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BASEBALL AS SOMETIMES PLAYED.

Springfield's Awful Exhibition—Toronto Won by 19 to 8.

Yesterday's game over the Don was of the sloppy order. Pitcher T. Smith sulked when Burns refused to replace him, and he tossed lobs over the plate. O. Smith went in the box in the sixth, and still the Torontos banged the ball. Horton pitched a good game, and had it well in hand all the way. The visitors fielded worse than the locals. Score:

Springfield—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E
Fuller, s.s.	5	1	1	3	4	2
Harley, c.f.	3	1	2	2	0	1
O. Smith, l.f. & p.	5	0	1	1	0	0
Brouthers, 1b.	5	1	2	9	0	1
Sheffler, r.f.	4	2	1	2	0	0
Gilbert, 2b.	5	2	1	4	6	0
Reilly, 3b.	5	1	4	3	1	1
Leahy, c.	4	0	1	1	2	1
T. Smith, p.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Seymour, r.f.	1	0	0	1	0	2
Totals	40	8	13	24	13	9

Toronto—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E
Delehanty, s.s.	5	3	3	2	3	1
Freeman, r.f.	5	2	3	2	1	1
O'Brien, l.f.	5	0	1	3	0	0
Casey, c.	6	1	0	5	2	0
Lutenberg, 1b.	6	3	4	7	0	0
Wright, c.f.	6	3	2	0	0	1
Smith, 3b.	5	1	2	2	4	1
Truby, 2b.	6	3	1	6	3	0
Horton, p.	5	3	5	0	3	1
Totals	49	19	21	27	16	5

Springfield	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	3	—8
Toronto	1	4	4	1	0	5	2	2	*2	—19

Earned runs—Springfield 5, Toronto 11. Left on bases—Springfield 9, Toronto 10. Bases on balls—Horton 3, T. Smith 3, O. Smith 1. Hit by pitcher—Gilbert 1. Struck out—Horton 3. Wild pitch—O. Smith. Home runs—Wright. Three-base hits—Horton, Sheffler. Two-base hits—Delehanty, Gilbert, O'Brien. Double plays—Delehanty to Truby to Lutenberg. Stolen bases—Wright. Time—2 hours. Umpire—Kittrick. Attendance—400.

PROVIDENCE BEAT BUFFALO.

At Buffalo—									R.	H.	E
Providence	2	0	1	0	0	2	4	0	1—	10	4
Buffalo	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	2—	7	11

Batteries—Rudderham and Dixon; Hodson, Gruber and Urquhart. Umpire—Hornung.

At Syracuse—									R.	H.	E
Wilkes-Barre	2	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	3—	8	11
Syracuse	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2—	7	2

Batteries—Conklin and Diggins; Delaney and Ryan. Umpire—Doescher.

At Rochester—Rochester v. Scranton; rain.

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Boston—									R.	H.	E
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	4	2
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—	6	0

Batteries—McJames and McGuire; Nichols and Bergen. Umpire—Lynch.

At Brooklyn—										R.	H.	E
Philadelphia	4	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	—10	16	6	
Brooklyn	0	0	6	0	2	2	3	2	—11	15	2	

Batteries—Taylor and Clements; Abbey, Daub and Harper, Grim. Umpire—Sturt.

At Baltimore—										R.	H.	E
New York	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	3	0—	6	9	4
Baltimore	0	0	0	3	3	0	2	1	0—	9	8	3

Batteries—Sullivan and Wilson; Hoffer and Clarke. Umpire—Sheridan.

At Cincinnati—										R.	H.	E
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—2	8	1	
Cincinnati	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0—	4	10	4

Batteries—Hawley and Merritt; Dwyer and Peitz. Umpire—Lally.

At Chicago—										R.	H.	E
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	—6	8		
Chicago	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	—7	1		

Batteries—Donohue and McFarland; Terry and Kittridge. Umpire—McFarland. Called; darkness.

HAMILTON'S GOOD RECORD.

Guelph has first place in the Canadian League race, with London close up and Hamilton and Galt tied for third place. All teams are so close that three games might put the last first and the first last. No team has won so regularly during the past six weeks as Hamilton. The record for that time is: Won 11, lost 4. At the same rate the team would undoubtedly land on top. The standing is:

	Won.	Lost.	Per Ct.
Guelph	12	10	.545
London	11	11	.500
Hamilton	12	13	.480
Galt	12	13	.480

DIAMOND DUST.

