Gossip and Comment

The question arises why did not Jeffries realize his possibilities until the negro man became titular champion? Johnson has been the indirect cause for Jeffries' swarming upon some \$60,000 which the Los Angeles suds dealer otherwise never would have acquired.

Our old bicycle friend, Hal Donly, of Simcoe, is evidently getting up in the world. Yesterday he played at the golf links on the mountain side in the Sim-

The possibilities of fatalities in the "western Vanderbilt" automobile race, we are informed, have been minimized almost to the point of extinction. Rather disenchanting, is it not?"

There seems to be a good lot of har-. . .

Joe Walcott has sued a railroad company for \$10,000, alleging in his bill that a flat-chested, anaemic brakeman on a passenger train had slapped and otherwise mistreated him.

And this is the same "Barbadoes Terror" who fought some of the most gruelling battles in the history of the prize ring. Slapped by a brakeman on a passenger train and seeking redress through the courts! Shades of Peter Jackson, George Dixon and other deceased Senegambian scrappers, but what is the colored brother coming to? Time was when there were few white men who would have slapped Walcott any more than they would have attempted to pet a thirsty water mecasin. The once mighty thirsty water moceasin. The once mighty appear to be doing a dive in the dust in these degenerate days,

If Jeffries and Johnson said all those cutting things about ordinary citizens they'd have been killed long ago.

Jim Jeffries says in six weeks he'll be ready to talk fight. Be ready to talk— well, wouldn't that paralyze you?

"There is very little heavy betting on the English racetracks," says Allan Pinkerton, who has just returned to New York from a tour round the world. "A man with a £10 note cau make nearly every bookmaker rub or 'refuse the wager. There is no 'betting ring, and the chalkers are allowed to conduct business in the open air. They stand on

and the chalkers are allowed to conduct business in the open air. They stand on little wooden blocks, so that their cus-tomers can see them, and wear all sorts of fantastic costumes. I saw the Derby run at Epsom, at least I saw the finish of the race, because it was impossible to get a view of it during the early stages, with the rain falling steadily in a foggy atmosphere.

Sir Martin should never have been

"Sir Martin should never have been the favorite. He had not been in England six months, was trained under new methods and ran over the most difficult course for the first time in his career. But the Americans in England were carried away by sentiment, and backed him heavily, regardless of these conditions. Everybody was glad that the King's horse won the Derby, "The King was a happy man, I can assure you, and it was an odd sight when, Englishmen of all classes crowded around him after the race, shaking him by the hand and patting him on the back. Racing is a great institution in both England and France, as well as in other European countries. It is purely a sport, and people over there cannot understand why the turf is not allowed to thrive in America."

London Referee:—What followed was really almost best of all, the sight of the King marching off through the enclosure on the course to lead the cott in, trusting to the good feelings of the myriads who thronged the track not o take advantage of the aituation.
There is no other country in the world, suppose, where anything resembling his could have happened.

Buffalo Express: — Bowling on the green is one of the most fascinating and enjoyable of outdoor sports. The Meadow Club has the distinction of being the first in Buffalo to introduce to public notice this game, which has so many admirers in other countries and sections of the United States. In Great Britain and Canada, during the summer months, bowling on the green takes the place of curling, which, as everyone knows, is a

curling, which, as everyone knows, is a grand winter sport.

Why it has so long remained unknown in Buffalo is hard to determine, but it is safe to predict that bowling on the green will become quite as popular as golf or tennis now that it has been introduced.

BIG RELAY RACE TO-MORROW.

There is unusual interest in the bay relay race this year, as both the Central Harriers and E. E. Harriers are entering a team, and as the E. E. has Jack Smith, Small and several other good ones it should prove a very interesting event. The Central Harriers have selected the

the Central Interiers may selected the ten best men belonging to the club by holding a trial race. The round-the-bay course has been divided into ten distances, and the following Central boys will run from these places:

Herald to E. E. Y. M. C. A.— F. Grocker.

Crocker. E. E. Y. M. C. A. to Jockey Club-E. Jockey Club to five-mile post—W. Ken-

Five-mile post to Dynes' Hotel- A.

