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BARROW LIKES PRESTON.

Pleased With Training Quarters—McCarthy and Meek Come To-Day.

Manager Barrow returned last night from Preston, and is well pleased with the training quarters. It was his first visit to Preston, and he thinks their mineral water is ahead of Mount Clemens, it not being so strong.

The training facilities are good—lots of hills to do cross-country running. At present the quarters are a sea of mud, but with some fine weather the grounds will be all right by the time the players report. The players will be quartered at both hotels.

Herman Long likes Preston fine, and is quite at home with his fellow-Germans.

Pitcher McCarthy, who was secured from Montreal in a trade for Rapp, is expected here to-day, along with Meek, the new infielder.

Baseball Commission Adopt New Rule.

Cincinnati, March 27.—The National Baseball Commission to-day adopted new rules in regard to the "covering up" of players. Punishment for offenders was fixed as follows:

For the first offence of a major league club, a fine of $1000; class A, $750; class B, $500; class C, $350; class D, $200.

A repetition of the offence shall carry with it suspension from protection of the national agreement for a period of six months, players of clubs incurring this penalty being free from reservation until reinstatement takes place. The commission also decided that no national agreement could assume the management of any national agreement club, if even only to direct play from the bench, without first securing release from the club having him under reservation.

Amateur Baseball.

The Monarchs' intermediate team will hold a reorganization meeting to-day at Driscoll's, 862 Dundas-street, at 8 o'clock. All last year's players and those wishing to join please attend.

The Wellington B.B.C. will hold a meeting in the Majestic Hotel at 8 o'clock to-night.

The Don Valley Senior League will meet to-night in Scholes' parlors, Yonge-street. Only clubs having teams to enter will be allowed in. Delegates attending will be asked to deposit a small amount as an evidence of good faith. Only delegates with their money posted will be allowed to vote. This policy is adopted for the purpose of shutting off guff from delegates who have not, nor ever will have, brains to represent a club at a league meeting.

A meeting of the Junior Elms B.B.C. will be held to-night at 8 o'clock sharp in their rooms, 132 Centre-avenue. All players and those wishing to join are cordially invited to be on time.

A meeting of the Intermediate Elms B. B. C. will be held in their rooms on Thursday night at 8 o'clock. All players are requested to be on hand, and those wishing to join are invited.

BOWLING.

Toronto Bowlers Are Heroes.

Detroit, March 27.—Lou Archambault and Harry Jenkins, two of the Toronto bowlers, on their way home from Louisville, spent the day here yesterday. While passing the Woodbridge-street Police Station a team attached to a patrol wagon started to run away. It was impossible for the driver to control them. The Toronto boys jumped to the horses' heads, and after a lively tussle brought them to a standstill.

Ninepin Tournament.

In the individual ninepin tournament yesterday, George Duthie was high with 32. Some more finished the series, but Jack Eastwood is still high with 78. The entries close to-day.

Games yesterday:

Joe Lee 27, W. Douglas 21.
Harry Swan 17, D. Golding 23.
W. Hall 19, W. Black 24.
O. A. Cole 26, W. Hall 26.
Harry Swan 17, Ed. Allan 19.
McArthur 17, Art Mills 30.
A. J. Leslie 29, Sam Dandy 25.
Henry Areline 3, M. Kelly 17.
Sam Dandy 18, M. Kelly 13.
McArthur 24, Gardiner 19.
F. Ryan 20, W. Harris 21.
George Duthie 32, A. J. Leslie 28.
Cooksey 28, Hamilton 24.

Men finished:

Jack Eastwood	26	26	26—78
Fred Phelan	24	26	26—76
Herb. Ealand	26	26	22—74
T. F. Ryan	27	23	20—70
Ed. Allan	27	23	19—69
Harry Swan	17	17	17—51
Dan Golding	27	26	23—76

On Liederkranz Alleys.

Last night on the Liederkranz alleys the J. E. Brown Co. defeated Cohen Bros. in a friendly bowling game by 130 pins.

The return game will be played Tuesday night on the same alleys. The results:

J. E. Brown Co.		Cohen Bros.	
Grau	318	Monty	273
Smith	386	Squires	433
Maier	288	Oliver	289
Disenhart	388	McClure	357
Grau	382	Monty	290
Total	1772	Total	1642

Louisville Tournament Over.

The Armory, Louisville, Ky., March 27.—The sixth national tournament of the American Bowling Congress came to an end to-night.

There were 34 prizes for five-men teams, ranging from $450 to $25.

Century No. 1, Chicago, won with 2794.

One hundred prizes, grading from $250 down, were contested for by two-men teams, and Hamilton and Hussey, Philadelphia, won with 1268.

