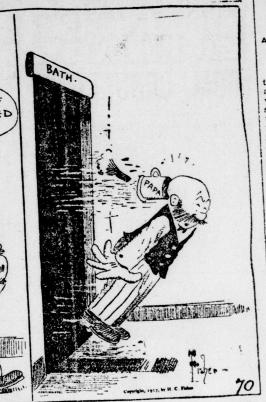


- (Copyright, 1917, by H. C. Fisher. T rade Mark registered in Canada) WE CAME UPON THE FILIPINOS AT NOON ONE DAY. THEY WERE HIDDEN IN A THICKET AND WELL INTRENCHED. SWARTHY FACES APPEARED EVERYWHERE, IN FACT THE ENEMY WAS AS THICK AS PEAS IN A POD! WHAT DO YOU SUPPOSE WE DID? YOU SAY THEY WERE AS THICK AS PEAS IN A POD





## NEW VALUE PUT ON BALL PLAYERS BY DRAFT LAW

Managers Now Skirmishing Irishmen Get for Men Exempt From Service.

VETERANS IN DEMAND

would be the first to be selected for the second contingent of the national army when needed.

Only four members of the world's champion White Sox are single—Faber, Jenkins, Hasbrook and Jourdan, Jim Scott was a bachelor when he quit the team to enter the officers' training camp in California, but has recently married. Having volunteered his services before taking unto himself a wife. Scott cannot be accused of trying to hide behind a war bride. "The Hang" of Baseball Game

Dublin Paper Prints Humor-

## ENGLISH HORSEMEN KEEP BEST BLOOD IN OWN COUNTRY

American Turfmen Surprised That Britons Won't Sell Now.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 12.—That England's thoroughbred horse breeders have made up their minds not to part with the best blood of their country is beginning to dawn upon Ameri-

wind, and would not pass the vet, as sound. His outside value is about one-third of the sum named. We could have bought Herself for under 1,600 guineas, and she easily beat Sky-rocket in the Middle Park plate which was won by Benevente."

This information should be quite encouraging to Messrs. A. K. Macomber, Willis Sharpe Kimer, George Wingfield, J. E. Wideler, J. O. Keene, A. B. Hancock, P. H. Rosseter, James Corrigan, H. R. Bradley, Phil T. Chinn and other prominent men of the turf on this side, who have within the past two years invested in British blood stock. BEST YEARLINGS

more follow: Bay colt, by Uncle-Ferrol; S.

fords
Bay colt, by Uncle-Claudia; S.
Ross

Lypole-Nether-

by Sweeper-Zuna;

Huron, b. c., by Sweeper-Zuna;
J. E. Widener
Bay or brown colt, by SainNanelle; S. D. Riddle
Brown colt, by Ben Brush-Waldena; J. E. Widener
Chestnut colt, by Light BrigadeGalonia; E. B. McLean.....

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SENIOR GROUP TO BE SANCTIONED TODAY BY O.H.A. AT TORONTO

tries were received at O. H. A. head- Color Resembles Woodland Surround-

intermediate and junior; Port Hope, junior; Owen Sound, junior; Seaforth, junior. Today is the last day for O. H. A clubs to make entries, as the teams will be grouped at the meeting of the executive tomorrow night.

There is every reason to believe that the formation of a senior O. H. A. group in Western Ontario, comprising teams at Sarnia, Lordon, Preston, Kitchener and Hamilton, will be sanctioned at tomorrow's meeting of the O. H. A. executive. The Sarnia, London and Preston clubs favor the plan, and have notice.

Hunters.

Hunters.

The ruffed grouse is the greatest group in the prospect of the home-brew juniors being again grouped with London, woodstock and Parls. London has allowed the snipe.

Nature has endowed the ruffed grouse ways been a strong fighting force in the Sarnia, London, and the with fine means of protection, and the surface are a brainy creature.

The color of the ruffed grouse is the greatest group in the possible exception of world, with the possible exception of the snipe.

Nature has endowed the ruffed grouse is the greatest group in the surface group in the sarch woodstock and Parls. Woods

GEORGE STEVENS, NOTED HORSEMAN, DIES AT GALT

Was Prominent in Municipal Affairs-Raced Many Famous Horses Over

String.

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LACK OF INTERMEDIATES

All Miss famous string was done in the United States, and in his famous string was that well-known sire, "Clear Grit." He had been a resident of Galt for six years and was an ex-alderman and one of the city's largest property owners, the Galt House and New Royal Hotels being the bird. Rule well to the samong his holdings. Three sons and two daughters survive.

Will Lead to Adoption of Senior Hockey in Majority

Timetable Effective Sept. 20.

TO ST. THOMAS—15:20, 1\*6:20, 7:20, \*8:20, 9:20, \*10:20, 11:20 a.m., \*1:20, 2:20, \*3:20, 4:20, \*2:20, \*10:20, 11:20 p.m.

