TURF SATURDAY AND SUNDAY RESULTS ⁂ BASEBALL TY COBB'S BIT IS $30,000 ⁂ BASKETBALL LEAGUE SCORES

TIPPITY WITCHET ALWAYS A WINNER

Tableau d'Honneur Scores a Second Win of Day for Owner Bauer.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 18.—The colors of L. T. Bauer, the local owner, were in evidence during the afternoon, when two of his representatives, Tippity Witchet and Tableau d'Honneur, both acquired during the late Bowie meeting, were victorious. Tippity Witchet met some of the best that could be mustered in these parts, and truly comprised a formidable band of the $1500 mile handicap, in which he carried 124 pounds, and, following the speedy Eddie Rickenbacher closely in the early stages, moved into the lead just before reaching the stretch turn, to win thereafter with speed in reserve, Dancing Spray landing in second place, with Rapid Day leading the others. There was considerable attention bestowed on Sterling in a betting way, but the running of the race found him far in back, tho he closed some ground when some of the others faltered. War Mask also went below expectations.

Threatening weather was again in vogue, and a number of the turf followers, anticipating a downpour, refrained from journeying to the course, diminishing what would have been a record crowd to witness the sport. Intermittent drizzles did not affect the track to any appreciable extent, and some of the races were run in fast time. Tippity Witchet's mile in 1.39 4-5, under his heavy impost, was a sparkling performance. Summary:

FIRST RACE—Purse $600, for 2-year-olds and up, 5½ furlongs:
1. Tanson, 116 (King), 20 to 1, 8 to 1, 3 to 1.
2. Rolo, 100 (Coltiletti), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 3 to 5.
3. Winchester, 110 (Murray), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, even.
Time 1.08 flat. Thornhedge, Charles A. Boyle, Doic, Ring Rose, Peppery Polly, Louise Wynne, Oraleggo, Omer K. also ran.

SECOND RACE—Claiming, purse $600, for 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:
1. Murphy, 109 (Ponce), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 3 to 5.
2. Jock Scot, 112 (Rodriguez), 8 to 5, 7 to 10, 1 to 3.
3. Madrono, 114 (King), 30 to 1, 10 to 1, 5 to 1.
Time 1.15 1-5. By Heck, Toe the Mark, Mandalay, Tann II., Bond, Back Bay, Moss, Ophelia W. and Brisk also ran.

THIRD RACE—Claiming, purse $700, for 3-year-olds and up, 5½ furlongs:
1. Tableau D'Honneur, 112 (Heinisch), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 8 to 5.
2. Hidden Jewel, 103 (King), 9 to 5, 4 to 5, 2 to 5.
3. You Need, 108 (Ponce), 4 to 1, 7 to 5, 3 to 5.
Time 1.07 2-5. Title, Kuklux, Frederick the Great, Smart Guy, Lady Luxury, Green Gold, Ground Swell also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Mississippi handicap, 8 furlongs, for 2-year-olds, purse $700.
1. Muskalonge, 120 (McGraw), even, 1 to 3, out.
2. Undine, 90 (McDermott), 10 to 1, 2 to 1, out.
3. Petrarch, 102 (Wright), 15 to 1, 5 to 2, out.
Time 1.15 2-5. Lady Stella also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Beauregard, purse $1,500, for 3-year-olds and up, one mile:
1. Tippity Witchett, 124 (Rowan), 7 to 5, 2 to 5, 1 to 5.
2. Dancing Spray, 99 (Gregory), 7 to 1, 2 to 1, 4 to 5.
3. Rapid Day, 105 (Garner), 8 to 1, 5 to 2, even.
Time 1.39 4-5. Sterling, War Mask, Eddie Rickenbacher also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Claiming, purse $700, for 3-year-olds and up, mile:
1. Summer Sigh, 112 (King), 8 to 5, 3 to 5, 1 to 4.
2. Hindoostan, 115 (Thurber), 3 to 1, even, 2 to 5.
3. Lively, 103 (Jarvis), 10 to 1, 4 to 1, 8 to 5.
Time 1.42. Nelle York, Sugar Mint, Bombast and Medusa also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—Claiming, purse $700, for 3-year-olds and up, 1 1-16 miles:
1. Captain Burns, 107 (King), 6 to 5, 2 to 5, 1 to 5.
2. Cockroach, 104 (Mooney), 7 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5.
3. Peggy C., 95 (Long), 13 to 5, 4 to 5, 1 to 3.
Time 1.50 flat. On High, Willigan, Bengali, Mab and Phillstine also ran.