In the individual class there were 175 prizes, the highest being $175.

Maple Leafs Beat Aberdeens.

A friendly match was played at Ellesmere last Friday between the Maple Leafs and Aberdeens, resulting in a victory for the former by 17 shots. A feature of the match was the game between R. Thomson and J. Ormerod, which resulted in a tie, each rink scoring the same number of shots, the same number of ends, and the same number of shots by ends—a most unusual occurrence. Following is the score:

Maple Leafs—		Aberdeens—	
C. Milner,		S. Gilding,	
W. Chester,		A. Blaylock,	
W. W. Walton,		G. Empringham, jr.,	
H. Thomson, skip	19	F. Gilding, skip	10
Hy. Thomson,		F. Abbott,	
R. McCowan,		W. Bell,	
W. Malcolm,		W. Empringham,	
A. Paterson, sk.	22	Hy. Ormerod, sk.	11
E. Mason,		R. Kerr,	
T. Britton,		H. Blaylock,	
J. Malcolm,		G. W. Ormerod,	
R. Thomson, sk.	15	J. Ormerod, skip	15
A. Steers,		G. Empringham,	
A. Doherty,		S. Ormerod,	
W. H. Paterson,		J. O'Connor,	
W. G. Rennie, sk.	14	W. Booth, skip	17
Total	70	Total	53

Prospect Park's Dinner.

The annual dinner of the Prospect Park Curling Club will be held in Prospect Hall to-morrow night at 8 o'clock. This festive occasion will mark the closing of the curling season, and will see the distribution of the trophies won this winter.

HOCUS POCUS WON EASILY IN FEATURE AT BENNINGS

Disobedient, Favorite, Ran Second—Elliott in Front at City Park—Card for To-Day.

Washington, March 27.—Two favorites, three heavily played second choices and one outsider won the races at Bennings to-day. Fair weather attracted a large attendance. The time in all the races was slow, the track being very heavy. Disobedient, made the favorite in the fourth race, was beaten easily by Hocus Pocus. Summary:

First race, for fillies and mares, three-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—Tickle, 94 (Miller), 4 to 1, 1; Daruma, 95 (Kent), even, 2; Bivouac, 91 (J. Johnson), 4 to 1, 3. Time 1.19. Gotowin, Leonora W., Andronjke and Society Bud also ran.

Second race, for maiden two-year-olds, half mile—Lady Vera, 104 (Miller), 2 to 1, 1; Mellinge, 104 (T. Burns), 11 to 1, 2; Powderhorn, 107 (Robbins), 10 to 1, 3. Time .52. Tudor, Botanist, King Brush, Alegro, L'Orpheline, Eminola, Woodline, Fonduluc, Miss Dixon, Manila, Mary Curtis and Prosperity also ran.

Third race, selling, three-year-olds and up, 6½ furlongs—Delphie, 104 (Powers), 2½ to 1, 1; Flat, 107 (Chandler), 25 to 1, 2; Hyperion, 113 (Miller), 4 to 5, 3. Time 1.25. Setauket, Thomond, Kuro, Echodale, Winchester and Dixie Andrews also ran.

Fourth race, three-year-olds, 7 furlongs—Hocus Pocus, 96 (Miller), 2 to 1, 1; Disobedient, 103 (J. Johnson), even, 2; Watercourse, 98 (O'Leary), 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.32 4-5. Bribery and Old Guard also ran.

Fifth race, three-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—Chieftain, 110 (T. Burns), 6 to 1, 1; Judge White, 96 (Miller), 3½ to 1, 2; Parkville, 110 (Diggins), 50 to 1, 3. Time 1.17 3-5. Piracer, Gallant, Cottage Maid, Edgeley, Palora, Vagabond, Lady Desdemona, Hindoo Princess and Gentian also ran.

Sixth race, handicap, three-year-olds and up, 1 mile and 40 yards—Yorkshire Lad, 104 (T. Burns), 7 to 10, 1; Northville, 100 (Miller), 4 to 1, 2; Phoebus, 98 (J. Johnson), 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.50. Sailor Boy and Caronal also ran.

The Washington Jockey Club has posted rules at Bennings forbidding riders to talk, except to officials, during racing hours, and other orders to prevent fraud.

Nameoki Won Long Race.