To PORT THOMAS—15:20, 1\*6:20, 7:20, \*8:20, 9:20, \*10:20, 11:20 a.m., \*1:20, 2:20, \*8:20, 9:20, \*10:20, 11:20 a.m., \*1:20, \*8:20, 9:20, \*10:20, 11:20 a.m., \*1:20, \*8:20, 9:20, \*10:20, \*1:20, 2:20, \*8:20, \*10:20, \*1:20, 2:20, \*8:20, \*10:20, \*1:20, 2:20, \*8:20, \*10:20, \*1:20, 2:20, \*8:20, \*10:20, \*1:20, 2:20, \*8:20, \*10:20, \*1:20, 2:20, \*8:20, \*10:20, \*1:20, 2:20, \*8:20, \*10:20, \*1:20, p.m. \*1:20, \*3:20, \*1:20, \*3:20, \*2:20, \*1:20, \*3:20, \*2:20, \*1:20, \*3:20, \*3:20, \*2:20, \*3:2

ing and Alds Bird to Escape

try, where underbrush and spruce make his detection difficult.

Once flushed, the ruffed grouse flies so as to put a tree between himself and the hunter, adding to the difficulty of locating him. The bird, unlike quail, is seldom found in coveys, and consequently is hard to hit.

The hunter must always be ready with gun in position to shoot, and shoot quick. Raced Many Famous Horses Over United States Tracks.

GALT, Dec. 13.—George H. Stevens, aged 88, at one time one of the best-known owners and preseders of race horses in Canada, died today. All his racing was done in the United States, racing was done in the United States, racing was the work will fly straight, and it is well to hunt with more than one in the party him with more than one in the year.

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BRAINS TO ADVANTAGE GROUPING PROSPECTS PLEASE INGERSOLL

INGERSOLL. Dec. 13.—There is much

## 25-MEN PLAYER LIMIT WILL BE RETAINED

American League Clubs Will Hold Usual Spring Training Trip,

Owners Decide.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Retention of the twenty-five player limit and continuation of the usual spring training trips was decided upon at the closing session of the American League meeting tonight. The club owners cleared up tonight. The club owners cleared up these points in preparation for the joint meeting with the National League representatives here tomorrow.

### REDS' INFIELD WRECKED BY ENLISTMENT OF STARS

New York. Dec. 14.—Christy Mathewson received word yesterday that Shortstop Kopf and Third Baseman Rath had enlisted in the navy. The Reds infield, therefore, became a wreck perhaps temporarily. Matty had planned to play Rath at third base, moving H. Groh to the middle bag. With Kopf at short and Hal Chase on first "Big Six" had reached the conclusion that he would have one of the strongest infields in the major leagues. The Red's manager now must fall back on Bill McKechnie to play in one of the vacancies, and will have to look around for another capable infield substitute.

## **TractionCompany**

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C. J. Casey
Chestnut colt, by Plaudit-Wild
Thistle; G. M. Odom.
Chestnut colt, by Star ShootContinental; C. J. Casey.
Chestnut colt, by Uncle-Busy
Lass; E. B. McLean.

Bay colt, by Macdonald II.
Melody; J. O. Keene
Bay colt, by Salin-Balle of Ashlolica; W. S. Kilmer
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J. Widener this winter. A meeting of the associa-3,500 tion was held a few days ago, when it

The Victorias and the Monarchs were the winners of the Harriers' League basketball games played at the Y. M. C. A. on Friday night. Both teams had little trouble disposing their opponents. The Victorias hooked up with the Browns and defeated them 11 to 7. McLean played a fine game for the Victorias, collecting all the points for his team. Stevens and Morrison did nice work for the Browns.

In the second game it looked as if the Monarchs would get a trimming at half time, the 'Pirates leading by 4 to 2. In the last period the Monarchs came to life with a rush and the Black Flag crew went down to a 10 to 4 count when the whistle blew.

The Monarchs-Pirates game counted for two games, a previous game between these teams having been post poned. The teams and scores:

Victorias.

McLean f. 11 Stevens 3. Roberts, f. 0 Morrison 6. Rrowns.

Scott d. 0 Self 0. Simpson, d. 0 Morrison 4. CHICAGO SMALL MINT Second Baseman Gets Con-

Half-time score—Victorias 9, Browns Chicago. Dec. 13.—The price President Charles Comiskey, owner of the Chicago championship club has paid for Eddie Collins, star second baseman, was made public tonight by President Johnson. He said Comiskey paid the Philadelphia club \$50,000 for Collins' contract, gave Collins a \$15,000 bonus for signing and signed him to a five-year contract at \$15,000 a year. Martlew, d. ....

Referee-Davidson.

Referee—Markle.
Monarchs.
Simmons, f. 0 Thomas, f. Thomas, f. 2 Detwiler f. Ginsberg, f. 6 Mills, d. 4 Markle, c. 6 Mills, d. 9 Parkinson d. Markley, d. 0 Half-time score-Pirates 4, Mon

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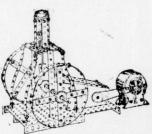
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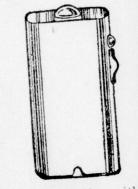


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