# Gossip and Comment

These are the bowlers' busy days.

There was at least one Good roller in the Toronto bowlers' delegation, but he

With the admission that in his five With the admission that in his five months' tour in America he carned \$20,000 and got back home with \$10,000 of the money, Jem Driscoll, the English featherweight champion boxer, in an interview on his return to England in The London Sporting Life, makes the unqualified statement that he found America much to his liking and had strong inclinations of returning before long. . . .

From Toronto Telegram: "The Ham ilton Spectator rises to remark that the Garrison Athletic Association got in the hole holding C. A. A. U. meets and just held a little professional event to get held a little professional event to get financially even. So the Spec, opines that the C. A. A. U. should be tolerant. Also the same great authority on ama-teurism hints darkly that the men said to be interested in the pro. gate re-ceipts are so high in authority and have

them alone.

"But the Spec, easily shifts from the sublime to the ridiculous when it assures its gentle readers that many of these eminent amateurs have become identified with pro, games not that they cared for money, but simply because they loved sport so much that they could not tear themselves away from not tear themselves away t, no matter how it is disguised. What getting 694. you laughing at?

What the London Advertiser thinks: A Peterboro' "rassler" is accused of bit-ing another during one of their little scances, and refused to play because he was reprimanded for it. And this is the game Toronto, Hamilton and these other small towns fall for with the axidity of a summer girl for ice cream. Fine!

Jewish Chronicle:—The Jew, who, as a rule, diets moderately and seldom takes alcohol in excess, is favorably equipped for developing the healthy frame and its internal organs. He is generally an easy subject to train for advanced athletics.

OPEN DOUBLES.

W. V. Thompson. 201 167 177 545

F. B. Warden . 199 211 181 591

NOVICE DOUBLES.

Hamilton—

Total.

Bobby Kerr has received a letter from Wilson, the English mile runner. Wilson says that he will visit the United States and Canada this season to compete in the championship events, and will leave England in May. Kerr thinks that Wil-son will make all the good ones on this side of the Atlantic step some.

From Chicago The New York World gets word that Mr. Jack Johnson has impounded one Abe Arends as manager to succeed the resourceful and persistent Sam Fitzpatrick. The reason? No answer. Arends managed Johnson when the big negro was a free luncher and wore celluloid collars. He'll wear them again—if at all—if he keeps up this ungrate-ful gait.

The more you see and hear of Shrubb, the more you must admire him. He is always out to win, and Alfred always sticks up for the flag. Shrubb is barn-storming in the east this week. On Monday night he was the guest at Ottawa of Bowood Lodge Sons of England, at a banquet. Shrubb was proposed as a life member by Secretary Low, and in accepting with thanks the honor Shrubb Kimpto made a near reply, thanking the officers cepting with thanks the honor Shrubb made a neat reply, thanking the officers and members for their kind hospitality and assuring them that he would always remember his first visit to Ottawa. Shrubb carried his hearest strongh a brief resume of his career as a runner, and hoped to prove himself worthy of the confidence which his friends, both in England and Canada, placed in him. Shrubb, continuing, remarked that he was delighted with what he had seen of Ottawa. He was very fond, he added, of Canada, and hoped to spend the balance of his life in the Dominion. Shrubb was blue to the confidence which he friends, both in England and Canada, and hoped to spend the balance of his life in the Dominion. Shrubb was enthusiastically greeted, his words being applauded to the echo. Shrubb predicted a hard race in the Marathon Derby at New York, April 3, but hoped to be able to win it. The banquet continued until an early hour in the morning, and the gathering dispersed with cheers for the King and the guest of the evening. Shrubb took occasion to again express his thanks to the officers of Bowood Lodge and promised to return and enhis thanks to the officers of Dowood Lodge and promised to return and enjoy their hospitality at some future oc- Litster.

Speaking of Mrs. Jack Johnson's position in society, if she insists upon being considered a colored lady, we don't see why she should not peacefully get away with it. If she wishes to relinquish her claim to the consideration which her complexion under other circumstances would get her, that is strictly her affair. The case is unprecedented, but we take it that it is just as embarrassing for a colored person to be accused of being white as it is for a white person to be accused of having a stroke of the tar brush.

Report by a young English schoolgirl of a lecture on "Phases of Human Life—Youth, Manhood, Age." In youth we look forward to the wicked things we will do when we grow up—this is the state of innecence. In manhood on the will do when we grow up—this is the state of innocence. In manhood we do the wicked things of which we thought in our youth—this is the prime of life. In old age we are sorry for the wicked things we did in manhood—this is the time of our dotage."—Literary Digest.

Large Crowd of Toronto Bowlers Here.

Yesterday's Scores at C.B.A. Tourney.

