

THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

London Ladies' Golf Club Elects Officers for the Year.

Watford Football and Cricket Clubs Reorganize—25-Round Draw in the South.

GOLF.

LONDON GOLF CLUB.

Those interested in reorganizing this club, to play on the Wobley Barracks links, are asked to meet at Messrs. Cronyn & Betts' office on Monday afternoon, April 15, at 5 o'clock.

THE LONDON LADIES' CLUB.
At the first annual meeting of the Ladies' Golf Club in connection with the London Hunt, held at the residence of Mrs. Geo. C. Gibbons, the attendance was very good and the election of officers resulted as follows: President—Mrs. John Labatt. First Vice-President—Mrs. F. Leonard. Second Vice-President—Mrs. C. S. Hyman.

Secretary—Miss Zimmerman. House Committee—Mrs. Gibbons, Mrs. Smallman, Mrs. Harley Brown, Mrs. R. Puddicombe.

Handicap Committee—Mrs. E. B. Smith, Miss Gibbons, Miss O. Harris and Miss E. Belton. Although unusually early the links are in very good condition for playing, temporary greens having been arranged, and as the weather has been so delightful the grounds have presented quite a lively appearance during the past week. Altogether the indications for a very successful season are exceedingly promising.

FOOTBALL.

THE WATFORD CLUB.

The annual meeting of the Watford Football Club was held in the Guide-Advocate office Tuesday evening, when the following officers were elected: Honorary president, Rev. M. McAlister; president, Dr. Gibson; honorary vice-president, T. L. Swift; vice-president, Dr. Auld; secretary-treasurer, Geo. L. Haggle; managing committee, L. D. Caldwell, E. Brown, G. Jamieson, captain, D. Parker.

CRICKET.

WATFORD REORGANIZES.

At a meeting held in Dr. Gibson's office recently the Watford Cricket Club reorganized, with the following officers: Honorary president, Rev. C. H. Routledge; president, Jos. Beach; vice-president, T. L. Swift; secretary-treasurer, L. J. Williams; executive committee, W. Hindson, J. White, D. Roche, J. W. Walker.

FISTIC.

A 25-ROUND DRAW.

Savannah, Ga., April 13.—Billy Whistler, of Baltimore, and Tommy Hogan, Thursday night fought to a draw a 25-round bout, with five-ounce gloves.

TURF.

AT BENNING.

Washington, April 13.—The events at Benning yesterday resulted as follows:

First race, handicap, 6 1/2 furlongs—Moor 1, Lexington Pirate 2, Presit 3. Time, 1:09 3/4.

Second race, selling, 7 furlongs—Pascage 1, Monmouth Boy 2, Charles Estes 3. Time, 1:29.

Third race, 6 furlongs—The Rhymor 1, Robert Waddell 2, Imperialist 3. Time, 1:15 3/4.

Fourth race, maiden 2-year-olds, 1/2 mile—Asterly 1, The Stewardess 2, Maru 3. Time, 1:51.

Fifth race, maidens, 7 furlongs—Rough Rider 1, Inniscara 2, Street Boy 3. Time, 1:30 3/4.

Sixth race, selling, 1 mile and 50 yards—Speedman 1, Althea 2, Alard 3. Time, 1:47 3/4.

THE RIFLE.

The Melrose Rifle Club met Wednesday, April 10. The day was fine, but very windy. Standard American target.

200 YARDS—REST.

J. A. Clare 9 8 6 10 43
R. Robinson 7 10 8 7 38
E. J. Shaw 7 9 8 7 37
T. J. Murphy 8 8 6 8 36
D. Steinhoff 8 6 9 6 35
J. K. Morris 5 9 7 7 34

200 YARDS—OFF-HAND.

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J. A. Clare 8 8 8 6 34
D. Steinhoff 4 6 4 4 24
J. K. Morris 4 8 8 6 31
R. Robinson 3 2 1 5 14

TOTALS.

E. J. Shaw, 76; T. J. Murphy, 73; J. A. Clare, 67; D. Steinhoff, 53; J. K. Morris, 55; R. Robinson, 52.

WRESTLING.

NEW YORKER WON.

Springfield, Mass., April 13.—Leo Pardello, of New York, champion middleweight wrestler, Thursday night defeated Carl Schmidt, of Elizabeth, N. J., in a mixed style match for a purse of \$250, under the auspices of the Berkshire Club. The opening match was between Harry Hinchinski, of Jersey City, and Young Muldoon, of New York, at catch-as-catch-can. Hinchinski won two straight falls.

YACHTING.

ANOTHER CUP MATCH.

