NEWS RIGHT UP TO DATE

WORLD

EASTERN'S MEETING.

This Season.

WHAT IS GOING ON NOW

SECOND NIGHT OF ROLLER GRIND.

3—Linkert Brothers, Hamilton, 55 miles and 2 laps.

4—D. McMaster and A. Hamburg, familton, 55 miles and 1 lap.

5—Kretchman and Duffy, Hamilton, 4 miles and 1 lap.

There were quite a few spills during he evening, but none of the contestions was burt.

ants was hurt.
Tommy Thompson officiated as re

WHIST CONGRESS.

Canadian League Will Meet in Toronto at Easter.

Toronto, April 1.—President McCafferv of the Toronto Club has been advised of the Eastern League meeting for Monday, April 6th, in New York, to draw up the 1998 playing schedule. At the special meeting of the league last February, Mr. C. T. Chapin, of Rochester, announced that he would offer an amendment to the constitution, which would do away with ladies' free days at Eastern League games, and another regarding the limiting of passes. These amendments will be considered as a special order of business at the schedule meeting. Teronto will oppose the suggestion to do away with ladies' day. Mr. McCaffery believes in letting the fair sex in free one day a week. Toronto, April 1.-The thirteenth annual congress of the Canadian Whist League will be held April 16, 17 and 18, at the Temple Building. The programme as arranged, assures

The programme as arranged, assures the most interesting and varied list of whist events ever presented.

In attendance of the American Whist Lague, Mr. H. T. Fry, of Chicago, with Mrs. Fry, and also H. T. Ward, of Boston, and C. Snow, of Albany, in a very great degree added to the pleasure of the congress.

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The most interesting may players to choose from, nor as good opportunities to practice as some of the older dults. The members of the Toronto, Hamilton at his match.

Of course, the teams contesting for the American Trophy will be perfectly qualified and most welcomed to the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the service of the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the service of the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the service of the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May are the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the contest for the championship forms and Goodall Challenge Cup. The Layer May and the contest for the championship forms and

"HACK" CONFIDENT.

The Russian Giant Sure He Will Down Gotch.

Chicago, April 1.-If Manager W. W. George Wittig will consent to have Hackenschmidt give two exhibitions near this city, before next Friday night's natch, he could enrich himself by \$5,-000. This offer was made the manager

of the "Russion Lion" this morning, but he is not at neerty to make public the man who made the offer.

"Hackenselmidt was not be seen in another exhibition before his match with Gotch," Wittig said. "He is devoting his course, time and attention to transing. e time and attention to training and will not be bothered by any

more travelling."
Hack still wonders at the great interest that is being displayed in his train-ing methods. he says that in the old country nobody is a bit interested in

country nobody is a bit interested in what he does previous to a match, it is the exact reverse here, the mobs thronging around him in such a manner as to sauly interfere with him.

"It is the practice and study of grips and holds that I want a private room for," the "Lion" said yesterday afternoon. 'I do not want to offend anybody by refusing admittance to mywork, but, really, it should be unlerstood that I want much of my time to myself, so that I can work and study with my wrestling partner.

have the floor for delegates, or receive newspaper men only, with the gallery for the other lacrosse enthusiasts. When the club fees are paid the delegates will receive some distinguishing badge or mark, which they must wear before being admitted by the official doorkeeper—one in uniform, President Cameron proposess.

Without Milesont Milesont

I have found out since why he wants us to give up our contracts here to go there. This I am wilking to do if "Hack" will post \$2,500 as a forfeit far his appearance upon the mat. This sum can be returned to him, whether Coord Derelli throws him or not, but the whole of the receipts will have to go to the winner, except 25 per cents, which Coord Derelli will donate to any charity that

Proposal to Have Ladies' Free Days

10. Fort Worth (Texas) 10; tie game. The Erskine Intermediate Baseball tenm will hold its first meeting of the season to-night at the residence of A. Waite, 171. Florence street at 8.15. The election of officers will take place and, the plans for the coming season discussed. TIPS FOR THE FANS.

paged in the game touches a batted or thrown ball a "block ball" results, and runners shall be prisileged to adsume around the bases until the ball is thrown ball at the batter by the pitcher, not smooth at batter while he is stanting in his posi-

Bunt Hit.—A bunt hit is a legally bat-ted ball, not swung at by the batter. Out on a Bunt.—The batter is out on a bunt that rolls foul if the attempted bunt is made on the third strike. Indield Fly.—A batter is out on a pop-ify to the indield, with first and second, or first, second and third bases occu-pind, provided the fly is batter before-two men were out.