Oliver. Dynes' Hotel to canal—H. McCullough.

Dynes Hotel to canal II. Met ulough. Canal to Brant House—C. Burns. Brant House to stone road junction—. Burclay. Stone road junction to fifteen-mile ost—W. Smith. Fifteen-mile post to top of Valley Inn

ll—J. Maas. Top of Valley Inn hill to Herald office

A. Wilson.

The race will start promptly at 3 o'clock to-morrow aternoon at the corner of King and James streets.

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FOR HAMILTON DERBY

Are Full.

Walker's Centre Shot Claimed Yesterday

It is expected that fully a horoughbreds will start in the Hamilton Derby, which will be run next Tuesday, the opening day of the Hamilton Jockey Club's spring meeting, and the race will certainly be a worthy feature in the fine card. The most probable starters are:

Jack Parker, Piute, Donald Maedon aid, Fitzherbert, Michael Angelo, Guy Fisher, Direct, Arondack, Woolwinder, Great Heavens, Detective, Lee Rose, Steele, Warfield, Plate Glass and Cere

The Jockey Club has made quite a number of improvements at the track this season, which will undoubtedly be much apreciated by the public. A new feature introduced is the setting aside of a portion of the grand stand for reserved seats between the members and the general public. These seats can be secured in advance ither at Mack's drug store or the Jockey Club office, Court House building, up to 1 o'clock each day. The Jockey Club has made quite

Yesterday Myron McHenery, the old trotting horseman and noted reinsman, arrived at the track with ten head, including Melange, Bitter Hand, Lanigan, Almena, Elder, Peter Carney, Minnie Bryson and Salado, McHenery was near the top in the list of winners at the recent meeting in Houston, Texas, and his jockey, Stewart Flynn, was second in the jockey's honor roll. Flynn came along with Mr. McHenry and some relatives. The party are registered at the Stock Yards Hotel.

Arrangements have been made for a barber shop at the track during the races. It will be in charge of Henry Woods, the King street tonsorial artist.

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before, and already thoroughbreds are quartered in every available stable with in a radius of a mile of the grounds. AT BLUE BONNETS YESTERDAY. Montreal, June 18.—A good-sized crowd witnessed the races yesterday, in spite of the inclement weather. Just be fore the first race rain began to fall, and continued during the afternoon. The Bonbay 25 to 1.9 Santo State S track was good for the first two races, but muddy for the balance of the card. Belle IV., Aquarelle.

The opening race, for Canadian-owned horses, was won by Hon. Adam Beck's ward's Minoru. I to 3, first: The Story, 7 to 2, second; Blankeney, II., 20 to 1, good colt, Jack Parker. The winner was third

good colt, Jack Parker. The winner was much the best, and won handly from Glimmer. Purslane was always outrun, and is in poor form.

The Jacques Cartier Stakes resulted in an easy victory for William Walker's Sain mare Centre Shot, and incidentally the result led to a change in ownership of the mare. The race had selling conditions and Centre Shot was entered for slow. After her victory James Gormley, former owner of Jeannette M., boosted her to \$2,000, and when he stopped, L. C. Shobe, owner of Cloisteress, took up the bidding, and carried the was knocked down to him. Centre Shot started four times at the meeting and has been returned a winner on each occasion. She is the holder of the world's record for a mile over a circular track and cade run in any sort of going Walker paid several thousand doltars for her two years ago at Latonia. She developed into a bleeder, and it was for this reason alone that Walker let her go. Bleeders at some tracks are barred, and her former owner was afraid that she would develop this aliment again.

The result of the steeplechase proved something of a surprise, the winner turning up in Pagan Bey, who made his field look like a lot of hacks. Pagan Bey led from start to finish and won in a canter. In his previous effort a few days back this horse was unable to raise a gallop, and his improvement to-day was as startling as it was sudden.

Autumn Girl, recently purchased by Messrs, Carruthers & Shields, won at the first time of asking for her new owners. She outclassed her field, and taking an eas? lead when ready, won under wraps at the finish.

