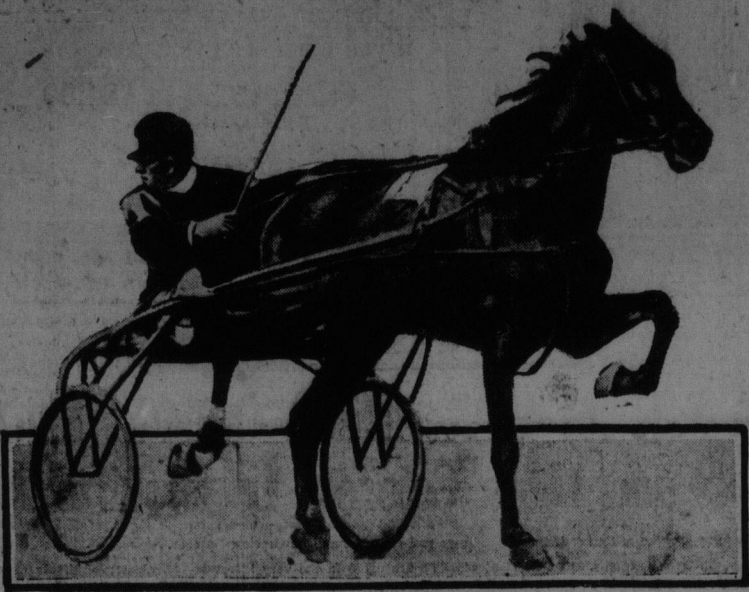


THE STANDARDS PAGE OF SPORTS

Will Uhlan or Harvester Be This Year's Sensation



UHLAN MAKING HIS GREAT RECORD OF 1.58 1/2.

Whenever horsemen meet these days one question is almost sure to be asked: Will Uhlan, 1.58 1/2, or The Harvester, 2.01, prove the sensational performer of the 1911 season? Both have their backers and admirers.

Here is the way the arguments usually run:

"Last year, you know, Uhlan was one day driven to a four wheeled wagon by his owner in 2.01, two days later in the open he went to sulky in 1.58 1/2."

"There's never been a time when Uhlan did not come up to expectations. From the time he was 3 years old he has always done something better than he promised. As he is young, perfectly sound and in finer form right now than ever, why is it not reasonable to suppose that he can look to him for something better than ever this year?"

"Yes," will remark the other man, "but think of The Harvester's record. He was never beaten but once, and he is in the care of that great master of the turf, Ed Goers."

"But you must remember," somebody else will say, "that Uhlan is in the hands of one of the greatest trainers in the world—a man who, as a boy, served under two of the best horsemen that ever lived—Jim O'Connell and Orrio Hickox. That trainer is Doc Tanner."

"True it is that Hamburg Belle beat Uhlan in a sensational match race, but almost everybody who witnessed that great struggle concedes that Uhlan had the worst of the conditions, being the outside horse."

It is a fact that lots of the horsemen who saw Uhlan perform that day predicted that he would trot a mile in two minutes in 1910.

Uhlan fooled them all by going a mile in his third start of the season in 1.58 1/2.

Why not, horsemen are asking, may not Uhlan fool them again this year as he fooled them many a time before?

Inside information from Uhlan's quarters is that he is working better this year than ever before.

There are horsemen who, in whisper, predict that Uhlan will trot a mile in 1911 in 1.56 or better.

Great work is expected of The Harvester, too, as many a glorious victory he has won in 1910, but scarcely a mile in the time Uhlan is all probability will show.

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EIGHT TEAMS PLAYED ON VIC. ALLEYS LAST NIGHT

No less than eight bowling teams were in competition on the Victoria alleys last night in the City champion ship series. The team scores were as follows:

At eight o'clock, first game:

C. B. B's.

Ward ... 79 74 94 230-76 2 3
Gilbrath ... 79 74 94 249-83
Griffith ... 83 76 75 234-87
McKenzie ... 74 72 81 227-75 2 3
Daley ... 85 86 84 235-78 1 3
398 267 410 1175

Athletics.

McGrath ... 70 79 82 231-77
McCarthy ... 85 66 73 224-74 2 3
Downey ... 79 78 92 259-89 2 3
McClivern ... 74 78 76 228-76
Murphy ... 80 73 69 228-74
498 374 392 1174

Second game:

Kickers.

Clinch ... 71 60 79 210-70
Parlee ... 91 82 78 251-83 2 3
McLellan ... 79 85 95 259-85 1 3
Sage ... 95 63 77 235-78 1 3
Scott ... 76 80 82 238-79 1 3
412 370 411 1193

Beacons.

