# \$10,000 TROT WON BY HELEN STILES

After Thrilling Finish, California Mare Captures Great Race at Fair.

## **FIVE HEATS ARE NECESSARY**

Most Sensational Harness Events Ever Held in Portland Seen by 17,000 People - Prince Lot Gives Hard Run to Victor.

With perfect weather and ideal rac-ing conditions prevailing, the first \$10,000 trotting event ever held in the Northwest was successfully run yester-day at the track of the Portland Fair and Livestock Association. Seventeen thousand people took advantage of the spiendid weather to see the greatest horse race ever held in Portland.

It was truly a great race, for it required five heats to decide the winner. G. A. Durfee, of San Jose, Cal., carried G. A. Durfee, of San Jose, Cal., carried off the honors by piloting his bay mare. Helen Stiles, under the wire first in the last three heats. His victory in the third heat is disputed by some who question the action of the Judges in awarding the Durfee entry the decision in one of the closest finishes ever made here in a harness race.

### Prince Lot Nosed Out.

The old saw about a horse's winning by sticking out his tongue could cer-tainly apply to this race, so close were Helen Stiles and Prince Lot, the latter siso a California horse, at the wire. In fact, many who were just opposite the judges' stand declared that C. A. Spencer, driver of Prince Lot, had picked him up and shoved him over the margin just a wee hit shead of the speedy mare.

Prince Lot had a comparatively easy time winning the first two heats, with several lengths to spare in each. But in the third Helen Stiles came up fast in the third Helen Stiles came up fast in the stretch and overtook Spencer's entry within 100 yards of the finish, and the struggle between the two horses from then to the wire was a magnificent sight to watch. Turf history has recorded many a close finish in both harness and running races, but it is doubtful if ever a field of 10 starters has approached the wire bunched losser than harnessed vasterday in this

## Four Horses in Final Heats.

When the herald called for the horses entered in this big event, 13 of the original is entries responded. Lady Malcolm and Zomell were scratched, and in the drawing for positions Cuicello draw the pole for Lady Inez, which horse finished fourth. According to the rules only the four horses standing the best chance to win places are eligible for the

at the four horses to get into the money at the finish, three got away in the first rank, for Durfee drew a position in the second rank, but despite this handleap be finished fifth in the first heat. In the second heat he took second honors away from Joe McGuire and his Lee Crawford, and in the third Helen Stlice' sensational victory made it neceseary to run the next two heats.

## Finish Is Thrilling.

When the four eligibles for the final heat of the race, McCarthy sent them away to a perfect alignment. A better start was never seen here before, and it is doubtful if any starter in this sec-tion of the country has done better work than the man now handling the races at the Portland track. By virtue of her victory in the third heat, Helen Stiles had the pole, and while hard premed by both Prince Lot and Lee Crawford, she gamely held to the front and finished a good length ahead of Spencer's entry. while the latter took second honors with ease from McGuire.

In the last heat it was easy easiling for

Heien Stiles, as she pulled away from the field after passing the three quarters and was in no danger at any time on entering the stretch.

## Fast Time Made. The judges watched the finish of that

third heat carefully and rendered an un-biased decision, for despite the large number of admirers of Prince Lot, who thought that horse should have won. there are many who side with the judges. At any rate it was a great race. Helen stiles is a bay mare by Sydney Dillon, and one of the mest promising California horses. The best time in the big event was 2005, made in the third heat. While the interest in the big stake event naturally overshadowed that in any other, there were two other meritorious races which served as appetizers to the big throng. The first race on the pro-gramme was the futurity or "baby" race, for 2-year-olds. This race required but two heats to reach a decision, as Dick Wilson piloted Mrs. A. R. Shreve's Ruby Light, a celt by the famous Searchlight. to victory in two straight heats. Laura
Rogers, one of Alex Brown's California
League Club. The Western Canada
League is held accountable to the player
heats, and took second honors, for Frank
for salary from August 3 to 22. Skeels E. Alley's Roseburg Boy and Della Mc-Kay, driven by Sebastian, broke so freently in the first heat must both got the fing W. L. Whitmore's Jean Reid and N. K. West's Amy May both went lame workouts and were scratched.