The Coronas defeated the Victorias by 32 to 6. Batteries—O'Brien and McColby; Cassidy and Kidd.

The Defoes would like to arrange a match with any team, average age 16 years. Address J. Walsh, 91 Defoe-street.

The Young Broadways were defeated by the Arcton by 12 to 7. Batteries—Schwaim and Lea; Thornton, Willis and McKidden.

Toronto wanted a game in Hamilton for next Wednesday when en route for Buffalo, but the Hams were scheduled to meet Guelph.

The Argyle B.B.C. will hold a meeting on Friday night to choose a team to play at Milton on Civic Holiday. Members are asked to attend.

The Capitals will play the Atlantics in Jesse Ketchum Park Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Capitals are playing good ball now and a fast game is expected.

Seymour, the left-handed pitcher secured from the New York Giants, Manager Burns will pitch for Springfield this afternoon. Staley will do the twirling for Toronto.

William Amink, who caught for Grand Rapids this season, has been signed by Toronto. He is expected to report here today. Boyle returned to Cincinnati from Mt. Clemens yesterday. His ankle is no better and he has decided to play no more this season.

Manager Buckenberger gave out yesterday that at a meeting in J. W. Curry's office this Toronto Baseball Club Board was chosen: Messrs. G. H. Gooderham, James Bicknell, A. F. Rutter, W. Stark, G. M. Higinbotham, H. H. Dewart, C. A. B. Brown, F. S. Cox and J. W. Curry. It is not their intention to take over the franchise from the Pittsburg owners, but instead will endeavor to boom the attendance here and retain the club in Toronto.

HAVERFORDS SAIL FOR HOME.

Oxford, Aug. 6.—The cricket match which was to have been played here between Leveson-Gower's Oxford University eleven and the Haverford College team has been canceled.

The Oxford men could not get together an eleven sufficiently strong to cope with the young Americans, and rather than make an exhibition match as that given by Cambridge on Saturday they decided to declare the match off.

The Cambridge game is, therefore, the last the young Americans will play in England, and it was a fitting conclusion to a very successful tour. The Haverford team sail from Liverpool on the Belgenland, of the American Line, which goes direct to Philadelphia.

In all probability a sailing race will be held in Picton immediately following the Belleville regatta, when the skiffs will cruise there together.

A BREEZE AT BROCKVILLE.

ROUGH WATER CAUSES POSTPONEMENT OF SEVERAL EVENTS.

Bright of the Argonauts Wins the Junior Singles—Dons Capture the Junior Doubles—Marsh and O'Connor First and Second in their Senior Single Heat—An Accident to Fred Thompson's Boat.

Brockville, Aug. 6.—When the time arrived for the opening of the C.A.A.O. regatta this afternoon between three and four thousand people were on the shore and in the stands erected for the occasion and occupying every point of vantage along the course, while the river was literally covered with steamers, yachts and small craft of every description. The steam launch Albani was placed at the disposal of the officials and press representatives by Mr. W. H. Comstock, and followed the races from start to finish.

The course was a mile and a half straight away up stream, finishing in front of the town, and for the first race the water was fair, but a light wind blowing from the west against the contestants combined with the current to make the course a very hard one.

The breeze gradually freshened during the afternoon, and when the senior singles were called the referee decided to postpone the balance of the events until 7 p. m., as a choppy sea was running and good sport was an impossibility. When 7 o'clock arrived the water was but little better and the second heat in the senior singles and the final in the intermediate were further postponed until 9 o'clock to-morrow morning. The program as far as carried out afforded some splendid racing, and the different events resulted as follows:

Junior singles, occupying positions in order from the shore—S. Greenwood, Dons; R. Robinson, Toronto; W. Laing, Grand Trunks; W. Bright, Argonauts; H. W. Dixon, Argonauts. Betting—Dixon and Laing sold even favorites against the field.

All the scullers got away together a little after the gun, and Greenwood quickly took the lead, closely followed by Dixon, and Laing and Bright were about on even terms a couple of lengths back. When a mile had been covered the positions were unchanged, except that Bright had moved up to third place. From that point on Dixon and Greenwood spurted continually, both rowing 38 strokes to the minute and striving hard to shake each other off, while Bright kept rowing a steady stroke of 28, about two lengths away, and when the leaders were within a couple of hundred yards from the finish Bright put on a remarkable spurt, passed both easily, and amidst a wild chorus of whistles and shouts took the lead and won a beautiful race by three lengths, with Greenwood half a length in front of Dixon. Time 14.58.

