DOG SHOW TO BE THE BEST EVER

MANY PRIZE BEAUTIES WILL BE SEEN AT CASINO.

RECORD ENTRY IS EXPECTED

George F. Foley, Who Will Superintend the Coming Affair, Predicts That It Will Eclipse the Event Held in Madison Square Garden by the Westminster Kennel Club—Local Fanciers Out for Top Honors.

George F. Foley, superintendent of the coming joint dog show, which is to be held under the auspices of the Maryland Kennel Club and the Animal Refuge Association at the North Avenue Casino April 3, 4 and 5, is of the opinion that the event this year will, without a doubt, be one of the best of its kind ever held in America. So sure is Superintendent Foley that the show will be the biggest in this country, that he goes as far as to say that there will be more entries and exhibits at the North avenue rink than there were at the recent Westminster Kennel Club show in Madison Square Garden, New York.

Mr. Foley is sanguine that there will be a record number of one-of-town exhibitors. The leading canine fanciers of the country will have their pets on the bench at the show, and dogs that have won prizes in the leading events in this country as well as Europe will be shown. Probably the most important of these is Dreamwold Blunderbuss, the property of Thomas P. Lawson, of Boston, Mass. The animal was recently imported with a large number of other high-bred dogs from England. Champion Princess Merlow will be exhibited by Harry Rushton, of Asbury Park, N. J. Among the entries in the bulldog class are Howlett King Orry, recently purchased by Charles P. Boyd from Mrs. C. M. Hamilton; Deodora Monarch, owned by Robert Lobban; and Gotham Lord Beresford, owned by Thomas Grisdale, of New York.

Local canine fanciers are taking a great interest in the show and have sent in a large bunch of entries, especially in the beagle, Airedale, St. Bernard and daschhund class. In previous shows these classes had but three and four entries, but to date five or six local dogs have been registered.

Probably the strongest contender for the cup offered by Miss Mollie Williams, of this city, for the best Russian wolf hound exhibit, will be the string entered by the well-known Valley Farm Kennels, of Simsbury, Ct. Imperial Panther II., the undefeated champion bloodhound of the world, will be entered in the show and is expected to win in his class. Miss Amy L. Benham, of York, Pa., who owns this prize beauty, is confident of victory. However, there will be several worthy opponents for top honors in the dogs entered by Thomas P. Hunter, of Philadelphia, who recently imported them from England. Other wellknown dogs that have won prizes at the leading shows in the country are Southport Aristotype, a collie owned by W. M. Stephenson, of Atlanta, Ga., and J. C. Weeks' Windholme's Forever, champion of the Dalmatian class.

The best known of the local dogs in the Airedale terrier class are King Oorang, owned by A. Albright, Jr., and Baughfell Lovaine, owned by A. Albright, Sr. The toy dogs have unusually large entries, while the Pomerania and English toy spaniel classes are also well filled.

The Green Spring Valley and Elkridge Hunt Clubs will have foxhounds on exhibition which will be shown with master of foxhounds and whip in costume. The Chesapeake Bay dog class, in which handsome cups will be awarded by Mrs. J. Edwin Farber, president of the Animal Refuge Association, is expected to attract a great many entries.

CORNELL RETAINS TITLE

Ithaca Mat Men Score 27 Points In Intercollegiate Meet.

Ithaca, N. Y., March 22.—Cornell retained the intercollegiate title in wrestling today, when its mat men came through the finals with 27 points. Lehigh, considered the most formidable contender, won 14 points and finished third, while Princeton sprung a surprise by making second place with 19 points; Columbia was fourth with 10 points, and Pennsylvania fifth with seven points.

The intercollegiate championships in the various classes were won as follows:

115-Pound Class—Suppes, Lehigh, won on decision over Green, Cornell, in 15 minutes.

125-Pound Class—Boak, Cornell, won on decision over Dickson, Pennsylvania, in 15 minutes.

135-Pound Class—Levy, Cornell, won over Gatch, Lehigh, by decision in 15 minutes.

145-Pound Class—Franz, Princeton, threw Caruthers, Columbia, with half-nelson and body hold in four minutes, two seconds.

158-Pound Class—Ryder, Cornell, threw Tucker, Pennsylvania, with half-nelson and crotch hold in 12 minutes, 44 seconds.

175-Pound Class—Watson, Lehigh, threw Bame, Cornell, with crotch hold in 14 minutes, 45 seconds.

Heavyweight Class—Gile, Princeton, threw Hellman, Pennsylvania, with bar and body hold in 5 minutes, 34 seconds.

MAY BE FORCED TO ACCEPT

New York Yacht Club to Reply to British Sportsmen.

New York, March 22.—The "reconsideration" which the Royal Ulster Yacht Club has asked the New York Yacht Club to make of its refusal to accept the Lipton challenge for the America's Cup may place the New York Club in an embarrassing corner. It is indicated that Sir Thomas will eliminate any condition from his challenge, but challenging with a 75-footer he will enter a race, if it is possible to obtain one, against any defender from 60 to 90 feet in length, as provided in the deed of gift of the America's Cup.