Breadman Wins Cuba Mile Championship

Havana, Dec. 19.—The Sunday races resulted as follows:

FIRST RACE—Purse $700, all ages, claiming, six furlongs:
1. Buncrana, 112 (Dominick), 15 to 1, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1.
2. Pokey Jane, 103 (Kennedy), 4 to 1, 8 to 5 and 4 to 5.
3. Tim J. Hogan, 107 (Lancaster), 3 to 1, 6 to 5 and 3 to 5.
Time 1.14 3-5. Coombs, Princess Myrtle, Cavan Boy, Ben Butler, Twenty-Seven, Nobleman and Jack Healey also ran.

SECOND RACE—Purse $700, all ages, claiming, six furlongs:
1. View, 112 (Carmody), 2 to 1, 4 to 5 and 2 to 5.
2. Harry Glover, 111 (McDermott), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and even.
3. Incinerator, 103 (Fletcher), 4 to 1, 3 to 5 and 4 to 5.
Time 1.15. Okemus, Clark M., James, Stiletto, Frank Burke and Bronco Billy also ran.

THIRD RACE—Purse $700, three-year-olds and up, claiming, 5½ furlongs:
1. Military Girl, 103 (Kennedy), 4 to 5, 1 to 3 and 1 to 6.
2. Gus Scheer, 110 (Connors), 5 to 2, 7 to 10 and 1 to 3.
3. Sinn Feiner, 112 (Butwell), 12 to 1, 3 to 1 and 8 to 5.
Time 1.07. Polar Cub, Elmont, Juanita III. and Elga also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $700, two-year-olds, claiming, 5½ furlongs:
1. Vic Munoz, 108 (Hunt), 5 to 2, even and 1 to 2.
2. Gratian, 112 (Butwell), 7 to 5, 3 to 5 and 1 to 3.
3. Cigale, 97 (Wilson), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and even.
Time 1.08. Whippet, George C. Jr., Voorin, Natural and Jacobean also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $800, all ages, five furlongs:
1. American Ace, 117 (Kelsay), even, 1 to 3 and 1 to 6.
2. Belle of Elizabethtown, 107 (Hoffler), 3 to 1, even and 1 to 2.
3. Helen Atkin, 107 (Boyle), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and even.
Time 1.00 2-5. Runnyven, The Blue Duke, Stepson, Right Angle and All Aglow also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Purse, $3000 added, Cuba mile championship, three-year-olds and up, one mile:
1. Breadman, 104 (Garner), 2 to 5 out.
2. Mess Kit, 111 (Pickens), 3 to 1, 2 out.
3. Penelope, 101 (Hunt), 3 to 1 out.
Time 1.42 1-5. Only three starters.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $700, three-year-olds and up, claiming, one mile and fifty yards:
1. Faux Col, 107 (Garner), 8 to 5, 3 to 5 and 1 to 3.
2. Candle Light, 105 (Kennedy), 8 to 5, 3 to 5 and 1 to 3.
3. Mildred, 99 (Hunt), 10 to 1, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1.
Time 1.45 1-5. Pie, Sea Prince, Durelia, Jack Hill and Duke of Shelby also ran.

Want Racing Around Chicago and St. Louis

Chicago, Dec. 18.—An effort to re-establish racing in the middle west, in the neighborhood of Chicago and St. Louis, is now under way, according to reports.

It is said that the movements at both places will take definite shape when the proper time comes. While it is not intended to open a track within Chicago, it is said to be the plan to conduct racing within reach of the city and in the meantime efforts will be made to get legal sanction to operate under the pari-mutuel system.

