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FRIDAY SEPT 12TH 1884.

THE SCOTT ACT PETITION. for it to come into operation by the 1st How are the mighty fallen ! of May, if carried, Mr. Wilson is of opinion that the vote will not be permit- In a fit of candor the Mail recants its ted at a date early enough to admit of silly twaddle anent Hardy, Tardy, Larconfident of a big victory in this county. says :-

THE RAILWAY BOOM.

the petition from a legal standpoint.

ple now feel quite assured of the early the World, on Wednesday made the folcompletion of the C. P. R. to that town. lowing mention of the proposed exten-At a recent meeting of the town council sion :of the junction town, Mayor Meyer
stated that he had an interview with Mr.

A. White of the C. P. R., in Toronto,
that Mr. White stated that it was still
the intention of the Company to carry
out the proposed project of extending out the proposed project of extending the T. G. & B. R., into Wingham; that Mr. Osler was in England for the pur-steady Liberal re-action has set in finds pose of raising money; that Mr. Van pose of raising money; that Mr. Van
Herne was absent, and on the return of
these gentleman final arrangements will
be made for carrying out the proposed
that a steady change of opinion is going scheme. He said that the prospect was on in Ontario, and that such change is good, that Mr. Stephens and Carling not favorable to Sir John. The people gave a good impression of the business are beginning to feel that they are overof Wingham, and that everything so far

tension to Goderich. A letter from the Secretary of the C. P. R., received here on Monday, stated

Judge Tom's decision on the validity

the respective times being: Kincardine son; 2nd W Y Saunders; 3rd A C

min 11 sec; Clinton 1 min 24 sec; Reid.

of the Scott Act.

That adjoining and other counties, not only in Ontario but throughout the do-

tperiment a success.

That the liquor interest put their best and strongest forces forward in a compact territory and were defeated. That the people are in favor of still further regulation of the liquor business

-of regulating it out of existence whenever that is possible The World very sensibly faces the

honest feeling, was sound in his philos-

Let us add our own opinion of the on the question of the repeal of the noise. A subdued sorrow becomes a re-Scott Act to be an irretrievable defeat of pentant sinner than a big drum. the liquor party. That party selected the ground, and invited the combat. They had all the advantage of a "monster" petition-a monster it has proven to pertinent puppy on the Canadian called forth a certain amount of admiration for tact and dash. But being desimilar rubbish, and on Saturday he had been the custom to hold the for from a hundred platforms they boasted of the crushing defeat in store for the Act in Halton.

Had this ill-advised contest not come off in Halton, that county would have still furnished powder and shot ad libitum for future campaigns. The arguments so cleverly handled by the eloquent orators on the anti-Scott side would still man will care to listen to the most polished harangue on the failure of a pauper streak in them can laugh at the assumption of the cheeky fellow. The liquor party is today in the posi-

tion of those who have blown up their magazine when standing most in need of powder and shot

The telegraph office was largely atended on Tuesday evening by persons nxious to hear the result of the vote in but no one lost temper over the result.

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LEGISLATION vs. APPEAL.

The Tory papers are now claiming that Sir John A. Macdonald proposed to submit the Arbitration case to the Pricy Council in 1882. Sir John deserves no credit for that proposition. He could have settled the matter by doing what the Privy Council intimated was the correct thing to do-acknowledge the arbitration. That was all that was ne cessary. Because the Dominion premier perversely refused to acquiesce, the case was forced upon the Privy Council. Here is the judgment of the Coun cil :-

D. D. Wilson, President of the Scott tended that all that was necessary was Act Alliance of Huron, was in town yes- the same legislation by the Commons terday to take the petition from the that the Province of Ontario has so freehands of the sheriff. The ten days ex- ly passed. Mowat's proposal was slightpired at 11 o'clock on Thursday. It ed, and an expensive reference had to be was Mr. Wilson's intention to go to Ot- made to the Privy Council. Macdonald tawa with the document on Saturday. on one side; Mowat and the Privy While others are hopeful of the Act Council on the other. And yet the Tory being submitted in this county in time organs talk of Sir John's prescience

that result. The temperance people are dy, the Slugger and the Bull Pup. It

"The resort to nick-names is a silly man's d So far no opposition has been offered to vice. The application of anck-name is calculated rather to convice the reader of the vulgarity of the man who applied it, than of the wickedness of the person at tacked."

THE Goderich railway boom has reach The work of pushing the railway agitation continues. The Wingham peo- ed Toronto. That live daily newspaper.

