericton	4	5	3	
Blomidon, Springhill Stables	5	3	5	
Harry H., W. Lawton	ds			
Time—2.19¼, 2.22¾, 2.24¾.				

Free-For-All, Purse $300.

Laura Merrill, Duncanson, Fairville	0	1	1	1
Estill Boy, Springhill Stables	0	2	2	2
Will Be Sure, Nat McNair, River Louison	3	3	3	3
Terrace Queen, C. F. DeWitt, Bridgetown	ds			
Time—2.16½, 2.18, 2.18½, 2.17.				

The officials were: Wm. Wilson of Moncton, starters; Wm. Wilson, Ora P. King, D. S. Mahon, Sussex, judges; J. S. McGovern, Thos. J. Dean, St. John, Dr. D. H. McAlister, Sussex, timers; S. A. McLeod, Sussex, clerk of course; James Lamb, Sussex, distance judge.

The mark set by Laura Merrill of 2.14½ in Tuesday's race did not make a new track record, as stated, as Simassie did the mile in 2.13 in 1905.

At Woodstock

Woodstock, N.B., Sept. 23.—(Special)—A large crowd attended the exhibition and sports today. The morning was devoted exclusively to judging. After dinner the Boston acrobats gave a performance. Then followed the grand Marathon races from the grand stand to upper Woodstock and return, finishing around the track. The distance was about seven miles. Six contestants faced the judges—N. F. Thorne and Chief Kelly—and after 49 minutes they finished in the following order: Warren Flemming, 1st; Edmund Berry, 2; Hugh Stairs, 3; R. Hartley, Chesley Stevens and Douglas Tompkins were well up with the leaders.

The horse racing then commenced in the driving park, which is adjoining the exhibition grounds. The entries were all local horses. The track was in perfect condition. The judges were Starter D. J. Stockford, Judson Briggs, Mel. Dewitt, C. W. Dugan; times—B. B. Manzer, T. L. Thompson, J. E. Burnham; clerk—John P. Melaney. Following is a summary:

2.35 Class, Purse $150.

Stella Glen, Ernest McLean	3	1	1	1
Major Bill, W. F. Bolger	1	2	2	2
Dixie, Walter Mott	2	3	3	3
Time—2.30, 2.28¼, 2.27¼, 2.28½.				

Green Race, Purse $75.

Alice D., H. W. Birmingham	1	1	2	2	3
Sandy E. McDonald, F. G. McLean	2	2	1	1	1
Menola, G. W. Grees	3	3	3	3	2
Bowery Boy, G. W. Crandlemore	4	4	4	4	4
Time—3.31½, 3.31¼, 4.01¼, 4.13¾.					

At Charlottetown

Charlottetown, Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Summer weather greeted the exhibition here today. The race track was heavy on account of dust.

Three-Year-Old, Trot and Pace; Purse $200.

George Crescus, Frank Beales, Charlottetown	1	1	1
Lady Commodore, Dan. O'Brien	2	2	2
Commodore Epaulet	3	3	3
Parklin	dr		

2.19 Trot, 2.22 Pace; Purse $350.

Kalol, Charlottetown	2	1	1	1
Nellie Bangs, Summerside	1	2	3	3
Mabel T.	3	3	2	2
Isard	dr			

2.27 Trot, Purse $250.

Queen Marie, D. W. White, York Point	4	1	3	1	1
Slippery Side, Emerald	1	2	1	2	3
Sweet Sixteen, Charlottetown	2	4	2	4	dr
Owna	3	5	dr		
Brazilian, C. H. Vail, Sydney	5	3	4	3	2
Annie Barteaux	dr				

BOARD OF HEALTH TO DRAIN POND

Decision to do Away With Stagnant Pool at Foot of Broad Street.

At a special meeting of the board of health yesterday afternoon several important matters were dealt with. It was decided that the board will themselves do the work of draining the stagnant pond at the foot of Broad street. Application was made to the city to do it but the answer was that the railway department was to blame for the existence of the pond and ought to drain it. Rather than have more protracted correspondence over the matter the board decided to go ahead itself.

It was also decided to have prepared a list of places where patent closets are not installed and press that the work be done. Conditions in this respect in the city are much improved over what they were formerly, owners of premises having in many instances installed patent closets. The board, however, have the power to compel them and it is felt that many who could well afford to do the work are wilfully neglecting it.

