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NEWS OF SPORT.

George Dixon Was Knocked Out Yesterday—Miss Mabel Thomson Doing Good Work in Montreal Golf Tournament.

BASEBALL.

National League.
At Boston—First game: Boston, 6; Brooklyn, 5. Second game: Boston, 1; Brooklyn, 1 (eight innings, dark-ness).
At New York—First game: New York, 8; Philadelphia, 3. Second game: Philadelphia, 7; New York, 1.
At Chicago—Chicago, 5; Cincinnati, 4.
American League.
At New York—New York, 1; Philadelphia, 0.
At Washington—Boston, 7; Washington, 1.
Eastern League.
At Jersey City—Rochester, 6; Jersey City, 0 (called in the seventh inning, darkness).
At Newark—Montreal-Newark postponed; wet grounds.
At Providence—First game: Providence, 13; Buffalo, 7. Second game: Providence, 4; Buffalo, 1 (called in seventh, darkness).
At Baltimore—Baltimore, 8; Toronto, 6.

THE RING.

DIXON KNOCKED OUT.
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 20.—George Dixon, the former feather weight champion, was knocked out in the second round of what was to have been a six-round bout, by Tommy Murphy of New York, at the National Athletic Club. The contest was spirited while it lasted, although it could be seen that Murphy was master of the situation from the start. The first round was a sparring contest, but in the second Murphy assumed the aggressive and succeeded in flooring Dixon early in the round. Later after an exchange of blows, Murphy drove a left to the solar plexus and Dixon went down and out.

GOLF.

MISS THOMSON WINS.
MONTREAL, Sept. 20.—Exciting finishes were the rule this afternoon in the second round of the ladies' golf championship at Dixie. Only one match failed to go to the 18th hole, while one ran to the 19th before the winner was declared.
The successful contestants were: Miss Young, Royal, Montreal; Miss Greene, Royal, Montreal; Miss McNulty, Victoria; Miss Thomson, St. John.

In consolation cup the games and results follow:
Miss Linton beat Miss Molton, 5 up and 4 to play.
Mrs. Albert Mussen beat Miss Cassin, 5 up and 4 to play.
Miss Robertson beat Miss Mona Thomson, 9 up and 7 to play.
Miss Thorne beat Mrs. Laing, 3 up and 1 to play.

Pairings for today's matches follow:
Championship semi-final:
Miss Young v. Miss Greene.
Miss Mabel Thomson v. Miss McNulty.

Consolation semi-final:
Miss Linton v. Mrs. Albert Mussen.
Mrs. Robertson v. Miss Thorne.

The driving competition had been on the programme for this morning, but the heavy rain so seriously interfered with the comfort of the ladies that it was decided to postpone the event until tomorrow. The champion lasted the bitterness of defeat, going down to Miss Greene after a stiff match.

Miss Thomson will make a big effort to regain the possession of the title. Miss Thomson had to play a stiff game today to win, a missed putt saving the contest for her.

As the St. John player meets Miss McNulty tomorrow, there is naturally much interest in this match, it being regarded as likely that the champion will be found the winner of the game.

Miss Thomson defeated Miss McNulty in 1903, but that was the Victoria player's first tournament, and since then she has gained materially in experience and in golfing ability. Judging from today's tests, neither player will show any decided superiority in a long game, so that the contest will be decided upon the judgment and execution, approaching and putting strokes.

The gallery today elected to follow Miss Thomson and Miss Thomson and were rewarded by a ding-dong struggle, though, as a matter of fact, the same might be said of any of the contests.

Miss Thomson drew first in six, Miss Phepoe taking one more. Miss Phepoe made a poor approach shot and each missed the putt.

The second also fell to Miss Thomson, this time in seven. Both drove well, but each had a poor brassie. Miss Thomson carried the bunker nicely, and a fine putt won the hole for her.

The third was halved in four, despite poor iron work by Miss Phepoe. The fourth proved a Waterloo for Miss Thomson. She took the hole and ran close to bunker, then attempted to clear with another brassie and was bunkered. Doubtless large numbers will take advantage of this low rate and take in the Provincial Exhibition.

Miss Phepoe was short of the ditch on her second, going to a highway hope, while Miss Thomson carried it with her brassie. A fine approach helped Miss Phepoe and she halved in five.

At the sixth Miss Phepoe got over the edge of the bunker and lay on the other side with a hanging lie. She topped her second, but Miss Thomson missed the putt and the hole was halved.

Both drove well for the seventh, and Miss Phepoe made a grand second, but was unfortunate on her third dropping into a brook, and being penalised one for this. Miss Thomson made a splendid approach, and Miss Phepoe gave up the hole.

At the upper brook Miss Thomson drove under the ridge of the bank and took three to get clear. Miss Phepoe secured a fine tee shot, was short on her second and took the hole in four.

Both got off well for the ninth. Miss Phepoe fooled her brassie, while Miss Thomson cleared the bunker to right with a nice mashie stroke, though her direction wasn't very good. Miss Phepoe made a gallant attempt to gobble the hole and failed, the hole being halved in five. Thus at the turn the match was one up in favor of Miss Thomson.