An organization is already formed in St. Louis, but there it is likely that all betting will be restricted to members of the club.

The World's Selections

BY CENTAUR.

NEW ORLEANS.

—First Race.—
Toss Up, Secretary, Pimlico.
—Second Race.—
Pueblo, Approval, Lonely.
—Third Race.—
Dr. Campbell, Judge Price, Amer. Rose.
—Fourth Race.—
Archie Alexander, Panaman, Jock Scot.
—Fifth Race.—
White Star, Fantoche, Bunga Buck.
—Sixth Race.—
Brotherly Love, Baladin, Kimpalong.
—Seventh Race.—
Paddy Dear, Pit, H. C. Basch.

TODAY'S ENTRIES

MONDAY AT NEW ORLEANS.

Jefferson Park, New Orleans, Dec. 18.—Entries for Monday's races:

FIRST RACE—Purse $600, claiming, 2-year-olds, maidens, 6 furlongs:

*Contriot	117	Pimlico	110
Secretary	107	Toss Up	107
Joe Whippet	107	Martha Gray	104
Sheka	104	Obstinate	104
*Plato	102	*M. Josephine	99

SECOND RACE—Purse $600, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:

Enos	113	Rainbow Girl	113
Old Sinner	113	Opportunity	113
*Lancelot	111	Track Star	110
Oaklawn Belle	110	Midian	110
*Approval	108	*David Craig	108
*Phillipic	108	Lonely	107
*Pueblo	105	*Valerie West	105

Also eligible:

Pullux	113	*H. Burgoyne	108
Malvolio	113		

THIRD RACE—Purse $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1 mile:

Galway	116	Dalwood	114
Colonel Lit	114	Dr. Campbell	114
Walter Turnbow	114	Harvey Smarr	109
*Salute	109	*Brickley	109
*Balarosa	109	*Judge Price	109
*American Rose	106	*M. Gingham	106
*Bounding Thru	106	*Pindar	104
*Eleve	101		

Also eligible:

Old McKenna	104	*Larghetto	106

FOURTH RACE—Purse $700, all ages, 6 furlongs:

Crystal Ford	115	Vice Chairman	112
Fred the Great	110	Bobby Allen	109
Assume	105	Portlight	103
Panaman	105	Tippo Sahib	105
Mahony	105	Hadrian	105
Jock Scot	105	Smart Guy	102
Sagamore	102	A. Alexander	105

FIFTH RACE—Chalmette Purse, 2-year-olds, 1 mile:

Fantoche	112	Petrarch	108
White Star	108	Bunga Buck	108
Day Lilly	105		

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1 1-16 miles:

Brotherly Love	111	*Baladin	109
Romeo	108	Young Adam	108
*Kimpalong	103	*Cheer Leader	102
Gain de Cause	102		

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1¼ miles:

Jack Reeves	112	*Capital City	110
*Dahabiah II	107	Adelante	102
Dotta's Best	103	Billy Stuart	103
Paddy Dear	103	*Solid Rock	101
*Pit	111	*H. C. Basch	98

*—Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather cloudy; track fast.

BONIFACE THE BEST IN THE ROSS STABLE

Winning Nearly Fifty Thousand as Five-Year-Old in Twenty Races.

At the outset of the present year it was freely predicted that J. K. L. Ross would be the leading money-winning owner for the third year in succession, and that Sir Barton would be the largest contributor to his total winnings for the year. However, neither prediction came true. H. P. Whitney carried off the premier honors, altho the Ross stable won more money than any previous year in its history. But instead of Sir Barton being its best winner, Boniface turned out to be its chief money gatherer. Boniface proved himself a whale of a race horse, gifted with great speed, and neither heavy weights nor long distances had any terrors for him. No soft spots were picked out for him. He met and defeated the best of them, going into winter quarters one of the best handicap horses of the year. He won eleven out of twenty races in 1920, being unplaced but three times, and added to the stable coffers the goodly sum of $47,565. It was also Boniface's best year from every standpoint, as a glance at his record will reveal: 1917, $2,500; 1918, $5,813; 1919, $7,634; 1920, $47,565; total, $63,512. Boniface is an entire horse and when his racing days are over will make a useful addition to the Ross breeding farm in Maryland or in Canada, as his owner may select.