Junior doubles—Argonauts, Heron and Hoskin; Dons, Hogarth and Kennedy. Betting—Argonauts opened favorites in the pools, but at the close the Dons had been stalled in their place.

The crews hit the water together, rowing 38 strokes to the minute. When about 300 yards had been covered, Hoskin of the Argonauts missed a stroke and the Dons took the lead, which they held all the way, and at the mile led by three lengths, from which point they gained rapidly and finished easy winners by about eight lengths in 11.41.

Senior single, first heat—F. H. Thompson, Argonauts; E. Marsh, Vespers; J. O'Connor, Dons. Betting—no pools were sold for this heat.

From a good start the scullers traveled pretty evenly for the first quarter, when O'Connor drew a little in front, and at the mile had a length over Marsh, who was about half a length in front of Thompson. There the latter spurted and passed Marsh, but in doing so the nose of the latter's boat put a hole in that of Thompson, and both scullers stopped for a few strokes. When they resumed rowing O'Connor had increased his lead by a couple of lengths, and Marsh gradually overhauled Thompson, whose boat was shipping considerable water as a result of the foul. Marsh continued to row a terrific stroke and pressed O'Connor hard, but the latter won by a narrow length in 13.01.

The foul was admitted by the umpire to have been committed by Marsh, who was in Thompson's water, but before the actual result of the foul had been made known to the officials they decided to award Marsh second place, on the grounds that the foul had not affected the result. Marsh and O'Connor consequently go into the finals to-morrow.

Brockville, Ont., Aug. 6.—The annual meeting of the Canadian Association of Amateur Oarsmen was held to-night at the Revere House, the headquarters of nearly all the visiting oarsmen. The president, Col. Sweny, occupied the chair, and there were also present: P. D. Crerar, vice-president; W. A. Littlejohn, secretary, and the following delegates: Messrs. Gait and Denison, Argonauts; Boyd, Dons; Kearney, Toronto; May and Jenkins, Grand Trunks of Montreal, and Buell and Loosemore, Brockville.

The reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and adopted, the latter showing a balance of $923. The election of officers resulted as follows:

President, P. D. Crerar, Hamilton; vice-president, George H. Gooderham, Dons; second vice-president, T. F. Galt, Argonauts; secretary, W. A. Littlejohn, Toronto; treasurer, James Hogg, Argonauts; committee, Messrs. Muntz (Argonauts), Osborne (Hamilton), Jenkins (Montreal), Buell (Brockville). Mr. Littlejohn accepted the arduous position of secretary once more on the understanding that he be relieved of the duties of the office next year.

Several other items of importance, including the idea of changing the association's future races from the straightaway to those with a turn, were discussed and left over to the incoming executive. Votes of thanks were tendered the retiring officers of the association and to the members of the Brockville Boat Club. Mayor Booth, and citizens of the town for the way in which the visitors had been received and taken care of.

THE NATIONALS' REGATTA.

On Civic Holiday a grand open regatta will be held under the auspices of the National Yacht and Skiff Club off their club house, Queen's Wharf. The Sailing Committee have arranged an excellent program, including both athletics and aquatics, or sailing, rowing double and single, paddling, running, jumping, quoits, archery and numerous other sports. A special invitation has been extended to all owners of sailboats, whether members of any recognized club or not, to enter their boats and compete in the open race for any class. At 12.50 the ten-minute gun will be fired and at o'clock the race starts, the course to be once around the triangle. Entries must be forwarded to the secretary of the day, O. Whinton, not later than noon on Monday. Invitations may be obtained from any of the members. Valuable prizes will be presented in every event. In the evening a concert will be given, the program to include the names of leading entertainers. At night a hop will be indulged in.

ON ENGLISH TURF.

London, Aug. 6.—This was the last day of the Brighton August meeting. The race for the Preston Handicap was won by Mr. Sibary's (formerly Mr. Richard Croker's) Eau Gallie (late Eurica), Furze Rush second and Quill third. The betting was 12 to 1 against the winner, 12 to 1 against Furze Rush and 8 to 1 against Quill.

