

GLENS FALLS PARK ASSOCIATION MEMBER'S BOOK

OVERVIEW OF THE RECORDS

- Repository:** Crandall Public Library
Center for Folklife, History, and Cultural Programs,
Glens Falls, NY.
- Creator:** Glens Falls Park Association (Glens Falls, N.Y.)
- Title:** Glens Falls Park Association Member's Book.
- Dates:** August 14-16, 1888.
- Abstract:** The Member's book, or duplicate of the official record, recorded the results of horse races organized by the Glens Falls Park Association. Races were held, in harness, from August 14-16, 1888. For each race the book identifies the horses entered, the purse for the race, and the results of all the heats. The race track was located at the Warren County Fairgrounds, on the west side of Glen Street in the northwestern part of Glens Falls.
- Quantity:** 1 volume (10 pages).
- Identification:** Archives & Manuscripts: Organizations

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND:

Horse racing was a major attraction in Glens Falls in the late nineteenth century. In 1888 the race track was located at the Warren County Fairgrounds, on the west side of Glen Street in the northwestern part of the village.

SCOPE AND CONTENT OF THE RECORDS:

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INDEX TERMS

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Organizations: Glens Falls Park Association (Glens Falls, N.Y.)

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