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WEST END Y.M.C.A. CHAMPIONS.

Piper Has Highest Individual Score —Blue Team Won.

Track and field athletics have always been a great factor of the work at the West End Y.M.C.A. when the various tracks in the neighborhood have been in condition for such work and the weather permitted. Last year, however, these athletics were taken up indoors and with much success. This year, all thru the season, one night a week has been given over largely to athletic training and contests. Over 150 men were grouped into contesting teams striving for the handsome banner offered to the group winning the league and for having the largest total number of points for the season. There were 10 events in all and each man had to do each event and each man getting a score for each event, then all the individual scores were added for the team score. These teams were very ably captained by W. E. Todgham for the blues, John Valentine and W. Carson for the purples, James Stevenson for the reds, and George Johnson for the whites. W. E. Todgham, by hard work and persistent effort in keeping his men in shape and in training, won the banner, which now adorns the walls of the association reception room. His points were 12,468; the purples were second with 12,210 points; the reds third with 12,194, and the whites fourth with 11,300. The individuals with the highest scores were as follows: Piper 790, W. McKenzie 789, G. Barber 762, M. Neilson 736, A. Johnson 713, Don Linden 700, Harrison 681, Ed. Adams 677, M. Allan 658, F. Tait 645, O. Clay 644, R. Hanna 634, Tedford 631, F. Robson 624, G. Craig 619, Walker 618, Watt 601, Boulton 596, E. Mundy 595, and G. Alexander 595.

The events and the records made and their makers are as follows:

Standing broad jump—9 ft. 2 in., George Barber.

Standing bop, step and jump—27 ft. 3 in., George Barber.

Standing hop—4 ft. 6 in., George Barber.

Standing two jumps—18 feet 10 in., Larry Piper.

Running broad jump—15 feet 7½ in., Don Linden.

Running high jump—5 ft. 2½ in., Don Linden.

Fence vault—6 ft. 4 in, Morden Neilson.

50 yard dash—7 2-5 seconds, Morden Neilson, N. Adams, W. McKenzie.

100 yards dash—15 1-5 seconds, M. Allan, E. Adams.

150 yards dash—22 1-5 seconds, F. Tait.

Just now the handicap pentathlon is on and the last events must be done before Saturday night.

The events for this are the 100 yards, potato race, the shot put, fence vault and the running high jump. There are 50 men entered in the handicaps, tho some of them have not finished in all the events, which close on Saturday.

Beginning next Wednesday night the scratch pentathlon will be run off for the indoor association championship.

Toronto Harriers' Association.

The Toronto Harriers' Association held a very enthusiastic meeting on Wednesday evening, in the West End Y.M.C.A.

The constitution was brought before the meeting, but owing to so much work in connection with the passing of it, it was found necessary to adjourn till Saturday evening, the 9th. The meeting will be held in West End Y.M.C.A., and the following clubs are requested to send two delegates:

West End Y.M.C.A., Central Y.M.C.A., Broadview Institute, St. Marys A.C., I.C. B.U., A.C., Trinity University, St. Stephens and Orton Harrier clubs.

Checkers.

The Windsor Hotel checker players defeated The World team yestreday by 20 to 5, the scores being as follows:

World.	W.	L.	Windsor.	W.	L.
Reeves	1	4	Shea	1	3
Garrett	3	1	Owens	1	0
Williams	0	8	Galloway	8	0
Pretz	0	3	Busby	3	1
Cilson	1	3	Dwyer	4	1
Smith	0	1			
Total	5	20	Total	20	5

Found Not Guilty.

Winnipeg, Man., April 7.—Walter B. Vanalstyne, charged with murdering a Galician last July at Keith's Camp on the Canadian Northern, was found not guilty to-day. The trial has been in progress nearly a week, and all the evidence was strongly in favor of the prisoner.

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CITY BANK AT ODDS ON RAN OUTSIDE THE MONEY

May Holiday Won at 20 to 1—Three Favorites Beaten on Soft Track at Bennings.

Washington, April 7.—Three favorites again won at the Bennings track to-day. The card was a fairly interesting one, with fields of only limited size. The result in the third race caused the surprise of the day, John E. Madden's City Bank showing a complete reversal of form. He apparently did not like the soft track and seemed to sulk. The odds on him were 1 to 5 in the betting. The race went to May Holliday, an outsider, at 20 to 1, who won by five lengths. Briar Thorpe beat Thorneycroft, the favorite in the sixth, by a narrow margin of a neck. The winner ran an impressive race. Summary:

First race, 7 furlongs—Princelet, 102 (Springer), 6 to 5, 1; Neeburban, 93 (Taylor), 30 to 1, 2; Rabunta, 97 (Newman), 4 to 1, 3. Time 1.33. Toi San, Pretorious, Bar le Duc also ran.

