

Late Sport News

INTERMEDIATES
WIN IN LAST
TEN MINUTES

By Whirlwind Finish Overcome Lead of High School and Win Fast Basket Ball Game by 32 to 26 Score.

In the Y. M. C. A. last night the Intermediate basketball team, by a whirlwind finish, scored out a victory from the High School, winning by a score of thirty-two to twenty-six, and capturing the series, by taking two of the three games.

In the first half the High School team had the edge on their opponents and in the second half continued their aggressive work until within ten minutes of the finish when the Intermediate team took on a new lease of life abandoned their defensive attitude and became the attackers. Resorting to their usual machine-like combination they rushed matters for the last ten minutes of play, overhauled their opponents' lead and when the whistle blew for the finish they had the High School team beaten by a margin of six points.

For the winners Gillen, Ketchum and White were conspicuous, while Willet and Bustin were the particular stars in the High School quintette.

The line-up:
High School—Willet, Cochran, for-wards; Bustin, centre; Sommerville, Taylor, guards.
Intermediates—Ketchum, White, forwards; Gillen, centre; Holder, Nixon, guards.

SUNDAY SCHOOL BASKETBALL
LEAGUE FORMED.

A Sunday School Basketball League was formed last night at the Y. M. C. A. and the following officers were elected: President, J. W. H. Magee; secretary-treasurer, H. I. Knowles; additional members of the executive, Rev. R. P. Hayward, John M. Jordan and P. J. Legge. It was decided to have two classes in the league, one for boys up to 105 pounds in weight, and one for boys under eighteen. There will be a shield for the winners of each class, to become the property of the team winning it twice in succession, or three times in five years. The games will all be played in the Y. M. C. A., who have placed the gymnasium at their disposal. The following schools have entered teams: St. Andrews, two teams; Central Baptist, one senior team, two from each of the following schools: St. Pauls, German street, Baptist, St. David's, St. James, and Trinity. In addition to these it is expected that Centenary, Fairville Baptist and East St. John Presbyterian will enter teams.

CITY CHAMPIONSHIP.

The first match of a series of three to decide the city bowling championship was rolled on Black's alleys last night between the Ramblers and Sweeps. The total pin fall counts and the Sweeps won the game by a score of 1456 to 1372. The scores follow:

Sweeps.					
McIlveen	80	90	100	270	90
Jenkins	93	109	120	322	107 1-3
Foshey	96	81	106	284	94 2-3
Ferguson	107	106	102	315	105
Sullivan	80	92	87	259	88 1-3
	463	478	515	1456	

Ramblers.					
Duffy	103	93	83	279	89
Jordan	83	71	73	227	75 2-3
Beattie	60	94	97	251	83 2-3
Covey	101	85	86	272	90 2-3
Hiley	113	100	92	305	102 2-3
	496	446	431	1373	

The City League was bowled in two series, the Ramblers winning the first and the Sweeps the second. The next game will be rolled Friday night.

BASEBALL IN THE
BIG LEAGUES

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York 4, Brooklyn 3.

At New York. 2000000000—6 12 1
Brooklyn 000000110—4 11 1
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Batteries—Smith, Cheney, Coombe and Meyers; Benton, Stroud, Palmero, Schauer and Raliden.

Philadelphia 3, Boston 0.

At Boston. 030000000—3 6 1
Philadelphia 000000000—0 5 2
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Batteries—Alexander and Burns; Barnes, Ragan and Gowdy.

Cincinnati 6, St. Louis 5.

At St. Louis. 120000100—6 12 1
Cincinnati 000000000—0 5 2
St. Louis 000000000—0 5 2
Batteries—Schneider, Dale, Schulz and Clarke; Meadows, Williams, Jasper, Salles and Gonzales.

Pittsburgh-Chicago, rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia 3, New York 2.

At Philadelphia. 001000001—2 5 1
Philadelphia 000000123—3 9 0
New York 000000123—3 9 0
Batteries—Keating, Shocker and Numakari; Nabors, Bush and Schang.