Duffy ... 82 72 76 230-75 2 3
Limerman ... 72 80 86 235-78 1 3
Davis ... 76 89 69 214-71 1 3
Sampson ... 106 79 84 269-89 1 3
Fullerton ... 79 87 71 237-79
415 387 383 1185

At 9.30 o'clock, first game:

Sweeps.

Harrison ... 87 79 79 245-81 2 3
Ferguson ... 73 102 82 258-86 1 3
Masters ... 84 81 80 245-81 2 3
Finley ... 82 72 84 238-79 1 3
McKeen ... 88 78 85 251-83 2 3
416 412 410 1238

At 8 o'clock the Stars vs. Tartars; Beacons vs. Regulars. At 9.30 o'clock, B. B.'s vs. Red Wings, and Blue Sox vs. Kickers.

FIRST GAMES OF ATHLETIC LEAGUE SERIES

The spring series of events to be held by the Sunday school Athletic League was inaugurated last night, and the opening of the series was auspicious. Over two hundred persons were present and interest ran high.

Two events were held—a 50 yards dash by boys aged 13, 14, and 15 years, and a running high jump for boys 15 and 16 years. Both events were well contested and proved exciting.

In the 50 yards dash first place was captured by R. Thompson, representing St. James' church; the time for the 50 yards was 6 3/4 seconds. F. Thomas, Trinity, came second; M. Kirk and R. Maxwell, of Portland Methodist church were 3rd and 4th respectively.

In the running high jump for boys of 15 and 16 years, A. Marshall, Queen Square church, was first, jumper 4 feet 10 inches; 2nd, H. McCoy, Centenary, 4 feet 8 inches; 3rd, F. Thompson, St. Stephen's; 4th, J. Storr, Fortland Methodist.

The officials were—Referee, J. P. Steele; track judges, Rev. G. Dickie, Rev. J. Anderson, Rev. D. Long, M. Jarvis; field judges, Rev. A. Graham and Postmaster Sears, J. E. Brown; timer, R. Penleton; scorer, J. H. Humphrey; announcer, J. McKinnon; clerk of course, Thompson.

Considerable interest is being shown in the league and some interesting events are scheduled during the series. On Thursday evening there will be two more events, a high jump and 12 lb. shot put.

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LETERAN GOES TO MINORS

FRED PARENT.

Once the pride of the Connecticut League and later the batting sensation of the Boston infield, Fred Parent has been relegated to Baltimore Eastern league by the White Sox.

Parent in his early big league days was a whirlwind fielder and a 300 hitter. He was with the Beanees through three championship series and one world's championship. He went to Chicago in 1909. Last year he alternated between the infield and the deep pastures, but hit less than 200 in 81 games.

LOCAL PLAYERS WORKING OUT WELL.

The members of the St. John baseball team will meet this evening at 6.30 o'clock on the Shamrock grounds for a workout. The men are getting into shape for the opening game on the 24th, and are taking day about with the Marathons for practice. The Marathons had a good practice on the grounds last night and all the players are showing up in good style.

INTER-COLLEGIATE TRACK MEET WILL BE INTERESTING

Crack Athletes from the U.N.B., Mount Allison and Acadia will Compete in Halifax on May 26th.

Halifax, May 16.—The intercollegiate track meet between Mount Allison, the University of New Brunswick and Acadia will be held on the Wanderers grounds Friday afternoon the 26th inst.

It is several years since these colleges tried conclusions on the track in Halifax. On that occasion the attendance was very poor. This was not because the events were not interesting; for every event was keenly contested, and was considered one of the best track meets that was ever held here. The reason was that very few people knew that the meet was going to be held and the sporting public in Halifax realised a treat.

This year's meet should be well patronized by all lovers of good field and track events, for it will be one of the best days' sport that Halifax will have this summer.

The keenest rivalry exists among the teams, and this alone is all that is necessary to make the meet exceedingly interesting. There is still another reason why it should be a success—the three teams are all considered very evenly matched; in fact, more evenly matched than any since the intercollegiate track league was first inaugurated.

The Halifax Herald and the Evening Mail are going to present a cup to the winning team, but it will not become the permanent property of any college until it is won five times, and necessarily in succession.

These newspapers will also present a gold medal to the man who makes the largest number of points at this year's meet.

Dalhousie tried to gain admittance to the league, but her request was not received until after the other colleges had made their arrangements for a three team league, making it too late for the executive to consider the matter. It is probable, however, that the Tigers will be admitted next year.