Second race, 4 furlongs—Modred Law, 115 (E. Walsh), 3 to 2, 1; Fly Back, 110 (G. Thompson), 10 to 1, 2; Lily Brook, 110 (Burns), 4 to 1, 3. Time .51 2-5. Allen Avon, Silver Skin also ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs—May Holliday, 91 (Hennessey), 20 to 1, 1; Colgary, 112 (McClue), 7 to 1, 2; Hilarity, 110 (Phillips), 50 to 1, 3. Time 1.18 2-5. City Bank, Charley Moore, Lorina also ran.

Fourth race, 5 furlongs—Ascension, 112 (Burns), 1 to 4, 1; Elsie L., 109 (Redfern), 6 to 1, 2; Fickle, 99 (Henderson), 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.1 4-5. Little Adele also ran.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs—Monte Carlo, 102 (Robertson), 11 to 5, 1; Toscan, 107 (Redfern), 11 to 10, 2; Alpaca, 102 (H. Phillips), 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.10. Miladi Love, Danvillian, Andrattus, Oclawha also ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 40 yards—Briarthorpe, 105 (E. Walsh), 6 to 1, 1; Thorneycroft, 114 (McClue), 11 to 10, 2; Red Light, 88 (Hennessey), 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.48 2-5. McWilliams, Attila, Bessie McCarthy, Punctual also ran.

Dan McKenna Won by a Nose.

Memphis, Tenn., April 6.—The Mississippi Purse, at one mile and an eighth, developed into one of the most exciting races of the meeting at Montgomery Park to-day. Dan McKenna won by a nose in a terrible drive from Banter, in the fast time of 1.57½. S. Hildreth Nixus, the practically left at the post, overtook the leaders towards the finish of the mile, and took first place by a nose from Sambo. They were ten lengths ahead of the field at the finish.

First race, ⅝ mile — Australina, 104 (Helgerson), 8 to 5, 1; Magdala, 97 (Hennessy), 4 to 1, 2; Overhand, 102 (Robbins), 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.17. Trossachs, Rachael Ward, Arthur, Arnold K. and Dick Ripley also ran.

Second race, 4½ furlongs—Florentine, 105 (Helgerson), 7 to 5, 1; Keno, 101 (Wilson), 5 to 2, 2; Buchanan, 113 (Dominick), 4 to 1, 3. Time .56¾. Swedish Lad, Fox Hunting and Tete Noir also ran.

Third race, 1⅛ miles—Dan McKenna, 106 (Sheehan), 1 to 2, 1; Banter, 103 (Helgerson), 2 to 1, 2. O'Reilly also ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Nixus, 87 (Crimmins), 4 to 1, 1; Sambo, 114 (Crawford), 3 to 1, 2; Bounding, 100 (Kunz), 20 to 1, 3. Time 1.44. Bard of Avon, Marco, Duelist and Taxman also ran.

Fifth race, steeplechase, 2 miles—Itacaterra, 138 (Carter), 7 to 10, 1; Gin Spray, 143 (Nicholson), 4 to 1, 2; Bob Hilliard, 125 (Gaylor), 20 to 1, 3. Time 4.55. Cardigan also ran.

Sixth race, ¾ mile—Alma Dufour, 100 (Kunz), even, 1; Yo San, 97 (Crimmins), 7 to 1, 2; Pretension, 105 (Crawford), 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.17. Soldier of Fortune, Misanthrope, Beopard, Dutiful and Brooklyn also ran.

Memphis Entries.

Memphis, April 7.—First race, selling, 4½ furlongs—Gilded Lady, Peerless Queen 110, Falbala 92, No Trumper, Brother John, Midnight Minstrie, San Primo 93, Lady Fashion 94, Green Gown 95, Little Mirthful 97, Arrah May 101, Magic 104, Pinkie 105.

Second race, ¾ mile—Early Boy, Bayswood 100, Redman 102, Irene Lindsay 110, Deutschland, Skilful 121, Henry Bert 124.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles—Audience 89, Witful, Coruscate 104, Little Scout 111.

Fourth race, handicap, 7½ furlongs— Potheen 98, Luralighter 99, Foxy Kane 100, The Regent, The Conqueror 106, McGee 113.

Fifth race, ½ mile—Chansonette, Rondolet, Lady Coleman 98, Woodclaim 105, Voltin Chicago 108, Charley's Aunt, Bologna 110, Miss Inez 115.