The need and advisability of procuring a garbage incinerator for the city was also discussed. It was felt that such a thing would be a great boon for the community and would also lessen the necessary work of inspection by the board officers. It could be handled either by the board itself or by the city. In the latter case the amount of the tax levied to keep teams to collect the garbage would, it was felt, be insignificant. The secretary, T. M. Burns, has issued the following circular to members of the medical profession:

"The St. John Local Board of Health have directed me to hereby notify you that they will disinfect all premises within the city and county of St. John in which infectious and contagious diseases (named in rule 4 of the rules and regulations of the Provincial Board of Health) have existed, on the receipt of a notice from the physician in attendance that said premises are ready to be disinfected. A charge will be made for material used."

HAYDEN'S HORSE WON AT VERMONT STATE FAIR

The Vermont State Fair opened at White River Junction on Tuesday. Two classes comprised the racing meet for the first day and in the 2.24 pace Frank Hayden's brown gelding captured the final two heats of the race, which was unfinished.

Following is the summary of the race: 2.24 pace; purse $300 (unfunished).

Alcy Bell, br. g. (Hayden)	4	3	1	1
Ben Hur, ch. g. (Utton)	1	2	4	5
King's Mantle, b. m. (Lee)	3	1	3	3
Iris, b. m. (Tyler)	2	4	2	2
Billie Mack, ch. g. (Wolton)	5	5	5	4
Vic Pointer, b. g. (Hudson)	di			
Time—2.19¼, 2.21¼, 2.21¼, 2.24¼.				

Monday's Boston Herald says:

Mike (Twin) Sullivan returned yesterday from the provinces. He received some offers from New York clubs, but turned them down, as he plans to go to California.

How to Keep Bread and Cake

In order to keep baked things from becoming stale, it is necessary that they be cooled gradually. Things hot from the oven need to be set on a folded cloth, any solid surface condenses the steam from them into water, making them heavy and sodden. Hence the importance of the breadbasket, with a lining of doubled cloth. Hot loaves set in it to cool have the moisture taken up and dissipated as soon as it forms, thus leaving the crust crisp and appetizing and the crumb a light sponge.

Afterward comes the breadbox or jar. The box is the better—one of well-japanned tin, with a tight-fitting cover and good hinges. Line it inside with a length of good linen crash, wide enough to reach all around the bottom, and wide tnough to stretch over a boxful of loaves. See that the cloths are changed weekly and the box well wiped out with a damp cloth and dried. Once a month it should be scalded, using a little dissolved soda in the water. Dry and air the box thoroughly after the scalding, and set in the sun or on a hot stove for a few minutes. Keep the top up while it heats, else the last estate will be worse than the first. Lay in the cooled loaves upside down.

Pound cake and all light cakes should be kept in a cakebox very similar to the breadbox. It is more sightly and picturesque if it is more round than square, but it should have the same sort of lining, whatever its shape. Cake also requires to be cooled on a porous surface. Twice doubled damask is none too thick for a big cake, and two or three hours are needed to cool it properly.

SARA CRANFORD.

A SUMMER VEGETABLE DISH

Succotash.—Scrape, wash and score in quarter-inch slices a quarter of a pound of salt pork. Cover with boiling water and let simmer five or six hours, or until nearly tender. Add one pint of fresh-shelled lima beans and more water if necessary. When the beans become tender add two tablespoonfuls of butter or a little sweet cream, and salt if needed. Pour the succotash into the serving dish, slice the pork in the scourings and serve at once. This dish is particularly good prepared with dried beans and either dried or canned corn. If dried vegetables be used, let soak over night in cold water. To remove the pulp from the ears without the hulls, cut down the centre of each row of kernels with a sharp knife, then with the back of the knife press out the pulp, leaving the hulls on the cob. For a change, add a cup of reduced tomato pulp, seasoning accordingly, or an onion may be cooked with the beans and removed before the dish is sent to the table.

OBITUARY

William E. Vincent

Word of the death of William E. Vincent, a former resident of this city in Somerville (Mass.), has been received by his brothers here. Mr. Vincent was the son of James E. Vincent, who was superannuated as caretaker of the I.C.R. sheds last winter and who removed to Somerville. The late Mr. Vincent had resided for the last fifteen years in Somerville. He had been in failing health for more than a year, but his death came quite unexpectedly on Tuesday last. Besides his wife and three children, two sisters and his parents in Somerville, Mr. Vincent leaves two brothers, David E., of Magee Bros., wholesale department, and Newton, with Manchester Robertson & Allison, Ltd.