Yesterday was Toronto B. C. day at the Canadian Bowling Association's tournament at the H. B. and A. C. alleys, and lan 471. the Queen City made a good showing numerically. About 150 trundlers and friends; accompanied by a band, came up on a special train. They were met 440, D. Baird 478, Bertram 460, Sinclair

addition to the Toronto bunch.

In the doubles Behrman and Williams, of Toronto, made sure of a prize with their high score of 1.178, and were prevented from reaching the 1.200 mark by two bad splits, which Williams fell into Fuerst 450, Hood 438, Russell 436, Clayon his second string. These two chaps ton 388. Total, 2161, colled in brilliant form. The scores were Emmett Shoe Str

as follows:
OPEN DOUBLES.

Duncan . . .

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Richards 461, Staughton 339, Sugden 442, Wilson 379. Total 2118.

Laurel, I. O. O. F.—G. Easton 414, Cameron 327, Webster 338, A. Easton 534, Archambault 427. Total, 4950.

Western Cattle Market—Turpin 421, Bedson 429, Zeakman 326, Bedingfield 382, Maybee 476. Total, 2040.

Jennings Colts—Ely 525, Williams 394, McIlveen 500, Johnston 454, Jennings 390. Total, 2263.

Sellers-Gough—W. Griffiths 517, Murlaly 477, J. Griffiths 433, Sellers 405, McGrath 439. Total, 2361.

FOR LADLES NIGHT. utherland .. . 125 151 129 179 148 159

Emmett Shoe Strings—Berney Richards 461, Staughton 339, Su

Total, 2254.

Total, 2166.

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London; W. Hennessey and C. Lindsay, London; Opportune Social Club, Buffalo. At 4.30: Singlea.

The two preliminaries which hav

Stringer . . . . . . 168 184 201 Alcott . . . . . . 144 224 147 1068

The Buffalo Germans Won at

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OPEN SINGLES.

W. V. Thompson . . 207 191 179 577 F. B. Warden . . . . 223 205 173 601

OPEN-TEAMS. 

team of that place, 45 to 8. The home

A GOOD NOVICE SCORE

C. Williams and Behrman Made 1178.

Large Crowd of Toronto

Out allowing them to score in the half, Saint Lawrence being the other victim. CITY LEAGUE GAMES.
On Saturday night in the Central Y. M. C. A. gymnasium the city championship will be decided, when the famous Intermediate team will clash with the Boys' Club first team yill nior Canadian championships. This will be one of the set games ever seen for the city championship, both teams being in the same class. Each have won two and lost none in the league, and it remains to be seen which team is the better. The Intermediate team will have a very strong team, as 

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Referee—Jack McNay.

BUFFALO CENTRALIS COMING.

There will certainly be doings next Monday night at the Alexandra, when the old Buffalo Central basketball team will clash with the Hamiltons. The last time the two teams met was in Hamilton two years ago, of a Christmas night, when Hamilton was trimmed by 7 points, and that the local boys want to wipe this defeat out goes without saying, and they intend going at them from the start. It will also give a good line of comparison of the two teams as they now stand, and as the Centrals have exactly the same line-up as they had two years ago, a good game is assured. Every man of the team, guards as well as forwards, are sure shots, and if they play up to form, the game will be well worth seeing. The plan is now open at Hennessey's drug store, King street east.

ast. Following is the schedule of games ar anged by Manager Long for **th**e Ham

pril 6. Ariels, of Buffalo, here, April 13. Buffalo Centrals, at Buffalo, April 16. Olean, at Olean, April 17. Worcester, Mass., here, April 20.

### MAT CONTESTS.

Newport Beaten at Toronto by Sutherland.

Toronto, March 25 .- The Central Y. M. last night, when Varsity mat artists wrestlers proved themselves to be the best by winning the tourney by 4 to 1. The winners were: McKenzie, Varsity; Fraser, Perry, Baker and Sutherland, of

Bruce Sutherland, one of Central's best wrestlers, showed his class by throwing Newport (Varsity) in two minutes, using the neck and arm holds. Newport is no mean wrestler, but he was outclassed by the Central boy. This bout was in the 145-lb, class. The tourney concluded with an exhibition match between Stevenson (Central) and McKenzie (Varsity). The latter man won in three minutes. Summary:

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115-lb. class—Perry (Central) won de-cision from Alexander (Varsity), doing most of the aggressive work.
125-lb. class—Fraser (Central) won deision from Alexander (Varsity), in 3

finutes. 135-lb. class—Baker (Central) won de-ision from Keith (Varsity), doing most of the aggressive work. 145-lb, class — Sutherland (Central) won fall from Newport (Varsity) in 2

unutes.

158-lb. class—McKenzie (Varsity) won ecision from Lopponen (Central) in the second of two bouts.