The first four races were won by the favorites, all of which were at oids-on information against the asilian.

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Ones Are Expected.

Stables at H.J.C. Track

Are Full

winning mounts, Joe Gaitens and Autumn Girl.
Goes Fast will be a starter in the Blue Bonnets Handicap on Saturday.
Joekey MeIntyre will have the mount on Direct in the Hamilton Derby. D. McCarthy has been engaged to ride Desperado in the same event.
Joekey Musgrave will ride Woolwinder in this race.

The five-year-old Teddington stallion, Ellicott, has been presented to the Canadian Bureau of Breeding by J. H. Madigun. The horse will be turned over to the bureau some time during the summer and will be sent to Norfolk County, Outario Madigan's old home. Ontario, Madigan's old home.

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Following is the summary:
First race=\$400 added; for three-year-olds and up; one mile—Jack
Parker, 110 (Walsh), 3 to 10, won by
a length; Glimmer, 118 (McCarthy), 6
to 1, 2; Purslane, 123 (Musgrave), 8
to 1, 3. Time, 1.42 2-5. Only three
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Second race—\$400 added; for two-year-olds; selling; five furlongs—Au-tunm Girl, 105 (Reid), 9 to 20, won by two lengths; Jack Dennerlen, 108, (Howard), 7 to 2, 2; Adonia, 106 (Deverich), 7 to 1, 3. Time, 1.03 1.5. Only three start.rs.

Third race—\$400 added; for three-year-olds and up; one mile—Joe Gaitens, 96 (Reid), 9 to 10, won by four lengths; Gemmell, 107 (Mentry), 13 to 5, 2; Desperado, 101 (McCarthy), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1.44 1.5. Belle Scott, Woolstone, Campaigner and Greendale also ran.

Ayesterday Myron MeHenery, the old Fifth race \$400 added; steeplechase;

continued during the afternoon. The Bombay, 25 to 1; 2, Santo Strato, 6 to 4; track was good for the first two races, 3, Siberia, 2 to 1. Also ran: Yentol, La

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BARNEY OLDFIELD.

William Summers, of Toronto, was drowned on Thursday at Torrance, Muskoka, by the upsetting of a canoe. He had been staying there since winter. He was about 55 years of age. The body has been recovered.

"Daredevil Barney" Oldfield is to return to the golden oval ngain. Haven't heard much of the speed king of late, but it's hard to curb a racing, under a contract calling for restless spirit, and an offer of \$10,000 miles in 50 seconds.

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here wil the a new policy pursued by be police.

Mayor Oliver was at Scarboro Beach on Saturday, and saw Hyband, of Sham-ocks, hit Braden, of Torontos, a terrible slow with his stelk on the back of the acad, putting the blue-shirted bay out, of the game. This incident provoked the Mayor's remark quoted above.

Chief Grassett points out that the main difficulty in arresting players is that the men assaulted almost invariably refuse to lay a charge or give evidence against the accused if the police prosecute. It was so in the Finla, son case, when the Montreal man disfigured Charlie Querrie's face with a cruel blow harlie Querrie's face with a cruel blow then the ball wasn't anywhere near

SWIMMING CLUB QUARTERS.

The Hamilton Swimming Club has been successful in securing suitable summer quarters at Rock Bay, where diving boards, chutes and dressing rooms will be erected. Special attention will be given to business men's classes and beginners, the shore, having a gradual slope, being admirably adapted for this purpose. rpose. Through the interest and kindness of

through the interest and kindness of Woodman Bros., proprietors of the Ham-ilton Ferry Company, the club has been presented with five hundred privileg-tickets, which will materially assist the cause and further stimulate 'swimming to this gift.

cause and further stimulate 'swimming in this city.

Great activity is being shown by the members in view of the fortheoming swimming carnival in August, His Honor Lieut. Governor Gibson has kindly accepted the nomination of Patron to the club, the Hon. Col. J. S. Hendris, C. V. O., being President. This means that swimming is rapidly gaining ground.

SIMCOE GOLFERS LOST YESTERDAY.