THE claim of the Reform press, that a taxed, and with that feeling comes at locked favorable. The Wingham people enter cordially into the proposed exthe taxation is for the interests of the most sinister character

that the matter of the extension to of the Crooks Act is a bold one for a Seaforth I min 28 1/5 sec. During the that the matter of the extension to of the Crooks Act is a bold one for a Goderich would be brought before the board of directors at their next meeting. Very able manner, and will rank among board of directors at their next meeting.

very able manner, and will rank among one of the important judgments given on any considering the licenses of the important properties. The very possible point of vantage was secured by anxious spectators. Shortly after one Under the above heading, the Toronto granted that the Dominion Government World, which heretofore squinted violent- has the power to legislate on the question was formed and proceeded to the town of license, the judge holds that as a park, upon which the games were held. World, which heretofore squinted violently toward the liquor party, comes to the following conclusions:

We take the vote of yesterday in Halton to mean:

That the majority of people in that county are in favor of the continuation of the Secret Act is therefore ultra rires. The case will be carried to the higher courts.

World, which heretofore squinted violentlast the power to legislate on the question of license, the "judge holds that as a superior legislative body its laws override that of a Provincial legislature on the same question, and that the Crook's Act is therefore ultra rires. The case will be carried to the higher courts. will be carried to the higher courts.

THE Canadian Baptist take strong ion, will now adopt the act, and there- ground against the salvation army. Our by increase the chances of proving the coutemporary objects to the senseless beating of drums, the thumping of tambourines, and the braying of discordant bass, which play so important a part in the devotions of the soldiers. The Baptist claims the right to protest against this method of turning sacred things into ridicule, because christianity is never inevitable, and shows, as we always studiously offensive. while salvation army thought, that the editor when writing on tactics are so. The secular press has the spur of the moment, and under dealt very generously with the army out of respect of what may their mistaken McIntyre, Harry McIntyre, Islay McIntyres, but both religious and the secuIntyre and Isabel McIntyre, Lucknow. lat press must be pardoned for failing to result. We consider the Halton vote see anything high or holy in a carnival of

THE chief writer on the Mail has earned the reputation of being the most imand they became the aggressive press. He insulted the Canadian farmparty in the conflict, forcing their op. ers who attended the Reform convention throughout The managers of ponents to the fight. Even under such two years ago by saying they were in games had put forth circumstances, a victory might have Toronto 'looking for cheap whisky and called forth a certain amount of admira. sadly in need of a bath," and a lot of feated, they must bear all the odium flung the following insulting jibe at the Brussels games the day after the Luckthat falls to the lot of beaten braggarts, young men who propose to attend the holding of them on Thursday, and it was Mewat celebration on Tuesday next :

"They may be found at street corners after nightfall. They are fond of the shelter of friendly fences, against which they can lean, to pull at the cigar ends that accident places at their command. They are redolent of whisky and slang, and tobacco and profamity."

If it be true, as we hear, that the writer of the above passed his earliest years on the streets of Halifax, the associate of the offscourings of that seaport, and was afterwards educated through have been of use. Now, no intelligent the charity of the Archbishop of that city, the young men of Ontario without

While rowing from the island to, the mainland at Puslinch Lake on Thursday two Galt gentlemen saw a huge serpent rise fully four feet out of the water. reptile headed towards their boat and will continue to hold the celebration on the latter gentlemen a sort of good-na only ceased following them when shallow water was reached. The serpent is distime to come. The cribed as being fully 14 feet in length with a large flat-topped head. An old are as follows: John Alexander, chief; Halton. Everybody was not delighted, but no one lost temper over the result.

Sum a large nat-topped nesd. An old state of the state of

THE NORTHERN GAMES A Successful Celebration at

. Fine Bay—A Large Gathering — Keen Competition—A Grand Concert in the Evening.

Brussels.

September 9th will be a day long renembered in the flourishing village of "That legislation by the Dominion of Canada as well as by the Province of Ontario was necessary to give binding effect as against the Dominion and the Province to the award of the ? do f August, 1878, and that as no such legislation has taken place, the award is not binding."

