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TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 16, 1887.

Europe stirred again.

Bismarck the other day left his castle in the country, returned to Berlin, and already talk of war in Europe is renewed. The truth doubtless is that the many and various ceremonies incident to Queen Victoria's jubilee have done much in the way of quieting down war talk during these few months past, but it seems likely enough that from this on Linden (that of *le haute politique*) will show another sight. From the German capital we hear that the repose of the diplomatic circle, unbroken for weeks, is now succeeded by commotion. The Chancellor's coming conference with Count Kalnoky at Kissingen is expected to lead to new developments in the policy of the Austro-German alliance against Russia. The overtures made by Russia to have Count Shouvaloff, the Russian Ambassador at Berlin, take part in the coming conference were coldly received and were not pushed. Instead of conferring with the Russian representative Prince Bismarck, during his stay at Kissingen, will receive the envoy of the Italian Government and Dr. von Schlozer, the Prussian Minister to the Vatican. Mgr. Galimberti, the Papal Nuncio at Vienna, is also reported to be seeking an interview with Bismarck, and these movements have given rise to reports that the alliance between Germany and Italy is more likely to be strengthened rather than weakened.

One thing of large importance, which weeks ago was held pretty well established by the European public, seems now strongly confirmed; and that is—the progress of hostile commercial legislation between Russian and German. In official circles at Berlin it is looked upon as settled that immediately upon the meeting of the Reichstag special tariff reprisals, including a bill to increase the duty on grain imports, will be proposed. The North German Gazette, which has hitherto ignored the agitation for an increase of the duty, gives prominence to memorials addressed to Prince Bismarck favoring such augmentation. The Chambers of Commerce maintain their protests against any increase, declaring that the present tariff is injurious, and that any increase would be ruinous; but popular feeling, in the meantime, is strongly in favor of a policy of retaliation, which would influence the majority in the Reichstag to support the Government.

But the present political stir is bringing other things besides these to the surface. Denmark is considerably extending her fortifications, and with hostile intent against Germany, so the latter power objects. The Danish official papers assert that the new works are undertaken solely to complete the defenses in accordance with old plans, and that this does not indicate any intention on the part of Denmark to interfere if Germany engages in war with Russia or France. The facts are that fortifications are being constructed vigorously under Russian prompting and on a scale hitherto unknown in Denmark. The reports of Denmark's armaments led Berlin papers to give warning that the result of Danish interference would be the absorption of Denmark by Germany.

The disagreement between Germany and Russia is getting serious. And we suppose that the straightest way to account for it is to suppose that the Franco-Russian alliance, which has been so much talked of, is now already on the way.

The Crops in Manitoba.

Up to the very close of last week we have accounts of fine weather and heavy crops in Manitoba. The bulletin of the Manitoba Department has just been issued, and this is what it says: "Averages in the different counties range from nineteen to twenty-eight bushels (wheat) per acre." We doubt if Manitoba had as good a "show" before, ever she became a province.

Accounts from the Western States do not yet agree whether last week's rain has done as much good as was expected to the suffering crops there. But it seems to have been the case that there was a far better supply of rain on this side than on the other side of the border.

Discrimination.

The allegation that the present N.P. tariff discriminates against Great Britain is neither here nor there—that is to say that it answers neither one purpose nor the other. And for these reasons: that it does not discriminate against any one nation in favor of another nation, least of all against Britain. The N.P. knows no "favored nation," to employ the language of diplomacy. The present tariff no more discriminates against Britain than did what is conveniently called the Cartwright tariff. Manifestly a protective tariff as against all comers cannot be construed as making against or for some one particular comer. But when you adopt another country's tariff as against all other countries, you discriminate. The Cartwright so-called free trade tariff did not so discriminate, although it was lower than the present protectionist tariff, nor does what is called the Tilley tariff discriminate, because it does not involve a "most favored nation." But Canada's adoption of the United States tariff would involve discrimination against the rest of the earth in general and Britain in particular. The World has not yet seen or heard the reasons for such discrimination stated. Our first duty is to Canada, our subsidiary duty is to Britain, but to other countries we owe nothing at all. Strong in their faith in the future, convinced that that future is all their own, to make or mar, this people will resolutely refuse to be beguiled into any allegiance designed to swerve the allegiance to which they are indebted for the largest measure of constitutional freedom enjoyed upon this or any other continent. Those who argue otherwise do not discriminate logically.

Always Suggesting the Dishonorable.