Horse Vesterday.

With the exception of two mer rules emoted by the joint rules committee of the control of the

then. It, in the opinion of the manufactor the object made a reasonable effort to avoid being bit, the batter is given first

Minstneng, Oliver Beckford

six mentiles, and the secretary reported an advance all along the line. The chief point gained was that all nots have been taken out of the French River and Mr. Ross pointed out that been insten out of the resuch sizer and Lader Sippissing, and nets taken out of the St. Laouveure Biver. Six new branch-es have been Semmed. The total member-ship of the resociation new approxim-aires 3,300. Amangements were perfect-

his time on the tand, mange off them in Cameda. He was 36 mass and \$20,985 in purses.

In the City Bowling league series last too out of the night the Printsets lost two out of the three games with the Brentless, and the lines are after Labouries. They are after Labouries, they compare may be a labouries and Smrith. The wouldle is, mp N. L. U. man will give a disfinite answer until the meeting decidies whether the two-your residence gaths with 555. The scores:

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TIGERS TRIMMED THE FIREMEN.

The "Day Off Firemen" played a team of the Figure resterday at indoor baseball in the Y. M. C. A. The game was a fairly good exhibition of baseball, but most of the good players of the firemen were conspicuous by their absence. The game resulted in a win for the Figure. The score was: Figure 9, Firemen 3. Ed. Dorman was unpire. The teams were

ws: s-Campbell, McMahon, Carey, Buscombe, Harrison, Blatz and n. Batteries—Carey and Camp-

Himmen. Batteries—Carey and Campbell.

Firemen — McCarthy, Gilbert, Swain,
TenElyck, Fitzgerald, Henderson, Robins,
Linetead and Kappele. Batteries—Ten-Eyck and Robins.

SHORT ENDS.

Little Paragraphs of Sport From Far

NEW POSTMASTER.

W R ROCERS HAS BEEN SWORN IN AT TORONTO.

Interesting Sketch of the Postal Service of Canada Given by Mr. George Ross, Chief Superintendent of the Canadian Postal Service.

Tornoto, April 1 .- Mr. William Brown Rogers was sworn in as Postmaster of Tornoto by Mr. George Ross, Chief Post Office Superintendent, at the general Post Office yesterday. The oath was of healty to the King and to his office, Among those present were Mr. W. E. Assistant Postmaster, and Mr.

Mr. Ross pointed out that there were about 500 clerks and employees under the charge of the resonance shape of the stemed. The total member ship of the association new approximates 3,500. Annangements were perfected in the constant of the state of the city, and that the revenue for the main of fire the annual consentation in the unit wersiter building on Agril 29 and 21. The secretary expects 200 deligners, and 30 branches are to be appresented. Dr., Fermow, dieno of forestry department of the university, is to deliver an address, and some forestry officials from the United States are to be present.

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MORAL DEGENERATE

IS ON TRIAL FOR THE MURDER OF

Father of His Employer, Arraigned

of the postal | Brampton, Ont., March 31.-- Inc triar Brampton, Ont., March 31 .- The trial aged William Curry in Toronto Township

aged William Curry in Toronto Township, on Christmas night commenced here to day, Chief Justice Meredith presiding. The prisoner is defended by T. C. Robinsette, K. C., and A. R. Hansard, G. T. Blackstock, K. C., acting as Crown counfiel.

Very little time was spent in the selection of the jury, there being only nine challenges.

The prisoner seemed utterly indifferent to the surroundings and has apparently improved in appearance since his incarecration.