John Johnson

The death of John Johnson occurred in the general public hospital yesterday after a long illness. Mr. Johnson was a native of Norway, but had been resident in St. John for the last fifteen or sixteen years. He leaves his wife, formerly Miss Violet Matthewson, of Somerset street, and three young children. The funeral will take place on Friday from his late residence, 92 St. James street, Carleton, at 2.30 p.m.

William McKnight

Apohaqui, N. B., Sept. 23.—Wm. McKnight, the oldest resident of Apohaqui, died early Sunday morning, aged 89 years. The deceased had always enjoyed good health until last spring, when he contracted a severe cold, from which he never regained strength. He leaves a wife who is 84 years, seven sons and one daughter—James, of Spokane Falls; Henry, of Sussex; Hanford, Theodore, Joshua, Beckwith, of Apohaqui; Seymour, of Lower Millstream, and Mrs. George Coats, of Corn Hill, Kings county.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock and was largely attended, interment in the Roachville cemetery.



"Wasn't that captain you were engaged to last season very fickle?"

"Yes, the horrid thing! He didn't even give me the satisfaction of throwing him over.

DOUBLE HEADER FOR SATURDAY

Intermediate Football League Season Will be Opened With Two Games.

At a meeting of the Intermediate Football League last evening it was decided to open the season on Saturday next with a double header—Micmacs vs. Victorias and Carleton vs. Currie's. The Shamrock grounds have been secured under sub-lease from the Algonquins and there will be a double header every Saturday during the season.

Efforts are being made to secure the services of Rev. G. F. Scovil and J. S. Tait as referees for the games. The boys are going into the game with good spirit and hope they will be encouraged by good patronage.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Misses Inches and Rankine Were the Winners Yesterday.

The last tournament of the tennis season, the ladies' doubles, yesterday afternoon proved one of the most successful. Ten couples competed and the honors were captured by Miss Inches and Miss Zillah Rankine who scored 41 out of a possible 63. Miss Kate Hazen and Mrs. H. C. Schofield finished second with 38. The prizes for the winners were donated by Mrs. P. W. Thomson and Miss W. Barnaby.

The weekly tennis tea was served yesterday afternoon under the direction of Miss W. Fairweather, Miss Brown and Miss E. Rankine. There will be another tea on Saturday.



"Aren't you the little girl I was engaged to last season?"

She—Possibly. They all look alike the next season.

PERSONALS

Rev. A. D. Dewdney has returned to the west. Mrs. Dewdney will remain in St. John for a visit.

Mrs. M. E. Nicholls, of Winnipeg, who has been visiting her father, Hon. Josiah Wood, in Sackville, has returned home, accompanied by her husband, who is editor of the Winnipeg Telegram.

W. A. Stewart, of St. John, was in Montreal on Tuesday.

Ald. H. Pickett left for Dorchester at noon yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Maxwell returned from their wedding trip yesterday.

E. B. Kennedy, of Bridgwater (N.S.), was registered at the Victoria yesterday.

Arthur A. Sandeman, managing director of the Fit Reform Co., Montreal, accompanied by S. B. Miller, representative for the lower provinces, is at the Royal.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Burpee, of Henderson (Me.), were registered at the Dufferin yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McSweeney and Miss Dorothy McSweeney, of Moncton, were at the Royal yesterday.

A. W. McMackin came in on the Boston train last night.

W. R. Shanklin, of St. Martins, was in the city yesterday en route to Sackville, where he will resume work as instructor in the academy.



Lumy—You're awfully fresh.

Cholly—That's funny. My father was an old salt.

Through Marion & Marion, Montreal and Washington, Chas. W. Clattenburg, of Bridgewater (N.S.), has been granted a Canadian patent for turnbuckle centres for attaching ship rigging to chain plates, and James Thos. Sullivan, of Newcastle, (N.B.), has been granted a United States patent for belt tighteners.

J. B. Ewing, breeder of the pacing star Minor Heir, 1.59 1-2, bought his dam for $65. The sensational green pacer earned his oats by working on a rural mail delivery route when he was three years old. Ewing sold him for $4,500 last year to P. C. Isaacs, his present owner.