McCoy on Two Winners Saturday at Havana

Havana, Cuba, Dec. 18.—J. O. Keene's clever apprentice, J. McCoy, who came to Cuba with the division of the stable handled by E. Brewster, rode two winners at Oriental Park this afternoon, when he landed Perhaps and Sol Gilsey home in front of their fields. The closest finish of the afternoon came with the running of the fifth race, when Sister Susie just managed to last long enough to beat out Black Prince by a nose. The pace was fast from the break, with the fractional time of .22 3-5, .47 3-5, 1.08. The Padgett stable, which won with Sister Susie, also furnished the winner in the seventh, in Dewitt. The riders in the three-year-old championship tomorrow are: Bread Man (H. Garner), Atta Boy II. (B. Kennedy), Mess Kit (A. Pickens, Penelope (F. Hunt), and Hush (E. Barnes). Merito Acosta, a member of the Louisville Baseball Club of the American Association, son of Baldomero Acosta, who was recently elected mayor of Marianao, is now a full-fledged owner, and made his turf debut this afternoon in the fifth race, when the three-year-old Ina Wood, carried his colors. The filly was presented to Acosta by W. F. Knebelkamp of the Louisville Club, and is being handled by W. B. Finnegan, trainer for the Knebelkamp stable on American tracks. Summary:

FIRST RACE—5½ furlongs, for 2-year-olds, maidens, purse $700:
1. Kathleen K., 106 (Hoffler), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, 2 to 5.
2. Scotty, 106 (Pickens), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, even.
3. Mister Jiggs, 108 (McDermott), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, even.
Time 1.06 1-5. Vera Twiford, Scintillate, Wishing and Maricusa also ran.

SECOND RACE—Purse $700, 2-year-olds, maidens, 5 furlongs:
1. Perhaps, 105 (McCoy), even, 1 to 2, 1 to 5.
2. Plew High, 105 (Kennedy), 5 to 2, even, 1 to 2.
3. Bertha Mink, 105 (Pickens), 5 to 1, 8 to 5, 4 to 5.
Time 1.03 1-5. Lotta Speed, Helen Lucas and Seven Seas also ran.

THIRD RACE—Purse $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs:
1. Assign, 108 (Boyle), 8 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5.
2. Senator James, 109 (Dominick), 5 to 2, even, 1 to 2.
3. Legotal, 104 (Kennedy), 6 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4.
Time 1.15. Ava R., Sain Rose, Raven Sea and Major Fisk also ran.

FOURTH RACE—6 furlongs, for 3-year-olds and up, claiming, purse $700:
1. Hoenir, 112 (McDermott), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, even.
2. Blaze Away, 109 (Hunt), 7 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4.
3. Marion Hollins, 109 (Kennedy), 7 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4.
Time 1.14 2-5. Kewessa, Cy Merrick, Doctor D. and Frascuelo also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $700, 3-year-olds and up, 5½ furlongs:
1. Sister Susie, 110 (Connors), 7 to 5, 3 to 5, 1 to 3.
2. Black Prince, 102 (Hunt), 7 to 2, 6 to 5, 3 to 5.
3. Discussion, 104 (Kennedy), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, 2 to 5.
Time 1.08. Koran, Ina Wood and The Belgian II. also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1 mile and 50 yards:
1. Sol Gilsey, 103 (McCoy), 7 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5.
2. All Smoke, 103 (Hunt), 7 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5.
3. La Balafre, 108 (Kennedy), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, 2 to 5.
Time 1.45 4-5. Rhymer, Miss Sweep, Plantarede and Blazonry also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 1 mile and 50 yards:
1. Dewitt, 103 (Garner), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, 2 to 5.
2. Constantine, 106 (Wilson), 4 to 1, 8 to 5, 4 to 5.
3. El Coronel, 108 (Mahoney), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, 2 to 5.
Time 1.47 3-5. Little Buss, Donna Grafton, Jack Dawson, Lady Hester and Cadillac also ran.