Mr. Blackstock, in opening the case for the Crown, reviewed the events from the engagement of Tearse up to the night of the murder. Anticipating the line of defence adopted by the counsel for the prisoner, he stated frankly that the former here investigated the family his defence adopted by the counsel for theoprisoner, he stated frankly that they crown had investigated the family history of the accused, and had discovered that his father had died in an insane asylum, that his sister was an epileptic, and that he, the prisoner, was also subject to fits, from which he had suffered to some extent since his arrest. From the facts at his disposal the Crown counsel concluded that the prisoner was a bounded from the facts at his disposal the Crown counsel concluded that the prisoner was a bounded from the facts at his disposal the Crown counsel concluded that the prisoner was a bounded from the facts at his disposal the Crown counsel concluded that the prisoner was a bounded from the facts of the

sel concluded that the prisoner was a moral degenerate.

The first witness called was James Curry, son of the murdered man. He retold the story of the tragedy as reported at the preliminary investigation. Under cross-examination by Mr. Robinette he was not shaken on any important point.

point.

Jimmie Reid, the hired boy, told practically the same story as he told on the former occasion.

It is the intention of the Crown to put in the box expert medical testimony to prove as clearly as possible the mental condition of the prisoner.

Court adjourned, to resume at 9.30 to morrow morning.

Toung Men

New York, March 31.—Antonio Pierri, manager of Coord Derelli, the noted wrestler of Constantinople, who recently challenged Hackenschmidt, offering to bet \$1,000 or \$5,000 that Coord Dereifii could throw "Hack" and Frank Gotch on the same night, is again trying to force the Russian Lion into a match. He evidently bus quite given up hope of getting on a match in this country, so is preparing to bombard "Hack" with

President Harry S. Cameron, of the with my wrestling partner.

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"The ordinary work I do not mind displaying before everybody, but the real business; ah, that is a different thing. ed this year. In part the proposal is to have the floor for delegates, officers and

fans, suggesting a name for the new

Hamilton baseball team, will be handed

and the name will be selected by him

coupons were sent in by ladies, but

was two or three days old, but the win-

Manager Paige thinks that he will

choose white uniforms for the Hamilton

nine. Perhaps he expects them to apply

the whitewash brush frequently. It would be real nice if a coat of kalsomine

was applied to the Cockneys in the

Since his election to the Presidency of

the International Baseball League the eporting editor of the London Free Press has changed the title of his fea-

ture column from "The Knocker" to

League has not been formed in vain.

ner may be among them,

opening game with London.

COMMENT AND GOSSIP ons received by | badge and could be seated together in the Times sporting editor from baseball one part of the hall. Late-comers could pay their fees to someone inside, who at Sweetwater, Texas, can 141 more in could bring them back their badges.

This proposal is the outcome of the

Donnybrook affair at the convention

roller grind, anyway.

When Hackenschmidt and Gotch bake the mat at Chicago on Friday night in the wrestling match, which is nominally at any rate, for the catch-as-catch-onn the mat at Chicago on Friday night in a at any rate, for the catch-as-catch-oan

"The Booster." The International To offset this, Gotch's friends assert his

If the Russian Lion does not win in 30 for the cellur or 40 minutes, he may not get the decimarager, descr sion at all, as it is known amongst wrestling followers that he is short-

Deep Decemb "tilbe sement releast." when here been retired to owner Newman's from his time on the tunt, many off them in Cameda. He wen 36 mass and \$20,885

Well, London is out of the six-night filch a few players from the home foller gridd, anyway.

championship of the catch-as-catch-one championship of the world, there will be less difference between them in size and weight than most persons suppose.

The difference in measurements are the difference in measurements are The difference in measurements are in those points which are considered essential to a successful wrestler. In the larger upper body and upper body must cles Hackenschmidt has the advantage. To offset this, Gotoh's friends assert his greater familiarity with the catch-asceatch-can code will avail.

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Easton, Pa., where the players are to report and ramein until near Mon-day, when the first exhibition game w.l. be played in Brenton with the Tri-State Longue norm.

P. Almstoong, Officer Beckford and Keily Exars.

A report was given of the general work of the association during the last.

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