

Jeff Gets a Taste of the Horror of War

By "Bud" Fisher

SPORT NEWS OF A DAY;
AT HOME AND ABROAD

Y. M. C. A. League.

The Giants won from the Midgates three to one in a Y. M. C. A. League fixture last evening. The bowling all through was good. The details are as follows:

	Total	Avg.
Midgates	85	104
Swedes	77	80
Howard	75	75
Thorne	70	76
Gambin	67	74
Total	404	383

	Total	Avg.
Giants	82	76
Spice	81	82
Tapley	71	88
Andrews	63	88
Gambin	64	80
Total	401	418

City League.

The Insurance and Ramblers tied last evening in the City Bowling League. The game was interesting throughout and was watched by a large crowd of spectators. The details of the scoring was as follows:

	Total	Avg.
Insurance	63	82
L. Johnston	72	80
R. Johnston	88	83
H. Chase	84	82
Morse	91	77
Total	430	425

Ramblers

	Total	Avg.
Wilson	77	102
Jordan	72	81
Sutherland	82	84
Gaskin	87	81
McLennan	77	80
Total	412	440

O. H. Warwick Co. Ltd.

The record of wins last evening in the Commercial Bowling League and defeated Macaulay Bros. & Co. four points to none. The details are as follows:

	Total	Avg.
Macaulay Bros. & Co.	85	81
Morley	83	81
Smith	78	81
Latham	79	81
Taylor	88	79
Campbell	67	64
Total	385	368

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Ramey 82
Burton 84
Elderson 67
McIntyre 74
McLeod 84

Bowling Tournament Next Week.

The big tournament for the Brunswick-Balke Colander bowling trophy will open on Wednesday next in Black's alley. The trophy is at present held by Black's team.

Superior, Halifax and Fredericton will send teams and there is every prospect of some of the best bowling yet seen in the city.

The schedule as drawn up is as follows:

Wednesday 10:00 a. m., Sussex vs. Halifax; 2:00 p. m., Fredericton vs. Y. M. C. A.; 4:00 p. m., Blacks vs. Sussex; 7:00 p. m., Fredericton vs. Halifax; 9:00 p. m., Y. M. C. A. vs. Blacks.

Thursday 10:00 a. m., Sussex vs. Fredericton; 2:00 p. m., Y. M. C. A. vs. Halifax; 4:00 p. m., Fredericton vs. Blacks; 7:00 p. m., Sussex vs. Y. M. C. A.; 9:00 p. m., Blacks vs. Halifax.

Sussex Bowlers.

At least one team and possibly two will represent Sussex at the annual tournament for the bowling trophy for the Ball Calendar trophy in St. John next week on Black's alley. The Unique alleys will send a team and the Institute is talking of selecting five men to represent them.

Hockey

Taylor Storm Centre.

Ottawa, Nov. 23—Fred Taylor, was again the storm centre in Ottawa yesterday before his departure for the coast last night. Bruce Ripshat, Toronto manager, made an offer to the "Cyclone," said to have been larger than that which he had accepted from the Patriote. Taylor struck to his contract with the Patriote.

Taylor was accompanied by Kendall of the New Edinburghs, Goldie Progers, Eddie Oxtman and Jack Macdonald, Quebec contract jumpers. Taylor says that the Patriote have made a clean sweep of the

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CANADA ALWAYS
WILL BE BRITISH

Hon. George Graham, at Boston Banquet, Scouts Annexation Feeling

FRIENDLY RIVALRY

Ex-Minister of Railways Points to the Enormous Trade Between the Two Countries But Sees No Disloyalty in It—Alludes to "Flag" Election That Beat Liberals.

Montreal, Nov. 23—The medal to be presented by the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada to A. R. Kiviat for establishing a new Canadian mile record last September, will be presented this afternoon in Toronto. Kiviat lowered the mark by nearly two seconds, his time being four minutes 20.8 seconds.

THE BLARNEY STONE

Some Say it Gives Eloquence, Others Merely Ability to Bluff

The story of the Blarney stone is surrounded with a careless vagueness of historical detail characteristic of its origin and quite appropriate to the nature of the yarn itself.

Blarney is a village four miles northwest of Cork, with 800 inhabitants. It is situated on the Blarney River and has some celebrity for its treachery, but the castle and its stone are, of course, the main glory of the place.

The castle is little more than a square tower 120 feet high, with machicolated battlements and it was the stronghold of the McCarthy.

The famous stone is of triangular shape and is lowered from the north angle of the castle, about 20 feet to the top. It bears the following inscription:

Cormac McCarthy Forts Me
First Feat, A. D. 1446

How the stone secured its reputation is disputed, but the version given by Wheeler's "Familiar Allusions" is probably the true one. It is the only connected story offering anything like an explanation.

The story runs that in 1602 Cormac McCarthy, the lord of Castle Blarney, concluded an armistice with Carey, the Lord Resident, on condition of surrendering the fortress to the English garrison; but when over the fulfillment of his pledges was doubted, he invented some smooth and plausible excuse for delay, till Carey had time a laughing stock of Elizabeth's ministers.

"Thus," says Wheeler, "the term 'blarney' became a byword and was used to denote a soft, insinuating, and deceitful manner of speech."

"It is said that Queen Elizabeth herself was the first to use the phrase 'It's all blarney'."

The reference authorities thus describe the virtue that follows the kissing of the stone:

Dr. Brewer's "Dictionary of Phrase and Fable": "Whoever does this shall be able to persuade to anything."

Wheeler's "Familiar Allusions": "The virtue of imparting to any one who kisses it a fluent, persuasive and not over honest tongue."

Farmer and Henley's "Slang Dictionary": "Blarneying, soft speech, or savoring gross flattery, glibness."

Dixon's "Dictionary of Modern Slang": "To be full of flattery and persuasive language."

Trench H. Johnson's "Phrases and Names": "Slave speeches intended only to gain time."

"Loyalty" "Encyclopedic Dictionary": "Smooth, meaningless, flattering Irish speech, designed to put the person addressed in good humor and thus any further ulterior motive which the orator may have in view."

The virtues of the stone are immortalized in Miliken's "Groves of Blarney," which contains this verse added by Father Prout of "Relief" fame:

That whoever kisses,
Or he never misses,
To grow eloquent,
Don't hope to hinder him
Or to bewilder him,
From the Blarney Stone.

Samuel Lover has also written about the Blarney Stone. The best known verse is:

O say, would you find this same "Blarney"
There's a castle not far from Killarney,
On the top of its wall
There's a stone that contains all this Blarney.

Like a magnet its influence such is,
That attraction it gives all it touches;
If you kiss it, they say,
From that blessed day,
You may kiss whom you please with your Blarney.

The exact position of the stone is another matter of considerable dispute, and

EXPERTS PICK CROWTHER OF BROWN AS
BEST QUARTERBACK OF THE SEASON

Providence, R. I., Nov. 23—With the end of the football season in sight the experts are now beginning to select the best players of the season. According to many eastern experts, George Crowther, a player of the Boston Braves, is easily a rival of Speckard, last year's star in the position, whose place he is filling. His work was the feature of the last game. With little left to support against Harvard, Crowther circled the ends time

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