## Bonnie Antrim Consistent.

Fred Brooker's Bonnie Antrim proved the most consistent performer of the day winning the 2:18 page in three straight by winning the 2:18 page in three straight heats, each time with a fine margin to spare over the other four starters. Driven by John Sawyer, Bonnie Antrim took the lead each time and had no difficulty maintaining first position throughout each heat. For pacers in that class the entities made excellent time, for Bonnie Antrim's slowest time was in the third heat, which was paced in 2:145. The tirst heat was made in 2:15 and the second first heat was made in 2:12 and the second in 2:12. Captain Appearson took second in 2:12 Captain Apperson took second honors, while third money went to Abe Brader, owned and driven by Charles Whitehead, James McGuire and his Cranky Thorne captured fourth money Dick Wilson, driving George K.

Howitt's Zoe W. Aviators Defries and Siebels made atempts to fly their aeroplanes, but neither was successful in rising more than ten seet off the ground. Siebel made the



START OF SECOND HEAT IN 2:12 TROT. HELEN STILES, WINNER OF RACE, IS THIRD HORSE FROM LEFT, AND PRINCE LOT, WINNER OF FIRST TWO HEATS, IS AT EXTREME RIGHT.

lege Maid was sent against the record on Wednesday, but she behaved badly that day and ran away without covering the

College Maid will give an exhibition to-day, although it had not been scheduled

on the regular programme.

Today's programme will include the
consolation pace, as well as the 2:15 troi
and the 2:25 pace. The contest in the and the 215 pace. The contest in the first event ought to be one of the hardest fought races ever seen on the track. Dick Wilson's Alex Williams, J. F. Newell's Junior Dan Patch, E. C. Keyt's King Seal, A. R. Gibson's Amy S. W. S. Mabin's Chiquita and E. A. Reichel's Buck are the horses eligible to start in Buck are the horses eligible to start in the consolation.

The entries for the regular events

A. J. Arnew, Everett, Wash. A. Crawford, dam by Alwood Breeze, Fred Wood-ock, Albany, Or.; May Moon, b. m. Barondale-Idle May by Electionsor, A. D. Fraser, Seattle, Wash.; Baron Lovelace, ch. z., Lovelace, Faifa by Fred Hambieton, W. A. Laidlaw, Portland, Or.; Haitmost, b. s. Hai B. dam by Altamont. Mrs. Florence E. Vaughn, Canby, Or.; Tom S. b. Z. Yakimont. Neil by Beilfounder Prince, Mrs. R. M. Sebastian, North Yakima, Wash. Harry Luft, b. g., Argarale-Seiby Ward by Beinsett Capman, C. H. Authier, Vancouver, B. C., Walter Barker, b. s. Heir at-Law-Jane Jacobs by Axtell, W. S. Maben, Los Angeles, Can, Nicusea, Joe Patchen-Gennoe by Woodford Wilkes, N. D. Harrisson, Spokane, Wash.; Harold, Welcome, b. s. Welcome-Judith by William Harold, W. L. Knouff, Walls Walla, Wash. 2:16 trot, purse 1409.—Crombo, b. g., Zonbro-Sumner by Woisey, E. N. Jones, Spokane, Wash.; Lady Sunrise, b. m. Sunrise, Charles Turner, Davenport, Wash, Sonoma Boy, b. s., Lynwood W. Maud Fowler by Anteco, F. E. Alley, Roseburg, Or.; Stalens, b. m., Stam B.-Atherine by Patron, F. E. Alley, Roseburg, Or.; Stalens, b. m., Stam B.-Atherine by Patron, F. E. Alley, Roseburg, Or.; Stalens, b. m., Stam B.-Atherine by Patron, F. E. Alley, Roseburg, Or.; Stalens, b. m., Stam B.-Atherine by Patron, F. E. Alley, Roseburg, Or.; Stalens, b. m., Stam B.-Atherine by Patron, F. E. Alley, Roseburg, Or.; Stalens, b. m., Stam B.-Atherine by Patron, F. E. Alley, Roseburg, Or.; Stalens, b. m., Stam B.-Atherine by Patron, F. E. Alley, Roseburg, Or.; Stalens, b. m., Stam B.-Atherine by Patron, F. E. Alley, Roseburg, Or.; Stalens, b. m., Stam B.-Atherine by Patron, F. E. Alley, Roseburg, Or.; Stalens, b. m., Stam B.-Atherine by Patron, F. E. Alley, Roseburg, Or.; Stalens, b. m., Stam B.-Atherine by Patron, F. E. Alley, Roseburg, Or.; Stalens, b. m., Stam B.-Atherine by Patron, F. E. Alley, Roseburg, Or.; Stalens, b. m., Stam B.-Atherine by Patron, F. E. Stanfe, Cayuse, Molly by Old Alexis, S. Shell, Walla, Walla, Walla, Walla, Walla, Walla, Walla, Walla, Walla, Walla,