Bob Fitzsimmons in a letter to a friend in New York states that a representative of his will meet Tom Sharkey and his manager on their arrival there, and endeavor to arrange for a four-round contest in Madison Square Garden before September 1. Fitzsimmons says that if Sharkey will only give him the opportunity he will undertake to do what Corbett failed to do.

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FAST MILES AT COLUMBUS.

Eleven Heats at an Average Speed of 2.07—Robert J.'s Race.

Columbus, Aug. 6.—The free-for-all pace for which Robert J., Frank Agan and Rubenstein were entered drew an immense crowd to the Columbus Driving Park this afternoon. The weather and track conditions were perfect. In all eleven heats were shown and the average speed was 2.07¼. Never before were eleven heats paced and trotted successively in such fast time.

Robert J. paced the fourth and deciding heat of the free-for-all in 2.02¾, which is the fastest fourth heat ever paced. The quarters of this heat were made as follows: 30¼, 1.01¼, 1.31, 2.02¾.

In the first heat of the 2.16 pace Bufort caught his feet in his hobbles as he was going for the start and fell backwards. The sulky was smashed and the driver, Hanson, narrowly escaped. The race was held while the horse was sent to the stable for a new sulky. Horse and driver returned and entered the heat, coming in a close second.

The fast heats of the free-for-all pace were the fastest average four consecutive heats ever paced. The time made by Robert J. in the last heat of the free-for-all pace is within a quarter of a second of his fastest race record.

2.25 class, pacing (postponed from yesterday); purse $1500—

Planet, b.h., by Bonnie McGregor ..... (Start) 4 1 1 1

Sherman Clay, ch.g. 1 3 4 4

Silver Chimes, b.g. 3 2 2 3

Nut Breaker, Jack and Red Oak also started.

Time—2.10¼, 2.14½, 2.14, 2.00¼.

Free-for-all, pacing; purse $2000—

Robert J. ..... (Starr) 3 1 1 1

Frank Agan 1 2 2 2

Rubenstein 2 3 3 3

Time—2.03¾, 2.04½, 2.04¼, 2.02¾.

2.17 class, trotting; purse $1500—

Franklin, b.h., by Gold Leaf ..... (French) 1 1 1

Satin Slippers, blk.m. 5 3 2

Rifle, blk.g. 10 2 5

Angelus, Bryson, Clara G., Audon, Blackstorm, Cut Glass, Col. Dickey, King Albert also startedw.

Time—2.10¼, 2.10¾, 2.11½.

2.16 class, pacing; purse $1500—

Don Tu, br.h. ..... (Swisher) 1 1 1

Frank Bogash, b.h. 6 2 2

Buford, b.g. 2 12 11

Bully Boy, Charlie D., Ally, Myrtle, Bessie B., Castleton, Redinda, Red Fox, Madge D., Cliffmont, Callentie, Mary S., Barney Tracy, King Paul and also started.

Time—2.08½, 2.07¼, 2.08¼.

RESULTS AT DETROIT.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 6.—The talent fared better at Crosse Point to-day, three favorites and a second choice coming home in front. The only exciting finish came in the stake race, Sister Clara, Sutton and Dr. Cattlett fighting it out all the way and finishing heads apart. Summaries:

First, race, 6½ furlongs—Alvarendo, 4 to 5, 1; Virgie Dixon, 5 to 1, 2; Matilia, 4 to 1, 3; time 1.27.

Second race, mile and a sixteenth—Pepper, 2 to 1, 1; Little Tom, 10 to 1, 2; Fiel K, 7 to 1, 3; time 1.55.

Third race, 6 furlongs—First Mate, 7 to 10, 1; Sir Play, 3 to 1, 2; Breudoo, 40 to 1, 3; time 1.20.

Fourth race, 5 furlongs—Sister Clara, 5 to 1, 1; Sutton, 3 to 1, 2; Dr. Cattlett, 3 to 1, 3; time 1.06.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Bernadillo, 9 to 5, 1; Poncilffe, 7 to 1, 2; Stachelberg, 5 to 1, 3; time 1.04½.

Sixth race, 6½ furlongs—Red Top, 3 to 1, 1; Lauretta, 12 to 1, 2; Mobialska, 2½ to 1, 3; time 1.26½.