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Royal Arms 91, Totness 92, Falkland 93, Bugle Horn 94, Laura Hunter 97, Squanto 99, Louisville 111, Easy Trade 101, Bermuda, Briers, Consor, Ball Hornet 106, Henry of Frantsmar, Lode Star 108, Chanterelle 114.

Bennings Program.

Washington, April 7.—First race, 6½ furlongs—Stroller 108, Illyria 111, Graziallo 96, Fustian 106, Pompano 94, Rain or Shine 96, Eclectic 91.

Second race, maidens, ½ mile—Fear Water, Diamond Flush, Blue Print, Sun Mark, Maxie Moore, Court Plaster, Dixie Andrews, Wish, Passive, Pillo, Lady Alvis, Linda Rose, Miss A. Russell 104.

Third race, maidens, ⅛ mile—Blackball, Wild Irishman, Preen, Jack McKeon, R. L. Johnston, Master Douglass, Oleroso, The Claimer, Bert Clara 107.

Fourth race, ⅞ mile—Belle of Milford 95, Mrs. F. Foster 95, Fustian, Red Hook 97, City Bank 100, Trapezist, Honolulu 97.

Fifth race, selling, ⅞ mile—Springbrook 101, Arachne 103, Sarah Maxim 101, Dark Planet 106, Early Eve 107, Mountain Breeze 93, Colonist 101, Locket, Nine Spot 103, Lord Melbourne 105, Queen Elizabeth 109.

Sixth race, handicap, 1 mile 100 yards—Tribes Hill 126, Colonsay 117, Himself 120, Masterman 116, Peter Paul 114, Sain 110, Rough Rider 106, Circus 113, Setanket 102, Latheron 100, Red Comyn 99, Scotch Thistle 98, Lord Advocate 84.

Oakland Results.

San Francisco, April 7.—Weather clear, track fast—First race, 6 furlongs—Rouena, 90 (J. Jones), even, 1; Jean Gravier, 107 (Hanch), 10 to 1, 2; Solonius, 107 (I. Powell), 3 to 1, 3. Time 1.14½. Arruros, Cotati, Quibo, Chileno, Vigoroso, Maraschino, Maxette and Brookwood also ran.

Second race, 7 furlongs—Romaine, 98 (Wright), 4 to 1, 1; Reeves, 110 (Gooch), 6 to 1, 2; Boutonniere, 112 (Otis), 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.28¼. David S., Flaneur, Varro, Isabellita and Aunt Polly also ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Riesca, 95 (J. Jones), 7 to 2, 1; Resigned, 95 (J. Lomis), 10 to 1, 2; Puss in Boots, 105 (Knapp), 2 to 1, 3. Time 1.15. Seaforth, Oriana, Fruolius, John Boggs, Patsy Brown, Master Keogh, H. P. Cane, Dor L. also ran.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Blessed Damsel, 100 (Reed), 8 to 1, 1; Hellas, 107 (T. Sheehan), 15 to 1, 2; Goldfinder, 102 (Bonner), 4 to 1, 3. Time 1.49. Run Rock, Rio Shannon, Ulloa, Bright Moon, Harry Beck also ran.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs—Hand Press, 110 (J. Lewis), 9 to 2, 1; Marello, 103 (T. Sheehan), 7 to 2, 2; Possart, 115 (Bonner), 4 to 1, 3. Time 1.29. Montana Peeress, Miss Vera, Hlowaho, Mountebank, Bard Burns also ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Kitty Kelly, 101 (Holbrook), 9 to 2, 1; Socorito, 108 (J. Sheehan), 2 to 1, 2; I.O.U., 103 (Reed), 6 to 1, 3. Time 1.47. Mr. Farnum, Galanthus, Expedient, Polonius also ran.

To-Day at Oakland.

San Francisco, April 7.—First race, 13-16 mile, selling—Clauss 96, Sue Johnson 99, Our Pride 96, Toto Gratton 101, Albemarle 108, Sir Dougal 101, Skip Me 109, Dora I. 99, Rustic Girl 94, Flaneur 111, Judge Voorhies 101, Soothsayer 98, Carilee 99, Penell Me 101, Rillick 113.

Second race, 1½ mile, purse—Nell Sullivan 101, Head Dance 112, Pearl Walters 105, Cardinal Sarto 108, Peggy O'Neil 106, Mary Peffer 101, Albert Fir 112, Jocular 105, Ben Eric 108, Sacharate 107.

Third race, 1 mile, selling—Tonopah 105, Miss Vera 103, El Pilar 105, Watkins Overton 105, Rio Shannon 103, Teufel 105, Rim Rock 108, Ripper 105, Strica 105, Tim Mitchell 100, Ulloa 103, Allopath 103, Vasello 105.