## ing of David Skeets.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 8.-in a decision handed down today the National Baseball Commission allows the draft of

amendment in amplification of the rules, making it clear that in the releasing of players from major to the minor league clubs the former must provide the players released with transportation to their new destination, but that the minor league clubs must reimburse the majors for money so expended, the method being adopted merely to expedite matters.

star of the season, took the 2:15 trot from Medicum and Wenja today at the Agricultural Park in three straight heats. The finishes were close. Few Agricultural Park in three straight heats. The finishes were close. Few men urged the announcement that if beats, one of the cleverest drivers in good support is given this fair for the Northern California and owner of the next two days they will bring here next Northern California and owner of the horse, was up. Six hundred dollars year a \$1.000,000 stock show, which will be a credit to the entire Northwest. Year a looking forward to the Stand-



Judges Ponder and Give Prize to Oregon Stamp.

RUBY'S ENGLISH SHIRES

Attendance Approaches 20,000 Mark and Encourages Stockmen to Plan for Big \$1,000,000 Exposition Next Year.

With ideal weather prevailing, the fourth day of the Livestock Show opened yesterday morning with the largest crowd of the week present. The spectators began to arrive early and by the time the judging started, hundreds of people were lined around the exhibition ring,

waiting to hear the decisions.

The blooded draft horses groomed and sleek and fat. attracted the attention of the crowds. Judge Mordo McDonald

were some fine entries and it was neces-eary to make close decisions between horses owned by John Painter, of Salem: william Hastings, of Boyd, Or., and W. D. Claggett, of Salem. The grand championship was awarded to the stallion, Oregon Stamp, owned by Mr. Claggett. In the English Shire class. A. C. Ruby

has been playing in the Western Canada
League.

The Commission also adopted an amendment in amplification of the rules. There was no competition in this class and Mr. Ruby's animals were showered with blue ribbons. The Bel-gian and Percheron classes will be judged this morning and these with the heavy draft horses and mules will complete the list of horses.

## Crap Game Broken Up.

While the crowds were watching the ters.

work of the judges several of the lockeys gathered in a secluded corner of one of the barns and were enjoying a game Star Takes Race at Sacramento in

Three Straight Heats.

SACRAMENTO. Cal., Sept. 8.—Lijero, star of the season, took the 2:15 trot from Medicum and Wenja today at the Agricultural Park in three straight medical services and were enjoying a game of craps when they were discovered by Secretary Welch. In getting away, they left their stakes on the ground. The total amount picked up by Mr. Welch was \$1.9 which was turned over to Treasure J. L. Meler to help swell the gate receipts of the fair.

In recognition of the great attendance, which was close to 20,000 jesterday, stockmen urged the announcement that if

Portland can give the patronage needed



HELEN STILES, WINNER OF 2:12 TROT, DRIVEN BY C. A. DURFEE, OWNER.

Catile—Guernseys.

Bull, 3 years old and over—Golden Prince of Oregon, owned by D. H. Looney, of Jefferson, Or., first; only ontry.

Bull, senior yearling—Imp. Beisey's Jewell, owned by E. L. Thompson, of Portland, first; only entry.

Bull, junior yearling—Broadside Custer, cwned by D. H. Looney, first; only entry.

Bull, senior calf—Broadside Buster, owned by D. H. Looney, first; only entry.

Bull, junior calf—No Name, owned by D. H. Looney, first; only entry.