New Orleans, March 27.—Swell Girl and Nameoki, much the best of their respective fields, were the only winning favorites at the Crescent City track to-day. On the way to the post in the fourth race Shipping Port ran away three and a half miles. Weather cloudy; track fast. Summary:

First race, ½-mile—Helmuth, 101 (Obert), 4 to 1, 1; Runsum, 102 (L. Jones), 18 to 5, 2; Blackburn, 114 (Livingston), 5 to 2, 3. Time .49 1-5. Sam Chilton, Appraise, Miss Hynes, Buster Jones, Duchess of Montebello, Bitter Anne, Glac Pirate, Sister Huffman and Schroeder's Midway also ran.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Swell Girl, 104 (Bedell), even, 1; Henpecked, 102 (Moreland), 6 to 1, 2; Abjure, 107 (Livingston), 7 to 2, 3. Time 1.09. John H. Kirby, Sarsaparilla, Cut Glass and Katherine L. also ran.

Third race, 5½ furlongs—II Dottore, 123 (Oliphant), 15 to 1, 1; Plastic, 131 (Feicht), 8 to 5, 2; Hannibal Bey, 122 (Obert), 11 to 5, 3. Time 1.08 3-5. Glen Gallant, Shenandoah and Northwind also ran.

Fourth race, 1½ miles—Nameoki, 96 (Obert), 9 to 5, 1; Gleeman, 89 (Moreland), 20 to 1, 2; Nine, 98 (Johannesen), 5 to 2, 3. Time 2.36 3-5. Cashier, Merry Pioneer, Louis Kratt, and Royal Arms also ran. Shipping Port pulled up.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs—Merry Belle, 107 (Aubuchon), 4 to 1, 1; Simplicity, 113 (Bedell), 11 to 5, 2; Oberon, 105 (D. Riley), 50 to 1, 3. Time 1.08 2-5. Awakening, Rhinock, Hekate, Esterplatz, Trigg Morse, St. Bonnie, Florence, Searcy and Vivian also ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Daniel C., 98 (D. Riley), 20 to 1, 1; Lena J., 104 (Bedell), 4 to 1, 2; King's Gem, 112 (W. McGee), 5 to 2, 3. Time 1.42 3-5. Stockwood, Hamilcar, Pirate's Dance, Magic Power, Profane, Phil Roque, Delmore and Little Rose also ran.

Elliott Won Easily.

New Orleans, March 27.—The feature of the card at City Park to-day was a handicap at five furlongs, which enlisted the services of some of the best sprinters at the track. Robin Hood, which carried top weight, and with Nicol in the saddle, ruled a slight favorite over Meadow Breeze, which proved the winner. Nonie Lucille made a fast pace for the first half-mile, where Meadow Breeze came with a rush and won cleverly by a length. Elliott was a natural favorite in his race, and won cantering from Thora Lee. The summary:

First race, 3½ furlongs—Beau Brummel, 113 (Troxler), 6 to 1, 1; Odd Trick, 117 (Nicol), 7 to 20, 2; Bonart, 120 (Stille), 4 to 1, 3. Time .42 1-5. King of Millbrook, Stella Land and Capt. Hale also ran.

Second race, 6 furlongs—George E. Milner, 112 (Nicol), 6 to 5, 1; Cull, 112 (Pendergast), 6 to 1, 2; Pittkin, 115 (McIntyre), 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.15 1-5. Granada, Honeywell, Oakcliffe, Dennis Sullivan, Max Longbright and Red Ruby also ran.

Third race, 1½ miles—Eclectic, 108 (Nicol), 4 to 1, 1; Padre, 103 (Oregar), 6 to 5, 2; Morendo, 109 (Dealy), 4 to 1, 3. Time 2.35 3-5. Tryon, Ernest Parham and Bradley's Pet also ran.

Fourth race, 5 furlongs—Meadow Breeze, 103 (McIntyre), 16 to 5, 1; Robin Hood, 125 (Nicol), 3 to 1, 2; Jack Dolan, 107 (Troxler), 9 to 1, 3. Time 1.00 3-5. Oleroso, Nonie Lucille, Bon Mot, Mescal, Torpedo, Aureceiver, Mabel Winn and Astarita also ran.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—Elliott, 115 (J. Daly), 4 to 5, 1; Thora Lee, 101 (Lowe), 7 to 2, 2; Brushton, 108 (Nicol), 9 to 1, 3. Time 1.47 4-5. Labor, Oddolette, Juba and Adare also ran.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Bertha E., 99 (Hennessey), 6 to 1, 1; Airship, 108 (Nicol), 3 to 2, 2; Creel, 94 (Herrigan), 5 to 2, 3. Time 1.13 2-5. Jim Beattie, Bensonhurst, Precious Stone, Maceona, Mussulman, Tichlimingo and Cascine also ran.

Seventh race, 1 mile—Begoola, 108 (Nicol), 7 to 2, 1; Ezra, 101 (Hennessey), 18 to 5, 2; Glencaire, 104 (McIntyre), 15 to 1, 3. Kara also ran.