Detroit Entries: First race, selling ⅞ mile—Miss Kitty 98, Immodesty 98, Fly 89, My Hebe 91, Sister Ione 91, Gomor 93, Bismarck 96, La Creole 97, Outgo 98, Kapanga (colt) 99, Tremor 99.

Second race, ⅞ mile—Tidiness 104, Kate W 104, Celoso 107, Redena 107, Charina 107, Easter Eve 107, Wrangling Duchess 112, Alice C 112.

Third race, selling, 1 mile—Atalanta 87, Font d'Or 95, Little Tom 97, Merry Duke 100, Sykeston 100, Balk Line 107, Service 109.

Fourth race, handicap 1 1-16 miles—Connolseur 103, Sunny 103, Lobengula 107, Hayoe 117.

Fifth race, selling ⅞ mile—Sky Blue 94, Helen Mar 95, Kowalsky 97, Viceregal 97, Roxene 102, Wooodlah 102, Benamela 106, Chicot 107, All Over 110, Miss Sauteur 110.

Sixth race, hurdle 1¼ miles—Capt. Rees 141, Bob Neely 151, Sewanee 155, Rosemont 155, Lord Motley 159, Maid of Ellerslie 161, Tuscarora 163, Brother Bob 163, Miss Somersault 164, Lawyer 164, St. Brandon 172.

SUISAN WON THE STAKE.

Brighton Beach, Aug. 6.—First race, 6 furlongs—Kissoma, 4 to 1, 1; Bergen, 3 to 1, 2; Scoggan, 8 to 1, 3; time 1.16½.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Brighton, 4 to 1, 1; Dic, 15 to 1, 2; Second Chance, 15 to 1, 3; time 1.02¾.

Third race, 1 mile—Septour, 1 to 5, 1; Aurelian, 9 to 2, 2; Royal H, 15 to 1, 3; time 1.42¾.

Fourth race, the Rising Generation Stake, of $1500, for 2-year-olds, ¾ mile—Suisan, 6 to 1, 1; Salmak, 20 to 1, 2; Winged Foot, 3 to 5, 3; time 1.14¾. Won by a neck.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—Vollcy, 8 to 5, 1; Defender, 7 to 2, 2; Chugnut, 9 to 5, 3; time 1.49½.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Midlas, 4 to 1, 1; Dame Quickly, 7 to 5, 2; Mormon, 4 to 1, 3; time 1.15½.

Brighton Beach Entries: First race, for 3-year-olds and upwards, mile—Dalgetty 120, Mirage 120, Sir Linden 120, Tower Post 114, Kallirhoe 114, Tom Cromwell 107, Tomoka 104, Florena Hubbard 102, Royal Princess 102.

Second race, for maiden 2-year-olds, 6 furlongs—Absentee 110, Our Jonny 110, McCall 110, Passover 110, Woodbird 107, Offered 107, Simonian 107, Fleur de Lis 107, L. B. 107, Tranon 107, Valorous 107.

Third race, for 3-year-olds, mile and a sixteenth—Templetown 110, Rogue 107, Sir Doltke 107, Bonnie Eloise 107, Cockerony 107, Domnful 107, Braw Lad 107, King Ron 107, Ballyroe 107.

Fourth race, for 3-year-olds and upwards, heavyweight handicap, 6 furlongs—Gotham 140, Ferrier 130, Hanwell 123, Manchester 120, Domingo 118, Sirocco 115, Roundelk 115, Hamlet 113, Will Elliott 110, Emotional 105.

Fifth race, for 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Rotterdam 110, Bird of Freedom 109, Russler 108, Tyrant 108, Kaiser Ludwig 106, Tempestuous 105, Nana H 105, Contractor 104, Miss Louise 104, Ben Regalf 103, Clymens 102.

Sixth race, for 3-year-olds and upwards, mile—Kenwi 115, Sir Francis 106, Ajax 108, Tom Cromwell 100, Captain T 104, Cromwell 104, Clarus 101, Premier 91.