Macdonald's duty is here clearly indicated. He should have ratified the award by legislation. Mowat had always contended that all that was necessary was the same legislation by the Commons the same legislation by the Commons in the games arrived, and were received in the games arrived, and were received in the games arrived, and were received. in the games arrived, and were received at the station by the Brussels Caledonians, headed by pipers. Tuesday morning opened with every indication of fair and warm weather, and throughout the day the prognostics of the morning were ally borne out. By the aix a.m. train the Kincardine fire company and a host of visitors from the north arrived, and from all the points of the compass, the visitors continued to pour in by vehicle during the day. Amongst

THE VISITORS we noticed, John Leckie, of Toronto, an old-time reeve of Brussels; John Dromgole, W. Roberts, A. McPherson, London; J. D. Stewart, Hamilton; A. McControl of the control o we noticed, John Leckie, of Toronto, an old-time reeve of Brussels; John Dromgole, W. Roberts, A. McPherson, London; J. D. Stewart, Hamilton: A. McIntyre and family, Lucknow; E. Doherty, Galt; Robt. Baird, E. Robertson, Kincardine; J. Cunningham, Clinton; T. Manuel, A. Roe, Wingham; P. Hogsn, J. McMichael, W. Grieve, T. Tapsley, T. Hays, J. Carroll, Seaforth; Geo. Hamilton, Newry; H. Gosman, Blyth; Hamilton, Newry; H. Gosman, Blyth; R. Miller, T. Miller, Wroxeter; Thos. Wilson, Fordwich; Thos. McLaughlin, A. McIntosh, J. Smith. Gorrie; W. J. Shannon, McKillop; W. Douglas, Turnberry, and others. The

NUMBER OF ATHLETES L. Sinclair, Galt, and a number of other lesser celebrities.

THE HOSE REEL COMPETITION was the first event of the day, and was held on Turnberry street shortly before W Y Saunders; 3rd C Campbell. noon. Companies from Kincardine, Seaforth and Clinton entered in this ed as to the result. When, however, the trials of speed were had, it was discovered that Kincardine was an easy winner,

J. D. Stewart, manager The Pipers. Clansmen in Costume. Lads and lassies in costume The guests. Chief Alexander. Members of Brussels Caledonian Society The following were

THE HIGHLANDERS' IN COSTUME

Geo. A. Matheson, Angus Macdonald, G. A. Smith and M. J. Paterson, Hamilton; John Fotheringham, Toronto Geo. Angus and Jas. Moon, London Jas. Anderson, Lucknow; and T. Ballantyne, Brussels. Boys and girls—Robt. McPherson, John Rattray, Robt.

THE ATTENDANCE OF SPECTATORS was large, and during the day not le than between 3,000 and 4,000 persons viewed the games. The competition in the ring games was particularly keen, and we have rarely attended a gathering where a larger list, or a better class of athletes took part in the contest. The competition was of the "hottest" kind everywhere, and a good-natured and hon est rivalry could be easily observed

SPECIAL EFFORTS this year to make the games attractive almost impossible for the reporters of the weekly newspapers to be in attendance that day; the games at Brusse's suffered to some extent from lack of being so largely advertised outside, as would otherwise have been the case. This year the managers took a new view of the situation, and the date was changed and placed before that of Luck-The result showed that the decision of the directors of the Brussels Cale donian Society in this respect was a wise one. A full representation of pipers, dancers and athletes was had, and the newspaper men were out in good force, the Toronto Globe, London Advertiser forth Sun being represented. On the whole, the change has been a wise one, and we hope the officers of the society who is decidedly corpulent. Between the second Tuesday in September in the

OFFICERS OF THE SOCIETY

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tain; Thos. Ballantyne, 4th chieftein; F. S. Soutt, secy-treas., James Ross, asst-sec'y., who together with C. R. Vanstona, Dugald Strachan, D. A. Smale, R. Black, A. Good, J. Young,

ommittee.

The result of the sports on the gran be easily seen by a glance at

THE PRIZE LIST.

Standing long jump—W F Scott, 11

ft 1½ in.; 2nd D M Sullivan, 10 ft 5 in.;

Srd A Scott.

Standing hop, step and jump—A

Scott, 32 ft 3 in.; 2nd D M Sullivan, 31

ft 10½ in.; 3rd W F Scott, 31 ft 9½ in.

Standing high jump—W F Scott, 5 ft

1 in.; 2nd E W Johnston; 3rd A Scott.

Running high jump—A Scott. 5 ft 8 Running high jump—A Scott, 5 ft 8 n.: 2nd E W Johnston; 3rd A C Reid. Running long jump—A C Reid, 21 ft 7 in.; 2nd J G Gibb, 21 ft 3½ in.; 3rd A

Doupe, 20 ft 8 in.