The Simcoe golf team played a match with the Hamilton golf team on the local links yesterday, and the Hamilton team won by 3 points. The following

Faraday Hall, one of the old buildings connected with Victoria University at Cobourg, is to be torn down.



Following is the schedule in the various amateur leagues for to-morrow:

At Maple Leaf Park, City League—At 2, Broadviews vs. Alerts. At 4, Keystones vs. Baysides.

Junior East End League—Scoundrels vs. Blue Labels. Rivals vs. Alerts II.

Church League—Ascensions vs. St. Andrew's. Westminster vs. Kensington.

The most important amateur baseball games played to-morrow will he at Maple Leaf Park. The big game of the day will be between the Broadviews and Alerts, to decide which is entitled to the leading honors. Both teams having been playing fast ball, and are bound to put up an exhibition that should prove to be something out of the ordinary. Another feature will be the meeting of the two great twirlers for the first time—Lucas and Bolton. The teams having a large number of followers, some warm arguments will take place before the game is over. Jack Lavis, the league umpire, will handle the indicator, and can be depended upon to make the contestants play clean ball. The diamonds are now in fine condition, and, with the grand stands completed, the crowd should be comfortable. The second game, between the Baysides and Keystones, will be interesting. Although the Baysides occupy bottom position, the article of ball they have been dishing up is equal to any in the league.

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The Church League games to-morrow should prove worth while. The St. Andrews will meet the Ascensions in the first game. Manager "Tony" Rieakly has been out a-scouting all over town looking for promising ball players, and with reinforcements for the Saints, the Ascensions may get a surprise. The Ascensions will be minus one or two of their best players, including Reg. Blatherwick, who will play for the First Church. Westminster and First Methodist are scheduled for the second game.

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The Granites, of the East End League, who dropped out, will be replaced by the Scoundrels, an aggregation representing Crown Point. For their first game they will try conclusions with Blue Labels

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The CigarMakers' Union has supplied he Blue Labels with a new outfit.

Butts, Fell will likely be in second arden for St. Andrew's to-morrow.

The Central Indoor League has been

"Duck" Robins will catch for the



This is the latest picture of Phil-delphia Jack O'Brien, who was so decisively defeated by that sterling coung battler, Stanley Ketchel, in

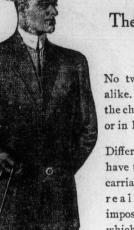
ENDED IN ROW.

Fourteen Innings Played at Providence Yesterday.

At Providence-Providence forfeited vesterday's game to Rochester, 9 to 0, because the Grays' manager lost his head in the fourteenth. Rochester tied the score in the eighth. Neither side scored until the fourteenth, when Rochester got two runs over the plate. In the Providence half, with one out, Duffy, though not in the game, took the coaching line. He was ordered away by Umpire Stafford, and after an exchange of words, Duffy was ordered from the field under penalty of forfeiture. At the expiration of two minutes Stafford declared the game forfeited.

After Anderson had gone out, Holly to Ganzel, in the second half of the fourteenth, Duffy disputed Stafford's decision, claiming that Anderson was safe. He walked up to the official and called him names. The umpire told him that ccause the Grays' manager lost his head





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With the Cricketers

Toronto, June 18.—After playing in Pittsburg and Hamilton, Haverford College team of Philadelphia arrived in the city yesterday for their first game with U. C. C., which, however, was abandoned on account of the rain. To-day the tourists play Rosedale at Rosedale, and Saturday Toronto at Varsity. Haverford go on to Ottawa on Monday, then to Mentreal and back to Philadelphia.

The University of Cennsylvania cricket team is also making a week's tour of Canada. The first game was played at Montreal yesterday. A two-days' game will be piayed with Ottawa Friday and Saturday, and on Monday the opponents will be the Hamilton Cricket Club, Tuesday with Toronto University, the tour coming to an end when they meet the Toronto Cricket Club next Wednesday.