Cow, 3 years old or over—Kate's Beauty, owned by D. H. Looney, first; Evaline's Queen, owned by D. H. Looney, second; Lutu's Goldle, owned by E. L. Thompson, third.

Heifer, 2 years, under 1—Goldle of Chicona, owned by D. H. Looney, first; Bessie of Maple Ridge, owned by E. L. Thompson, second; Imp. Jeannette IV, owned by E. L. Thompson, third.

Heifer, 1 year, under 2 (in milki—Miss Eglantine, owned by D. H. Leoney, first; enly entry.

Heifer, 1 year, under 2 (dry)—Miss Coral, Cattle-Guernseys.

Heifer, 1 year, under 2 (dry)—Miss Coral owned by D. H. Looney, first, Lily May-flower, owned by D. H. Looney, second: Dolly Grey, owned by E. L. Thompson, third.

third.

Heifer, senior calf—Lura Camille, owned by D. H. Looney, first; Dancing Girl, owned by D. H. Looney, second.

Senior champion boll—Golden Pfines of Oregon, owned by D. H. Looney.

Junior champion bull—Won by D. H. Looney. Junior champion during the Looney. Four animals of one sire—By D. H. Looney, first and second.

Two animals from one cow—By D. H. Looney, first and second.

All junior, champion, senior champion, grand champion and herd awards made to D. H. Looney.

Cattle—Devon.

The blooded draft horses, groomed and sleek and fat, attracted the attention of the crowds. Judge Mordo McDonald had his bands full in going through the large string and picking out the most perfect specimens. Old-time livestock men declared a finer lot of draft horses has never been assembled at the Country Club grounds.

The list of Clydesdale and English Shire classes was completed by noon yesterday. In the Clydesdale class, there were some fine entries and it was necestary to make close decisions between the country to make close decisions between the classes was considered to make the figure is not very been assembled at the Country Club grounds.

Cattle—Guernseys.

Grand champion female—Romona, owned by W. L. Simeral, aged herd.—Owned by Gorge F. Simeral, first; W. L. Simeral, second, as the figure is not very bigh.

At 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, in front of the grandstand, the pony and cart is to be given away to the lucky holder of a ticket number.

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Cattle—Guernseys.

All awards in all classes made to B. P. Inman, of Junction City, Or, Cow, 3 years old-Hamona, owned by W. L. Simeral, first; The Best, second, and Lady Portland, third; both owned by George F. Simeral, third; sold owner by device F. Simeral, Heller, 2 years old, under 3—Lady Myrite, owned by W. L. Simeral, first; Lady Marjon, owned by George F. Simeral, second, Helfer and senior yearling—Oregon Bell, owned by George F. Simeral, first; only

owned by George F. Simeral, bist, only entry.

Helfer, junior yearling—Lillian Russell, owned by W. L. Simeral, first, Seattle Bell, second, and Seattle Lassle, third, both owned by George F. Simeral.

Helfer, senior calf—Rainbow, owned by George F. Simeral, first, only entry.

Helfer, junior calf—Hiawatha, owned by George F. Simeral, dirst; Red Wing, owned by W. L. Simeral, second, Senior champion buil—Red Cloud, owned by George F. Simeral.

Junior champion buil—Gilnockie Lad, owned by George F. Simeral.

Fat Cattle.

Steer or spayed heifer, 2 years and under 3—Snyder, owned by Jee Turner, of Wapdto, Wash, first; Jerry, owned by A. D. Dunn, of Wapato, Wash, second, Schmidt, owned by L. K. Cogswell, of Chehalis, . Wash, third. Steer or spayed heifer, I year, under 2-White Boy, owned by A. D. Dunn, first Steer or spayed heifer under I year-Jew-el, owned by Joe Turner, first; Rex. owned by A. D. Dunn, second. Herd of steers-Owned by A. D. Dunn, first. first. Champion steer-Snyder, owned by Jos

Cattle-Holsteins. Bulls, 3 years old and over-Kaan Jawei of Woodlake, owned by J. L. Smith, Spokane, first: Aggie Cornucopia Brown De Kol, owned by W. Bishop, Chimacum, sec-

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