(Only one American scheduled.)

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Newark 7, Rochester 5.

At Newark. 020000120—5 9 1
Rochester 23001010X—7 11 1
Newark 020000120—5 9 1
Batteries—Kramer, Hersche and Hale; Mieh and Egan.

Richmond 4, Montreal 2.

At Richmond. 010000010—2 5 1
Montreal 10110010X—4 9 1
Richmond 010000010—2 5 1
Batteries—Colwell, Smith and Madden; Gleason and O'Donnell.

Buffalo 3, Providence 2.

At Providence. 000001200—3 8 1
Providence 001010000—2 5 1
Buffalo 000001200—3 8 1
Batteries—Bader and Haley; Mulrennan, Peters and Yelle.

Toronto 3, Baltimore 5.

At Baltimore. 000000003—8 13 0
Toronto 000010000—5 9 1
Baltimore 000000003—8 13 0
Batteries—Manning and Kelly; Knowlson, Jayner and McAvoy.

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Excursion tickets will be sold every Wednesday until October 25th, to Winnipeg, Regina, Saskatoon, Calgary, Edmonton and numerous other points in the Canadian North West. These tickets will be good for return within two months from date of issue. Full particulars can be obtained from any Ticket Agent of the Government Railways.

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SOLDIERS MAY
ENTER TEAMS IN THE
TWILIGHT LEAGUE

Now that the fine weather is here, it is expected that the twilight leagues will be heard from. The ball players among the soldiers have been practicing for some time and it is expected that both the 115th and 14th will have strong teams to represent them. With the extra hour of daylight it will be quite possible to play a full nine-inning game in the evening which will add to the interest in the games to a large extent.

DIARY OF A GERMAN OFFICER.

The diary of a German officer, an infantry captain, found on the field of battle has been published at Paris. This diary begins on the first day of the war and ends a little after the battle of Ypres.

This German captain records first of all his impressions of the resistance offered by the Belgians. "Our war-machine," he says, "was prepared for every kind of shock, even for defeat—that is temporary defeat; but it was not prepared for what happened

in the first days of Sept. That was the first and greatest surprise of the war."

Shortly afterwards he took part in the first great battle between the Germans and French, that of Charleroi. The terrible losses that were sustained by both sides in that ferocious struggle affected him in a manner that he himself could scarcely have foreseen. "I have led my men to the furnace," he writes, "Curses on the brutes who, knowing all these horrors, have constrained me to do it! Curses also on myself who have accepted all these war theories without suspecting what they meant when you put into practical issues. If I had not had to march myself against the enemy with my soldiers I would have shot myself rather than have on my conscience the footing of having committed the greatest crime that history ever recorded. . . . If over these notes reach a friendly hand, I hope they will be widely distributed. It is not the enemy that excites our rage. The true enemy is behind us. . . . This is not an honest war; it is a damnation."

When almost within sight of Paris the Captain lost a "chance" that he had carried for good luck; perhaps this helps to increase his melancholy. "My soldiers have been massacred as the result of carrying on an evil military system; this is wicked, but it is pardonable. The terrible and unpardonable thing is that their death is the consequence of an evil conception of morality. . . . I recognize that the canon has need of 'food' and I certainly do not murmur at the sacrifice of our blood for the Fatherland; but this war is not a loyal war, not a war against strangers; it is a war waged by insolent rulers against the German people. . . . These rulers of Germany are the assassins of our men and of the Fatherland."

The Battle of Ypres has been fought and naturally the tenacity shown by the "despicable little British army" has not tended to raise the spirits of the diarist or to reconcile him to the German-made war. He becomes more direct in his criticisms of those responsible for it and records an illuminating conversation he has had with an officer of the Imperial Staff. "The Kaiser," this officer tells him, "is a real genius, a great man, a very great man. But he lacks the essential qualities of a true statesman—the quality of redeeming humor and of simple rude common sense. Those two qualities are indispensable in the head of a nation. Bismarck had both the quality that illuminates and the good sense that can calculate safely. His

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brief aphorisms were full of originality. Compare them with the humorous, humorous theories of Bernhard."