Fourth race, 7 furlongs, handicap—Ocean Dream 106, Olympian 97, Byron Rose 100, Yellow Tail 110, Albula 100, Atwood 94, Celebrant 96, Our Bessie 100.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Scherzo 106, Orchan 100, The Bugaboo 103, Ocyrohe 105, Dusty Miller 103, Hocco 105, Ethel Abbott 96, Silent Water 96, George Berry 106.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 50 yards, selling—Searcher 106, Joe John 98, Colvan 106, Past Master 106, Idogo 106, Cloche d'Or 104, Solon 93, Oriana 93.

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Among the passengers who arrived in Boston, via the Romanic, from Naples and Alexandria, were Mrs. A. E. Kemp and Miss F. E. Kemp of Toronto, who sailed Jan. 16.

LACROSSE.

Owen Sound, April 7.—(Special.)—While Owen Sound's senior prospects are, to use the much abused term, sub judice, the arrangements go merrily on, and last night the reorganization of the Owen Sound Lacrosse Club was effected. If Owen Sound gets a franchise, it will mean the appearance of some eastern material in the C.L.A. that never yet got west of the Quebec boundary. There are already about 10 really strong men practically under agreement, and, of course, they never heard of a testimonial. The officers are: Patrons, T. I. Thompson, M.P.; A. G. McKay M.L.A., George M. Boyd, ex-M.L.A., and W. P. Telford; hon. president, W. Coulter; hon. vice-presidents, E. H. Newman and T. W. Douglass; president, Dr. H. G. Murray; vice-presidents, Norman Ross, K. J. Hurry and Alex. Currie; treasurer, C. W. Churchill; secretary, S. H. L. Pearce; committee of management, H. Wilkin, J. S. Crate, J. C. Clark, A. E. L. Rankin, W. J. Ward, J. C. Telford and J. L. Simpson.

Lacrosse Points.

The Junior Elms Lacrosse Club will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the West End Y.M.C.A. All members and supporters are requested to be on hand.

There is likely to be a fight for the presidency of the N.A.L.U. at the league meeting in Montreal on Saturday night. Three candidates are mentioned: Guy Pettigrew, the president of the Montreal club; Mr. Meunier, president of the National Club, and Tom O'Connell, president of the Shamrock Club.

At a meeting of the committee of the Montcalm, Que., Lacrosse Club, it was decided to send a delegate to Montreal to enquire into the possibility of the formation of an intermediate league under the auspices of the N.A.L.U., to be composed of clubs from Montreal, Ottawa, Cornwall, Sherbrooke and Quebec, with a schedule in two divisions. The Montcalm Club will likely inaugurate the coming season by a match with the Caughnawaga Indians.

Liederkranz Bowling Tournament.

The first round in the Liederkranz tournament was completed last night, when the best rolling of the week was exhibited. The individual score was twice broken, first by J. Hawley and later by G. D. Wallace, who made 1288, beating Hawley by two pins. Gillis in the B class, captured the individual with 1227. The second round will be started to-night.

The draw for the second round, which will be played to-night, is as follows:

At 7 o'clock—F. McBride, W. Edmondson and T. Payne v. E. E. Sutherland, S. Ewing and R. Pringle.

At 8 o'clock—C. H. Good, W. Hayes and S. Mitchell v. G. D. Wallace, W. Meadows and W. Scott.

At 9 o'clock—G. Napolitano, Jos. Baird and H. Gillies v. A. Johnston, L. Archambault and A. McKay.

At 10 o'clock—W. Baird, A. Niblock and M. Cusack v. J. Hanley, A. Libby and J. Pringle.

G. D. Wallace	1288	G. Napolitano	1269
W. Meadows	1201	Jos. Baird	1087
W. Scott	1053	H. Gillies	1227
Total	3542	Total	3583
J. Hawley	1286	P. Jennings	1151
A. Libby	1187	T. Keys	1033
J. Pringle	1133	C. Burrows	1131
Total	3606	Total	3315
F. McBride	1148	A. Warrer	1164
W. Edmondson	1191	C.H. Macdonald	1158
T. Payne	1085	G. Ewart	1069
Total	3424	Total	3391

A. Archambault 1124, J. Pellow 1192, J. Wade 900. Total 3216.

This team drew a bye and simply played for a score.

Sporting Notes.

Gus Ruhlin defeated Jim Jeffords before the National A.C., Philadelphia, last night in an uninteresting 6-round bout.

Gus Ruhlin had the better of the six-round fight with Jim Jeffords at Philadelphia Wednesday night. The bout was a tame affair.