Gibson. 150 210 148
Phelan. 163 163 187 1021
Oke. 118 144 144
Everist. 168 140 202 916
Farquharson. 141 170 157
Lugsden. 145 173 137 924

McKinley

At 4.30: Singles.

T. W. Legan, J. L. Logan, G. Mathews, J. Grantham, H. Hogey, C. Sheere, A. Sheere, W. Primeau, W. Wilson, W. Karrys, J. West, B. Waterworth, L. McCutcheon, S. Turner, J. Drummond, W. Hennesey, C. Lindsay, Ear and Burns Keletz, a northside lad, at 105 pounds. In the second bout Jack

LOST ON STRANGLE HOLD.

Jamestown, March 25 .- In the rough The Buffalo Germans Won at Gouverneur.

Oswego, March 25.—At Gouverneur last night the Germans scored their 32nd straight victory when they defeated the team of that place, 45 to 8. The home

# DID BAT NELSON **WRITE HIS LIFE?**

Chicago, March 25 .- Bat Nelson in- , block for all dubs around Chicago," says

Chicago, March 25.—Bat Nelson insists he is a real literary lightweight. J. Ignatius Finnigan, St. Louis newspaper man, declares Bat is not.

There is a heated controversy between the two as to the authorship of the "Life, Career and Battles of Battling Nelson." The St. Louis man says that he wrote every word of the (book, while Nelson comes back with the telling assertion that Finnigan was look, while Nelson comes back with the telling assertion that Finnigan was look. "Finnigan is crazy." said Nelson, "Finnigan is crazy." said Nelson,

the telling assertion that Finnigan was only his stenographer and was paid about \$100 a week to write the thrilling and entertaining story as it was recled off by the champion himself.

In a letter to a local sporting editor Finnigan says Nelson did not write, originate or compose one paragraph of the entire book. "I secured most of the early dope on his career from dear old George Siler, who knew him well when he was the chopping that publication of the letter. "Anybody when told of the letter. "Anybody ought to know that the book was written by me. Of course, I did not the typewriter myself. I paid Finnigan to do it for me. But every sentence in the book was framed by me, and he took it down just as I dictated it to him. He hasn't got a cent coming from me. I took him around with me and paid him in all about \$1,000, and he got more from me than I got from him."

Can Philadelphia Jack O'Brien stay en rounds in front of Stanley Ketchel he middleweight champion, at the Na-ional A. C. to-morrow night? Whenional A. C. to-morrow night? tional A. C. to-morrow night? When-ever boxing is discussed the question causes a wide difference of opinion, O'-Brien insists that he will be in perfect condition when he crawls through the ropes, and that his science will offset Ketchel's fierce attacks. O'Brien be-lieves he will have such an advantage on points over Ketchel at the end of the bout that there will be no doubt as to the result.

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O'Brien is undoubtedly the cleverest pugilist who has ever faced Ketchel, so that the latter will surely be put to a test. Ketchel, however, is the most dan-gerous slugger that O'Brien has ever tackled and as he is also fast and ag-gressive, it is believed that O'Brien will have all he can do to avoid a knockout punch.

punch.
Ketchel, while training for the mill near Woodlawn, has used up half a doz-en husky partners, who have been un-able to stand up before his heavy blows.

# ON MAY 15

Football Club Will Hold Meet For Bobby Kerr.

At a meeting of the Executive Com ittee of the Hamilton Football Club esterday afternoon it was decided to old an athletic meet at Britannia Park nord an attrictic meet at Britannia Park on Saturday, May 15th, to raise funds to send Bobby Kerr to the British cham-pionships in July, to defend his title and to try to win new laurels. Dr. mpson was appointed chairman of sub-committee to arrange the af-Efforts will be made to bring the amateur athletes in Canada toge-

ther on this occasion.

The committee also discussed the question of leasing Britannia Park for the football games. Representatives of the Britannia Association were present.

# **AUTO RACES** AT FLORIDA.

Dayton, Fla., March 25.— The motor aces to day resulted as follows:
Ten mile motor cycle race, one turn—happle, first, time, 8.57; Goerke, see ad, time, 9.12 4-5.
Ten mile race, open ,free for all, two tarters—Bruce Brown, amateur, deixing

mder record.
Hedstrom, on a two-cylinder ten horse-bower motor cycle, made a mile in 44 3.5 seconds.
Five-mile, motor cycle, time trials—

Five-mile, motor cycle, time trials—
Chapple, 3.52; Goerke, 3.30 1-5 (world's record); Stubbs, 3.33; Gastel, 4.28.
Five mile invitation match race—Robertson, Benz, first, time, 2.45 1-4; De Palma, Fiat Cycle, second.
Five mile, Southern Prize and Horsepower Handicap, all cars started on the scratch—Gus Grojean (Pope-Hartford), first; McLaughlin (Thid Cleveland), second; George Robertson (Locomobile), third; Lyttle (Cadillae), fourth; Myers (Buick), fifth. No time taken.
Robertson, by his mark of 2.45 1-5 in the five-mile race, broke the world's record being made by Lancia in a Fiat in 2.54.03 in 1906. Mariot, in a Stanley Stealer, made the distance in 2.45 1-5 the same year.