The Rosedale Cricket Club to play Haverford College at Rosedale to-day, starting at 11 o'clock, will be: H. G. Wookey, M. D. MacDonald, W. F. C. Sellers, A. V. Greaves, L. Duncan, W. The University of Pennsylvania crick

Wookey, M. D. MacDonald, W. F. C. Sellers, A. V. Greaves, L. Duncan, W. Spinnie, W. Bawlinson, O. Plummer, W. Beldam, H. S. Reid and Δ. N. Other.
The Toronto team to play Haverford, starting at 11 a. m. to-morrow are as follows: Dr. W. W. Wright, Capt. H. F. Lounsborough, S. R. Saunders, E. H. Southam, A. D. Heward, L. J. Sheather, H. E. Beatty, A. H. Gibson, N. Scagram, M. Rathbun, R. Harcourt.

London, June 18 .- The Australians began an extra game yesterday with a picked Scottish team, the tourists scor-

for 3 wickets. Kent and Lancashire—Lancashire 236

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Ine above are the 5 o'clock scores: On drawing stumps the scores were: Middlesex, 349 for 7 wickets. Sussex, 76 for 5 wickets. Yorkshire, 390 for 7 wickets. Lancashire, 310, Kent 13, for 2 wick-

West Scotland 244, Australians 102 for

A cricket match will be played to-mor-A cricket match will be played to-merrow at the Cricket Grounds, between the Hamilton Cricket Club and Deer Park Cricket Club, of Toronto. The following will represent Hamilton: W. R. Marshall, E. V. Wright, S. F. Washington, R. B. Ferrie, R. R. Ferrie, J. S. Boddy, L. Fevez, S. S. Mills, F. Dixon, W. Bailey and Kitchen. Game will be called at 2,30.

The following team will represent the St. George's Cricket Club in their match at Niagara Falls to-morrow afternoon: II. Ward. E. Shears, H. Walker, A. Harford, A. Back, sen., A. Back, jun., C. N. Stewart, H. Nichols, E. L. Rastrick, W. Clelland and another.

SHORT LETTER FROM BOBBY KERR'S TRAINER.

Several letters from Bobby Kerr came to the city this morning, the longest one being received by Dr. W. G. Thompson, of the Tigers' Athletic club, whose colors Kerr will carry in his big races in England next mouth. The Times sporting editor received a letter from George Anderson, Kerr's faithful trainer. It was written in London on Wednesday, June 8th, and following are extracts from it:

We arrived here on Monday and all ors Kerr will carry in his big races in

f he did not be still he would call the if he did not be still he would call the game.

"You haven't the nerve," said Duffy, whereat Stafford declared the game over. He made his way through the bleacher crowd to his dressing-room and was followed by a big mob, which threatened to do him bodity harm until the police interfered. Score:

Rochester 3, 10, 1; Providence 1, 5, 3, At Baltimore—After Toronto tied up the score in the sixth inning the Orioles tallied once in the next session and won the first game of this series from Kelley's team, yesterday, 4 to 3, 14 was Detroit.

the first game of this series from Kelley's team yesterday, 4 to 3. It was Casidy's hit in the seventh inning that brought in the winning run. Cassidy's swipe could not have occurred at a more opportune time, for the score at that time was 3 to 3, and the dark clouds which hing low threatened to put a stop to the argument, and, though it rained from the early part of the game, the real deluge did not come until after the Maple Leafs had had their turn at the bat in the eighth inning and after Umpire Kelly had called the game on account of darkness. Score:

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Toronto 3 7 5
Dessau and Byers; Rudolph, Durham and Vandergrift.

At Jersey City—Jersey City 0, 3, 1; Butfalo 3, 6, 0.

At Newark—Newark 5, 13, 3; Montreal 2, 7, 2.

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Games to-day: Toronto at Baltimore,
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Newark, Rochester at Providence. NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES.

Chicago 3, Brooklyn 2, St. Louis 4, Boston 3, New York at Pittsburg, rain, Philadelphia at Cincinnati, rain, AMERICAN LEAGUE SCORES.

Chicago 9, 1, Biston 2, 6, Detroit 4, Philadelphia 1, Cleveland 3, New York 2, Washington 5, St. Louis 1,

FOUL TIPS.