A boxing contest in Quebec between a soldier named George Wagner and another young man named J. B. Drolet resulted in the death of one of the pugilists. Drolet was knocked down in the sixteenth round. He was unconscious the whole night, and died yesterday morning without having recovered his senses. The coroner will proceed to an inquest Saturday.

The semi-final matches of the National court tennis championship at New York yesterday were won by Charles E. Sands, who defeated J. J. B. Morgan, three straight sets, and Joshua Crane, jr., of Boston, who defeated E. A. Thompson of New York, in straight sets.

The Orton Harriers will hold their first run of the season from Rosedale Lacrosse grounds on Saturday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock. All members are requested to be at the clubhouse on time.

The swimming team of Yale University, which held the inter-collegiate championship of the United States, was defeated in Chicago Wednesday night by the team of Chicago A.A., they capturing every event.

Peter Smith of the Marlboros, city amateur welterweight boxing champion, has received an offer to box Frank Hern in Brantford, but as Hern is a teacher of boxing, Smith asks The World to state that he must decline.

Bowmanville Football Club.

Bowmanville, April 7.—The annual meeting of the football club was held last night, when the following officers were elected:

Honorary presidents, D. B. Simpson, K. C., and George N. Graham; president, Rev. H. Munro, B.A.; first vice-president, Herbert McCready; second vice-president, Norman Heatlie; secretary, Fred C. Vanstone; treasurer, Arthur W. Morris; manager, William Inch; captain, Dr. J. C. Devitt; press correspondent, Fred R. Foley; management committee, C. W. Slemon, A. Baker, Geo. W. S. James; grounds committee, Charles Haddy, Charles La Plante, H. Freeland.

Rev. H. Munro was elected representative to the Midland League Association meeting; Dr. Devitt, alternative.

Omemee Cricket Club.

Omemee, April 7.—At a meeting held in the public library last night, the Omemee Cricket Club was reorganized, with the following officers:

President, J. T. Beatty; vice-president, Dr. G. Stewart Cameron; secretary, Jos. Sherwood; treasurer, Herbert G. Foster; captain, Charles F. Bent; committee of management, T. C. Stephenson, William Bradburn, Charles F. Bent, W. G. Stephenson, A. L. Amys.

Much enthusiasm was shown, and the prospects are bright for a good season's cricket. Clubs desiring matches will receive all information by corresponding with the secretary, Joseph Sherwood.

East End Juvenile Football League

An adjourned meeting of the East End Football League will be held at the Broadview Boys' Institute this evening, at 8 o'clock. The teams already enrolled are: Capitals, Eastern Stars, Broadviews, Little York, Atlantics, Tecumsehs. At this meeting the election of officers will be completed, fees paid and schedule drawn up. The age limit in this league is 15 years and under, and the territorial limit all east of Sherbourne-street. Clubs desiring to enter must make application by representatives at this meeting.

Association Football.

All members of the Broadview Intermediate Football Club are requested to turn out on Saturday afternoon next, for practice, on Sunlight Park. A game will probably be arranged with some team for practice and all players are urgently requested to turn out as they may be called upon to play off the tie for the Ontario championship with the Meds. at any time.

The management of the Westmoreland club of the M.Y.M.A., request their football club to turn out for practice next Saturday afternoon at Dovercourt Park; every player is requested to be on hand not later than 2.30 p.m.

A meeting of the Broadview Intermediate Football Club will be held at the residence of James MacIver, 653 East Queen-street, to-night. Business of importance.

Montreal Police Athletes.

Montreal, April 7.—The annual meeting of the Montreal Police Amateur Athletic Association was held yesterday afternoon. The reports of the secretary and treasurer showed the affairs of the association to be in a flourishing condition. After the different reports had been disposed of, the election of officers was proceeded with, and resulted as follows:

President, Capt. F. Loye; first vice-president, Detective Lescarbeau; second vice-president, Corp. Belanger; secretary, Detective Vincent; treasurer, Constable Menard; auditor, Lieut. Holland.

St. Georges Hockey Club Dance.

The St. George's Hockey Club dance of this evening promises to be a great success from every standpoint. The tickets are so limited that dancing will be thoroly enjoyed and as this limit is nearly reached those who intend going should get their tickets early to-day. The committee in charge are J. L. Hynes, Irving Arlagh, Charles Webster, George Chadwick, Dr. H. M. Peacock and R. E. Moody, secretary.

Spring Hunting Season.

G. W. Beardmore, M.F.H., Toronto Hunt, has notified the members that the spring hunting season will begin shortly. The hounds will probably meet three days a week.

TORONTOS IN FINE FORM BEAT COLLEGE TEAM 8 TO 4

Rapp Hit Home Run in Sixth, With Two on Bases—Baseball Notes.