Vaulting—A Scott, 10 ft.; 2nd W F
Scott, 9 ft 11 in.; 3rd D M Sullivan. Running hop, step and jump—G Gibb, 43 ft 9 in.; 2nd W F Scott, 42 ft 8 in.; 3rd DM Sullivan, 42 ft 6 in. 3rd DM Sullivan, 42 ft 6 in.
Throwing heavy hammer—D Smith, 98 ft 6 in.; 2nd E W Johnston, 81 ft 6 in.; ft 6 in.; 2nd E W Johnston, 81 ft 6 in.;
3rd J D McColl, 80 ft 6½ in.
Putting heavy shot—J D McColl 34 ft
4½ in.; 2nd L Sinclair, 34 ft 2 in.
Putting light shot—J D McColl, 45
ft.; 2nd G Perrie, 44 ft 1 in.; 3rd A
Scott, 43 ft.
Tracing schem—D Smith 38 ft 41 in.

Tossing caber—D Smith, 38 ft 4½ in.; 2nd J D McColl, 38 ft 3½ in.; 3rd E W Johnston. 37 ft 9 in.

Throwing 56-lb. weight high—E W
Johnston, 11 ft.; J D McColl; G Perrie.

Throwing light hammer—D Smith.104
ft 10 in.; 2nd J D McColl, 100 ft 10 in.;

Best dancer—Highland fling, G A Matheson; 2nd J Moon; 3rd J Fother-NUMBER OF ATHLETES

present was particularly large, and amongst them we observed: A. Scott, Dundas; W. F. Scott, Brussels; Geo. Gibb, Blenheim; E. W, Johnston, Barrie; A. Doupe, St. Marys; J. D. McColl, Ailss Craig; G. Perrie, Brussels; D. M. Sullivan, Dundas; A. C. Reid, Parkhill; A. Robinson, Parkhill; D. Smith, chief of police, Woodstock; A. Woods, Galt; W. Y. Saunders, Galt; L. Sinclair, Galt, and a number of other Boys' race 100 yards—Lewis Jackson; 2nd John McLeod.

Four hundred yards race—1st J Campbell; 2nd J McKay.

Half-mile-race—1st, A Robinson; 2nd

Boys' race under 10 years—1st A Chap-man; 2nd K Scott; 3rd Chas, Jackson. Two hundred yards race, for firemen-Dietrich.

One hundred yards race—1st A Robin-

Reid; 3rd, A Robins Archery, open to all—1st Rachel Alexander; 2nd Mrs. J Alexander. Archery, local competition—1st Miss Hunter; 2nd Rachel Alexander.

Tug-of-war—Clinton, two in three.
Judges—Dancing, etc.—J Leckie, Toonto; D Stewart, Brussels; J Ballantyne, Brussels. Racing and tug-of-war— J D Stewart, J Dromgole and J Doher-ty. Archery—D McGillicuddy, G Gibb and J Kerr.

THE CONCERT

in the evening, in the town hall, was one of the finest ever held in Brussels. and reflected credit upon the committee of management for having gone to the labor and expense of providing so excellabor and expense of providing so excel-lent a musical treat. Capital songs were given by Messrs. Dromgole, Hargreaves and Hamilton, and by Mrs. Revell, of Torento, Miss Maggie Barr, of Hamilton, Miss Ella Cole, of London, and Miss Maude Wynn, of Goderich. "The Highlandman's Toast," and "Mary of Arryle." by Mr. Dromgole were particu-Argyle," by Mr. Dromgole were particularly well rendered, and "Caller Herrin," Miss Cole, and "The Land of the Leal," by Miss Maggie Barr were effect-Burns and J. Trainem, London; Alex. ively given. In fact, the singing throughout was a rare treat. A couple of instru-mental pieces were also well played by Miss Lizzie Jackson, and Miss Grace Ronald and Miss Jackson were the accompanists during the evening. The singing was interspersed with dancing and piping to the general satisfaction of those present. Piper Smith, of Hamilton, furnished the music, Geo. A. Math eson, of Hamilton, the champion, favor ed with a highland fling, little Islay Mo Intyre, of Lucknow also did some pretty step dancing, and Jas. Anderson was inimitable in his Irish jig. The audience was a large and appreciative one, and meted out generous applause at intervals during the evening. The chair was occupied by John Leckie, of Toronto, in a highly creditable manner.