Yachtsmen expressed the opinion today that if this proposition was made the New York Club would be forced to accept the challenge, and if a 90-foot boat was used as the defender the race would be so much of a farce that American yachtsmen would be held up to ridicule.

It was reported today that the New York Club might reply to the Royal Ulster Club as early as Monday next, although the regular meeting of the club is not screduled until Thursday.

MISS HYDE WINS MATCH

Defeats Mrs. Hurd at Golf After an Exciting Contest.

Pinehurst, N. C., March 2.—An exciting contest between Miss Lillian Hyde, Long Island, metropolitan champion, and Mrs. J. V. Hurd, Pittsburgh, former international woman's champion, marked today's qualification round in the women's event of the thirteenth annual United North and South Amateur Golf Tournament. Miss Hyde won with a card of 80, against 83 for Mrs. Hurd. The winner's score is said to be six strokes lower than any previously recorded here in women's competitive play. The bogy for the course is 79.

Third position today went to Miss Myra Bradwell Helmer, Chicago, with a score of 90. Miss Louise Elkins, Oakmont, was fourth with 97. Forty-six entrants participated in the day's play.

Many entries are being received for the men's event of the tournament, which opens March 31. This event will be preceded by the amateur professional foursome, best ball match on March 28, and the open championship on March 29.

TRICOUNTY SCHEDULE

League Will Be Composed of Six Clubs This Year.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Elkton, Md., March 22.—The Tricounty Baseball League will consist of six instead of eight clubs the coming season, North East and Port Deposit having dropped out of the circuit. Rules for the coming season have been adopted, and at the next meeting of the league the schedule will be adopted and the territory for each club from which to draw players will be assigned. The following schedule has been prepared and will probably be adopted:

Saturday, May 10—Aberdeen at Elk Mills, Elkton at Havre de Grace, Newark at Oxford.

Saturday, May 17—Elk Mills at Newark, Oxford at Aberdeen, Havre de Grace at Elkton.

Saturday, May 24—Havre de Grace at Newark, Oxford at Elk Mills, Elkton at Aberdeen.

Memorial Day, May 30—Aberdeen at Havre de Grace, Elk Mills at Oxford, Newark at Elkton.

Saturday, May 31—Havre de Grace at Elk Mills, Elkton at Newark, Aberdeen at Oxford.

Saturday, June 7—Elk Mills at Aberdeen, Oxford at Elkton, Newark at Havre de Grace.

Saturday, June 14—Newark at Elk Mills, Elkton at Oxford, Havre de Grace at Aberdeen.

Saturday, June 21.—Aberdeen at Elkton, Elk Mills at Havre de Grace, Oxford at Newark.

Saturday, June 28—Aberdeen at Elk Mills, Elkton at Havre de Grace, Newark at Oxford.

Friday, July 4—Morning games—Elk Mills at Elkton, Aberdeen at Newark, Oxford at Havre de Grace. Afternoon games—Elkton at Elk Mills, Newark at Aberdeen, Havre de Grace at Oxford.

Saturday, July 12—Elk Mills at Newark, Oxford at Aberdeen, Havre de Grace at Elkton.

Saturday, July 19—Havre de Grace at Newark, Oxford at Elk Mills, Elkton at Aberdeen.

Saturday, July 26—Aberdeen at Havre de Grace, Elk Mills at Oxford, Newark at Elkton.

Saturday, August 2—Havre de Grace at Elk Mills, Elkton at Newark, Aberdeen at Oxford.

Saturday, August 9—Elk Mills at Aberdeen, Oxford at Elkton, Newark at Havre de rGace.

Saturday, August 16—Newark at Elk Mills, Elkton at Oxford, Havre de Grace at Aberdeen.

Saturday, August 23—Aberdeen at Elkton, Elk Mills at Havre de Grace, Oxford at Newark.

Saturday, August 30—Elkton at Elk Mills, Newark at Aberdeen, Havre de Grace at Oxford.

Labor Day, Monday, September 1—Elk Mills at Elkton, Aberdeen at Newark, Oxford at Havre de Grace.

VICTORY FOR THE CENTRALS

Outclass the Fairmont Y. M. C. A. in Basketball Game.

Playing a fast game from the start and outclassing their opponents in nearly all departments of the game, the Central Y. M. C. A. first team found little trouble in defeating the Fairmont, W. Va., Y. M. C. A. five, champions of West Virginia, last night at the former's gymnasium 31 to 13. From the time the referee's whistle was blown for the start until the fray was over the local lads had the visitors on the go, and their superior team enabled them to take the ball up and down the floor at will. The visitors had a little hard luck in shooting for the basket, for on several occasions the leather struck the edge of the net, only to roll out again.