The Penalty of Fast Living

Is paid for by an irritable condition of body and mind, by exhausted and broken sleep. If you must and will live a killing pace, better keep in mind the sustaining powers of Ferrozone, a wonderful tonic and reconstructor. Ferrozone is a blood maker, a nerve strengthener, a heart and brain invigorator. It creates appetite, insures perfect digestion and undisturbed sleep, restores the vitality and strength lost by excessive living very quickly. Ferrozone will do you inestimable good, try it. Price 50c per box or six boxes for $2.50 at druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

FAVORITE LOSES AT COLUMBIA RACES

Hedgewood Boy Beaten in the Free-for-All--The Harvester Lands Big Trotting Futurity.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 23.—Hedgewood Boy, such a strong favorite for the free-for-all pace of this afternoon's Grand Circuit card, that he was barred in the first heat betting, was defeated by Citation, but the Illinois mare had to set a world's record to do it. Her heats in 2.01 3-4 and 2.03, following one by Hedgewood Boy in 2.02 1-4, are the fastest two ever paced by a mare in a race. Citation was only nosed out in the first heat and won the second by a scant head after a desperate and gruelling mile, the quarter being paced in 30 1-2 seconds.

Hedgewood Boy and his rival were about even choices for the third and decisive mile. McMahon trailed with Citation to the head of the stretch, when he swung the mare out wide and raced Hedgewood into the ground.

The Harvester did the best three-year-old trotting of the year, when he won the Kentucky Stock Farm Futurity in straight heats.

2.17 Class, Trotting, 3 in 5, First Division; Purse $800; Two Heats Tuesday.

The Zoo, b.g., by Sombro (Geers)	1	1	1
Nelcyone, b.m. (Howell)	2	2	3
Carroll, b.g. (B. Shank)	3	3	2
Shadeland Faustalear, b.h. (Cares)	4	4	6
Major Higginson, br.h. (Fleming)	7	5	4
Robert L., Jr., br.g. (Steele)	6	6	5
Lady Posey, b.m. (Maple)	5	7	7
K. C., blk.g. (Talladge)	5	9	dr
Rosemary Chimes, b.m. (Rathbun)	9	8	dr
Binjolla, br.h. (Bates)	ds		
Horace G., g.g. (MacDermid)	ds		
Time—2.09½, 2.10, 2.10.			

2.17 Class, Trotting, 3 in 5, Second Division; Purse $800.

Maxine, ch.m., by Elyra (Ryan)	1	1	1	
Composer, b.g. (Lasell)	5	2	2	
The Jap, gr.g. (Pitman)	2	3	4	
Idlewise, b.g. (Hay)	8	5	3	
Royal Penn, br.h. (Ludwick)	7	6	3	
Bob Riley, b.g. (Dellenger)	6	7	6	
Stroller, ch.h. (Keating)	4	4	ds	
Baron Dell, ro.g. (Maloney)	3	ds		
Time—2.11¼, 2.12¼, 2.11½.				

Kentucky Stock Farm Futurity, 3 Year Old Trotters, 2 in 3; Purse $5,000.

The Harvester, br.c., by Walnut Hal (Geers)	1	1
The Leading Lady, b.f. (Proctor)	2	3
Oro Lambert, gr.c. (Stinson)	6	2
Justo, b.c. (Hall)	3	4
Sadie Worthy, ch.f. (Philips)	4	5
Thistle Doune, b.c. (B. Shank)	5	6
Helen Hale, b.c. (Child)	7	7
Subrosa, b.f. (Chandler)	8	8
Little Sweetheart, b.f. (Maloney)	ds	
Time—2.09¼, 2.09¼.		

Kentucky Stock Farm Futurity, 3 Year Old Pacers, 2 in 3; Purse $1,500.

Catherine Direct, b.f., by Direct (McMahon)	2	1
Elizur Smith, b.c. (Ross)	1	2
Time—2.15¼, 2.10¼, 2.12¼.		

Free-For-All Class, Pacing, 3 heats; Purse $1,200.

Citation, b.m., by Norvalson (McMahon)	2	1	1
Hedgewood Boy, ch.h. (Sweet)	1	2	3
Baron Grattan, b.g. (Geers)	3	3	2
Ecstatic, b.m. (Lang)	ds		
Time—2.02¼, 2.01¾, 2.03.			

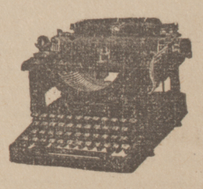


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