Chester, April 7.—Toronto's club played Villa Nova College here to-day, defeating them 8 to 4. Toronto showed good stick work when necessary. C. Currie, Mills and Gardner were at turns in the box and all did good work. Toft began the game on the receiving end. Robb finished out. Rapp landed for a homer in the sixth with two on bases. The men are working in fine shape. The score:

Toronto—	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Rapp, 3b and rf	1	1	2	0	0
Downey, ss	0	0	2	1	1
Murray, cf	1	1	3	1	0
White, lf	2	1	1	0	1
Clarke, 2b	1	1	0	4	1
Robb, c and 1b	1	1	11	0	0
Toft, c	1	0	5	0	0
Carr, 3b	0	0	2	2	1
C. Currie, p	1	0	0	3	0
Applegate, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Mills, p	0	0	0	2	0
Gardner, p	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	8	6	27	15	4
Villa Nova—	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Crane, cf	0	0	3	0	0
Raftis, lf	0	0	1	0	0
McGeehan, 1b	0	1	9	1	0
Sullivan, c	1	1	3	2	0
O.Mara, 3b	1	2	0	2	1
Gasmire, ss	0	2	3	2	4
Nichols, 2b	0	0	1	1	0
Murray, rf	1	1	2	0	0
Ogard, p	1	1	2	5	1
Totals	4	8	24	13	6

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Villa Nova 0 0 1 2 0 0 1 0 0—4

Other Exhibition Games.

At Richmond—New York 11, Montreal 0.

At St. Louis—Americans 3, Nationals 2.

At Philadelphia—Americans 6, Nationals 4.

Sunlight Park League.

At a meeting of the Sunlight Baseball League, held last night at the R.C.B.C. rooms, the constitution as revised by the sub-committee was adopted. The Garrett ball was again unanimously adopted as the official league ball. The several managers report the players' lists as practically full up, and everything is in readiness for the opening game, May 7, when the Royals and Wellesleys will meet in the first and St. Clements and the champion Strathconas in the second game.

Port Hope Baseball Team.

Port Hope, April 7.—(Special.)—The Port Hope Baseball Club organized for the season to-night, and if the enthusiasm displayed at the meeting is any criterion, the game will boom here this season. There will be no C. L. A. lacrosse team here this season, and the local sports will expend their energy in trying to place a winning baseball nine on the diamond. The officers elected were as follows:

President, Thomas O'Neil.
Vice-president, Harry Rosevear.
Secretary, Sandy Lockington.
Treasurer, Blake Crawford.
Manager, Arthur Orton.
Executive committee: H. Sculthorpe, Sandy Lockington and Charles Massie.

The treasurer's report showed a small balance in the treasury. The club will enter a team in the Midland League.

The organization meeting of the league will be held here on Thursday, April 21. The league will be composed of six clubs this season—Bowmanville, Oshawa, Port Hope, Cobourg, Lindsay and Peterboro. The latter town has two clubs which wish to enter, but the other towns think such action not advisable. Tip O'Neil, who has been president of the league since its organization, has resigned the office.

Bowmanville Baseball Club.

Bowmanville, April 7.—The following officers of Bowmanville Baseball Club were elected Monday evening:

Honorary president, S. W. Sanders; honorary vice-president, Thomas Jackson; president, John A. McDonald; first vice-president, George N. Graham; second vice-president, W. J. Furze; secretary, Ed. F. Weekes; treasurer, George B. McClellan; managing committee, F. C. Pethick, A. Mingeaud, Gus Bounsall, F. H. Morris, E. F. Weekes; delegates to league meeting, S. W. Sanders, F. C. Pethick.

Baseball Brevities.

The Alps Baseball Club of the City Junior League will hold a meeting to-night at 76 Clinton-street, and request a full turnout of players, as business of importance will be transacted.

The Wellington Baseball Club held a successful meeting last night and elected the following officers: President, A. Dwight; manager, George Cook; captain, H. Robb.

The Lakeviews Baseball Club will hold a meeting at the Osborne House, Gerrard and Parliament streets, at 8.15 o'clock.

The Junior U. No A. C. will hold a meeting to-night at their club rooms, 188½ West Queen-street, at 8 o'clock. All players and those wishing to join are requested to attend. The manager requests all players to be on hand early, as the final business of the coming year will be transacted and they will arrange for the game on Saturday.

The organization meeting of the Pirate Baseball Club took place at the Grand Central Hotel last night. The following officers were elected: Hon. president, P. E. Callan; president, Charles H. Good; first vice-president, W. A. Hewitt; second vice-president, Teddy Marriott; manager, Percy C. McMahon; captain, J. P. Nicholson; secretary-treasurer, T. G. Sharpe. The following players were signed: Britton, Nicholson, O'Grady, Lamont, Burns, Playter, McMahon, Leake, Tolley Ward, Woolley, Weatherell, Nichols, Downey, Sutherland, Sharpe, Goode.