CONTEMPORARY OPINION.

AFTER THE PROOFS WERE DESTROYED. When Mr. Dwight, general manage of the Northwest Telegraph Company, destroyed the telegrams which passed between the Tory wire-pullers, he put it beyond the reach of the commission to fasten this conspiracy upon those who were accused of participation in it, and the suppose that he are the statement of the stat thereupon they became cheeky and inso-lent, Sir David Macpherson so much so as to be snubbed and silenced by the court .- [Kingston Whig.

SIR JOHN'S LITTLE JOKE. At the Windsor Hotel today a small knot of people gathered around Sir John Seaforth Expositor, HURON SIGNAL, Macdonald. Among these were Mr. Brussels Post, Clinton New Era and Sea-Hugh McLennan, President of the Cititured dispute arose as to who should entertain Lieutenant Greely. This was interrupted by Sir John with, "I think, Mr. McLennan, Lieutenant Greely would

THE LUCKNOW SAMES

The Largest Gathering Yet Held.

The Attendance — The Competitions — Un-ruly Conduct of D. C. Ross—The Open Air Concert and Pyrotechnic Dusplay.

Lucknow village held up her end of the stick in great shape on Wednesday. last, when the tenth annual athletic cele-bration under the auspices of the Cale-donian society was held. This year the attendance was larger than ever before, and the number of competitors was also nuch increased. Amongst THE VISITORS

resent were : Hon. A. M. Ross, treasurpresent were: Hon. A. M. Ross, treasur-er of Ontario; M. C. Cameron, M. P. for West Huron; H. P. O'Connor, M. P.P. for south Bruce; Dr. McCrimmon, St. Thomas; W. G. Reid, chief Hamilton Caledonian society; Mayor Kline, Walk-erton; M. Hutchison, F. Jordan, W. Lee, D. McDonald, R. S. Williams, Capt. Dancy, Goderich; J. Alexander, chief Brussels Caledonian society; F. S. Scott. T. Fletcher, Brussels; Mayor Scott, T. Fletcher, Brussels; Mayor Meyer, Wingham; E. Doherty, Galt, and others.

was represented by W. Manning, London Free Press; D. McGillicuddy, The Signal, Goderich; Jas. Bryan, Lucknow Sentinel; J. T. Mitchell, Wingham Vidette; H. W. Ball, Goderich Star; and W. Campbell, Toronto Mail. The following appeared on the grounds IN HIGHLAND COSTUME :

Thos. Cameron, Alex Lawson, Chicago Alex. McPherson, D. E. Cameron, Thos. McDonald, Jas. Anderson, Lucknow; McDonald, Jas. Anderson, Lucknow; Jas. Moon, Geo. Angus, London; G. A. Matheson, M. J. Patheson, G. A. Smith, A. Macdonald, Hamilton; Wm. Mitchell, John Macdonald, London; D. A. Mc-Intyre, D. Campbell, M. Campbell, Lucknow.

Boys—John Trainem, Robt. McPherson, John Rattray, Robt. Burns, London; Harry McIntyre, Alex. McIntyre, Lucknow; Calvin Sinclair, Hamilton. THE COMPETITION

a the different games was keen, and the interest in the proceedings never flagged. The ground proved a little spongy and soft for yaulting, tossing caber, and other contests of a like nature, and especially in the vaulting, militated much against the record. In other respects most of the proceedings of the day were of a highly enjoyable nature, and the 10,000 or 11.000 people present seemed to enter heartily into the enjoyment of the games. There was one feature which we would enter protest against, and that is the tolerating by the society of the

BOWDYISM OF D. C. ROSS who behaved in a mort disgraceful man ner, during the sword combat. He was having a bout with Prof. McGregor, the Toronto fencing master, and was getting the worst of the count on points at the hands of his more skilful antogenist. In this strait he allowed his passion to get the mastery of him, and deliberately knocked his opponent off the platform twice by sheer brute force. The spectators called "Shame!" and the judges re-monstrated with him, but this appeared to have no effect upon him further than wrath, in the most depraved language, upon all and sundry who took exception o his cowardly manner of doing business. He was finally ruled out by the judges, and if the ruling out was made for all time in the instance of D. C. Ross, the Lucknow Society would be the gainer. Ross is a powerful athlete, but he is a foul-mouthed fellow, and of a low moral stripe. If he cannot compete in a decent manner, he should not be allowed to take part in any games where ladies and gentlemen are amongst the spec-tators. Perhaps the most exciting event of the day was