Both made good drives tee shots for the tenth. Miss Thomson's second was miserable, and afterwards she missed the putt. Miss Phepoe played up carefully and won in five, making the match all even.

Three succeeding holes were halved in four, five, and five respectively. A missed putt lost Miss Phepoe the twelfth, and at thirteenth she again lost on the green, though here Miss Thomson made a fine recovery.

The fourteenth went to Miss Thomson, who was over the bunker in three, while Miss Phepoe was short.

At the short fifteen, Miss Phepoe was down in a well played three, while Miss Thomson took an extra stroke, making it all square once again.

Whopping drives and fine second put to each at the sixteenth, and it was halved after each had missed a chance to run down in four.

With two to get and the match even, the gallery was visibly interested and every movement was watched with keen interest. Indeed it was to the surprise of many that the match was close, while one behind was also even.

Both players crossed the hole nicely and each had good seconds, but Miss Thomson retrieved herself in her putt, making it all square in five, making the match a dormie one.

Nice play characterized the struggle for the eighteenth hole, but the best Miss Phepoe could do was to halve, consequently Miss Thomson won, one up.

FOOTBALL.

ALL GOOD MEN.
Coach Reid, of Harvard, says that at least five of Yost's University of Michigan team last fall, if at Harvard, would be sure of making places for themselves on the varsity.

FREE FOR ENGLISH TEAM.
Arrangements for the international game of association football between the all-England (Puritan) football team and a team selected from the Merrimack Valley League, Boston, and Harvard University, at Boston, on Oct. 14, are progressing favorably.

The English team, under the leadership of Fred Milnes, will arrive in Boston on Oct. 15. Sir Edward Cochrane will join the team in New York. During his stay in Boston, Sir Edward hopes to arrange games with Harvard University between the colleges of England and the colleges which comprise the intercollegiate Association Football League of America. To make the visit of this famous aggregation a memorable one, representatives of sport in Boston will act as a reception committee.

BASEBALLISTS BANQUET.
The banquet given in the Alexandra Hotel last night by the mercantile base ball league was a very enjoyable event. The teams representing W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd., Emerson and Fisher, Ltd., Maritime Nail Works Ltd., and A. Isaacs, have been playing games since the opening of the season, June, July and August. Charles Stevens, president of the league presided at the banquet and with song and speech making the gathering did not break up until an early hour this morning. The toasts to the four firms up-mentioned in the program were made, Arthur Thorne and George Hoyt responding for Messrs. W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd., Mr. Seeley for Messrs. Emerson & Fisher, Ltd., Eben Perkins for the Maritime Nail Works, and I. Isaacs for A. Isaacs.

Prizes were then presented as follows: Messrs. W. H. Thorne & Co.'s team, winners of the league, ten silk umbrellas, presented by the City Cornet Band; Edward B. Coll, best batting average, an Iver-Johnson shot gun, presented by W. H. Thorne & Co.; Messrs. E. B. Coll, and John McEachern tied for largest number of runs, J. M. Ritchie received the prize, a clock, for the greatest number of stolen bases. Fred Payne, official scorer, was presented by the league with a fine silk umbrella. A Holm-out, manager of the Maritime Nail Works team, was presented by his firm with a very nice signet ring.

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CHINESE EXCLUSION ACT

CONDEMNED BY COURT

WHEELING, W. Va., Sept. 20.—Yesterday, in the United States court, Judge Dayton discharged from custody Yih Gee You, a Chinese laundryman of this city, who had been indicted for violating the Chinese exclusion act. It was shown that he was a merchant in Boston before coming here and not a laborer. In giving his decision, Judge Dayton, who was recently appointed to the bench after serving ten years in congress, said:

"It was largely a question of political expediency, and to meet the demand of the western country to shut out the Chinese that the exclusion laws were passed. We might as well admit that some bad legislation gets upon the state books enacted by congress as well as by our state legislatures. There cannot be any question; there never was any question in my mind, about the propriety, and I always felt the necessity of passing laws restricting certain classes of foreign immigrants, but I never could understand why that restriction should be placed upon the Chinese and not upon Italians, Slavs, Hungarians and South of Europe laborers, just as disastrous to this country as the Chinese."

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PANIC IN GRAND CENTRAL STATION.

Explosion of Gasoline Alarms Hundreds of Persons, Causing a Mad Rush For Exits.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Startled by a loud explosion, which shook the entire building, hundreds of persons tumbled over one another in their eagerness to get out of the Grand Central Station yesterday afternoon. Some thoughtless person shouted "Dynamite!" and that added to the panic.

Then blue flame and dense clouds of smoke shot out of the basement windows on the Vanderbilt avenue side, and several thousand persons surrounded the building in a few minutes. Next, fire engines came clanging in from all directions, policemen elbowed and pushed their way to the station and a great excitement to fit a first grade disaster prevailed throughout that part of the city.

Half an hour later when the fire apparatus withdrew and calmness was restored, it was learned that a barrel of gasoline had blown up in a store-room of the station, but that no one was injured and very little damage done. How it happened was not explained, except that a workman went into the cellar to fill a lantern and the explosion followed immediately.

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