The Globe says, "the instance (McGarigle's case), is one in which the Canadian authorities would please everybody by winking very hard at kidnapping." This is dangerous and disgraceful doctrine, but it is only another instance of The Globe's anxiety to curry favor with its foreign friends. No wonder it is trying to push its circulation in Michigan. It is much better suited to that latitude than to this, and might, perhaps, profitably remove thither body and bones. To return to McGarigle, if our neighbors find themselves unable to legally recover possession of him and other rascals the fault is entirely their own, and no Canadian with a spark of manliness in his composition would so much as hint at the propriety and feasibility of a kidnapper's raid upon the soil of this country. We have offered our neighbors reciprocity in natural products and in criminals; they have refused both; The Globe grovellingly suggests that we not only accept the snub, but that we further humiliate ourselves by winking at a kidnapping raid. We have no doubt that if we had another Fenian raid to-morrow The Globe would both excuse and justify it.

Admiral Luce of the United States navy was hauled over the coals by his superiors the other day for exceeding by a hair his instructions in regard to the fisheries dispute. That is the measure of the way in which they interpret these matters; the American editors of The Globe, however, would have us take the weak and cowardly attitude in all transactions with our neighbors.

A New Caraman Wanted.

Edward Hanlan has long enough and gloriously enough carried the banner of Toronto in the aquatic world; it is time we had a new man to take his place and maintain Canada's supremacy. We believe that there is as good fish in the sea as ever was caught, and on that score we confidently look to Toronto sending forth another phenomenon. We believe that we have to-day at least one man in the city who can beat Hanlan and to whom the credits of the city could be entrusted. What is wanted is a club to take hold of the new man as the Hanlan Club took hold of Edward. Surely there is enough enterprise in the city to finance such a project and to develop the most promising young caraman we may have. There are a number of ambitious young sprouts on our Bay; but they must be encouraged properly if we expect to have the championship brought back to the city.

Hanlan's day may or may not be over; he still carries the best wishes of his fellow citizens with him to Australia; but in the meantime it behooves us to find for him a worthy successor.

The Channel Tunnel.

Surely Sir Edward Watkin has the disadvantages against him when he is trying to work up a feeling in favor of his Channel Tunnel, and that at a time when England's jealousy of continental designs against her is well stirred. The truth is that prospects are far from reassuring just at present, when extraordinary precautions are making on the continent. If ever the tunnel is to be built at all, we should say that the time would be—just as soon as the *next great war* is over.

The English papers are beginning to have comments on the railway slaughter in Illinois, and one cable correspondent writes: "The Standard says: "It is possible that American public opinion, trained in different schools from those of this country, may not visit this circumstance with severe censure; but, unquestionably, had an English coroner's jury to sit on an inquiry into such a disaster, it would go hard with some of the individuals officially charged with the care of the viaduct."

Every year now we hear of people starving on the cold and inhospitable shores of Newfoundland and Labrador. It does seem as if only one thing could be done for these people—and that is to move them away from that country altogether. They would surely be far better anywhere in the country lying between Winnipeg and Hudson's Bay, where, as all events, it is possible to live.

A sensational statement comes from New York to the effect that the Scotch yacht, the Thistle, has been lost at sea, because she is somewhat overdue. She has probably encountered something stronger than dew during her voyage, but the report that she is lost is, in view of her performances and of the respect in which she is held by her American rivals, suggestive of the wish that is father to the thought. If the Scotch thistle be at all akin to the Canadian thistle it never will be lost. Were a Canadian thistle sent to sea it would land upon some desert isle and grow one hundred bushels to the acre. Why it is called the Canadian thistle, though, passes comprehension.

The bettor who loses cannot better his position by regretting his betting. The better of a man is the man who does not bet.

The United States is so much ahead of Canada that its state conventions are passing resolutions in favor of postoffice savings banks. If Canada had not had such savings banks for years we might imitate the movement. But the howlers and the growlers, the deadheads and the dough-faces, all said that the rate of interest paid by this Government was—and is—too high. This Government continues to pay the interest and to profit thereby. Let our neighbors go and profit thereby. They can learn lots of things in Canada.

A paper printed in this town proposes a third party. That paper has already been guilty of starting three parties in this town, and has deserted all the candidates of those parties save one candidate. Well, that, being on your new party and let the Canadian annexationists stand up to be counted either as friends of the city workingman or as farmers' friends. Which you are no man can tell, but the majority of men are prepared to meet you as either. What does the political growler want? Let him formulate either a bold speech or a disdainful silence.

Discretion.

A man who aspires overmuch after dizzy heights is warned, in the slang of the day, "to come down off the roof." Had a number of Saturday's visitors to the Island recollected that this injunction has a material as well as a practical application they might have spared themselves and others much pain and trouble.

The Colchester South Agricultural Society will hold its annual harvest home at Harrow on the 29th inst. Among the advertised attractions are foot-race, Erastus Wiman, a greased pig and Ben Butterworth. This is a good deal of pork for a shilling.