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LESS CORK, MORE RUBBER MAKES MORE BASE HITS

The illustration shows cross sections of balls used in the National League this season and for the past two years. The reason for the increase in long hits is apparent. They're making home runs in the big leagues like Casey used to. The fame of "Buck" Freeman as a home run hitter, is destined to fade, for young men on various teams are making home runs regularly.

The reason is that a livelier ball is used this year than last season. The National league ball last year differed from the old ball, because it had a center of cork, surrounded by rubber, instead of a solid rubber core.

This ball was not satisfactory. Pitchers said it did not hold its shape on the face of hard hitting so the manufacturers tried again. They reduced the cork core and increased the thickness of the rubber. The result is a lively ball that recalls Brotherhood days.

In 1910 the cork center was an inch and a quarter in diameter. The rubber was a mere shell. This year the cork is about a half inch in diameter and the rubber considerably thicker.

This change is the secret of the increased hitting. The new ball gets away from the bat faster and acts peculiarly when hit upon the ground, bounding faster than its predecessors and in unexpected ways. The increased hitting will prevail doubtless until pitchers devise something to overcome the handicap.

BATTING AVERAGES OF BIG LEAGUES

MCINNIS LEADS THEM ALL.

Athletics Utility Infielder With .485 in 18 Games Best American Batter.

DOONIN STEPS DOWN.

Supplanted as Leading National Batter by Wilson, of New York.

With a gain of 56 points in the games he played last week, McInnis, the Rockport, Mass. member of the Athletics, jumped in first place among the batters of the American League with the remarkable figures of .485. He hit the ball savagely again last week, gathering hits with as much frequency almost as he did putouts.

Collins, the wonderful second baseman of the team, holds second place on the list and, too, is batting better than 400.

The averages:

G.	A.B.	H.	Av.
McInnis, Phila.	18	66	.485
Collins, Phila.	22	81	.429
Cobb, Det.	27	103	.408
Lajoie, Cleve.	22	78	.385
Jackson, Cleve.	28	112	.375
Dougherty, Chic.	29	67	.357
Engle, Boston.	35	94	.357
Murphy, Phila.	22	86	.372
Galton, Det.	21	76	.368
Crawford, Det.	27	85	.355
Crisp, St. L.	17	34	.352
Lord, Chic.	20	71	.352
Williams, Bos.	25	91	.341
Dunbar, Bos.	24	89	.337
Bodie, Chic.	15	55	.337
Austin, St. L.	25	89	.326
Chase, N. Y.	21	83	.325
McMan, Phila.	15	33	.321
Easterly, Cleve.	28	94	.319
McIntyre, Chic.	23	85	.318
Cree, N. Y.	28	86	.314
Elberfeld, Wash.	22	78	.308
Milan, Wash.	22	88	.307
Wilson, N. Y.	10	18	.444
Dooin, Phila.	23	78	.387
Dunbar, Brook.	25	96	.385
J. Miller, Bos.	24	95	.368
J. Doyle, Bos.	10	31	.357
Wilson, Pitts.	24	87	.345
Clarke, Pitts.	23	86	.329
Wagner, Pitts.	24	84	.328
Devore, N. Y.	24	90	.323
Braham, Bos.	21	61	.292
Magee, Phila.	25	97	.313
Sheekard, Chi.	27	100	.328
Packard, Phila.	26	91	.292
J. Miller, Pitts.	24	91	.319
Meyers, N. Y.	24	69	.237
Schulte, Chi.	27	89	.283
Goode, Bos.	24	95	.291
Bridwell, N. Y.	24	84	.269
Harzog, Bos.	25	99	.303
Downey, Chi.	18	67	.209
Wheat, Brook.	25	87	.269

CAMERON WOULD RUN LONGBOAT IN N.S. TEAMS

Special to The Standard.

Amherst, May 16.—Fred Cameron arrived in Amherst from Boston Sunday morning. He states that for a week or so after he went to Boston he was decidedly out of condition and his health was not up to the standard when he had his race with Shrub. He has, however, since that time been training steadily and is going to continue in the running game. He is now back to his old training grounds at Amherst and is looking in the pink of condition. He has been corresponding with Longboat's manager with the hope of getting the Indian to run on the Hamblers' track. He expects a definite answer sometime this week. Falling to secure Longboat Cameron expects to arrange a match with Holmer during the summer months.

A Large Attendance Requested.

The weekly meeting of the Irish Literary and Benevolent Society takes place this evening in their rooms, Union street. Important business will be brought forward.

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