Carle started the scoring for the Centrals by getting a difficult basket from the side. Hoschild caged the ball shortly afterward and the Cathedral Streeters had a good lead on the visitors before they got started. The first half ended with the score standing 22 to 11 in the locals' favor. Fairmont was successful in getting only two tallies in the final period. Both were made by Clark from the foul line. Hoschild played a star game for the winners, while John played best for the visitors.

The Business Boys' five defeated the Yankee Athletic Club, of Washington, in the preliminary contest, 25 to 12. McLea, of the winners, starred, shooting seven baskets from the field and three from the foul line. The lineup:

Central Y. M. C. A.—Carle, rf.; Linthicum, lf.; Hoschild, c.; Fredirck, rd.; England, ld.

Fairmont (W. Va.) Y. M. C. A.— Race, rf.; Cobun, lf.; John, c.; Clark, rd.; Hutchinsons, ld.

Goals from field—Hoschild (10), Carle (3), Linthicum (2), John (3), Clark (2) and Race. Goals from foul line—Clark (2) and Linthicum. Time of halves—Twenty-five minutes. Referee—Prof. C. F. Pennington.

PLAYERS CLOSELY BUNCHED

Interesting Race in the Patterson Pocket Billiard Tourney.

The race in the Patterson Pocket Billiard Tournament at the Patterson Billiard Parlor, 2224 McElderry street, is becoming closer and more exciting each week. The players are tuned up for a driving finish and some good games are being put up. Humphries carried off the honors last week by pulling Bradley off his lofty perch to a tie with Lauskey. Cousins was unfortunate in forfeiting his game to Beck for nonappearance. Peter Wick, for business reasons, was compelled to withdraw. S. Taylor will take his place. Lauskey kept up his good work by defeating Marschal 50 to 30 Friday night.

The schedule this week should produce the best play of the tourney. Monday night will bring Bradley and Cousins together; Tuesday, Marschal and Faulkner clash; Wednesday, Humphries and Lanskey should put up a good contest, while Thursday brings Beck and Dietz together. Friday Hanson will try to break into the win column at the expense of the newcomer Taylor. Following is the standing to date.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Lanskey	4	1	800
Bradley	4	1	800
Humphries	3	2	600
Cousins	3	2	600
Dietz	3	2	600
Beck	3	2	600
Marschat	2	3	400
Faulkner	2	3	400
Taylor	1	4	200
Hanson	0	5	000

POWERS CALLS MEETING

Federal League to Ratify Recent Moves and Receive New Clubs.

Chicago, March 22.—President Powers, of the Federal Baseball League, last night issued a call for a meeting of the club owners to be held in Cincinnati next Tuesday, to ratify recent moves and to receive the new clubs. The date for the schedule meeting, which is to be held in Chicago, will be set at this time. The schedule has already been drafted, but adoption of it has been delayed until the regular meeting.

At the regular, meeting the Federal League, it is said, will plan two clauses which are considered revolutionary in baseball. One of these will allow players to signs contracts for one, two or three years and become free agents at the end of their contract term, and the other will be an agreement to pay full salaries during the training seasons.

Pioneers Open the Season.

The Pioneer Athletic Club has opened its season by playing the Patterson Athletic Club at Patterson Park. The Pioneer lineup: J. Siegel, c.; Applefeld, p.; G. Siegel, 1b.; M. Byle, 2b.; L. Snider, 3b.; W. Fleishman, ss.; F. Mathai, rf.; J. Geisler, cf.; Klampert, lf.; Wulferd, substitute outfielder. The Pioneers have chosen their mascot, Meyer Nathanson. Challenges should be sent to F. Mathai, Baltimore and Ann streets.

HUNTERS ENJOY SPLENDID SPORT

SIR REYNARD CHASED OVER HARFORD COUNTY.

Baltimore Physician Takes Header When Mount Stumbles in Going at a Fence and Gets a Good Shaking Up—Leo Gardell Has Poor Luck, Having Several Spills—Skillful Riding.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Belair, Md., March 22.—Barring croppers, which befell Dr. Martin John Cronwell, of Baltimore, and Leo Gardell, huntsman, the members of the Elkridge Club enjoyed rare sport in their chase after Reynard over Harford's hills today. Dr. Cronwell's fall came when his horse, in attempting to jump a fence, stumbled, throwing him heavily in a public road. While the doctor did not sustain serious injury he was given a good shaking up, but continued to follow the hounds, but not with the same vim as when he first started out.

Leo Gardell, the veteran huntsman, had an unfortunate day of it, as he sustained no less than three falls, and was bruised up considerably.

The ladies in the party proved themselves skilful riders and ended the hunt in excellent condition, although somewhat worn out. Tonight the members of the club are enthusiastic over the day's sport, and are on edge for the second hunt of the trip to Belair, which will be held on Monday.

Start From Kenmore Inn.