Sour Grapes from Hamilton.

From The Evening Times, Aug. 15.

It looks as if the carpenters' strike in Toronto was a blessing in disguise for that city. Toronto has been going ahead too fast. The building business was being overdone, and many of the dwellings erected of late have been of the most flimsy character. A Toronto gentleman at the Royal Hotel here the other evening told how a tenant moved his piano into a new house and the floor gave way, letting the instrument down into the cellar! He said there were three rows of such dwellings on the one street. The tenant received $500 from the builder to say nothing about it. Apart from this, most of the new buildings are erected on an unsound financial basis, being owned by parties who from the first were obliged to mortgage them. Things may not always be booming in Toronto, and when the day of trial comes these speculative house owners and those who advanced money to carry on the operations will certainly get a squeeze. Therefore, it is just as well that the strike came to give the people time to consider what they were doing.

Leprosy.

From The New York Herald.

Our consul at Cape Town has given some interesting facts concerning leprosy in South Africa.

This disease is mentioned in the Dutch records of the colony more than a century old. Experts have suggested that it was introduced by the Malay slaves, the Malay part of the population of Cape Town—numbering about fifteen thousand—being peculiarly susceptible.

Leprosy so seriously increased that an asylum was established on Robben Island in 1845, but the segregation of the afflicted was not compulsory. In consequence they are to be found in the town at every corner mingling freely with the other inhabitants.

The disease is undoubtedly both hereditary and infectious. It can be communicated to animals as well as to men and women. Pigeons have been shot near the leper wards which had unmistakable symptoms of the malady. Mice caught in these wards and some pheasants sent to the resident surgeon had taken it. Curiously enough, however, it has not been discovered among the rabbits, cattle, swine or common fowl of the island.

The authorities of Cape Town are considering a Parliamentary act which will enforce seclusion, and it is believed that in this way the horrible disease may be wholly stamped out.

Two new cases of fever were reported yesterday at Key West, Fla., and three deaths.

SPORTS ON CIVIC HOLIDAY.

A GREAT GATHERING OF BICYCLISTS AT ROSEDALE.

Toronto and Hamilton Each Win a Baseball Game—Racing at Orillia—The Ontarios Beaten by the Orillias—Other Lacrosse Matches—Hanlan Off to Australia.

A success so great that even the members must have been surprised, was the sixth annual tournament of the Toronto Bicycle Club which was held on the Rosedale Grounds yesterday afternoon. The attendance, nearly 3000, was a grand turnout, and as fashionable as large, and the grand stand was filled; the events, twelve in number, were well contested and gave great enjoyment, and they were called in good time so that the spectators were not wearied with waits. The track was not in as good a condition as could be desired, for it was holey in some places, and more than one rider, especially Foster, considers the turns too short for good safe riding. And so they are. These were the events, the names of the riders who started being given in the first paragraph:

ONE MILE—3.40 CLASS—OPEN.

A. F. Webster, T.B.C.; Geo. Dean, W.B.C.; W. M. Carman, Norwich; J. F. Laughland, Oshawa; J. King, Whitby; J. K. Conway, Toronto; G. S. Dunn, Hamilton.

Won by Conway; 2, Carman; 3, Webster. Time, 3 min. 3 3-5 secs.

D. Nasmith, W.B.C., was entered for this race, but Laughland and King protested him on the ground that he made better than 3.40 at Brantford on July 1 and the protest was allowed. Although the track would not hold them, it was attempted to start the seven in a row, two being on the award. Conway being crowded, fell at the pistol's fire, and a second start was made, four ahead and three immediately behind. Dean led till the end of the second lap, when Conway took the lead and kept it till the end, Carman, Webster and Dean crossing the line in the order named.

HALF MILE—OPEN.

M. F. Johnston, T.B.C.; F. J. Brimer, T.B.C.; F. Foster, W.B.C.; W. S. Campbell, Niagara Falls, N.Y.

Won by Brimer; 2, Campbell; 3, Foster. Time 1 min. 25 4-5 secs.

The order on the start was: Foster, Brimer, Campbell and Johnston, but at the end of the first lap Foster was leading with Brimer second. Foster steered a most erratic course on the second lap and this, together with the fact that he does not like and is almost afraid of the sharp corners on the Rosedale track, enabled Brimer and Campbell to cross the line before him. Brimer gives evidence of being one of the coming racers if he keeps himself in shape. His is a fine style.

TWO-MILE CHAMPIONSHIP—CLUB.

1885, won by P. E. Doolittle; 1886, won by P. E. Doolittle; 1885, won by J. Campbell; 1886, won by M. F. Johnston.