Graceful Won at Oakland.

San Francisco, March 27.—First race—Alonza, 104 (Preston), 11 to 10, 1; Blanche C., 104 (Schade), 6 to 1, 2; Silver Line, 110 (Robinson), 21 to 5, 3. Time :42¾. Carrie L., Elota, Avona, Lugano, Pescadero, Menden, Reba also ran.

Second race—Princess David, 109 (Fountain), 7 to 1, 1; Paddy Lynch, 115 (Robinson), 4 to 1, 2; Buckster Hodi, 114 (Dugan), 15 to 1, 3. Time 1.02¼. J. B. Smith, Jas. A. Murray, San Jose, Ann Cramer, Barato, G. W. Tuthill, Barker, Artillery Star also ran.

Third race—Elfin King, 120 (B. Powell), 9 to 1, 1; Jake Ward, 125 (Robinson), 9 to 2, 2; Tam o' Shanter, 125 (Ronner), 9 to 2, 3. Time 1.13¼. Chestnut, Pickaway, Waterspout, Bath Beach, My Order also ran.

Fourth race—Lansdowne, 107 (Robinson), 9 to 5, 1; Major Tenny, 107 (Earnshaw), 4 to 1, 2; Prestane, 107 (B. Powell), 5 to 1, 3. Time 1.51¼. Montana Peeress, Jerry Hunt, Haven Run also ran.

Fifth race—Bell Reed, 109 (Robinson), 13 to 5, 1; Mimon, 102 (Russell), 25 to 1, 2; Mogregor, 104 (Brussell), 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.29½. Bird of Passage, Blackthorne, Ethel Abbott, Lucrece, Golden Sunrise, Bear Hunter, Big Injun also ran.

Sixth race—Graceful, 97 (Rice), 8 to 1, 1; Buchanan, 93 (Schade), 11 to 2, 2; Ed. Sheridan, 100 (W. Smith), 20 to 1, 3. Time 1.28½. Judge Ralbert, Albert Fir, Lillith, Clydeo also ran.

Ob Won Lincolnshire.

London, March 27.—The racing season commenced at Lincoln to-day with the Lincolnshire Handicap of 1000 sovs., one mile. M. Euphrussis' Ob, 20 to 1, was first; Dean Swift, the favorite, 9 to 2, was second, and Roseate Dawn was third. Twenty-four horses started.

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New Orleans Selections.
(Crescent City.)

FIRST RACE—Friction, Charles I. Lee, J. J. Jr.
SECOND RACE—Last Cherry, Come On Sam, Lady Ethel.
THIRD RACE—Lena J., Water Pansy, Dance Music.
FOURTH RACE—Gold Rose, Hildreth Entry, Ram's Horn.
FIFTH RACE—R. F. Williams, Louis Macfarlan, Flavigny.
SIXTH RACE—Dapple Gold, Gladiator, Water Lake.

Crescent City Card.

New Orleans, March 27.—First race, 3½ furlongs, 2-year-old maidens, purse—Eldorf 108, Charles I. Lee 104, Dorothy M. 95, Quien Sabe 104, Commodore Thein 104, Friction 98, Captain McCormick 112, My Son 100, Sainzilla 97, Bitter Miss 100, Last Stand 116, Blackwell 99, Bull Bird 118, J. J. Jr. 101, Budhill 98.

Second race, 6 furlongs, selling, purse—Bill Carroll 103, Lady Ethel 100, Grove Centre 97, Sweet Favor 106, John McBride 102, Bitter Brown 105, Two Eyes 98, Hekate 102, Pinsticker 104, Ancient Witch 93, Last Cherry 115, Marvel P. 104, Come On Sam 107.

Third race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling, purse—Paul 120, Potheen 115, Dance Music 110, Small Lady 103, Lena J. 93, Stockwood 104, Little Rose 93, Water Pansy 117.

Fourth race 5 furlongs, handicap, purse—Goldsmith 111, Burleigh 122, Security 115, Ram's Horn 140, Gold Rose 112, Handbag 82, Gold Enamel 104, Couple Burleigh and Security as Hildreth entry and Gold Rose and Handbag as Dewitt entry.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Triple Silver 109, Flavigny 86, The Regent 111, Intrigue 104, Avoid 112, R. F. Williams 109, Louis MacFarlan 105.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling—Pretty Nellie 98, Etta M. 108, Dromio 110, Odd Luck 107, Dapple Gold 112, Mint Leaf 120, Gladiator 107, Trogon 122, Varna Fonso 110, Water Lake 98, Blue Mount 112.

Weather threatening, track fast.

New Orleans Selections.
(City Park.)