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versal opinion that Burns has not re-ceived full justice in descriptions of the match, due to the disparity in size.

### GALT CRICKETERS GETTING READY.

Galt, March 25.—Galt Cricket Club reorganized last night with the following officers: Patrons, E. Langdon Wilkes, C. J. Shurly, H. McCulloch, sen., Andrew Nolands, A. R. Goldie and M. A. Secord; Hon. President, Hon. Jas. Young; Hon. Vice-President, R. O. McCulloch; President, G. McCulloch; Presi

dent. J. Beer: Vice-President. J. G. Turr

### **ABOUT CHECKER** CHAMPIONSHIP.

Toronto, March 25.—The game between Barrett and Fox for the championship was finished last night. Barrett won another game and the best the young Englishmar could do was to get

The full score stands: Barrett 3, Fox 1; draws 2 Fox plays a wonderfully strong finish on his games, but Barrett seemed to know too much about the book seemed to know too much about the book for him, and outclassed his opponent.

In regard to Mr. Dixon's challenge, Mr. Barrett thinks his next hard match should be for the championship of Canada. At the last tournament for the championship he defeated every player but Mr. Garvin, who only won by a very small margin.

# MISS MIX LED AT PINEHURST.

Pinehurst, N.C., March 25.—Miss Julia R. Mix, of the Engelwood Golf Club, New Jersey, led the field in the qualify-ing round of the fifth annual United

# **SLOSSON WON** FROM CUTLER.

New York, March 25.-George Slo New York, March 25,—teorge Slosson proved last night that he is a factor to be considered in the 18.2 balk line bil-liard tournament, now in progress in the concert hall of the Madison Suare Gar-den. He made his first appearance Chapple, 11781, time, 6517, 69218.

The mile race, open free for all, two starters—Bruce Brown, amateur, driving Benz, won in 5.14 2-5, breaking the record for that distance, held by Arthur McDonald, of 6.15, made on this course in 1905. De Palma, in a Fiat Cyclone, also broke the record, covering the distance in 5.29 2-5.

Two mile race, open—Folger, first, Two mile race, open—Folger, in the form. He played almost faultlessly, amenthus instance in 5.29 2-5. tance in 5.29 2.5.

Two mile race, open— Folger, first, time, 3.45 1.5, world's record for straight; away; Rudd, second; Millen, third.

Half mile, bicycle, flying start—Folger, first, time, 47 1.5; Millen, second; Root, third. Folger's time, five seconds muler record.

Calvin Demarest was the afternoon

game, defeating H. P. Cline very easily.
Demarest run out in the 21st inning and
his average was over 23. He played
well and showed rare skill and delicacy

Morningstar 1 0 Sutton . . . . Slosson 1 0 Cline . . . .

## SHORT ENDS.

Little Paragraphs of Sport From Far and Near.

At Augusta, Ga.—Boston Nationals 5. Augusta South Atlantic 0.

FIGHT PICTURES
HERE NEXT WEEK.

The first exhibition in Canada of the Burns-Johnson fight pictures will be given at the Grand Opera House here next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The pictures are said to be the best ever taken of a fight and it is the universal opinion that Burns has not received rull justice in descriptions of the match due to the disparity in size.

Augusta South Atlantic 0.

At Jacksonville—Brooklyn Nationals II. Jacksonville—Brooklyn Nationals II. Jacksonville—With Allantic 1.

New York, March 25.—George Bonhag, the Winged Fist distance king, who during the last six weeks has astonished the sporting world by hanging up two new world's indoor records for two, three, three and a half, four, five, five and a half, six, six and a half, and seven miles, last night announced that he now is in for a long rest, and that after Saturday night probably will not don spiked shoes again till the outdoor cinder path season opens.

season opens.

New York, March 24.—Ora Morningstar defeated George Sutton last night
in their match in the 18.2 billiard championship tournament in progress, at
Madison Square Garden. The score was
500 to 490. The second game of the
tournament played in the afternoon by
A. G. Cutler, of Boston, and Harry P.
Cline, of Philadelphia, was won by the
former, 500 to 294.

Baltimore, Md., March 24.— Yousif



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ARS. SECORD, Locke and Canada.

eus) twice in one hour. He was unable to throw Schoenlein at all within the time limit.

St. Louis, Mo., March 25.— Willie Hoppe defeated Charles Peterson in the third block of their 18.2 billiard match here yesterday by a score of 400 to 192.