THE TUG OF WAR between picked teams from the countier of Huron and Bruce. Hon. A. M. Ross captained the Huron team, which was comprised of : J. J. Dalton, John Matheson, Alex. McKae, Roy McKenzie, Dan McIvor, Alex. McLean, James Henderson, Jas. Archibean, Wm. Brant. The Bruce team led by H. P. O'Connor was: Pete Campbell, Jos. Alexander. Mat Nicholson, Harry Alexander, John Hays, Wm. Taylor, Hugh Taylor, M. H. McClure, Murd Morrison, Roderick McKenzie. Mr. O'Connor won the toss, and chose position. After some preliminaries had been settled, the men settled down to solid, steady work, and for about five minutes a terrible struggle ensued, until finally the Bruce men began to fail, and they were then quickly dragged across the score. The second heat was almost a repetition of the hard work of its predecessor, but was won by the Bruce men, In the third victory perched on the banner of the Huron men, after some heavy work had been done by both teams. The success of the Huron team was greeted with loud and prolonged cheers by their sympathisers amongst the spectators, and for a time the air was filled with boisterous congratulatory cries. In the even ing an

was given on the grounds by the hand of the 32nd Batt., which was largely attended, and the display of fireworks was exceptionally fine. The day's doings were brought to a close by the holding of a ball in the Caledonian hall in the even-

ing. The following is The Prize List. LOCAL COMPETITION.

3rd G Perrie, 40 ft 8 in. Throwing light hammer—G Perrie, 97 ft 7 in.; 2nd D McIntosh, 87 ft.; H Mc-

Anderson, 3rd H McIntyre. Anderson, 3rd H McIntyre.

Amateur piper competition—D H Mckay; 2nd D Mckay, 3rd A Finlayson. Irish jig—For Trishmen only—Aaron Fitzell, 2nd Larry Tracy, 3rd Jas Ander-

Best dressed Highlander-A McPher Best dressed Highlander—A McFherson; 2nd H McIntyre, 3rd D Campbell.
Quarter-mile amateur race—Thos.
Little; 2nd A McDonald, 3rd Geo Kerr. Sword dance, boys under 18 years-J

Rattray; 2nd R McPherson; 3rd Robt Burns.
Scotch reet, boys and girls, prizes for girls—Miss Sinclair; 2nd Junnie Findlater; 3rd Bella McIntyre.
Best dressed Highlander—A McPherson; 2nd Geo Angus; 3rd T Cameron.
Best dressed boy between 10 and 18 years—R McPherson; 2nd C Sinclar; 3rd H McIntyre.

years—R McPherson; 2nd 53rd H McIntyre.

Best dressed boy under 10 years—A McIntyre; 2nd H L Smith; 3rd R

Burns.

OPEN TO THE WOELD Standing long jump—D M Sullivan, 10 ft 9 in.; 2nd W F Scott, 10 ft 7½ in.; 3rd Archie Scott, 10 ft 7 in.
Standing high jump—W F Scott, 4 ft. 10 in.; 2nd A Scott, 4 ft 9 in.; 3rd D M Sullivan, 4 ft 8 in.
Putting heavy stone—D C Ross, 35 ft. 10 in.; 2nd J D McColl, 34 ft 6 in.; 3rd G Parrie, 32 ft 9 in.

G Perrie, 32 ft 9 in.
Putting light stone—D C Ross, 45 ft 5 in.; 2nd J D McColl, 43 ft 6 in.; 3rd J McPherson, 43 ft.
Throwing heavy hammer—D C Ross, 101 ft 3 in.; 2nd D Smith, 100 ft. 2 in.; 3rd E W Jonnston, 89 ft 5 in.
Throwing light hammer—D C Rose,
123 ft 5 in.; 2nd D Smith, 118 ft.; 3rd E

W Johnston, 104 ft 7 in.
Throwing 56-lb high, one hand—D C
Ross, D McColl, E W Johnston. Tossing the caber—E W Johnston, 37 ft 6 in.; 2nd D C Ross, 37 ft.; 3rd D Smith, 36 ft 7 in. Pibroch-G A Smith; 2nd A Macdon

ald; 3rd Jas Moon. Marches—Jas Moon; 2nd A MacJon-Marches—Jas Moon; 2nd A MacJonald; 3rd G A Smith.
Strathapey and reel—J Moon; 2 Geo A Smith; 3rd A Macdonald.
Highland fling—G Matheson; 2nd J Fotheringham; 3rd J Moon.
Reel of Tulloch—Geo Matheson; 2nd J Moon; 3rd T Cameron.
Sailors'. Hornpipe—J Arderson; 2nd G A Matheson; 3rd T Campbell.
Strathapey and reel—G A Matheson; 2nd A McDonald; 3rd J Moon.
Highland fling—G A Matheson; 2nd A Macdonald; 3rd J Moon.
Highland fling, boys under 18 years—John Trainem; 2nd R McPherson; 3rd H McIntyre.

