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COMMENT AND GOSSIP

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H. B. and A. C. H., Hamilton 2464; White & Co., Toronto 2422; Int. Harvester Co., H., 2409; Toronto News, Toronto 2409.

Gun Club Events: Hamilton Gun Club H., Hamilton, 2536; Balm Beach, Toronto, 2488.

GAMES THIS EVENING. Now that the C. B. A. tournament is over, the minor leagues will resume operations at the H. B. & A. C. alleys.

AMERICA'S CUP. Two matches in the Jewellers' League will be rolled to-morrow night, as follows: Klein & Binkley vs. G. H. Lees & Co.

Prince of Wales May Try For It. New York, April 5.—Commodore Arthur Curtis James, of the New York Club, and other well-known yachtmen, read with interest Saturday a report cable from London that inquiries had been made here on behalf of the Prince of Wales as to how a challenge from him for the America's Cup would be received.

KING TO REVIVE OLD DANCES. Enchanted With Minuets Presented at German Court. London, April 4.—It is understood King Edward is considering favorably a petition from the dancing teachers, who wish old dances revived at State balls.

CORNS ARE LIKE KNOTS. Year by year they grow harder and incidentally more painful. Why suffer when you can be cured for 25c spent on Putnam's Corn Extractor? Fifty years in use and guaranteed to cure.

More to the Point. In a certain restaurant the electric lights were suddenly extinguished. When they were turned on again after a few moments, a lady whispered to her companion: "Somebody kissed me!"

Mayor Oliver and City Treasurer Coady, of Toronto, will go to England to sell \$5,000,000 of city bonds.

From the Scrap Heap

Philadelphia, April 4.—Sam Langford, the negro middleweight, of Boston, knocked out John Willie, of Chicago, Saturday night in the second round.

New Orleans, April 4.—Jimmy Barry, of Milwaukee, knocked out Dave Clabby, of Chicago, two minutes after the opening of the bout scheduled to go ten rounds, before the Royal Athletic Club here Saturday night.

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AN EFFECT OF "THE RED MOON."