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Erie, Pa., Aug. 6.—The annual regatta held by the Erie Yacht Association was an eminent success. The weather was perfect, and the attendance was a large one. The wind from the southwest blew a tenknot an hour breeze. The gun was fired at 10.30 and ten seconds later the Canadian cup defender, the Canada, crossed the line, and 1 minute later the Scorpion of Erie crossed. The yachts got away to windward, with every inch of canvas out and with spinnakers set. The car ferry Shenango and other craft carried the spectators. The Canadians won every race, and Fife, Herreshoff and Watson were largely represented. A feature of the race was a dead heat between the Diana and Vivia, both Canadians.

In the 45-foot class Canada beat the Scorpion by 37 minutes. In the 40-foot class Diana won, beating the Vivia by 1 minute and 51 seconds.

In the 35-foot class, Eva, a Canadian boat, beat Minnie of Erie by 26 seconds. In the 30-foot class Hiawatha beat Myrna by 5 minutes and 4 seconds. The Hiawatha sailed away from her class, and with the time allowance was only beaten by the cup defender by 4 minutes.

The yachtsmen were banqueted this evening. The races to-morrow will be sailed in the bay course.

AILSA WON THE TOWN PRIZE.

Cowes, Aug. 6.—The race for the Town prize of £100, which resulted in a fiasco yesterday, was resailed to-day over the regular course of the squadron, a distance of 35 miles. The Meteor did not race part in the race, she having gone to Gosport to repair the damage sustained yesterday. The signal for the start was given at 10 o'clock, and the yachts went over the line in fine style. The Ailsa led, followed closely by the Caress, Britannia, Corsair, Satanita, Peter Donaldson and Isolde in the older given. A fine northerly wind was blowing at the time, and this made it a reach all round the course.

The Ailsa finished at 2.14.45, the Britannia at 2.22 and the Satanita at 2.25.20. The Ailsa won, though she allowed the Corsair 42 minutes.

In the race for the 20-raters, the Audry, the Saint, Penitent, Baron Von Zedtwitz's Isolde, Samphire and Niagara were the competitors. They started at 10.15 o'clock. The Samphire beat the Audry. The crew reported everything working first-class and that the yacht behaved finely. They also state that she did some fine work on the wind. They left here to-night in tow for Erie.

THE CANADA-VENCEDOR RACE.

The yacht Oriole will cruise to Toledo for the international race, but will not participate in any of the contests. Suitable rates have been secured by rail and also splendid accommodation for Toronto yachtsmen and their yachts. Honorary Secretary S. Bruce Harman of the R.C.Y.C. will supply intending excursionists with all information.

BARNEY QUINN AT PRACTISE.

The big lacrosse match at the Island will start at 3.45 and promises to be the event of the season. Barney Quinn looks to be in perfect condition and there is no doubt in the minds of the Tecumseh men about the result of the match. It was evidently a great surprise to him to see the fine lot of players that comprise the Island team. The team will line up in this order:

Capitals—Goal, Crown; point, Griffith; cover, Shea; defence, Devine, Carson, James; centre, Carson; home, Gibson, Westwick, Murphy; outside, Smith; inside, Powers.

Tecumsehs—Goal, Davis; point, Patterson; cover, Quinn; defence, Grimes, York, Hartley; centre, Macdonald; home, Murphy, Burns, McVey; outside, Cross; inside, German.

The Tecumseh spare men are Peaker and Dewer. It is not known who will referee the game, but the Capitals have retained D. Bailey and Ross Mackenzie, and the Tecumsehs Pollock of Cornwall and Brophy of Montreal, both of whom were proposed by the Capitals.

FROM THE CAPITAL.

Ottawa, Aug. 6.—Lacrosse men here do not have much faith in the rumor of a Shamrock-Capital-Tecumseh League. It is thought Tecumseh men started it to boom the Western team, which is just now suffering a good deal of free advertisement. The Capitals will make a big effort to defeat them next Saturday in Toronto, but the team will not be in the very best condition. That the Tecumsehs will be in the five-club league next season is regarded as more than probable, as it is thought the Torontos will drop out. They have been even more of a failure this year than last, and there appears to be little hope of any very great improvement in the future.

SHAMROCKS AND MONTREAL.

Montreal, Aug. 6.—The Montreal-Shamrock match is creating considerable interest and the indications are that an exciting game will be witnessed. Montreal has always played a good game with the Shamrock and the defeat of the Shamrocks by Cornwall has spurred the Westmount boys on to greater efforts. They have been practising hard and will be in splendid condition for Saturday's game. The Shamrocks thoroughly realize that they will have to win every game if they wish to come anywhere near the championship and have done hard work in preparation for Saturday.