CANADIAN RAILWAYS BOWLING.

The first series of the Canadian National Railways Association twelve-team bowling league will be completed tonight at Saunders' Alleys. There is a possibility of five teams tying for first place, so an interesting evening is expected. On Tuesday and Wednesday evenings the association is running a two-series bowling event for prizes of turkeys and cigars. Fifty double and fifty-five single entries are taking part, and all expect to get a free Christmas dinner and enough cigars to treat their friends during the coming year. The entrants who have played in league games will be bowling with handicaps, while the other series will be a non-handicap affair.

POSTPONE SENTENCE.

Kitchener, Dec. 18.—Judge Hearn again deferred passing sentence on George Economonff, found guilty of perjury, when the accused appeared before him this morning. W. Hattin, representing the accused, took objection to one of the jurymen on the ground that he was ineligible to act on a jury.

OLD COUNTRY SOCCER

Scottish League.
Aberdeen 1, Motherwell 1.
Albion Rovers 5, Clyde 2.
Ayr United 1, Rangers 1.
Celtic 2, Airdrieonians 1.
Dumbarton 1, Kilmarnock 0.
Falkirk 1, Third Lanark 3.
Hamilton A. 1, Hibernians 1.
Hearts 1, St. Mirren 0.
Morton 1, Clydebank 1.
Partick Thistles 2, Dundee 1.
Queen's Park 7, Raith Rovers 2.

English League.
—First Division—
Blackburn R. 3, Middlesbrough 2.
Bradford City 3, Arsenal 1.
Burnley 2, Preston N.E. 0.
Chelsea 4, Bradford 1.
Huddersfield T. 2, Derby C. 0.
Liverpool 4, Aston Villa 1.
Manchester U. 2, Newcastle U. 0.
Oldham A. 0, Sheffield U. 0.
Sunderland 1, Manchester C. 0.
Tottenham H. 5, Bolton W. 2.
West Bromwich A. 1, Everton 2.
—Second Division—
Birmingham 1, Leeds U. 0.
Blackpool 0, Notts County 2.
Cardiff City 2, Bury 1.
Hull City 0, Wolverhampton W. 1.
Nottingham F. 0, Barnsley 0.
Wednesday 0, Leicester City 0.
Stockport C. 0, S. Shields 0.
Stoke 1, Fulham 2.
—Third Division—
Brentford 2, Newport C. 2.
Merthyr T. 0, Plymouth A. 0.
Portsmouth 1, Swindon T. 1.
Queen's Park Rangers 3, Crystal P. 0.
Reading 0, Southampton 4.

Northern Rugby Union.
Batley 0, Hull 14.
Keighley 7, Leeds 23.
Wakefield 9, Halifax 3.
Bramley 0, Dewsbury 10.
Widnes 17, Rochdale 6.
Barrow 13, Oldham 5.
Broughton 0, Warrington 0.
St. Helen's R. 19, Leigh 9.
Wigan 8, Swinton 10.
Hull Kingston 5, Salford 0.
Bradford 0, St. Helen's 16.
Hunslet 5, Huddersfield 11.
Results of rugby games on Saturday were as follows:

International Trial Match.
England 31, South of England 8.

Rugby Union.
Richmond 14, Harlequins 8.
London Irish 13, London Scottish 21.
Old Blues 0, London Welsh 0.
Blackheath 6, Old Leysians 18.
Birkenhead Park 27, Liverpool 8.
Northampton 12, Coventry 0.
Cross Keys 3, Ebby Vale 0.
Rosslyn Park 27, United Services 8.
Rugby 19, Stratford 4.
Guys 19, Mihillians 0.
Nunaton 12, Mosseley 0.

FOOTBALL ON NEW YEAR'S DAY.

Columbus, O., Dec. 18.—Twenty-three members of the Ohio State University football squad, undefeated champions of the western conference, left this morning for Pasadena, Cal., where they will meet the University of California eleven New Year's day.