New York, April 13.—The World says: A magnificent cup is to be offered by one of the best-known yachtsmen in New York for a race between the Constitution, the Independence and the Columbia. The offer is the result of the declaration of W. Butler Duncan, jun., manager of the new cup defender, that he could not get too many races for the Constitution. He said he wished to enter his warship suitable prizes were offered, provided the courses had plenty of water.

When we played shinnay, long ago, Our clothing did not fret us,
We wore no coats of sunset glow—
Our mothers would not let us
Oh, we were colts in our glee;
We loved to prance and whinny;
We asked no "niblick" and no "tee"
When we were playing shinnay.

Oh, where are those companions now—
The "thin boy" was called "fat";
The boy ill-clad, with grimy brow;
The boy who was so very fat,
The comrades named him "skinny";
There is no friendship here like that
We knew while playing shinnay.

Perchance, one day a club I'll take
And send the golf ball flying—
At least, I shall try to make
There's aught, you know, like trying.
But I shall miss those boyish friends,
So freckle-faced and grimy;
No modern game can make amends
For those lost hours of shinnay.

Washington Star.

CANCER CURED

BY X RAYS!

San Francisco Doctor's Treatment Successful—In Use Here and Elsewhere

San Francisco, April 13.—After a series of experiments covering two years, Dr. J. M. Selfridge, a well-known physician of Oakland, announces his entire confidence that cancer can be cured by X-rays. He first experimented successfully on himself and cured a skin cancer. Then he operated on a number of patients, several of whom were cured after comparatively brief treatment.

It was not until he removed all signs of cancer from the face of Joseph Cairn Simpson, horseman and turf writer, that Dr. Selfridge felt fully convinced of the healing power of the X-ray. Mr. Simpson had a malignant form of cancer of the skin on the nose, the result of a wildcat bite years ago. Many doctors treated him, but it grew steadily worse. Three months ago Dr. Selfridge began treating him with X-rays and today every sign of the disease is gone. The doctor placed a lead mask over the face of the patient, leaving only the cancer exposed to the rays. Mr. Simpson fully confirms the story.

HEART FAILURE

But Not Fatal This Time, for Timely Treatment Saved.

For Six Years a Newfoundland Man Suffers From Heart Trouble—Unable to Work and Suffering Great Pain He Is Discouraged—Dodd's Kidney Pills Make a New Man of Him.

Cape La Hune, Nfld., April 12. (Special).—Many think that Heart Disease is incurable, but the fact that it is curable is proven by a case that recently came to light in this place. Mr. Thos. Barter makes the following statement:

"For over six years, I suffered intensely with palpitation of the heart, and had to give up work. I could not do anything at all, until I saw in an advertisement that Dodd's Kidney Pills would cure Heart Disease. I bought a box and am now completely cured. I can do my work again as well as ever I could."

"I am not much of a speaker, but I have tried to write my story as plainly as possible, and am doing so because I believe that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure any case of palpitation, or other Heart Trouble, and I think everyone suffering in this way should be told of the remedy, that I found so successful in my case."

Mr. Barter's testimonial has been voluntarily given for publication. He can have no object in giving it, other than the hope of helping some other poor sufferer, as pointed out in his letter.

If anyone doubts the genuineness of Mr. Barter's testimonial, or the truth of any statement made therein, they are at liberty to write to him and find out for themselves.

Mr. Barter is only one of many in this neighborhood, who have been cured by the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills, but his case is one of the most striking, and evidently proves that Heart Disease is the result of Kidney Derangements, and can be cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Deranged Kidneys increase the heart's work, and cause palpitation and other heart troubles. Dodd's Kidney Pills cure the Kidneys, and thus relieve the Heart.

TORN BY A TIGER

"Rajah Gashed His Victim Almost to Pieces Before He Could Be Stopped by Bullets."

Indianapolis, April 13.—Rajah, the Bengal tiger that fatally injured one of the keepers at the "zoo" in this city several months ago, after a desperate fight in the animal's cage yesterday attacked Frank C. Bostock, proprietor of the "zoo," and dangerously injured him.

Preparations were being made to ship Rajah to the Pan-American Exposition. Bostock took Rajah into the arena with the intention of putting him through some tricks. Bostock wore a heavy wire mask over his head and neck and carried a revolver and club.

At the conclusion of the exercise the beast was released and started toward the cage along a winding passageway. In this narrow place the animal suddenly leaped on Bostock and forced him to the floor. Bostock's left arm was torn by the tiger's fangs, and it is feared the arm must be amputated. The mask was broken open, and the tiger was gnashing at his victim's face when a trainer rushed to the rescue and drove the enraged beast to his cage after firing several shots into his body.

In England 29 per cent of the population live in cities of over 100,000 inhabitants. In other countries the percentage is lower—United States, 19; Germany, 16.17; France, 12; Austria, 8; Russia, 5.