The start was made from the Kenmore Inn at 11 o'clock this morning and, forming in a procession, went off in an easterly direction. The big woods, known throughout Harford county for its length and breadth, was the objective point. Shortly after entering the woods Reynard was started and the chase was on in earnest. He carried the huntsmen and hounds for miles over green sward and dense thicket, crossing the properties of Joseph A. Ball, Jacob Livezey, William Munnikhuysen and James Lee, all in Thomas Run neighborhood. When the property of Dr. Edward Quarles was reached the wily little animal made a turn and retraced its run, making the circle of miles in good time. After participating in the chase for this wily fox for three hours the hounds were called off and the huntsmen returned to the hotel.

The eleven and one-half couples of hounds showed speed and ran together in an excellent manner, which added to the good sport. The horses which the huntsmen brought with them were the objects of much admiration and proved their mettle by jumping the particularly high fences and wide streams which were encountered during the chase.

Some of Those Who Rode.

Some of the noted horses and their mounts were Induction, Miss Margaret Griffiss; Lemon, Miss Margaretta P. Bonsal; Chantress, Miss Belle Willard, of Richmond, Va.; Submarine, Mrs. John Fife Symington; Colleen, Thomas H. Symington; Piggie, T. Courtney Jenkins, and John Peel, Spalding Lowe Jenkins.

The other members of the club following the hounds were Miss Emma Warner and Dr. Martin J. Cromwell, John Fife Symington, Albert Graham Ober, Jr., and Francis White. The party will spend Easter Sunday in Belair and engage in another hunt on Monday, going in the direction of Emmorton. A large part of the town people gathered at the Kenmore Inn this morning and gave the huntsmen an enthusiastic sendoff. The country folk also were keenly interested in the chase across country. Among the local huntsmen in the chase today were Messrs. W. Boyd Bell, Frank Bruns, George Forsythe, Norman Spencer, Clifford Hanway and Dr. Charles Richardson.

Progressives Win Two Straight.

With the completion of last week's bowling on Mann's alleys the Maryland Duckpin League finished its twenty-first round of play, with the Progressives in first place by a lead of seven games. Miller, of the Independents, has the high individual average of 90 1-60, while Fox has high score for one game, 122. In the weekly contest the Progressives won two out of three contests from the Independents.

Standing of the teams:

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Progressives	35	28	.556
Independents	28	35	.444

Individual averages:

	Games.	Pins.	Aver.
Fox	63	5,597	88
E. Smith	63	5,551	88
Jecny	60	5,218	86
A. Smith	63	5,173	82
Emge	48	4,301	89
Sussan	39	3,252	83
Miller	60	5,401	90
Martecat	57	4,878	85

The scores:

PROGRESSIVES.				INDEPENDENTS.			
Fox	86	82	75	Emge	85	85	85
E. Smith	92	85	79	Martinet	78	86	76
Jecny	74	99	84	Sussan	85	85	85
A. Smith	86	87	81	Miller	88	81	77
Totals	338	353	319	Totals	336	337	323

Boxing at Baltimore Athletic Club.

Ray Hamilton, the Philadelphia lightweight, found little trouble in getting the decision over Buddy Williams, the local scrapper, last night in their six-round mill at the Baltimore Athletic Club. The East Baltimorean had it on the Quaker in the early sessions of the fray, but the latter came back strong in the final sessions and punched him all over the ring. Young Papke was given the verdict over Young Sanders after six rounds of hard fighting. Kid Whitten outpointed Battling Webb in four rounds, while in the opening bout Young Core and Young Dolan fought four rounds to a draw. Kid Norfolk won the battle royal staged by Kid Reason, putting three husky black to sleep. Buck Alexander refereed the bouts.

First Practice for Mount Clare.

Mount Clare Baseball Club had its first workout yesterday, after which Manager Bill Stien expressed himself as well pleased with the showing of his men, and has high hopes of winning the pennant in the newly organized athletic league. The big manager put his men through a nine inning game, and showed the youngsters that he had not forgotten how to play the game himself by rapping out a couple of nice hits and playing an errorless game. Rube Andrews worked four innings for the regulars and pitched well, while Jimmy Boland went the full route for the yanigans. Charley Loudenslager, the former Oriole and leading batter of the New York State League last year, is working out with the Ironmen. He played second for the yanigans.

Some Baseball Scores.

At Davidson College, N. C.—Buffalo International League, 5; Davidson College, 1.

At Raleigh, N. C.—Agricultural and Mechanical, 4; Pennsylvania State, 3.

At Charlottesville, Va., March 22, Washington American League, 8; University of Virginia, 1.

Eastern Woman Golf Championship

Newton, Mass., March 22.—Officials of the Brae Burn Country Club adopted today the Eastern woman's golf championship for the week of June 9. This event carries with it the intercity competition for the Griscom Cup between New York, Philadelphia and Boston.

GOES TO THE HAMILTON CLUB

Poke Whalen, the star backstop of the local amateur ranks last year, who will try his luck in the Canadian League the coming season. He is a swell pegger and his friends here think he will make good.