M. F. Johnston, T.B.C.; F. J. Brimer, T.B.C.

Won by Brimer; 2, Johnston. Time, 6 mins. 46 4-5 secs.

It was in this race that Brimer, who is a comparatively young rider, and certainly a young racer, showed the stuff of which he is made, especially when pitted against such a man as Johnston. The pace were eight laps, and Johnston led until the eighth, having showed the pace from the second, after which for half a dozen laps the race was an easy going see-saw. In the middle of the eighth lap Brimer spurted ahead and was nearly a quarter of a mile ahead when he was caught by Johnston, although Johnston made a hard struggle.

FANCY RIDING—EXHIBITION.

Neil Campbell, Niagara Falls, N.Y.

Campbell gave a fine, and in several respects a novel exhibition, his feats of standing still, riding backwards and riding upon one wheel being particularly good. He also attempted to beat the half-mile record on one wheel, viz., 2.04, made by Barber of Rochester. He failed, however, only making the quarter in 1.07 and the half in 2.12 4-5.

ONE MILE HANDICAP—OPEN.

D. Nasmith, W.B.C., 20 yards; W. M. Carman, Norwich, 150 yards; M. F. Johnston, T.B.C., 60 yards; F. J. Brimer, T.B.C., 60 yards; F. Foster, W.B.C., scratch; T. Fane, W.B.C., 30 yards; F. Strange, W.C.B., 200 yards; W. S. Campbell, Niagara Falls, N.Y., 60 yards.

Won by Campbell; 2, Carman; 3, Nasmith. Time, 2 min. 52 1-5 secs.

This was an exciting race and the first prize was the best of the day, a handsome and valuable silver tea service. Brimer, who would have made a good show in this race, met with an accident just at the start off. A hole gave him a header and he happened to sprain his left arm so that he had to drop out for the rest of the day. At the end of the second lap the racers were well bunched, but shortly afterwards Foster began to creep up, while the veteran and bearded Strange on his safety showed signs of dropping out. Foster's handicap put him together too heavy and though Foster, the only man on the scratch, made such gallant efforts as to win rounds of applause whenever he passed the grand stand, he could not gain first place. It was simply impossible. The struggle for first place was between Campbell and Carman and it was close. But Campbell crossed first taking the silver service to the American side of the Falls, and the order of the others was. Carman, Nasmith, Foster, Johnston, Fane. Strange had dropped out.

TWO-MILE OPEN.

W. J. Nancarrow, T.A.A.; P. F. Ross, T.A.A.; A. C. MacMaster, T.A.A.

Won by Ross; 2, Nancarrow; 3, MacMaster. Time, 25 3-5 secs.

ONE MILE—OPEN—BOYS UNDER 15 YEARS.

Arthur Welch, Toronto; Peter Coady, Toronto; J. Greenfield, Toronto.

Won by Welch; 2, Greenfield; 3, Coady. Time, 3 min. 46 sec.

THREE MILE HANDICAP—OPEN.

D. Nasmith, W.B.C., 270 yards; Geo. Dean, W.B.C., 360 yards; W. M. Carman, Norwich, 450 yards; M. F. Johnston, T.B.C., 180 yards; F. J. Brimer, T.B.C., 180 yards; F. Foster, W.B.C., scratch; T. Fane, W.B.C., 240 yards; F. Strange, W.B.C., 600 yards; W. S. Campbell, Niagara Falls, N.Y., 180 yards.

Won by Fane; 2, Campbell; 3, Nasmith. Time, 9 mins. 5 2-5 secs., for the winner; 9 mins. 30 1-5 secs. for Foster, the scratch man.

Dean dropped out in the second lap, and Strange, although leading in good style from the ninth to the second and last, quit in the last. Again it was plain that too heavy a handicap had been put on Foster, who was left away behind in the finish. His time of 9.30 1-5 was slow, principally because of the track, for on proper ground he should make 8.30. The order of crossing the line was: Fane, Campbell, Nasmith, Carman, Foster, Johnston, Conway.

QUARTER MILE—COMBINATION—CLUB.

A. F. Webster, T.B.C.; A. S. Bowers, T.B.C.; W. H. Cox, T.B.C.; A. Greer, T.B.C.; W. H. West, T.B.C.; Chas. Langley, T.B.C.

Won by Cox; 2, Webster; 3, West. Time, 1 min. 38 secs.

This was the funny race. The riders had to start off shoving their big wheels with the little ones in the air, then riding with one foot on a wheel and one on the backbone step, then in ordinar fashion; then lift their wheels over a hurdle of benches, and then ride to the home line. On the start Langley fell twice, and twice mixed himself up between backbone and wheel of his machine in a comical fashion and lost his saddle, of which he knew nothing till he went to mount the machine and found he had nothing to sit on. This was the chief incident of the race.

