

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY IN THE WORLD OF SPORT.

TIGERS PROVIDED A GOOD CARD.

Athletic Entertainment at the Alexandra Rink.

Big Regatta to be Held in Put-in-Bay—Canadian Boats Will Rendezvous at Port Colborne.

The Tiger Olympic benefit held in the Alexandra Rink last evening was a huge success, financially and otherwise. The public responded nobly to the efforts put forth by the Tiger Football Club in the interests of those to be sent to England this summer, and a good evening's sport was provided.

Fourth—Boles I. F., Campbell C., Male 1b, Smith R. F., Hughes S., Robin 3b, Hostrun 2b, Sheridan I., McMahon P. Tigers—McLeod I. S., Smith R. F., Lemou C., Carey P., Lyon R. S., Tope 2b, Isbister 1b, Wigle 2b, Barron I. F.

Next came the 40 yards dash. A number of the best sprinters in the city took part in this event, it being open to all. Kerr made excellent time for the distance, running the 40 yards in 4 3/4 seconds. In the first heat White was winner, with Taylor right at his heels.

Next in order came a gymnastic exhibition by Messrs. Linkert and Keeffe, who entertained the audience for 10 minutes. One of the funniest and most exciting events of the evening was the pick-a-back wrestling between Barron and the veteran of the open event, Kerr, and the two made a pretty fight for first place, Kerr winning out in 4 3/4 seconds.

The boxing exhibitions were fairly interesting, the bout between Watson and Awrey being an exciting one, especially in the second round. Watson showed himself to be a very scientific boxer, and gave Awrey a little trouble at times. Awrey is more of a fighter than a boxer, but he can take care of himself very well.

In the one mile pursuit race in which Coley, Sherring, and McQuinn entered, the latter mentioned showed his class by defeating the bunch, and doing the mile in four minutes and 14 seconds. Tom Coley was second, with the time of 4 minutes and 10 seconds being chalked up against him.

The tug-of-war match between the 13th and 91st regiments was rather exciting, and it was only after a hard struggle that the 13th won the first pull by a half-inch. On the 91st all the 13th, however, drew the 91st all the way.

13th—Townsend, Mahon, Ellis, Rodgers, Robins, Bell, Parish, Warren. P. C. Jim Clark, the genial policeman, was the judge, and a fair one he was at that.

This wound up one of the most pleasant evening's sports that have ever been held in the city.

INTER-LAKE REGATTA To be Held in July at Put-in-Bay. Buffalo, April 14.—At the Niagara Hotel last night the Buffalo Yacht Club, at one of the best meetings ever held by that organization during its history, a brilliant season of sailing, speed competitions and cruising, was mapped out, approved and adopted.



ED. LA LONDE, CORNWALL, Who will manage the Hamilton lacrosse team this season.

HIGHFIELD CRICKET.

G. C. Ferrie Will Captain the School Team This Year.

The annual meeting of the Highfield School Cricket Club was held yesterday. The following officers were elected: Hon. President—S. F. Washington, K. C. President—J. H. Collinson, M. A. Captain—G. C. Ferrie. Secretary—L. S. Hope. Committee—Mr. Townsend, K. A. Murray, C. W. G. Gibson, J. D. Scott.

SCHRECK STOPPID.

Newcastle, Pa., April 14.—Mike Schreck, of Cincinnati, saved himself a knockout by Tony Ross here last night before 2,000 people by refusing to begin the tenth of what was scheduled as a 12-round bout.

He claimed Ross hit him twice on the left jaw as he was sitting down after the gong sounded in the ninth round. Both men went easy the first five rounds, Schreck outpointing Ross. Schreck roughed the sixth and seventh, having Ross groggy. Ross started using his right, and the eighth and ninth were his, Schreck being all but out when the ninth closed.

TORONTO BATTED HARD.

Lancaster, Pa., April 14.—The home team proved easy picking for Toronto last evening. They only saved themselves from a shut-out by lurching a triple and a single in the third. The score was 16 to 1, with the Maple Leafs having batting base in the second, third and eighth innings.

Outfielder Walsh refused to go to Lincoln, preferring the New York State, even at \$50 a month less and a month longer season. He is expected to be returned to Boston.

BASEBALL GENERALS.

Following are the leading lights in the two big leagues, which take the field to-day: National: Manager, ... Captain, ...

The National League's young executive, Harry C. Pullman, regards the outlook for the senior league with optimistic sentiments. Says he: "All indications point to the most successful season for the National League, and for baseball in general, in the history of our game as an organized pastime."

London Free Press: The remarkable lull that comes from Hamilton would lead one to believe that Paige already has his world-beaters all signed up. Yesterday went by without a single player of big league timber being added to the Hamilton roster.

"Knotty" Lee has shown good form on the Montreal training trip, and appears to have a chance for a place on Casey's twirling staff.

The excellent reports which come from the south concerning the showing made by Gladstone Grany, the southpaw drafted from Wilkesbarre by the Cleveland Americans does not surprise me in the least. His delinquency Grany possesses is a tendency to wildness. All he needs is to conquer it, and then he is sure to be a big winner.—H. G. Merrill, in Sporting News.