GOTHAM AFTER ARMY-NAVY GAME

ELEVENS MAY CLASH ON THE POLO GROUNDS.

Secretary Foster, of Giants, Announces That Star Gridiron Event Will Probably Be Held in New York September 29 Unless Present Arrangements Go Wrong—Quakers Will Oppose Move.

Special Dispatch to The American.

New York, March 22.—The Army and Navy football game, one of the star events of the Eastern gridiron season, will be played next fall at the Polo Grounds in this city unless present arrangements are altered, according to the announcement tonight of Secretary Foster, of the New York Baseball Club.

"In all probability," he said, "the game will be played on the Polo Grounds November 29."

For many years the teams have met at Franklin Field in Philadelphia, and the Quaker City is expected to make a hot fight against the proposed transfer of the big game, a sporting event that brings all official Washington to the stands.

CARTER DISAPPOINTED

Georgetowns Announcement Regretted by Hopkins Manager.

The announcement that the Georgetown University track and field team has cancelled all of its dual meets came as quite a shock to the Johns Hopkins athletic authorities. Manager Paul Carter, of the Black and Blue athletes, however, has not as yet received any official word that the dual meet with Georgetown, scheduled for May 17 at Homewood had been declared off. It is claimed that the Georgetown treasury is very low at present and has not enough money to carry out the engagements.

Plans are on foot for an outdoor triangular track and field meet between Hopkins, the Cross Country Club and the Central Y. M. C. A. It is proposed to hold the meet on April 11, the opening day of the Black and Blue outdoor season. Manager Carter has already written to the managers of the two teams and expects a reply from them some time this week.

Englishmen to Assist at Yale.

New York, March 22.—Two Englishmen will assist in coaching the Yale crew for the annual race with Harvard, according to announcement here today on the authority of the London Sporting Life. That paper declares that Harcourt Gold, who coached Oxford for many years, and A. G. Kirby, who coached the winning Oxford crew this year, have consented to come to America. It is said they will leave England early in May, accompanied by G. S. MacLagan, the old Oxonian coxswain, whose trip here will be solely for pleasure.

RACING BOARD PLANS BIG YEAR

SPEED TESTS A-PLENTY FOR MOTOR-BOATS.

Five Events and Big Regatta to Be Held During Summer Months by Ferry Bar Club—Two-Hundred-Mile Affair to Be Big Feature—Fourth of July Will Be a Great Day.

If the plans of the racing board of the Maryland Motor Boat Club for the coming season do not go astray, this year will be a banner one on the water. Over five races and a motorboat regatta have been arranged, which includes the annual 200-mile cruiser race. May 31 has been chosen as the opening day of the racing season and closed races for club members only will be held on this day. On the same day there will be speed events which will be open to all boats. The latter will be held over a two-and-one-half-mile course in three heats, the winners to be decided on points.

Probably the best races of the season will be those of July 4 and 5, when the regatta will be held. The events on the Fourth will be open to all boats, subject to the rules and regulations of the racing board of the club. Handicaps will be given and the contestants will be rated according to the American Power Boat Association rules. There will be races for cruisers, speed boats, displacement races and a class for hydroplanes. In the latter there will be scratch events for boats of all sizes, and it is expected that the best fliers on the Chesapeake will take part. A 30-mile race for speed boats for the championship of the Chesapeake Bay will also be part of the regatta, and a prize valued at $150 will be offered to the winner. Besides the above-named races there will be several feutures, such as contests for boats of one class and design and canoes.

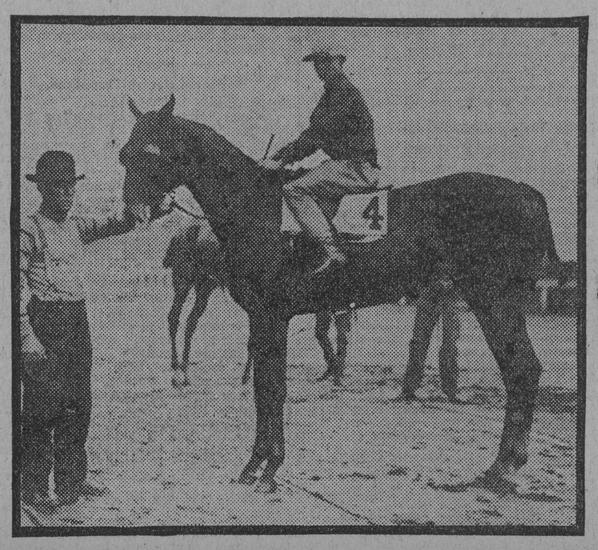
An affair which will no doubt attract attention from out-of-town sailors will be the annual 200-mile open race for cruisers to the Holland Bar Lighthouse and return, which is scheduled for July 25. Last year a Philadelphia boat from the Keystone Yacht Club came home a winner, while the local entries made quite a creditable showing. Prizes amounting to $500 will be offered.