FOOT RACE—QUARTER MILE—OPEN.

W. J. Nancarrow, T.A.A.; T. K. Henderson, T.A.A.; A. Forrester, T.A.A.; P. F. Ross.

Won by Henderson; 2, Nancarrow; 3, Forrester. Time, 54 2-5 secs.

Henderson took the lead and kept it, followed at first by Forrester, Nancarrow and Ross in order named; but Ross dropped out and at the finish Nancarrow had moved up into second place.

HALF MILE—MARRIED MEN—OPEN.

A. F. Webster, T.B.C.; P. E. Doolittle, T.B.C.; C. Langley, T.B.C.

Won by Doolittle; 2, Webster; 3, Langley.

FIVE MILE—OPEN.

M. F. Johnston, T.B.C.; F. Foster, W.B.C.; T. Fane, W.B.C.; D. Nasmith, W.B.C.

Won by Foster; 2, Nasmith; 3, Johnston. Time, 18 mins., 4 1-5 secs.

This was the great and the final race, around the course twenty times, the first prize being the Boustead gold medal and silver cup. The four entries were Toronto men and all are good riders. Fane led for two laps, then Johnston for three, and then Fane again for four until the tenth—the two-and-a-half-mile point—when he dropped away back to fourth place, while Johnston kept the lead for two rounds. All this while Fred Foster was taking things easily, being satisfied with third and second and once with fourth place; and Nasmith all through till the last lap stayed in third and fourth, mostly fourth, showing a good style and winning admiration. In the twelfth lap Foster went ahead of Fane in grand style for a moment, but "Tom" shoved ahead and kept the lead till the ninetenth lap. Then Foster worked his big spurt in a way that made the spectators stand up and yell. Fane dropped out and the race was Foster's, who made a grand showing on the home-stretch. Johnston protested Nasmith on the ground that he had crowded him at the southeast corner in the last round, but the protest was not allowed.

OFFICERS OF THE DAY.

It was a good afternoon's sport, and much credit is due the Torontos for the way in which it was managed. They must be pleased with its financial success. The officers of the day were:

Referee—H. B. Donly, Secretary C.W.A., Simcoe; Judges—James Pearson, Lyman Dwight, Ewing Buchan; timekeepers—W. K. McNaught, W. G. Eakins, H. Ryrie; clerks of the course—J. F. Lawson, T. H. Robinson; scorers—Chas. Robinson, S. G. Curry; starter and handicapper—C. F. Lavender; race committee—C. Langley, W. H. Cox, W. H. West, A. F. Webster, H. Ryrie, C. F. Lavender, A. S. Bowers, H. P. Davies, R. G. McLean, W. Robins, J. F. Lawson, M. F. Johnston, W. H. Chandler.

Clipped from the T. B. C.'s Program.

The Toronto Bicycle Club was organized in August, 1881.

H. P. Davies of the Toronto Bicycle Club is the one mile champion of Canada.

The Torontos congratulate the Wanderers on their recent successes. May they continue. Our magnificent city is large enough for two successful clubs.

The Cyclist Touring Club of England is the largest club of its kind in the world. It has over 23,000 members, among whom are a good many members of our city clubs.

George Nash, the fancy rider, has been astonishing the Providence people by riding down eighteen steps from City Hall to the street. He does this wonderful feat on a single wheel.

A young lady of Tottenham was married last Friday, and after the usual wedding breakfast the happy couple started for their honeymoon tour on a tricycle, mid showers of rice and good wishes.

The Boston Club's "Victoria" is creating lots of fun for its members. The machine will carry six persons and can be adjusted to carry four. The members claim they can pass anything on the road with it.

At the annual meet of the C.W.A. at Brantford on July 1 the race track honors fell to the following clubs: Montreal 1 first, 1 second; Wanderers 1 first, 1 second; Toronto 1 first, 3 second. Besides these the Wanderers won the prize for club drill and numbers.

Harper's Weekly states that Beecher prophesied some twenty years ago that the bicycle then the velocipede would be developed so as to be a practical road machine. It is stated by the same authority that the great preacher meant to become a rider of the trike, but failed.

Record-breaking in Coventry, Eng., Tuesday, July 19, 1887: A. E. Engelhardtn, on a Safety Sociable, rode all world's records from two to five miles. 1 mile, time, 2.40; 2 miles, time, 5.36; 3 miles, time, 8.09; 4 miles, time, 10.54; 5 miles, time, 13.35. A very creditable performance, being his first attempt at the record being 13.56.

It is healthful as exercise. I know of nothing better. It cures headache, aids digestion and insures sound sleep. Gymnastic exercise is drudgery without the spur of pleasure. In pleasure, it gives hardness of muscle, agility to frame and tone in every function.—A Clergyman in Detroit Christian Herald.