FIRST RACE—Money Maker, Spider Web, George Ducheschere.
SECOND RACE—Lights Out, Little Wally, Tripoli.
THIRD RACE—Bell the Cat, Gamara, Algonquin.
FOURTH RACE—Minnie Adams, John Carroll, Prince Brutus.
FIFTH RACE—Norbury, Dungannon, Piller.
SIXTH RACE—Monochord, Mynheer, Baron Esher.
SEVENTH RACE—Don Fonso, Oratorian, Anna Smith.

City Park Entries.

New Orleans, March 27.—First race, 4 furlongs—George Ducheschere 115, Merry Leap Year 115, Lady Maia 115, Spider Web 115, Doubt 113, Reside 113, Alpth 113, Royal Ben 113, Doc Kyle 113, Cecilia 110, Money-maker 110, Epps 110, Heirloom 110, Prophetess 110.

Second race, steeplechase, short course—Lulu Young 151, Lights Out 144, Tripoli 142, Madoc 142, War Chief 142, Little Wally 142, Bill Knight 142, Molo B. 132.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles—Blue Blaze 122, Hell the Cat 112, Creole Jim 112, Rough and Tumble, Asclepias 112, Small Talk 109, Turrando, Federal 109, Gamara, Alcantara 108, Lida Vivian 107, Algonquin 107, Tennyburg 105, Wakeful 103, Jacob 100.

Fourth race, 7 furlongs—Pat Bulger 118, Minnie Adams 109, Fox Meade 109, John Carroll 109, Mary Worth 107, Prince Brutus 106, Tumbeau 104.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—Norbury 112, Arab 109, El Rey 109, Judge Traynor 108, Dungannon 107, Arachue 107, Anna Fitzhugh 107, Piller 105, Ranger 105, Gold Monk 105, Lineal 105, Mizzenmast 104, Welsh 91, Gray Dal 91, Lieber Gore 89.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Rockaway 112, Arthur Cummer 110, Sabador 109, Lacache, Mynheer 109, Marco 109, Cardano 108, Monochord 107, Baron Esher 107, The Only Way 105, Virgie Withers 103, Royal Legend 103, Adare 100, Thora Lee 98, Yachting Girl 98.

Seventh race, 6 furlongs—Don Fonso 110, Goldway 108, Sago 106, Malleable 106, Oratorian 103, Burnolette 101, Sibylla 101, Telepathy 101, Loweisa 101, Anna Smith 101, Favorita 101, Galmeda 98, Lord Provost 98, Pulque 96, Shelagh 96.

Washington Selections.
(Bennings.)

FIRST RACE—Pater, D'Arkle, Loricate.
SECOND RACE—Computer, Campaigner, Moccasin.
THIRD RACE—Workman, Sais, Henry Waring.
FOURTH RACE—Garter Knot, Colt entry, Black Death.
FIFTH RACE—Warning, Nutwood, Nonsense.
SIXTH RACE—Yorkshire Lad, Sais, Phoebus.

Bennings Program.

Washington, March 27.—First race, 3-year-olds and up, 5½ furlongs, Columbia course—Loricate 120, D'Arkle 116, Pater 109, My Grace 102, Baby Willie 99.

Second race, 2-year-old maidens, 4½ furlongs, old course—Mr. O'Donnell 110, Campaigner 110, Computer 110, Brittany 110, Rushhill 110, Moccasin 107, Curriculum 107, Bettie Landes 107, Bathmaria 107.

Third race, selling, 5-year-olds and up, 7 furlongs, Columbia course—Workman 114, Sais 113, Saladin 111, Proceeds 108, Henry Waring 87.

Fourth race, steeplechase, about 2 miles—Douro 156, Harry Patton 153, Bleack Death 153, Happy Hour 153, Garter Knot 144, Focus 132, Kassil 132, Lifebuoy 132.

Fifth race, maidens, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs, Columbia course—Twister 110, Legardo 102, High Brush 94, Hauteur 94, Hawthorne 94, Euripides 94, Tarac 94, Warning 94, Nonesense 94, George Atwell 101, Nutwood 101, Bettie Bouncer 89, Quivive 89, Indra 89.

Sixth race, selling, 3-year-olds and up, 1 mile and 40 yards, old course—Sais 110, Malabar 107, Yorkshire Lad 106, Phoebus 106, Dekaber 105.

FOUR MORE NOMINATIONS RECEIVED BY W. H. HALL

Lindsay and Bracebridge First to Pay Fees—Lacrosse News.

Secretary W. H. Hall received the following nominations yesterday for the C. L. A. Council: Harry Goodall, Dundalk, who was formerly of the champion Dufferin lacrosse team; O. S. Eby, Hespeler; H. V. Pipher, Cannington, and G. G. Green, Bradford.