The MacDonald Manufacturing Company, Limited, Baseball Club held their annual meeting on Monday, when the following officers were elected: Hon. president, R. Austin; hon. vice-president, G. White; president, L. Loyd; manager, J. A. Hooks; secretary-treasurer, W. K. Sangwin. The club would like to form a league among some factory teams, and any interested can find out particulars by communicating with W. K. Sangwin, 41 Grange-avenue.

The Granites are requested to turn out for practice in Ketchum Park on Saturday afternoon. The following are asked to turn out: Freeman, Keating, Richards, Garrett, Randalls, Milligan, Ford, Stanyon, Sellers, Woods, Johnston, Cotterill, Martin, Hall, Killaly, Kirk and any others wishing to join.

Sunday games will be regularly scheduled for the first time this year in Baltimore, and Sunday contests will be the order at Providence, Montreal, Rochester and Newark. Perhaps Jersey City will join the Sunday ball-playing ranks, but this is by no means certain.

Buffalo won an easy game from Louisville on Wednesday by 5 to 0 before a handful of people. The field was muddy and soggy and rain threatened to fall thruout the afternoon. As a consequence Cant. Dexter refused to take a chance with his best players, but in order to satisfy the visitors he put up a team of the youngsters now receiving a tryout at Louisville. Harry White, the substitute catcher, was the only regularly signed player of Tebeau's team that played ball for Louisville. The others are simply here trying to secure places on the team. These youngsters did not play bad baseball, altho they were unable to hit Pitcher Brockett's curves, while the Bisons bunched safe drives in the second and fifth innings off of Swarmstedt and Pruitt. Only six innings were played.

The Nationals would like to arrange a game with any team in the city, average age 15, for Saturday afternoon. Address by mail only to S. Herbert, 257 Parliament-street, city.

The Bathurst Baseball Club, Interassociation League, will hold their first practice on Saturday on Market-square. The following players are requested to be there: Croft, Ball, Yersley, Magee, Gus Farrell, Gould, W. Farrell (captain), Mackenzie, Winslow, Hewer.

St. Andrew's Baseball Club will hold their first practice Saturday, weather permitting, and will meet at St. Andrew's-square at 2.30 p.m. The Saints have been very fortunate in securing the following well-known players: Elton, Simser, Neale, Bevis, Mansell, D. Elton, Wrist, Evans, Maloney, Binney.

A meeting of the Royal Canadian Bicycle Club B.B.C. will be held to-night. All members are requested to be present.

Senior League Champions.

The Crescents, senior city baseball league champions, will play two games with the Varsity nine. The first game will be played on Saturday, April 16; and the second on Saturday, April 30. They will play St. Michael's on the 21st. Manager Shepherd is confident of success the coming season. All of last season's players are available, and "Yankee" Allen, the crack shortstop of the Gore Vales last season, has cast in his lot with the champions. London, a new catcher, is also a promising addition to the champions.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION SIDE-STEPPED A QUESTION

Would Not Discuss the Sturgeon Falls Proposition, Tho Trustee Levee Did His Best.

A cleverly executed retreat on the part of Trustees Dineen, Ogden and Parkinson defeated the attempt to discuss the Sturgeon Falls affair at the meeting of the board of education last night. The matter was deferred as long as possible, and as soon as further procrastination was out of the question, the above-mentioned trio discreetely withdrew and "busted" the quorum. The meeting was sparsely attended at the start. Miss Martin was absent, so was C. A. B. Brown and Mr. Rawlinson and Mr. Boland, the new separate schol representative.

The opening formalities disposed of, Trustee Levee rose and gave notice of motion. He had a resolution to submit. It was that in view of the struggle of the Sturgeon Falls public school board against the bill recently passed by the legislature, which gives the separate school board a share of the school rates payable by the Imperial Paper Mills Company, and in view of the fact that other boards were threatened by the same thing, he proposed that a committee consisting of Trustees Ogden, Simpson, Keeler, Gooderham, Levee and Shaw be empowered to take any steps they thought necessary to protect Toronto and to support the action of the Sturgeon Falls board. There was more to the same effect, that they place themselves on record as condemning the legislature for its action and expressing sympathy with the Sturgeon Falls board. Moreover, copies of the resolution were to be sent to all parts of the province.