Running long jump—G Gibb, 20 ft I. in.; 2na H McMillan, 19 ft 9 in.; 3rd A.

C Reid, 19 ft 8 in.
Running high jump—E W Johnston
and A Scott tied at 5 ft 7 in.; 3rd G Gibb, 5 ft 6 in.

Hop, step and jump—G Gibb, 44 ft

in.; 2nd H McMillan, 43 ft 11 in.; 3rd D M Sullivan, 41 ft 6 in. Vaulting with pole—A Scott, 9 ft 10 in.; the second and third prizes were divided between D M Sullivan, G Gibb and H McMillan.
One hundred yards—A C Reid; 2nd Robinson; 3rd W Y Saunders. Half-mile race—A Robinson; 2nd E

J Case ; 3rd D Bennett. Mile race—E J Case ; 2nd D Bennett-3rd A Woods. Sack race—Geo Morris; 2nd P Lock-man; 3rd J Smith.
Old man's race—W Scrimgour; 2nd R.
Hamilton; 3rd W Bell.

Obstacle race-A Robinson : 2nd A Caldwell; 3rd A C Reid.
Hurdle race—A C Reid; 2nd A Scott; 3rd A Robinson. Commercial Travelers' race - W R Roberts; 2nd E Doherty; 3rd J R Vert. Walking match—C Smith; 2d D Ben-

nett : 3rd E J Case. Sword combat—Prof. McGregor; 2d as Moon; 3rd D C Ross ruled out Archery-Mrs R Copeland; 2d Mrs A McIntyre; 3rd Mrs W U Little; 4th Miss Balkwell; 5th Mrs D Camphell; 6th Miss Ida Rooklidge. Scotch wrestling-DC Ross; 2d E W ohnston ; 3rd W Bell.

Wresting in harness—DC Ross; 2ds E W Johnston; 3rd W Bell. Best dressed knight in costume-H Day. Tug of War-Huron won by two pulls

Literary Notes.

Canadian Methodist Magazine for September, 1884.—Price \$2 a year; \$1 for six months; 20 cents per number. For sale at all book-stores,

The article in this number which will ttract most attention is that by Principal Grant on "Organic Union of the Churches—How far should it go?" It is striking sign of the times to see this eloquent Presbyterian divine pleading in a Methodist Magazine for the union of the Presbyterian and Methodist Churches. John Reade's exceedingly interesting paper on "Some Curious Kinships" is concluded. Under the title "Yet, Not I," the Rev. David Savage contributes a remarkable account of "Revival Work in the Church of England under the Ministry of the Rev. W. Haslem."
It is nicely illustrated. The first of three copiously illustrated articles on "The Lord's Land," by the Rev. Hugh Johnston Rev. ston, B.D., is given. Lady Brassey's illustrated article on Japan is of special interest to Methodist readers. The Editor contributes an illustrated sketch of summer travel entitled "On the Hudson,"and writes editorially on "Imperial Federation," "Aggressive Christianity," etc. The story of "Old Fend-off," the etc. The story of "Old Fend-off," the eccentric "Methody" local preacher, is concluded.

The Polar Region. Lieutenant Greely of the Arctic ex-

pedition has been giving an outline of his experience in the far north, to the members of the British Association at Montreal. He expresses the opinion that while there is not a navigable sea at the pole, there is open water. He said that in one mile's travel into the interior ing which was a highly successful gatherhis foot never touched snow, and that vegetation abounded and is exceedingly luxuriant as compared with other poi Putting light stone--J Matheson, 41 ft 11 in ; 2nd J McPherson, 41 ft 10 in ; between turther south. Dead willow, served for firewood, was found in served for firewood, was found in abundance, and grasses and plants grew in such profusion as to completely cover large tracts of ground. A rather surprising Millan, 86 ft 10 in.

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