The Lindsay and Bracebridge Clubs sent in their fees yesterday, being the first to do so. Other clubs might follow their example and thus save a lot of confusion on Good Friday morning. The fee is only $5 per team.

It is only a little over two weeks till Good Friday, when the C. L. A. convention meets at the Labor Temple. Nominations and amendments are coming in, and the meeting promises to be one of great interest.

We have heard a lot of amendments proposed, but none dealing with the looking after of referees and arranging final games. In the O.H.A. the secretary does the work, but in the C.L.A. the president looks after it. In this respect we think the O.H.A. are ahead of the C.L.A. Take, for instance, if Miller gets in, all clubs will have to wire to Orillia for referees, and Miller in turn will have to wire referees in Toronto or elsewhere. This entails a lot of expense; whereas the secretary, who lives in Toronto, can get a referee without very much extra expense, and if, in case he receives a hurry-up call, which is not unusual, in nine cases out of ten he could have the referee before the president received the call. Besides the expense, the secretary knows more about the districts, and where to get the referees, than the president, who is only in office a year.

We are not wishing to copy O. H. A. rules, but think if the C. L. A. would adopt this plan it would be a saving of money and much more satisfactory to clubs. We hope some person will bring in an amendment to this effect, as the rule works fine in the O.H.A., and there is no reason why it should not in the C.L.A.

Young Canadians Elect Officers.

Woodbridge, March 27.—At a large and enthusiastic meeting last night in the public library hall, at which George Tejder presided, the Young Canadian Lacrosse Club reorganized for the coming season. The club is in good shape and expects to have a first-class team this season. The Young Canadians want to be placed in the same district as Toronto Junction, Brampton and Weston.

It was decided to ask the C. L. A. Convention to cut down the number of players from 12 to 10 and to shorten the length of the field, as this would give smaller places a chance to compete with the larger towns. A strong list of officers was appointed, and, if enthusiasm counts, Woodbridge will be well to the front. Capt. L. G. Wallace was renominated for the C. L. A. Council. The following are the officers:

Hon. president, T. F. Wallace; hon. vice-presidents, Dr. P. D. McLean, J. G. Hallett; president, Reeve D. Norton; vice-presidents, Levi Kaiser, E. B. Smith, Geo. Porter; treasurer, John E. Harris; financial secretary, Charles Elliott; recording secretary, Ed. D. Brown; manager, John Kessack; executive committee, George T. Elder; James E. Devine, Charles Stuart, Art Harris, J. W. Hyndress, J. J. Hollingshead, E. W. Lawrence, W. W. Reid, George Brownridge, Charles Colliton, C. L. Wallace, Henry Schmidt, John Kessack, W. J. Hollingshead, John Franks, William Baxter; patrons, Hon. J. W. St. John, M. L.A.; Arch Campbell, M.P., G. W. Verral, W. H. Pugsley, Rev. M. McKinnon, W. J. Blake, George Elliston, Robt. Goodall.

Hastings Club Organize.

Hastings, March 27.—A meeting was held last evening for the purpose of reorganizing the Hastings Lacrosse Club. It was unanimously decided on having a team this season, with the probability of entering the Junior C. L. A.

Lacrosse Notes.

Fred Westbrook of Brantford was in the city yesterday. He says they will have a home-brew professional team this year that will be factors in the senior. Billy Rutherford will manage them.

Brantford will have one or two junior C. L. A. teams this year.

Si Pitcher, the clever point player for Chippewas, may decide to go west, if he can't get his terms here. Souris are after him.

Oakland Entries.

San Francisco March 27.—First race selling, 3-year-olds, 6½ furlongs—Fred Bent 109, Evelyn Griffin 109, Chief Wittman 108, Capt. Burnette 105, Rusticate 105, Miss Topsy 103, Lovely Mary 103, Merry Go Round 103, Josie's Jewel 102, Wheatstone 100, Mellor 100, Peif 98.

Second race, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Nappa 109, Grace G. 109, Pimkin 106, Tanana 106, Halton 106, Yankee Jim 102.

Third race, 1 mile and 20 yards, selling—Critical 109, Haviland 107, Sunny Shore 107, Follow Me 105, Red Light 105, Christine A. 104, Iras 103, Lone Wolf 103.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles, handicap, 3-year-olds and upward—Soufriere 111, Rubric 108, St. George Jr. 105, Corn Blossom 103, Beknighted 103, Rocroft 95.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Martimas 105, Royal Rogue 105, Young Pilgrim 98, David Boland 96, Salable 96, Phalanx 90, Wee Lass 84.