LACROSSE POINTS.

Barney Quinn arrived here yesterday morning and practised at the Island with the Tecumsehs in preparation for to-morrow's game with the Capitals.

The Thistles of Fergus crossed sticks with the Athletics of St. Catharines yesterday afternoon. The home team had it all their own way from start to finish, and secured three straight games in 24, ½ and 19 minutes respectively.

The Elms will pick their team to-night for the Georgetown match on Civic Holiday after practice. The Elms had to cancel their game with Orillia on Civic Holiday on account of the President of O.L.A. ordering them to play their protested game at Georgetown on that date.

Orillia 4, Bradford 3 was the result of a championship match played at Orillia yesterday. This was the most hotly contested lacrosse match played in that district this year. The score resulted in Bradford securing the 1st, 3rd and 4th games and Orillia scoring the 2nd, 5th, 6th and 7th games. Mr. J. D. Bailey of Toronto refereed.

THE WINGHAM TROTS.

Wingham, Aug. 6.—Over three thousand people witnessed the second day's racing. The track was all that could be desired, and each race was keenly contested. Summary:

2.30 class, 2.30 pace or 2.28 trot; purse $250—

Willard Wilmont, B. Barnes, St Thomas 4 1 1 1

John Nelson, J. E. Swarts, Wingham 1 3 3 4

Josephine, H. Cargill & Son, Cargill 3 4 5 2

Tom Appleby, Wilkie Ross, Tennie and Jennie Mitchell also started.

Time—2.30, 2.31¼, 2.28, 2.21¾.

2.22 class, purse $300—

Stanton, F. G. Green, Stony Creek 4 3 1 1 1

Reddy, B. Dunlop, Brussels .. 1 1 2 2 2

Memona, R. Rush, Montreal .. 2 2 4 4 5

Brown Duke, Rodney also started.

Time—2.30, 2.23¾, 2.25¼, 2.27, 2.27.

2.10 class; purse $300—

Nellie Bruce, D. McEwen, Atlisa Craig 1 4 1 1

Jack Jewett, A. J. Haws, Johnstown, Pa. 4 1 2 2

Mambrino Hunter, J. B. Hunter, Woodstock 2 2 4 4

Jimmie Mack also started.

Time—2.16¾, 2.19¼, 2.20¼, 2.21¼.

CRICKET SLIPS.

The big match, England v. Canada, starts this morning on the Toronto Cricket Club grounds at the University. Terry and Walker arrived yesterday from London and Horstead from Chatham. The ladies will hold a reception this afternoon.

The doubled-up doctors carved their bachelor brethren to pieces in the cricket match at Rosedale yesterday afternoon. Score 90 to 41. Dr. Scadding scored 42 and Dr. Scott 13 for the winners, while Dr. McCallum with 9 was top scorer for the losers. A return match will be played next week.

AWHEEL AT BUFFALO.

Canadian Riders Unplaced—Zeigler Won the Half Mile Open.

Buffalo, Aug. 6.—Buffalo's new bicycle ¼-mile track was opened officially to-day with the first racing of the three days' meet. The Canadians did not fare very well in to-day's events. John Davidson ran second in the third trial heat, but was unplaced in the finals. E. D. Stevens, Buffalo, won; Longnecker, Buffalo, 2. Time 2.12 1-5.

There were 16 entries for the half-mile open professional, including F. W. Young, who ran unplaced in the second heat. Bald won the first heat in 1.00 3-5, and Werick led Cooper to the tape in the second in 1.05 1-5. Bald, Zeigler, Newhouse, C. H. Callahan, Werick, Cooper, T. Butler and Buz were in the final. Bald's chain snapped and he went down under his wheel. All were called back, and after a delay of ten minutes a fresh start was made. Zeigler caught the pacemaker with Werick second. Bald was pocketed, and after a nerve-destroying finish Zeigler won, with Werick second and Butler third and Bald fourth, and Cooper was unplaced. Time 1.01.

The half-mile amateur handicap required four trial heats. Davidson at scratch in the fourth was beaten out by Horan (10 yards), Higgins (30 yards). In the final C. V. Horan won, Higgins 2, De Temple 3 (all are Buffalo men). Time 1.02 1-5.