The season will be closed with a race to Love Point on September 20. Only members of the club will be allowed to enter boats in this test. The craft will be handicapped by the past performances. Entry blanks or any other information regarding the races can be had upon application to any member of the racing board or Secretary James C. Callis, 329 North Calvert street. The members of the board are William F. Tanner, H. Stelle, James C. Callis, F. T. Dorton and George W. Marscheck.

Vote to Extend Entry Time.

Rochester, N. Y., March 22.—National Bowling Association officials voted today to extend the time for entries to the national tourney to begin here April 3. The entry lists were to have closed this afternoon.

TO FACE BARRIER AT MARLBORO



Ethelberg II., Hughey McCarren's speedy filly by Hapsburg, that will be shipped from Charleston to the Southern Maryland course next week.

CONDITIONS FOR MARLBORO RACING

CARDS ANNOUNCED FOR THE FIRST FOUR DAYS.

Events of Southern Maryland Association Should Meet With the Approval of the Many Horsemen That Will Ship to the Prince Georges County Track—Will Hurt the Jamestown Entries.

The program of racing for the first four days of the coming meeting at Marlboro, announced yesterday by the Southern Maryland Racing and Fair Association, should meet with the distinct approval of the horsemen. There are six events on each day's card, and no purse will be less than $300, with handicaps of $400. The initial day's sport on Tuesday, April 2, will be marked by the running of the District handicap for three-year-olds and upward, at a mile and a sixteenth.

On the second day the Rennert Hotel steeplechase is offered. It is for four-year-olds and upward, over the short course. No contest out of the ordinary is down for a decision on the third day, but on the fourth day there will be two special attractions, the Emerson Hotel handicap for three-year-olds, at a mile and 20 yards, and the Belvedere Hotel steeplechase for four-year-olds and upward, over the Columbia course.

Judging from the interest manifested by the owners and trainers that will ship to the Prince Georges county course from Charleston, Juarez and other tracks, not to refer to those now at Benning awaiting the opening of the meeting, every event will be filled with a decidedly better class of horses than heretofore, despite the conflict of dates with Jamestown.

From all accounts the meeting in Southern Maryland will play havoc with the entries at the Norfolk track.

The program for the first four days follows:

First Day—Wednesday, April 2.

First Race—Purse $300; for two-year-olds; weights, 118 pounds; nonwinners that have started allowed eight pounds. About four furlongs.

Second Race—Purse $300; for three-year-olds and up, that have not won two races since February 1. Weights: Three-year-olds, 110 pounds; four-year-olds, 118 pounds; others, 120 pounds; nonwinners since that date allowed five pounds; maidens, 10 pounds. Selling price, $200. Five and one-half furlongs out of chute.

Third Race—Selling; purse $300; for three-year-olds and up; the winner to be sold at auction for $100; five pounds below the scale, then two pounds allowed for each $100 less to $200; three-year-olds not to be entered less than for $500. Mile and a sixteenth.

Fourth Race—The district handicap; purse $400; for three-year-olds and up. Entries close Monday, March 31. Weights and declarations Tuesday, April 1, at 11 A. M. Six and one-half furlongs.

Fifth Race—Selling; purse $300; for four-year-olds and up. Weights: Two pounds below the scale; winners twice since January 1, five pounds extra; selling price, $300. About seven furlongs.

Sixth Race—Selling; purse $300; for three-year-olds and up. Weights: Two-year-olds, 100 pounds; four-year-olds, 115 pounds; others 116 pounds. Selling price $100. Four and one-half furlongs.

Second Day—Thiursday, April 3.

First Race—Selling; purse $300; for three-year-olds and up that have not won a race since January 25. Weights: Two-year-olds, 106 pounds; four-year-olds, 117; others 119. Selling price $200. Six and one-half furlongs.

Second Race—Selling; purse $300; for three-year-olds and up; weights 20 pounds below the scale; winners of two or more races since February 1, five pounds extra. Selling price $300. Five and one-half furlongs.

Third Race—Selling; purse $300; for three-year-olds and up. Weights: Three-year-olds, 92 pounds; four-year-olds, 100; others 110. Selling price $400. One mile and 20 yards.

Fourth Race—The Rennert Handicap Steeplechase; purse $300; for four-year-olds and up; weights 15 pounds below the scale; maidens allowed eight pounds. Short course.

Fifth Race—Selling; purse $300; for four-year-olds and up; weights 115 pounds, others 110. Selling price $200. Four and one-half furlongs.

Sixth Race—The conditions of this race will appear at the secretary's office at 11 A. M. Wednesday, April 2.

Entries for the handicap to be run on Saturday close today.

Third Day—Friday, April 4.

First Race—Purse $300; for two-year-olds; weights 115 pounds; those having two or more times and not placed second allowed five pounds; not third, three pounds. About four furlongs.