Before Mr. Levee's words had died out, Mr. Dineen was up. It was no business of the board, and had no connection with them whatever. It was a contract, and the Sturgeon Falls board had to stand by it. He did not see the sense of discussing it. Mr. Keeler thought any discussion on the matter was out of order at that juncture. The chairman agreed that it was. Mr. Levee moved a suspension of the rules, but on a division lost his motion. He then moved that the rules be suspended later. Mr. Simpson and Mr. Kent also had notices of motion in connection with the voting of separate school representatives on matters pertaining to public schools, but they were both victims of the avalanche that defeated Mr. Levee's motion. The board then moved on to the consideration and adoption of reports.

Shaw's Exception.

Mr. Shaw took exception to the clause in the management report, appointing H. S. Mott to the temporary staff at Ryerson school. He maintained that there was no necessity for importing Mr. Mott from Ottawa, when there were men in the city who could do the work, and he suggested that the classes be altered so that the teachers already employed could handle the fifth form classes. Messrs. Keeler, Kent and Parkinson objected strenuously to such a proposition. It was preposterous, they said, to disturb classes at this time of the year and send them to other schools. One might just as well throw them on the streets. Mr. Simpson made a plaintive application for information on the subject, and Mr. Shaw volunteered to enlighten him. When he had finished, Mr. Keeler said that he had not put the case fairly, and started to tell it himself.

"Look here, Mr. Simple —— I mean Mr. Simpson, he wants to break up the classes." A division was taken, and the clause went without amendment.

New Senior Principal.

A motion to change the official title of Mr. Embree from chief principal to senior principal was carried, after a deal of superfluous discussion. The matter of the third inspector came up. The report of the management committee recommended that one be appointed, but Messrs. Ogden and Kent thought that he was not needed. There were some conflictin statements as to the number of rooms that came under the jurisdiction of the board, but it was finally decided that the recommendation of the committee should stand. The reports were all carried without amendment, and Mr. Levee once more drew attention to his resolution.

Suddenly some one mentioned the fact that there was not a quorum. Dr. Ogden and Mr. Dineen had disappeared as tho swallowed by an earthquake, and Trustee Parkinson was to be seen hurrying down the corridor. Trustee Levee quickly sent a messenger after Mr. Parkinson, but without avail. The secretary was instructed to call the roll. Mr. Levee begged for time, which was given him. The secretary was again instructed to call the roll, and this time he did. There was not a quorum present, so the board adjourned, after promising Trustee Levee that he would get first consideration at the next meeting.

GOVERNOR INTERVIEWED.

The Lieutenant-Governor was interviewed by a deputation from Sturgeon Falls yesterday concerning the separate school tax difficulty there, and his possible action on the bill legalizing the agreement. A. A. Beach and W. H. Gill composed the deputation. The situation was discussed, and the gentlemen assured that the Lieutenant-Governor would give careful consideration to the memorial submitted by Sturgeon Falls against giving his sanction to the bill. Gov. Clark asked a number of questions pertaining to the subject.

Later, to The World, His Honor declared that he could not understand the paragraph in the despatch from Sturgeon Falls printed on Thursday morning, in which it was said those objecting to the bill expected him to take a personal interest in the situation because, in 1890, he was one of the prime movers in the equal rights campaign. He did not recall any particular interest he took in that campaign, and explained that no matter what his personal feelings might have been fourteen years ago or were to-day that could not be an element in his consideration of the memorial. He would, of course, give the petition the careful attention so grave a subject warranted. He regretted the paragraph, because he thought it was calculated to mislead the paper that he was interested in the situation beyond his official capacity, which was not the case. However, a standard biography of Mr. Clark mentions that he was elected vice-president of the Equal Rights Association during the agitation attending the passage of the Jesuits Estates Bill.

Privy Council If Necessary.

Messers. Beach and Gill were free with the press in expressing their views on the subject. They asserted that daily vast numbers of communications were being received from all over the province urging the opponents of the agreement to carry the opposition to the courts of last resort. Mr. Beach declared that not only would the litigation go into the courts, but that the privy council would be given a chance to pass judgment upon the legality of the proposition, if it became necessary to go to that extreme.

Question of Principle.

Mr. Beach further observed that, as indicating the freedom from racial or religious feeling, the opposition had assumed, a member of the school board, who is a Jew, is more determined in his opposition than any other member. He thought it was not the $1600 involved, but the principle, which, if destroyed, strikes at the fundamental basis of religious and civic rights.

The bonus had been granted the pulp mill without the slightest reference to the agreement. There was no stipulation touching the agreement i nthe granting of the bonus. He thought this point had not been sufficiently emphasized. Mr. Beach thought if this case was permitted to alter the law of the land, Toronto's schools might next receive the attention of the separate school supporters. He felt certain that if the law was