George Anstee Wins Toronto G. C. Shoot

At the Toronto Gun Club fowl shoot on Saturday afternoon the shooters had a good, hot contest. George Anstee got away with first, and everyone was pleased to see Ham, just a youth and a beginner, get second, among a lot of old-time shooters.

Hughes, Peterman, Jennings and Pickering tied for third, but Hughes won out, and all were pleased to see the two Caesarsea duck hunters go home with a pair of birds.

Oscar Glover, the golfer from Calgary, one of our old members, made a poor showing, and all were anxious to see him get in the running.

On Xmas morning the club will hold a shoot, starting at 9 o'clock sharp.

The score was as follows:

	Shot at	Broke
Covey	45	40
Dr. Jordan	75	68
Glover	100	78
Anstee	70	61
Hughes	75	62
Mason	50	34
Peterman	95	71
Watt	50	36
Scott	60	41
Jennings	50	32
Quigley	50	33
Brown	50	32
Pickering	85	69
Ham	25	22
Marsh	100	52
Dr. McVey	50	31
Smith	25	16
Blachford	25	14
Turner, jr.	25	18

OSSINGTON ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION BANQUET

The Ossington Athletic Association held their second annual banquet and reunion Saturday. About fifty men, representing the two rugby teams who did so well in their first attempt at the game in higher company, the baseball team, who played some hard games in the West Toronto League, and the senior basketball team, which leads the Baptist League with three wins and no defeats, gathered around the bountiful repast set by the ever willing ladies of the church.

Rev. G. M. Holmes presided; Mr. G. V. Crofoot proposed the toast to the King; Bill Stevens of the rugby team had his Hawaiian orchestra play some real old "hula-hula" music, which met with general approval. Mr. Gord. Skitch, who was labeled on the program as "some bucker," bucked thru "When You Come Home, Dear," which no doubt was what his sweetheart had to say to him after the Capitals had tried to skin him. Mr. Gord. Read and Mr. Fred. Helps gave the toast to the Sunday school. Mr. E. C. Chapman rendered very acceptable, tenor solos. The feature of the evening was the talk given by Dr. Geo. Raeman of Central Y.M.C.A. This feature was pronounced the best yet by all the "gang." The evening ended by a bit of friendly controversy as to which rugby team was the better, the senior or junior. Finally, led by Bill Hall, the former Ossington rugby player who this year played with Bellwoods, a challenge was issued by the junior team that a game be played on Saturday afternoon at Bickford Park, where it was promised there would be plenty of action.

And there was! All the boys turned out to have a crack at the senior team, who were badly demoralized thru want of practice. At that, however, the junior team could not hold up under the bucks of Skitch, Crowhurst, Hall, and after fighting gamely thruout, the game died hard. This we believe established another record for this season, in as much as the Ossington boys had the honor of playing the last rugby game of the season in Toronto or parts. Next year the Ossington boys will be there with a vengeance, for if spirit counts for anything, the boys from the little church at the corner of Bloor street have won all their games already. Teams wishing for practice basketball games may arrange same by calling Crofoot, Parkdale 5808, after 6 o'clock.

LONDON-PARIS AIR SERVICE.

London, Dec. 19.—British and French companies conducting the London-Paris air service, carried from September 2, 1919, to October 30, 1920, 3932 passengers, 199,885 pounds weight of goods, and covered altogether a distance of 302,000 miles.

ENGLAND'S COLLAPSE RECALLS FORMER TEST

Australians Have Lead of Nearly Hundred in the First Innings.

Sydney, N.S.W., Dec. 18.—(By Canadian Associated Press.)—Play in the first test match between the English and Australian cricket teams was continued here today in beautiful weather. The wicket remained in excellent condition. The Australian team completed its first innings, making 267. The English team suffered something of a collapse in its innings, the team being retired for 190.

Ryder was cleverly run out without a run being added to the Australian score of 250 on the resumption this morning. Mailey came in, and the newcomer showed a disposition to hit. When seventeen runs had been added Oldfield was caught by Hobbs at coverpoint. The innings thus closed for 267. It had lasted five and a quarter hours. Hearne was the more successful Englishman with the ball.