The Detroit correspondent of The Bicycling World says: "The most magnificent specimen of a man Detroit has seen in a long time is Harry Davies of Toronto Bicycle Club. He is about five feet eleven inches, and weighs 163 pounds in training. His physique is superb, and being good looking to boot, was a favorite of the ladies."

Bicycle Spokes.

Charles Spearing, Geo. Toye, "Josh" Billings, and A. H. Welch of the Wanderers wheeled to Newcastle on Saturday and returned yesterday. The three last named climbed the Rouge Hill, which is considered quite a feat.

Dick Gains of the Wanderers left Toronto last Tuesday for Markham and continuing, was joined at Altona by Jay Ross, another Wanderer, who accompanied him to Toronto, arriving here yesterday. The roads were found in good shape, but it wasn't their fault that they got lost in the dark ten miles out of Aurora.

Harry Davies did not start in any of the races at Rosedale yesterday.

Capt. H. Orr, Lieut. Harry Grafell and Private Eaton A. Fletcher of the Wanderers went to Buffalo on Saturday by the Chicora and returned yesterday afternoon, spending Sunday night at the Niagara. They acknowledge indebtedness to President W. S. Bull of the Buffalo club for showing them several sights.

THINGS EVENED UP.

The Hamiltons Win in the Forenoon and the Torontos in the Afternoon.

Loose fielding and an inability to solve Horner's strategic delivery was the cause of the home team's defeat in the morning game yesterday with Hamilton. Twice thousand spectators yelled with characteristic delight at every good play, which, though only of occasional occurrence, relieved the tiresomeness of the contest. The appended score gives details:

TORONTO.	H	A	P.O.	A.	E.	HAMILTON.	H	A	P.O.	A.	E.
Albert, s.s.,	0	2	1	2	1	Wood, 2b.	0	0	4	2	1
Slattery, l.f.	0	0	2	0	0	Mansell, c.f.	2	1	1	0	0
Decker, c.	0	0	2	0	1	Wright, r.f.	0	1	0	0	0
Pike, 1b.	0	0	9	0	0	Collins, 3b.	0	1	2	3	1
McCormack, 2b.	1	1	1	1	0	Knight, l.f.	2	3	2	0	1
Stalker, p.	0	1	0	2	0	Phillips, c.	1	2	6	1	0
Kearns, 3b.	0	0	3	0	2	McQueery, lb.	0	2	11	1	0
Shepherd, p.	0	1	0	2	1	Warner, c.	0	1	1	0	0
Oldfield, c.	0	1	6	1	0	Jones, p.	0	1	0	2	0
Total	2	7	24	11	7	Total	5	12	15	27	13

Toronto	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hamilton	0	3	0	2	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	5

Passed balls—Warner 1, Pratt 1. Two-base hits—Fast, McCormack, Wood. Three-base hits—Kearns, Decker. Left on bases—Hamilton 5, Toronto 4. Base on called balls—Decker, Oldfield, Mansell, Rainey, Knight, Phillips. Struck out—Mansell (2), Wright (3), Collins (2), Knight (2), Warner (2), Phillips, McQueery, Jones, McCormack, Cronin. Balls called—On Crane 38, on Wood 70. Strikes called—On Crane 22, on Wood 26. Double play—Phillips to McQueery. Umpire—Hoover.

OTHER INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At Syracuse: R. H. E.
Binghamton ..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1 11 4
Syracuse ..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—2 6 5
Batteries: Green and Kappel, Higgins and Berkley.

At Jersey City: R. H. E.
Buffalo ..... 0 1 1 3 0 0 0 0 0—5 11 2
Jersey City ..... 1 0 2 0 2 2 0 0 0—7 13 3
Batteries: Fanning and Dugdale, Titcomb and Murphy.

At Newark: R. H. E.
Rochester ..... 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—2 11 1
Newark ..... 0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0—4 6 1
Batteries: Bakley and Zimmer, Stovey and Walker.

Amateur Games on Civic Holiday.

The Huronas beat the Maple Leafs by 8 to 7; the match was played at Parkdale.

The Rosedales of Toronto and the Boltons of Bolton played a match at the latter place yesterday, resulting in favor of the Rosedales by a score of 10 to 6. The batteries were: Wall and Bond, and Sherwood and Adamson.

At the Sons of Scotland games the Dominions won a $25 cup from the Barrie club, having defeated them by a score of 9 to 6. Batteries for the Dominions: McGuire and Whalen.

The Independent Baseball Club of Toronto played the Beavers of Shelburne at Shelburne. This match resulted in an easy victory for the Shelburnes by 30 to 9.