Sixth race, 6½ furlongs, 3-year-olds—Lisaro 107, J. K. F. 107, Wrenn 107, St. Hector 106, Boloman 109, Elevation 108, Voima 107, Huston 107, Ethel Thatcher 107, Lotta Gladstone 102.

Weather clear, track heavy.

Fight Was a Draw.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 27.—The Dougherty-Gardner fight here to-night was declared a draw at the end of the eighth round.

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TOURNAMENT CANDIDATES BIG LIST OF CITY AMATEURS

Ninth Semi-Annual Competition Opens To-Morrow Night in Mutual Street Rink.

The fifty-odd candidates entered in the ninth semi-annual city amateur boxing tournament, that opens to-morrow night in the Mutual-street Rink, are pretty well distributed over the eight classes. As last fall, the 125 is again topheavy with an even dozen, while the heavyweight division, tho the smallest in numbers, has four good ones. The semi-finals will be boxed Friday and the finals Saturday night, after which the prizes will be presented. The gallery entrance is on Mutual-street. The competitors enter the building at the north door. They weigh in each night at 7 o'clock. Following is the list of entries, the draw being made at noon to-day:

—Bantam, 105 Lbs.—
Shenston Wyer, Manchester.
Robert Lauder, Good Luck A.C.
Robert Morris, London, Eng.
W. White, Avenue B.B.C.
Frank Judge, Strathcona Cycle Club.
R. Heaslip, West End Athletic Club.

—Feather, 112 Lbs.—
R. Hutton, Parkdale Albions Football Club.
Fred Mills, Central A.C.
Fred Oswald, Dr. Barton's School.
W. Clarke, Good Luck A.C.
Fred Tyrrell, Reliance A.C.
Bert Starks, Musketeers.
P. Lovett, West End A.C.
H. Abbey, West End A.C.

—Extra, 118 Lbs.—
Charles Christie, Good Luck A.C.
John McKenzie, Good Luck A.C.
W. Coulter, Strathconas.
E. C. Cooke, Central A.C.
E. Morgan, West End A.C.
Richard Foster, West End A.C.
Joseph Gravelle, Amity Club of Galt.

—Special, 125 Lbs.—
W. H. Waring, Anglo-Canadian Rugby Club.
E. Wilkinson, Central A.C.
T. Daly, McAsyers' A.C.
H. McKeown, Good Luck A.C.
S. Simmons, Good Luck A.C.
George Fletcher, Toronto Boxing Club.
Bert Magee, Sergt. McMahon's School.
E. Gould, London, Eng.
W. Sinclair, Strathconas.
E. Morgan, West End A.C.
R. G. Baker, Don Rowing Club.
E. Smith, Maple Leaf B.B.C.

—Lightweight, 135 Lbs.—
W. J. Miller, Toronto Rowing Club.
Alfred Davis, unattached.
E. W. Cross, Royal Canadian Bicycle Club.
W. Curtis, Good Luck A.C.
D. Burns, Avenue A.C.
Thomas Holt, West End A.C.
E. Sullivan, West End A.C.

—Welterweight, 145 Lbs.—
Peter Smith, Dr. Barton's School.
W. Walsh, Good Luck A.C.
T. Holt, West End A.C.
E. Sullivan, West End A.C.
D. Burns, Avenue A.C.
E. W. Cross, Royal Canadian Bicycle Club.

—Middleweight, 158 Lbs.—
John Ball, Barrie, Ont.
George Parker, London, Eng.
J. Murphy, Good Luck A.C.
John Collins, London, Eng.
Joseph Christie, West End A.C.

—Heavyweight.—
John Baldwin, Toronto Rowing Club.
J. Christie, West End A.C.
F. Laura, Good Luck A.C.
Charles Foster (Dublin), Musketeers' A.C.

Parry Sound Defeats North Bay.

Parry Sound, March 27.—Parry Sound played North Bay to-night for the Excelsior Life Insurance Company Cup. As a sequel to the game in North Bay, the Sounders to-night, on their own ice, polished their opponents off by the score of 7—0. The score at half-time was 1—0. In the last half the home team woke up and demonstrated to the northerners how modern hockey should be played. The northerners were played completely off their feet from start to finish, and much to their regret must wait another year for the cup. Parry Sound has won the cup twice, and have only to win it once more to call it their own. Line-up as follows:

North Bay (0)—Goal, Rankin; point, Richardson; cover, McDonough; rover, Mann; centre, Auld; right wing, McDermott; left wing, Bailey.

Parry Sound (7)—Goal, Patterson; point, Perdue; cover, Campbell; rover, Merrick; centre, Campbell; right wing, Prebble; left wing, Bragg.