The English team made a bad start. Hobbs and Russell went in and Russell was clean bowled by Kelaway before a run had been scored. Hearne then joined Hobbs and the two played safe but unsensational cricket till lunch, when the score was 45 for one. At the tea interval the score stood at 158 for five. When the score was fifty Hearne had been easily caught at first slip. Hendren and Hobbs added twenty before Hobbs was bowled by Gregory with an exceptionally fast ball. Woolley joined Hendren, and they made a considerable stand.

The Australians began their second innings and Collins, with 17, and Bardsley with 23, were not out at the close of the day's play.

After two days' play, the Australians are in a good position with no wickets down in the second inning, and 120 runs in hand. The poor showing of the last five English wickets recalls the classic instance of the collapse of an English eleven when opposed to the Cornstalks. This happened in 1882, on the third visit of an Australian team to the old land. Meeting a strong eleven of all-England in the final test match of that year, the Australians seemed sure of defeat towards the close of the game, for England needed only eighteen runs to win and had five wickets to fall. But the demon bowler, Spofforth, got all five English wickets for only ten runs, altho the English side included such strong bats as A. G. Steel, the best amateur of the year, and Maurice Read, who on one occasion scored 130 for the Players against Australia.

The team playing for Australia includes four of the Australian eleven which visited Canada and the United States in 1913: Mailey, the gooaly bowler; Bardsley, Macartney and Collins.

OLD TORONTO TWIRLER IS THIRD ON THE LIST

Shawkey Leads American Baseball League, Coveleskie Second and Then Shocker of the St. Louis Browns.

New York, Dec. 18.—Robert Shawkey of the Yankees, who worked in 38 games, 267 innings, and allowed but 73 runs, for an average of 2.46, for each full game of nine innings, was the leading pitcher of the year.

Stanley Coveleskie, premier hurler of the champion Cleveland team, was second, with an earned run average of 2.48. Coveleskie appeared in 41 battles, worked 315 innings, and allowed 87 runs. Urban Shocker, St. Louis, formerly with Toronto, followed the Indian star, with a 2.71 average, gained in 38 games, 246 innings, in which opponents counted 74 times.

Edwin Rommel and David E. Keefe, two young stars of the Athletics, were fourth and sixth, with averages of 2.84 and 2.97, respectively. James C. Bagby, the Cleveland veteran, who led the league in number of games won, 31, holds fifth position. His opponents gleaned 2.89 runs per game from his deceptive delivery in 340 rounds. Bagby pitched in more games, 43, than any other hurler, and also in more innings.

Carl Mays of New York appeared in 45 contests, winning 26 and losing 11, finishing second to Bagby on the basis of games won and lost. Mays pitched 312 innings, and gave 3.06 earned runs per game. Coveleskie was also second in games won and lost, being victor 24 times and losing 14. Urban Faber of Chicago was fourth in the won and lost column, winning 23 and losing 13, standing seventh in the earned run table, with an average of 2.99 in 40 games. Faber was second to Bagby in innings pitcher, 319. Kerr of Chicago was third to Bagby and Mays in the won and lost record, winning 21 and losing 9.

Besides Rommel and Keefe, Walter Mails of Cleveland, William Burwell and William Bayne of St. Louis, Warren Collins of New York, Jose Acosta of Washington, Harry Courtney of Washington and Bryan Harris of Philadelphia were other newcomers who performed brilliantly. Elmer Myers, transferred from Cleveland to Boston in midseason, closed the year with a run of nine straight victories.

AIRMEN FROM FIUME SPREAD PROPAGANDA

Rome, Dec. 19.—Aviators from Fiume have been repeatedly allowed recently to fly over Italian towns, dropping propaganda leaflets. They have gone so far as to use an Italian aerodrome for refurnishing their fuel.

One Fiume aviator flew over the parliament buildings and dropped an insulting message calling for the conclusion of the Italian-Jugoslav treaty at Rapallo, afterwards obtaining a supply of gasoline for the return journey to Fiume.

On the journey home the aviator encountered engine trouble and was forced to land in San Marino, the little republic with about 7,000 population within the boundaries of Italy.