The two-mile handicap, professional, was the last event of the day. F. W. Young had 200 yards, but ran unplaced. Ray Macdonald and Tom Butler were scratch men, but were not in it. C. H. Callahan (140 yards) won; L. A. Callahan (110 yards) 2, E. F. Leonert 3. Time 4.24 1-5.

BICYCLE BRIEFS.

T. B. McCarthy has secured a permit and will ride in the amateur races in Buffalo to-day.

The reserved seat plan for the Civic Holiday bicycle races opens to-day at 14 King-street east.

Dave Craig of the West Association Club went a half behind a tandem in 1.02 4-5 at the Island last night.

Jack Anderson and Bobby Thompson, paced by two tandems, covered a mile over the Island track in 2.01 last night.

Many of the local amateurs will likely surprise themselves when they run up against one another in their pot-hunting expeditions on the holiday.

Collie Ross is getting the Wanderers' band ready for the R.Q.T. race. This famous body of musicians will provide music while the racers are on the road.

Lou Scholes went a mile at Rosedale yesterday in 2.25, which is only a second above the boys' record. He is confident of knocking many seconds off at the Civic Holiday meet at the Island.

Members of the Toronto Bicycle Club who intend going on the Civic Holiday tour are requested to meet at the house at 8.30 this evening to get reduced fare railway tickets and arrange other details of the trip.

The bulletin issued yesterday by the Ninety-Six Meet Club of Louisville, it is forcibly stated that the Falls City is ready for the ninetieth annual meet of the League of American Wheelmen, which begins Monday and will continue until midnight Aug. 15.

A meeting of the Wanderers' Bicycle Club was held in the club rooms last evening. There was a good attendance, and a lot of business was transacted. It was decided that the Civic Holiday trip should be to Peterboro and Chemong Lake, whither Capt. Nicholls expects to take quite a number of the members.

Among the Toronto riders who have entered for Dr. Robertson's 20-mile handicap road race, to be run off at Stratford next Monday, are: Oscar Johnston, T. Armstrong, W. Watt, H. Wickens, J. Manning, J. J. Wright and James Simpson of the Hamblers; T. Southam, Harry Thompson, L. H. Bounsall, J. Anderson and J. Nichol, son of the Royal Canadian; F. S. Charles of the T.-B. C. The riders will be accompanied on Saturday afternoon by a large delegation of their friends, so Chief Consul Turton Walton of the C.R.C. anticipates a large crowd on his club's excursion. Mr. A. F. Webster met with a heavy demand for tickets yesterday.

HAPPENINGS OF A DAY.

Items of Passing Interest Gathered in and Around this Busy City.

Court Robin Hood, I.O.F., held a monster moonlight one last night.

Robert N. Hill, the alleged bicycle thief, was remanded for a week, bail being refused.

Tenders for the Queen-street subway will be opened by the Board of Control next Wednesday.

A row boat, with sails, cushions, etc., has been stolen from a private boat house at Long Branch.

Samuel Rowat, charged with shooting his wife with intent to kill her, was yesterday committed for trial.

George Murray, who assaulted his sweetheart and trespassed on the G.T. Trinitysquare, was remanded till to-day.

The Irving Park Club excursion from Elora and Fergus came in over the C.P.R. and went to the Falls by the Chicora yesterday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Johnston, charged with setting fire to her apartments at 203 Yonge-street, was remanded for a week and allowed out on $1000 bail.

The uniformed Knights of St. John are going into camp for three days, commencing Aug. 8, at the Novitiate grounds, St. Clair-avenue.

At St. Anne's Church, Frances Cheater, a daughter of Thomas H. Cheater of Parkdale, was married to Harry Brant of the Grand Trunk Company.

Samuel Mathers was the guest of the police last night because he could not satisfactorily explain how he became possessed of a quantity of ladies' and gents' wearing apparel.

Charles Fawkes, 55 St. Vincent-street, did not deny threatening to run a knife through his mother, but said he didn't mean it, so the magistrate let him go on suspended sentence.

Messrs. W. A. Lee & Son have been appointed agents for the purchase of American life insurance policies. Those dissatisfied with their contracts have now an opportunity to dispose of them.

Government Engineer Robert McCallum has returned from Kingston, Ont., to-day, and is at the Iredale, Bancroft & Ottawa Railway. The erection of an iron ore smelter is contemplated