Though the Buffalo Exposition will not open for several weeks, a crowd of 15,000 or 20,000 visitors is a common sight on the grounds.

Novely Complexion Free.

Every Lady in the Land Can Now Have a Beautiful Skin—A Trial Box Free.

No lady should despair if her complexion is imperfect. Merely send your name and address to:

Mme. M. Ralston, 2071 Elm Building, Cincinnati, Ohio, who will send you free prepaid in plain wrapper a package of her wonderful remedies that absolutely guarantee a perfect clear skin. It is not a face powder, cosmetic or bleach, but is absolutely pure, and is applied at home. It permanently removes all patches, redness, crow's feet, pimples, blackheads, freckles, sallowness, wrinkles, tan, sunburn and all other complexion disfigurements.

Helen H. Ralston, 625 Lexington avenue, New York, today has a complexion fair as a May Day queen. She says of it: "I cannot see why any lady should continue to lack a beautiful complexion when it can be so easily obtained by simply sending name and address to Mme. M. Ralston, the same as I did. Write her today."

MISS RALSTON, The Famous Kentucky Beauty.

Canada's Big Supply of Pulp

What an American Newspaper Man Says of It—Increase in Cost of Paper.

Washington, D. C., April 12.—The manufacture of the news print paper of the country was the subject of an inquiry on the part of the industrial commission, when Mr. Norris, business manager of the New York Times, being the witness, Mr. Norris devoted his attention especially to the International Paper Company. "I will assert," he said, "that the International Paper Company has failed in every expectation it held out to the newspapers and to the public. The cost of manufacture is greater under consolidation than under individual ownership of the paper mills. The economics which were to be obtained under the consolidated management have not been realized. The expense has fallen off, but the cost of the paper has risen. That is to say, the strong feature of the consolidated companies' effort. The promised policy of the enlightened self-interest has been abandoned, and the new cost of newspaper paper has been an increase of \$4,500,000 per annum in the cost of news print paper."

Referring again to the promises of increased economy due to the consolidation, Mr. Norris repeated that it had not been realized. As an instance, he said the president of the consolidation was paid \$50,000 a year, and manufacturers' salaries were increased from \$7,500 to \$15,000. These also had been \$7,500 in addition to the spruce lands owned by the company, the area secured in the United States bringing the aggregate up to 1,600 square miles, while 2,000 square miles of this land are controlled in Canada. There had likewise been an increase in freight charges.

All told he placed the enhancement of the cost of producing news print at \$3 per ton. He knew of two newspapers which were paying an increase of \$150,000 each annually on the paper used by them. Mr. Norris gave the daily output of news print paper at 2,055 tons, which the International Paper Company furnished 1,200 tons, while the mills of the company had a capacity of 1,575 tons per day; and said that there was a constant increase of producing capacity outside the grasp of the International Paper Company that it owned all paper water powers and all available spruce lands.

Mr. Norris attributed the recent increase in the price of paper to four causes, namely, to the Spanish-American war, the South African war, the drought of 1899 and 1900, and the attempt of the International Paper Company to monopolize the spruce lands.

He pointed out the last difficulty he suggested that trade relations with Canada should be promoted in order that the practically inexhaustible pulp supply of that country might be drawn upon. "One should," he said, "adopt the plan which President McKinley has advocated of remitting those taxes which experience has shown to be burdensome to the industries of the people."

He asserts that the International Paper Company has exposed Canadian reciprocity and that the result had been Canadian reprisals. He advocated the removal of the tariff on lumber as in the interest of all classes. The witness said that former President Russell was the only man who could have effected the consolidation of all the paper mills, and that the effort had cost him his life. He declared that many of the mills included in the consolidation were practically worthless. Many of them, he said, were located on exhausted water courses and adjacent to denuded forests. He said there recently had been an effort to unite the outside western mills in a scheme to maintain prices. While there is no positive evidence of collusion, he said, publishers realize in some instances that the source of their supply has been predetermined for them and that the price they are to pay has been prearranged.

He said that the daily papers of New York are curtailed to the extent of 80 tons per week in consumption, and that the Philadelphia papers had taken a similar step. There were, he said, more violent fluctuations in the price of paper than prior to the consolidation, and some newspaper publishers paid more for inferior paper than others paid for good paper. He also said that the paper companies were rapidly denuding our forests to their great injury.

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Exeter 1,846 1,841 5 57
Goderich 4,464 4,027 437 57
Hensall 808 816 8 57
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Wroxeter 483 44 439 57

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Ashfield 3,166 3,179 92 61
Dorchester 1,800 1,719 81 61
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Grey 3,378 3,213 141 61
Hawke's Bay 3,781 3,861 80 61
Hullett 2,839 2,836 3 61
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