Second Race—Selling; purse $300; for three-year-olds and upward that have started and not been placed one, two, three since January 25; weights 12 pounds below the scale; selling price $100. Four and one-half furlongs.

Third Race—Purse $300; for three-year-olds and upward; weights, three-year-olds, 105 pounds; four-year-olds, 110 pounds; others, 118 pounds; nonwinners of two races since February 10 allowed five pounds; nonwinners of a race since that date, 10 pounds. One mile and 20 yards.

Fourth Race—Selling; purse $300. for three-year-olds and upward; weights, three-year-olds, 115 pounds; others, 120 pounds below the scale; nonwinners since March 1 allowed five pounds; selling price $400. Six and one-half furlongs.

Fifth Race——Selling; purse $300; for three-year-old and upward; weights 10 pounds below the scale; selling price $200. Five and one-half furlongs.

Sixth Race—Note. The condition of this race will appear at the office of the secretary on Thursday, April 3, at 11 A. M.

Rourth Day—Saturday, April 5.

First Race—Selling; purse, $300; for four-year-olds and upward; weights, 20 pounds below the scale; winners of two races since January 25; five pounds extra; selling price, $200; six and one-half furlongs.

Second Race—Selling; purse, $300; for three-year-olds and upward; the winner to be sold by auction for $800; if for less, two pounds allowed for each $100; winners at this meeting, five pounds extra; five furlongs.

Third Race—The Emerson Hotel Handicap; purse, $400; for three-year-olds and upward; entries Thursday, April 3; weights and declarations Friday April 4, at 11 A. M.; one mile and twenty yards.

Fourth Race—The Belvedere Hotel Steeplechase; purse, $300; for four-year-olds and upward; entries Thursday, April 3; weights and declarations Friday at 11 A. M.; Columbia course.

Fifth Race—Selling; purse, $300; for three-year-olds and upward; weights, three-year-olds, 104 pounds; four-year-olds, 114 pounds; others, 115 pounds; selling price, $100; about seven furlongs.

Sixth Race—The conditions of this race will appear at the secretary's office on Friday at 11 A. M.

WORKED ON MUDDY TRACK

Thoroughbreds Being Primed for Opening of Jamestown Meet.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Norfolk, Va., March 22.—There was some mud at the track today, but horses have to race in muddy going at times, and the trainers made 'em work. Sheepshead Bay in June was, in fact, never more a hive of industry than the little Jamestown Jockey Club course, with its queer turns and angles, that looks out on Hampton Roads. And the trainers about were metropolitan trainers for the most part.

Albert Simons was there with the horses of the stable of Harry Payne Whitney. Al Weston showed a bunch of two and three-year-olds belonging to Richard T. Wilson, president of the Saratoga Association; Thomas Clyde, of Philadelphia, and Capt. William Frederick Presgrave; Willie Martin galloped his numerous recruits from the Canadian end of Mrs. Lillian A. Livingston's Rancocas stud. William Shields put Double Five through his paces with a maiden by Sir Dixon, who is a dark secret, and Fred Miller worked Aviator, Fond Heart and Ochre Court.

Aviator demonstrated again that he is the most forward horse at the course by stepping five-eighths of a mile in 1:04, and Fond Heart showed that she had not forgotten how to run by breezing a half in :52.

Between times George Miller, who has one of the simplest and most easily worked starting devices in the country, schooled strings of the Weston, Charles and Hirsch stables at the gate. Miller's gate, a personal invention, has caught the eye of James Rowe, who has installed one at Brookdale Farm for the breaking of the Whitney yearlings and two-year-olds. If Mars Cassidy's reported illness proves serious it is not unlikely that Mr. Miller will do the starting here this spring and have an opportunity to use his gate.

Theodore Coles showed the handsomest two-year-old galloper in Yoderling, a son of Roehampton and Yodel, belonging to H. C. Breckinridge. Yoderling, a horse with beautiful action, galloped three furlongs in .38 without half trying. Jimmie Butwell, who is very accommodating about working horses, gave Slim Princess a gallop of a mile.

Eddie Phelan's Norfolk purchases, True As Steel and Chief Magistrate, galloped slowly. True As Steel was a bit sore the day before yesterday, owing to the fact that his feet were cut down a bit too much in front. He stepped soundly yesterday, and Phelan is satisfied with his condition.

Hugh Penny gave little Johnny McTaggart, his new lightweight, a ride of a mile on Judge Monck, who is pointing for the Jamestown and Monticello Hotel handicaps. Judge Monck is a bay son of Ben Brush and Early and Often, and a fine little chunk of a horse.

Penny becomes enthusiastic when he speaks of little McTagart. If the youngster continues to improve he will have the opportunity of riding Judge Monck in a race at Norfolk this spring.

Hand-riding Murphy galloped The Gardener and Joe Gaitens for his contract employer, Harry Shannon, and The Gardener's move was impressive. On such a track as yesterday The Gardener is capable of beating a first-rate selling plater.