Toronto Mail: Empire: Walter McCullen, Hamilton's nominee for the council of the C.I.A., will have the support of almost every delegate at the Good Friday meeting. Mr. McCullen has been responsible for the revival of interest in the Ambitions City, and in addition to having a thorough knowledge of every branch of the game, he possesses executive ability of no mean order.

BASEBALL SEASON OPENS TO-DAY.

Games In the National and American Leagues.

Brantford Will Have a Senior Lacrosse Team After All—The Wrestler Wins at Benings.

To-day the National and American Leagues open their 1908 season. The games scheduled are: American League—Detroit at Chicago, St. Louis at Cleveland, Washington at Boston, Philadelphia at New York.

WEST SIDE JUNIORS. At a meeting held at F. H. Sherrett's store last night the West Side Junior Baseball League was organized. The following clubs were represented: Victorians, Eskines, Aldershots, Beavers and Ascensions. Games will be played at Victoria Park and Aldershot, each club making one trip to the village across the bay.

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Kennedy, the roughhouse artist from New York. Up to the present Hurlbut has been an amateur, but he has decided to jump into the professional ranks, and this affair will be his first match for a purse. The return bout will come off in Peterboro. "Gene" is a beautifully built fellow, standing six feet four, and built in proportion. He knows about all the tricks of the trade, and should defeat the New Yorker easily. The latter's stock in trade consists of a willingness to stand punishment, coupled with rough tactics.

SAME AS EVER. Sunshine Warms Up Brantford Lacrosse Enthusiasts. (Special Despatch to the Times.) Brantford, April 14.—Brantford will not be behind this year as generally reported in matters of senior lacrosse. A meeting has been called for Thursday night at the Belmont, when the club will be reorganized, and efforts to place a strong team on the senior C. L. A. series will be undertaken. Local enthusiasts have been watching with interest the movements of the Hamilton management, and President Herbert, and it is the general consensus of opinion that something pretty good can be gathered together here to stack up against the Hamilton importations. The meeting on Thursday night is likely to prove a hummer, as the local players are themselves taking hold of the scheme, and will push it through to a successful conclusion.

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WINSLOW. Rev. G. F. Brown, of Attercliffe Station, is attending annual conference this week. Church services of this place will be in charge of Mr. John Neargarth on Sunday, April 19th. As it is Easter Sunday a special programme is being prepared. Mr. Samuel Cooper has slightly improved in health since last writing. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lynch, of Smithville, called on friends of this place on Sunday last. Some bad boys broke the front window of Mr. Franklin Polick's house on Friday or Saturday of last week. Mr. Wilmer Lane, of Lane Brothers, Smithville, attended church here last Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Emery Killins, of this place, are the happy parents of a beautiful little boy.

KELVIN. There died at his late residence on Monday night Mr. Allan Mather, an old and respected resident of this place. Deceased had been ailing for several months with heart trouble and dropsy, and everything that loving hands could do was of no avail. He had lived in Kelvin for a number of years, and was a member of the Methodist Church. The funeral was conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. Cookman, on Wednesday afternoon, after which the remains were laid at rest in the Kelvin Cemetery. He leaves an aged widow, three sons and an only daughter, who will have the deepest sympathy of a large circle of friends in their hour of affliction. Mr. and Mrs. Fiddling spent a couple of days last week with their son, Alton. A large quantity of maple syrup has been made in this place this season, and sold very readily for 81.25 per gallon. The cheese factory has begun business again for this season. There is not a very large amount of milk at present. Mr. and Mrs. James Mather are rejoicing over the arrival of a young son in their home. It is rumored that a couple of weddings will take place here in the near future. Local storekeepers have just been placing a lot of new spring goods in their stores here.

DETACHED MALEFACTORS. Make Up the Black Hand, Says Italy's King. Rome, April 13.—King Victor Emanuel to-day received Messrs. Waterhorn and Howland, immigration commissioners from New York, and chatted pleasantly with them for some time. Alluding to the Black Hand and similar alleged organizations, the King frankly declared his belief that they were mostly mythical. "I wish you would convince the people of America," he said, "that such things as the Camorra and Mafia do not exist as organized bodies with rules, a hierarchy, and definite objects, as the imagination of novelists or tradition depicts them. Likewise, supposing the Black Hand to be an emanation from the Camorra or Mafia is absurd. The Black Hand is merely a gang of detached malefactores which happens to form among Italians as it has in the past among other nationalities. Such occurrences are as highly regretted here as they are in America, as they cast discredit on a large body of respectable and hard-working emigrants."

WOMAN'S THROAT CUT. Screams Follow Appearance of Man at Home at Unusual Hour. New York, April 14.—Mrs. E. Liberman, the wife of a shirt waist manufacturer who has a small factory in the Bronx Borough, was found murdered in her apartment at 706 Courtlandt avenue to-day. Her husband was taken into custody pending an investigation by the coroner. Mrs. Liberman's throat was cut and there was a great wound in her left side. Liberman left his home this morning to go to his factory, but soon returned, telling the janitress of the apartment house that he had forgotten the keys to his factory. A few minutes after he went to his apartment the janitress heard screams and found Liberman in the hall with a blood-stained knife in his hand. Saturday Liberman applied to a lawyer to secure a summons for his wife accusing her of infidelity, but the summons was refused.

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