Did Not Get Victoria Cross.

London, May 3. (Montreal Gazette Cable)—Pte. Emmer Bretnall, of the 48th Battalion, was knocked down by a motor on Saturday and was removed to a hospital suffering from concussion of the brain. The recent despatch from Ottawa appearing in the Canadian newspapers was in error in including Major D. R. McCusig, now a prisoner in Germany,

among the recipients of the Victoria Cross. It was the D. R. C. which was bestowed upon him last year. His brother, Major G. E. McCusig, reported wounded last week, was only slightly wounded.

LACKING.

Master—How do the dogs like the new food, John?
John—They don't seem to take very kindly to it, sir.
Master—How do you account for that, John?
John—Well, you see, sir, it says on

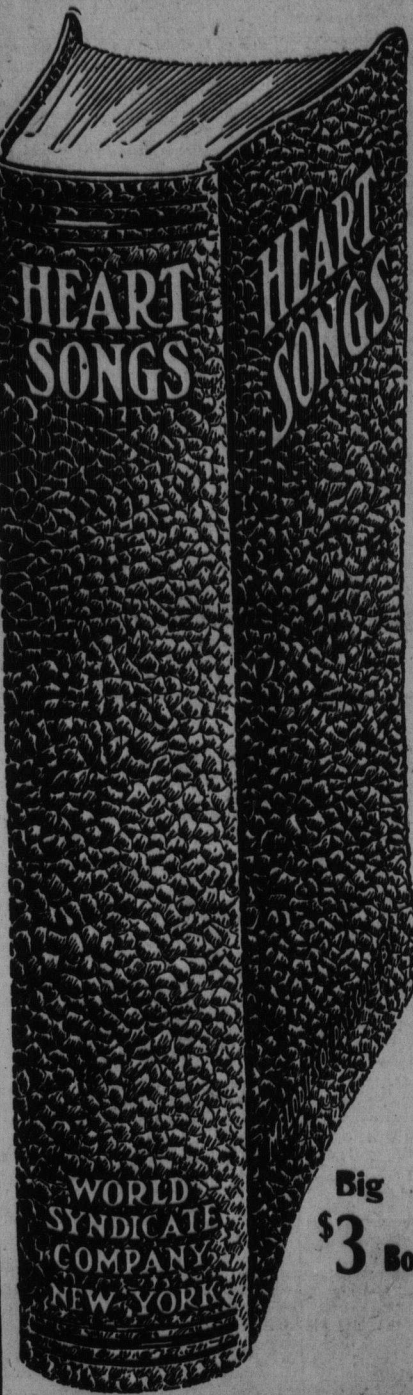
the packet that "dogs will eat it with relish," and they never eat none of that, but I'll try 'em again as soon as I gets the other packet to mix it with.—TH. HIL.

Dublin, May 3, via London, May 3—

One thousand rebel prisoners were marched through the city today under strong guard. The batch included many youths in their teens and several women. It is said that several thousand prisoners have been taken by the military.

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General Aspect of Montreal Street Yesterday Was Uninteresting.

STEEL OF CANADA
AND IRON EASIER

Scotia Held at 109 1-2 to 109 3-4—Recent Activity in This Stock Relaxed, but Price Remained Strong.

Special to The Standard.
Montreal, May 3.—While the general aspect of the market was uninteresting by contrast with what has been experienced for some time back, there were a few individual features which helped to relieve the monotony even though they were not productive of a great deal in the way of price changes.

The quietness given to the proposal to cut Macdonald stock from \$3,000, 000 to \$1,500,000 created a better feeling for the shares, and there was some demand at 14.
The recent activity in Scotia relaxed somewhat, although the price remained strong, touching 110 after opening at 109 1-4 and closing at