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River Vale, N. J.

(Half-Mile Track)

River Vale, May 30: River Vale's new track, probably the closest track to New York City having professional races, staged an attractive three event program of harness horses and a running race on Decoration day. The meeting is sponsored by the well-known New Jersey horseman, Joe O'Shea of Hackensack, and is managed by Mr. O'Shea's brother, John. Joe Dodge captured the first race of the day, a 2:18 trot, with the well-known gelding Hollyrood Flagge by Hollyrood Prince. Angelo Munzo of Patterson won the third heat with his husky big mare Miss McGregor 2:10 by McGregor the Great. Leo Fleisch had the high card in the second race, winning the 2:25 pace with Bid Hanover by Sandy Flash which paced a good race despite the fact that the turns handicapped her some. After Fleisch had won the first heat of the 2:24 trot with Harris Noon 2, 2:11¹/₄ by High Noon 2:02³/₄, Edwin 3, 2:09 by Spencer was the high card in the second and third heats, the race bringing out unusual speed for this time of the year, as Harris Noon trotted the last half of the first mile in 2:13¹/₂ in 1:04, Edwin taking the next two in 2:14 and 2:17, ending a good day's harness sport.

The summaries:

2:18 Class Trot Purse \$150

Hollyrood Flagge b g by Hollyrood Prince .	(Dodge)	1 1 2
Miss McGregor b in by McGregor the Great	(Monzo)	3 2 1
Captain Sydney b g by Captain S	(Thomas)	2 3 3
Frances Hudson b in by Peter Volo	(Keegan)	4 4 4

Time 2:17³/₄-2:17¹/₂-2:18

2:25 Pace Purse \$150

Bid Hanover b in by Sandy Flash	(Fleisch)	1 1 1
May Direct ch in by Directum I	(Shaw)	2 2 2
Calumet Ada b in by Belwin	(Wilkins)	3 3 3
Sally Hanover b in by Guy McKinney	(Thomas)	4 4 4

Time 2:21¹/₂-2:19-2:19

2:24 Trot Purse \$300

Edwin b g by Spencer	(Thomas)	2 1 1
Harris Noon b c 3, by High Noon	(Fleisch)	1 2 3
Laurel Hill b in by The Laurel Hall	(Brooks)	3 3 2
Jean Hanover ch f, 3, by Sandy Flash	(Keegan)	5 4 4

Pat Guy 6-5-5, Shawnee 4 dis.

Time 2:13¹/₂-2:14-2:17