The San Marino government, seeing that he was a military aviator, considered the landing a violation of their boundaries, confiscated the machine and interned the airman.

BEGS PRESIDENT-ELECT NOT TO USE CIGARETS

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 19.—Miss Lucy Page Gaston, of Chicago, superintendent of the International Anti-Cigaret League and now in Topeka working in the interests of the organization, announced tonight that she had sent a letter to President-elect Harding asking him not to use cigarets. The letter concludes:

"The United States has had no smoking president since McKinley. Roosevelt and Taft and Wilson all have clear records. Is not this a question of grave importance?"

IMPROVEMENTS FOR REGATTA COURSE

The Dominion Day regatta committee had a satisfactory interview with the parks commissioner last week in regard to the improvement of the Hanlan regatta course at the island. They laid plans before Mr. Chambers, who was favorably impressed, and promised an early report on what the city would likely do for the rowing men.

T. & D. LEAGUE SEASON CLOSES

Longs Against the Shorts, or Ulster Against Rest, May Play Benefit Games.

The Toronto and District Football Association competition season closed on Saturday, when Ulster beat Willys-Overland in the final for the Brigden Cup 2 to 1. Ulster also won last year from the same rivals, while these teams also fought it out the autumn before that, with Willys winning. Wm. Davies beat Shamrocks 1 to 0 in the Guy Long Cup final.

It is possible that benefit games may be played on Christmas and New Year's Days, the rival sides being suggested as Ulster against the rest of the league and the tall against the short payers.

The T. and D. council meet tonight at 8 in S.O.E. Hall.

MAN IS FOUND IN SACK HUNG ON TELEPHONE POLE

Columbus, O., Dec. 19.—Placed in a large sack and suspended from a spike high up on the telephone pole last night Alexander P. Lychten, 21, furnished the police a mystery which he himself refuses to assist them in solving.

A note fastened to the bag said: "Do not release him until he tells you why he was put here."

Lychten, who recently came to Columbus, left his home in the afternoon, saying he was going to go to Philadelphia. This was the last seen of him until he was rescued by the police, who are holding him pending investigation.

SNOW IN ENGLAND STOPS SOME GAMES

Soccer Features on Saturday —Tottenham Beat Bolton in High-Scoring Contest.

London, Dec. 19.—(By Canadian Associated Press.)—The first division of the Association Football League was the only one to have a full program on Saturday owing to some teams in the other divisions being engaged in the sixth qualifying round of the Association Cup, and the fact that there was snow in several localities.

The draw takes place tomorrow, when Saturday's twelve tie winners and 52 exempted league clubs will provide 32 games.

The Tottenham versus Bolton match provided one of the best seen in London during the present season. Bolton showed scarcely a weak point, but were overwhelmed by Tottenham's splendid forward work. All the goals were scored thru Cantrell, Dimmock, Bliss and Sear, before Bolton, taking advantage of a slight easing up, scored thru Smith and Rowley.

Chelsea had an easy victory over Bradford, who were without the services of Turnbull. Chelsea owed much to the brilliance of Croal, McNeill and Kars, but Bradford's defence was very cumbrous.

The Arsenal held its own against Bradford City up to half time, thanks chiefly to the combination between Pagnam and Blyth, but the home team deserved to win on the quality of their play.

Cardiff, the leaders of the second division, proved a well-balanced team against Bury. Their goals were scored by Gill and Cashoore with Bullock scoring for Bury.

Fulham snatched victory from Stoke literally at the last minute thru Hall, the earlier goal being secured by Cook.

Notts County, thru Dolphin and Middowson, registered one of the smartest wins of the season against Blackpool, who are usually hard to beat at home.

Crystal Palace were penned in their own quarters during the first half, and the Rangers fully deserved their 3-0 victory for the team did wonders on the heavy ground.

The most important match in the cup tie program was that between Clapton and Port Vale, in which the play was full of incident. Clapton was more aggressive thruout, Smith scoring ten minutes after the interval. Snow prevented soccer football in many widely different places.

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