The Ontarios of Toronto played the Georgetowns at the latter place. Result: 25 to 14 in favor of Georgetown.

The game at Whitby resulted as follows: Whitby Juniors 32, Ontarios of Toronto 13.

The Atlantics of West Toronto Junction played the Queen City Club of Brockton at Baby Farm for a silver cup presented by the Ontario Rod Works. The Atlantics won with a score of 30 to 14.

National League Games.

At Chicago: R. H. E.
Detroit ..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 1—4 9 3
Chicago ..... 1 0 0 0 0 1 4 0 x—6 14 1
Batteries: Gruber and Bennett, Clarkson and Flint.

At Washington: R. H. E.
Philadelphia ..... 0 0 5 1 0 0 0 0 0—6 12 4
Washington ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 10 2
Batteries: Buffington and Gunning, Gilmore and Daly.

At Boston: R. H. E.
New York ..... 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1—3 9 4
Boston ..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0—2 9 7
Batteries: Keefe and O'Rourke, Stemmyer and O'Rourke.

At Indianapolis: R. H. E.
Pittsburg ..... 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 1 x—4 10 0
Indianapolis ..... 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 8 2
Batteries: Morris and Carroll, Leitner and Hackett.

American Association Games.

At Brooklyn: R. H. E.
Athletics ..... 0 0 0 2 1 1 1 1 0—6 16 1
Brooklyn ..... 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0—3 9 3
Batteries: Weyhing and Townsend, Henderson and Clark.

At Baltimore: R. H. E.
Mets ..... 0 4 0 4 3 0 2 0 0—11 22 6
Baltimore ..... 7 0 5 0 0 0 0 2 x—14 24 4
Batteries: Cushman and Donohue, Kilroy and Fulmer.

At St. Louis: R. H. E.
Cleveland ..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0—3 8 6
St. Louis ..... 0 0 4 1 0 0 2 8 0—15 20 0
Batteries: Crowell and Snyder, King and Boyle.

Ball Magnates at Asbury Park.

ASBURY PARK, N.J., Aug. 15.—The match talked of meeting of the directors of the National League took place at the Coleman House to-night. There were present, President N. E. Young of Washington, W. J. Gray of Detroit representing President Stearns; John B. Day of New York, A. J. Reach of Philadelphia and W. Auminie of Pittsburg, President A. G. Spalding of Chicago and W. N. May of Louisville were about the hotel during the meeting but nothing was seen of Mr. Von Der Ahe of St. Louis.

The ostensible purpose of the gathering was to settle the disputed game between the New Yorks and Bostons, in which the New Yorks insisted on putting in a substitute for Gray, who was taken ill, and were not allowed to do so by the umpire, thereby causings withdrawal from the field by the New Yorks.

After two hours' discussion and the reading of affidavits there was a unanimous vote to have the game played over again. It will take place in Detroit between Sept. 22 and 25.

President Young said after the meeting that only the subject of the disputed game had been taken up. To-morrow a game will be played here between the local team and a nine composed of the league presidents and representatives. The proceeds will give their half of the gate receipts towards defraying the expenses of the boys' boating carnival, which will be held on Thursday night.

Kingston Nine Beaten by Belleville.

KINGSTON, Aug. 15.—The Park nine was defeated by 12 to 7 for a third time by the Belleville club to-day in a game in connection with the league championship series.

He Can.

Editor World: Can a batsman be declared out if he is hit by a batted ball? SUBSCRIBER.

Diamond Field Dabbles.

Very few baseball players go out on sun strokes.

Even the best players sometimes get left—on bases.

It seems as if the baseball player ought to be the chap to catch a fly rascal.

New York, as reported by the National Bureau of Statistics, is ahead on strikes—but not those of the ball field.

A baseball umpire is generally the best player of the whole gang playing, because he often beats a whole side himself.

A medical journal advises a lump of ice on the head in case of fever. A lump on the head has been known to cure insanity. Ask a dead woman deceased to get past third base.

Duns from the Diamond.

Toronto and Hamilton each contested their series of games with each other, the Hams winning seven of the twelve games played.

The Torontos' benefit game will be played here Aug. 30, the Hamiltons being the visitors.

McQuery seems to be falling off in his batting of late.

Collins was threatened with a fine yesterday afternoon by Hoover, whereupon "Club" quit, and in a recent game at Jersey City, where his opponents were Rochester, one of the former team's players was knocked insensible by a pitched ball. The players gathered around the injured man who was thought to be dead. "Send for a bier," said the umpire. "Make it ten," cried the Rochester players.

An enterprising sneak thief entered the dressing room at the Rosedale grounds yesterday afternoon and secured about $25, which the players had foolishly left in their clothes.

Toronto's victory in the afternoon more than atoned for the morning defeat.