Umpires—North Bay, Smith; Parry Sound, Peart. Timekeepers—North Bay, Jones; Parry Sound, Purvis. Penalty—Stork. Referee—Hayworth.

Association Football.

The Toronto Football Club held a very successful meeting Monday night at Mr. Ashley's, 6 North Markham-street, and it was decided to enter a team in the Intermediate City League. It was also decided that the club should have blue and grey as the club colors. The following officers were elected for the coming season: Hon. president, R. Almond; president, A. Croft; vice-president, H. Granner; manager, G. Ashley; secretary-treasurer, H. Harris; committee, F. Crawford, F. Westerby, D. King. There will be a practice Saturday afternoon, weather permitting, corner of Bloor and Palmerston-avenue. The management would like to see all old players or any new ones wishing to join the club.

Toronto Football Association will hold their semi-annual meeting to-night, at 7.45, in the Central Y.M.C.A. All clubs are requested to send their representatives to that meeting.

The Central Y.M.C.A. Boys' Department will hold a meeting to-night at 8 o'clock sharp for the purpose of forming a football club. All members interested are requested to be present.

The Queen's Hotel F.B.C. will hold a practice at Bayside Park on Saturday. A full turnout of players is requested, as a team for the Intermediate League has to be formed. All old players and anyone wishing to join will be made welcome.

Galt Will Play Corinthians.

Galt, March 27.—(Special.)—Galt champions will play the famous English Corinthian football team this season. A representative is in town arranging preliminaries.

Billiards.

New York, March 27.—Willie Hoppe defeated George Slosson here to-night for the world's championship at 18-inch balk-line, one shot in, billiards, by 500 to 392.

The seating room of the big hall in Grand Central Palace was filled quickly, and standing room was at a premium. Over 3000 persons saw the match, which was for $500 a side, the world's championship at 18-1 balk-line billiards, the championship emblem (valued at $500), and the net gate receipts.

Hoppe won the "bank." Both men played poor billiards until the fifth, when Hoppe scored 21, which included a brilliant four-cushion gathering shot.

Slosson got the balls in a nice position and made a run of 61, missing finally on a simple single-cushion carom.

The play ran along without feature, Hoppe scoring regularly, but with short runs, until the ninth, when his score was 81 to Slosson's 77.

At the conclusion of the 30th innings the scores were: Hoppe 266, Slosson 258.

Hoppe seemed to have perfect control of the ivories in his 31st inning, but fell down on a two-cushion draw after he had made a run of 38. This made his total 304 to Slosson's 275.

The time of play up to this stage of the game was two hours and 30 minutes.

Varsity Rifle Association.

The third annual meeting of the University of Toronto Rifle Association was held yesterday afternoon in rom 9, University College, at which the following officers were elected to form the executive for the ensuing year:

Captain, Prof. A. T. De Lury; lieutenants, J. K. Wilson, E. L. McColl, E. L. C. Forster, W. H. Brydon, D. F. Keith; secretary, D. Moss; treasurer, Grant Fletcher.

Representatives: University College, T. L. Horton; Victoria College, Dawson; Trinity College, Judd; Medical College, George Crann; S. P. S., Hamilton.

Racquets.

New York, March 27.—In the first round of the national racquet championship doubles tournament to-day, George R. Fearing and Hugh D. Scott of Boston defeated R. P. and Ford Huntington of New York in four straight sets, 15—1, 15—2, 15—2 and 15—2.

In the second match, L. Waterbury and Charles E. Sands, New York, defeated B. H. Warburton and W. E. Bates of Philadelphia, 15—4, 15—5, 15—3 and 15—6.

In the third round, G. H. Brooke and R. K. Cassatt of Philadelphia defeated P. D. Houghton and Quincy A. Shaw, jr., of Boston, 13—18, 9—15, 15—0, 15—2, 15—6 and 15—12.

Golf.

The ladies of the Lambton Golf Club held their annual meeting yesterday in the Confederation Life Building, at which the following officers were elected:

President, Mrs. Hay; secretary, Miss Defries; captain, Mrs. Fitzgerald; committee, Miss McKenzie, Mrs. Garbey and Miss Wright.

Basketball.

The Central Tongolas and Clippers will practise at 9.15 to-night. This will be the final workout before the game with Stratford and the Boys' Club on Friday night. The tickets have been going fast, and a big crowd is expected. Stratford have been working hard, and will bring down a fast team. Rankin, of hockey fame, will likely play defence.

Shuffleboard.

At the shuffleboard tournament last night at Jack White's, Jim Ryan and Bert Moran defeated Dr. Nelson and R. Croker of New York—100 to 48.

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