

FINE PROGRAM OF HORSE RACES

Large Crowd Witnessed Speedsters Fight it Out at Fair Ground Track.

ALL FINISHES WERE CLOSE.

Two Heats in Harness and Two in Running Events Made Up Decidedly Good Card.

The chilly weather yesterday afternoon did not have the effect of keeping people away from the fair grounds race track. The largest crowd since the meet opened attended yesterday afternoon and witnessed a series that were full of excitement and interest. The officials in charge of the meet saw to it that the public was not kept waiting, and every event ran off without delay.

There were 20 heats in the harness events and two running races. The first heat started at 2 o'clock and the last one finished at 5 o'clock, so it can be seen that no time was lost.

One of the features of the feature of the day's program was the special race in which an ex-sarco handed first money after a hard race in five heats. The first heat was the most exciting, but took in the second. The finish of each heat was a glaze affair, and the judges had a hard time placing the horses. The fifth departmental race was a running race between the two teams and the judges declared it a tie. Jessie A. and Cavalier were close to the leaders.

It required five heats to settle the dogs in the 22 class event, the competition between Adams and Wilcox.

In the former break and did not do well in the first heat, but in the other heats he did splendid work. In the fourth heat there was a little dispute as to the finish, but the judges decided that McCoy was not doing his best with his horse Adix and ordered him off. McCoy declared the animal was not out. Flanders took charge of the animal in the fourth heat, and suddenly McCoy then took charge again in the fifth but it was the same story. The judges realized their mistake and made it right with McCoy.

FAST RUNNING EVENTS.

Recess Visit of Prince Wilhelm Seems Significant to N. Y. Yacht Club.

New York, Oct. 1.—It is thought that the idea of a Swedish challenger for a race for the America's cup was prompted by the visit of Prince Wilhelm to this country recently. The prince was much interested in sailing affairs, and among others some yachtmen and through them became interested in the America's cup.

Axel Johnson, a Swedish lawyer, was with the prince a good deal of the time he was here and talked a good deal about yachting while here and took back many ideas with him. He recently told those before the members of the Swedish Yacht Club that he had been invited to the America's cup and induced them to challenge for the trophy. Baron Herbert Lagerkrantz, the Swedish minister, who is here, said when he heard of the coming challenge he was pleased.

"I hope it is true and that they are really going to challenge. It would really be fine. Our sailors, you know, have done good work in sailing the defenders to victory."

IN THE BIG LEAGUES.

HOW THEY STAND.

AMERICAN.

Win. Lost. P. C.

Score. Place.

Johnson, Johnson 5 1 1 3 1

Keayor, Keayor 1 2 2 4 2

McCoy 6 5 4

Easton 4 3 3 Down

Wadsworth 3 5 Dist.

Elias Hansen Drawn

Times—2175. 2224. 2280. 2363. 2395.

Second race, special named purse, purse.

Race, Driver.

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