Hoover says he dislikes umpiring a game between Toronto and Hamilton.

Toronto starts for Jersey City to-day, where they play to-morrow and Thursday, and on Friday, Saturday and Monday they meet Hackett's team in Newark.

At Bad Axe, Mich., the other day, a hawk sailed over a baseball field. He was struck by a ball and instantly killed. The umpire promptly declared the bird out on a fly, and, strange to say, nobody kicked against the decision. Even the hawk didn't, but it is doubtful what Chas. Collins would have done if he had been present.

Rainey made his first appearance yesterday afternoon since his threatened attack of typhoid fever.

The Junior Athletics defeated the Actives by a score of 11 to 4 on Saturday. Batteries: Leason and Reid for the Junior Athletics, Smith and Fox for the Actives.

KEW GARDENS Y. BALMY BEACH.

Interesting and Novel Rowing Contests Yesterday Afternoon.

What may be considered an annual aquatic event took place at Kew Gardens yesterday. Three years ago a regatta was got up between the residents of Kew Gardens and Balmy Beach, to test the respective aquatic prowess of the summer visitors to those healthful resorts. The affair was a success, and the experiment was yesterday emulated.

Not alone was the regatta fully patronized by the families who occupy the neat little lodges on the beaches, but hundreds of holiday seekers took the street cars and wandered through the thickly wooded glens to the lake shore to enjoy the aquatic. A well arranged program of 18 items was gone through in excellent style, the leading and novel feature of which was the number of events open to girls. The young ladies who entered the contests pulled a clean, regular, and well-feathered stroke, which for finish would do credit to many a conceited caraman. The rivalry which exists between the residents of Kew and Balmy beaches induced them to contribute liberally to the prize list, and the result was that a handsome sum was subscribed, sufficient to give a first, second and third prize to competitors in each race. The prizes were of a miscellaneous character, and ranged from the silver challenge cup to the mother-of-pearl penknife, and included a silver medal for the best crew of married men on either beach. All the events were very spiritedly contested. The results appended:

Double-oar race, for girls under 13 years: 1, Misses Alice and Verena Lyon; 2, Misses L. Allan and E. McDonald; 3, Misses R. Weiss and Lettie Gibson. Seven boats started, and the race was closely contested.

Double-oar race, for boys under 13 years: 1, Willie Louden and Stuart Forbes; 2, Willie West and Berth Dyke; 3, John Louden and Harry Wills. Five boats started.

Double-oar race, for girls and boys under 16 years: 1, John Mitchell and John Louden; 2, Lillie Allan and Lillie Gibson; 3, Alack Dyke and Arthur Spring. Five boats started. Won by half a length.

Single-oar race, for boys under 13 years: 1, Robert Louden; 2, Edward Forbes; 3, Joseph Gibson.

Pair-oar race, for girls under 13 years: 1, Louisa Allan; 2, Alberta Lyon; 3, Flo Murry. Four started.

Pair-oar race, for boys under 13 years: 1, Duncan McCoil; 2, Wm. Finlayson; 3, Wm. Forbes. Seven started.

Double-scull race for married men, age unlimited: 1, H. Alexander and F. Roberts; 2, S. H. Preston and J. Peyton; 3, W. A. Lyon and F. N. Brawn. Eight boats started.

Single-oar race for girls under 16 years: 1, Flo. Murry; 2, Ada Allan; 3, Bell Forbes.

Double-oar race for boys under 16 years: 1, Charles Forbes; 2, Jack Gibson; 3, Harold Lyon.

The Beaches' Championship Prize, double-oar race: 1, Robert Louden and Edward Forbes (Kew Beach); 2, Wm. Lyon and C. Lyon (Balmy Beach). Five boats started, and the race was won by a quarter-length.

Double-oar race for girls under 16 years: 1, Ada Allan and Bella Forbes; 2, Jessie Hillier and Rodie Campbell; 3, Louisa Allan and Bessie Parsons. Seven boats started.

Double-oar race for boys under 16 years: 1, J. West and O. Williams; 2, C. Metcalf and H. Lyon; 3, J. Forbes and H. Williams.

Double-oar race, open to all comers: 1, W. Lyon and C. Lyon; 2, H. S. Alexander and F. W. Roberts; 3, Walter Hearne and Wm. Ritchie. Six boats started.

Pair-oar race, open to all: 1, C. D. Bingham; 2, Chas. Lyon; 3, Wm. Lyon.

A fun race, swimming match and duck hunt brought a very pleasant day's sport to a close.

Mrs. W. S. Lee, Mrs. Alexander Allan, and Messrs. J. Louden, C. C. Mitchell, J. Rymsa, T. H. Lee, acted as judges