STABLE SLEEPERS SCORE

Good Things Are Put Over on the Charleston Track.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Charleston, S. C., March 22.—Stable sleepers went over in rapid succession at Palmetto Park today, and those fortunate enough to be in on the tip made big money. Good Day, one of the best things of the meeting, made a show of Counterpart and Chilton King in the Fourth race.

The books showed as much as 40 to 1 on Good Day and at the post time 30 to 1 was the prevailing price. Grosvenor, despite his victory a few days ago, was overlooked by the talent, and he galloped home well in front of Tarts and Sherwood, favorites in the third race. The books laid 10 to 1 on Grosvenor. Harwood, Frank Hudson and Stairs, all good prices, were also winners.

The summaries:

First Race—Three-year-olds and up; selling; six furlongs. Gagnant, 113 (Snider), 2 to 1, 1 to 2 and out, won; Fairy Godmother, 94½ (Montour), even, 7 to 20 and out, second; Veneta Strome, 116 (Mondon), 5 to 2, 7 to 10 and out, third. Time, 1:17 1-5. St. Avano, Wild Weed, Edith Inez, Ma Salaame also ran.

Second Race—Two-year-olds; four furlongs. Harwood, 115 (J. Hanover), 3 to 1, 3 to 2 and 3 to 5, won; Son Jo 110 (Goose), 5 to 2, even and 1 to 2 3; Single, 110 (Taplin), 4 to 1, 3 2 and 7 to 10, third (coupled with Walters). Time, 49 4-5. Salvadora, Edna Lesh, Walters, Charles Cannell, Free Trade, Miss Charcot, Ada also ran.

Third Race—The Battery Park Selling Stakes; $1,000; three-year-olds and up; six furlongs. Grosvenor, 96 (Wolfe), 10 to 1, 3 to 1 and even, won; Tarts, 93 (Snider), 6 to 5, 2 to 5 and out, second; Sherwood, 115 (Scharf), 9 to 10, 1 to 4 and out, third. Time, 1:15 1-5. Cherryola, Font also ran.

Fourth Race — Three-year-olds; one mile. Good Day, 112 (Burns), 30 to 1, 6 to 1 and 6 to 1, won; Counterpart, 109 (Wilson), 8 to 1, 3 to 1 and 3 to 2, second (coupled with Rockbarr); Chilton K, 112 (Koener), 7 to 5, 3 to 5 and 1 to 3, third. Time, 1:43 2-5. Gardenia, Henpeck, Ella Grane, Nash Cash, Bernadotte, Early Light, Rockburr also ran.

Fifth Race—Three-year-olds and up; selling; five and a half furlongs. Frank Hudson, 90 (Snider), 2 to 1, 4 to 5 and out, won; Queen Bee, 105 (Wolfe), 4 to 1, 6 to 5 and out, second; Ancon, 87 (Ford), 6 to 1, 8 to 5 and out, third. Time, 1:09. Viley, Chemulpo also ran.

Sixth Race—Three-year-olds and up; selling; mile and one-sixteenth. Stairs, 95 (Montour), 5 to 2, 4 to 1 and 1 to 3, won; Annie Seller, 94 (Snider), 8 to 5, 3 to 5 and out, second; Wood Dove, 90 (Campbell), 25 to 1, 7 to 1 and 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:53 3-5. Fiel, Beach Sand, R. H. Gray, Heldeman also ran.

Card for Tomorrow.

FIRST RACE—Purse $300; three-year-olds and up; maidens; six furlongs.

Fuschia	102	Sweet Times	107
Snowflake	102	Clifftop	103
Pink Beau	102	Coo	108
Anna Clare	102	H. M. Sabath	112
Pandorina	102	Kenneth D	110
Wiley B	104	Old Hank	113
Syosset	104		

SECOND RACE—Purse $300; four-year-olds and up; selling; six furlongs.

Blitzen, Jr.	114	Jim Milton	111
*Miss Jonah	106	Edith Inez	111
*Huda's Sister	106	Blanche Frances	111
*Claque	106	Meriz	111
*Inspired	106	Casque	113
*Sidon	109	New Star	113
*York Lad	109	Bodkin	113
Miss Nett	111	Heretic	113

THIRD RACE—Purse $350; three-year-olds and up; conditions; five and a half furlongs.

Grosvenor	98	Samuel R. Meyer	111
Royal Message	99	Monocacy	111
Shackelton	110	Carlton G.	115

FOURTH RACE—Purse $350; three-year-olds and up; conditions; mile and seventy yards.

Dr. Duenner	110	White Wool	108
Noble Grand	101	1Armor	94
Volthorpe	103	1 John Furlong	114

1 Tennessee Stable entry.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $300; three-year-olds and up; selling; six furlongs.

*Tom King	89	*Nimbus	98
*Grosvenor	90	Ethelburg II.	99
*Fatherola	96	Towton Field	102
*Cutie B.	97	*Coppertown