

BASEBALL, ROWING,
BOWLING, RACING, TENNIS

SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

QUOITING, BOXING,
FOOTBALL, GOLF, CRICKETLOCALS TAKE DOUBLE-HEADER
FROM HAMILTON STUDENTSLatter Put Up a Listless Game Before Small Crowd at Tecumseh
Park, and Londons Hammer Their Pitchers To All
Points of the Compass.

Before a crowd that in size marked the closing chapters of professional baseball in the Forest City, the Orphans yesterday took a double-header from the Tigers in a manner that reminded one of the baby and the candy table.

In the first contest the visitors managed to get over one run; in the second they did better, getting two. London both times scored an even ten.

Parkins' Inevitable.

The Tigers could do nothing with Cy Parkins in the opening game, and apparently they realized the fact shortly after hostilities opened. Muir, on the other hand, was tapped here, there and all over for a total of 14 bingles. But one Tiger reached first after the initial inning, and he got no further.

Doubles by Curtis and Brennan gave the crowd from Blufftown their lone tally at the going. After that suspension, buttons and collar buttons were twisted, bent and torn by the Tigers in trying to massacre Parkins' offerings. The veteran from the coal regions was never in better trim, and a better assortment of buttons have never been offered at Tecumseh Park.

Sharp breaks that caused the batsman to miss by a foot, slow drops that almost straight down when near the plate—these and other like twists kept the Hamilton players tearing morsels out of the atmosphere with their bats.

The London team played almost perfect ball, and it was not until the final inning that an error was made by a local player.

In two innings only did more than three visiting batsmen come to the plate, and then but four faced the venerable Silas.

Heavy Hitting.

To begin to describe the London end of the batting argument would require an entire page.

Suffice it to say, that with the exception of the sixth and eighth innings, the locals scored from one to three runs per inning. Errors played no small part in the run-getting, but timely hitting was chiefly responsible. Ward, at short, for the Tigers, twice robbed "Toots" Jeffries of his sensational running catches of liners. Jack McHugh performed nicely in right, and Keenan was at his best, which means that he played Al baseball all the way.

LONDON.					
A.	B.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Bird, s.s.	2	2	1	2	2
Johnson, 2b	5	0	2	1	2
C. Jeffries, c.f.	5	1	2	0	0
Keenan, 3b	3	1	1	1	2
Delaney, 1b	5	1	2	7	0
Maxey, c.	5	1	1	13	0
B. Jeffries, r.f.	2	1	2	1	0
McHugh, r.f.	4	2	1	2	0
Parkins, p.	3	1	1	2	2
Totals	39	10	14	27	8

HAMILTON.					
A.	B.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Curtis, 3b	4	1	1	2	8
Ward, s.s.	4	0	0	3	3
Brennan, 2b	3	1	0	0	0
Coyle, l.f.	3	0	0	0	0
Long, 1b	3	0	1	8	0
Bradford, c.f.	3	0	0	3	0
Gleason, r.f.	3	0	0	0	0
O'Meara, c.	3	0	0	4	1
Muir, p.	3	0	0	1	1
Totals	30	1	3	24	9

Errors—Curtis 3, Brennan 1, Gleason 1, O'Meara 2, Muir, Bird.

Runs by innings—
London.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
Hamilton.....2 0 0 0 0 1 0—10

Hits by innings—
London.....2 0 0 0 0 0 1—10
Hamilton.....3 2 4 1 1 2 1—14

Two-base hits—Curtis, Brennan and Delaney.
Stolen bases—Curtis, B. Jeffries 2, McHugh.

Sacrifice hits—Keenan 2.
Base on balls—Off Muir, Bird, Parkins, Strick out—By Muir 1, by Parkins 12.
Left on bases—Hamilton 2, London 3.

First base on errors—Hamilton 1, London 4.
Passed ball—O'Meara.

Wild pitches—Muir.
Umpire—Smith.
Time of game—1:30.

SECOND GAME.

There was little difference between the wind-up and the curtain-raiser, with the exception that Dumond took things a trifle easier than Parkins did, and allowed the visitors six hits and two runs.

Two singles, an error by Bird, and a stolen base gave the Tigers two runs in the third, after which they never had the semblance of a look-in at the run column, although Bradford started the fourth by rapping out a two-bagger near the left-field flag.

"Nig" Jeffries and Jack McHugh collided while going after a fly-off O'Meara's stick in that round, but neither was injured, McHugh getting the ball.

The Orphans, for their part, had a regular derby day at bat, and kept the Tigers busy trying to produce a slabster who had "something."

Long, who is usually effective, was first offered for sacrifice. After he was given his quietus Brennan was sent in for a drubbing, and after London averages had soared skyward the veteran Bradford, late of New Orleans, Toronto and other places, was trotted out. Brad got away fairly well, and succeeded in fanning two of the aspiring locals.

The game was called in the seventh, and nobody wept because of its termination.

The London players worked hard at all times, but the Tigers put up the rawest kind of an exhibition, apparently being too much interested in the

Eastern League

Won.	Lost.	P.C.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Buffalo.....23	27	.460	Toronto.....24	23	.511
Providence.....24	26	.479	Montreal.....22	26	.458
Baltimore.....25	25	.500	Sochester.....22	26	.458
Newark.....26	23	.529	Jersey City.....26	24	.519

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
Rochester 5, Buffalo 6.
Newark 2, Baltimore 1.
Montreal 4, Toronto 2.
Jersey City 1, Providence 4.

TODAY'S GAMES
Rochester at Buffalo.
Montreal at Toronto.
Providence at Jersey City.
Newark at Baltimore.

National League

Won.	Lost.	P.C.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago.....42	27	.607	Philadelphia.....35	33	.515
Pittsburgh.....42	29	.593	Boston.....35	40	.463
New York.....42	29	.593	Brooklyn.....27	41	.397
Cincinnati.....38	32	.541	St. Louis.....25	45	.357

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
Philadelphia 4, Pittsburgh 1.
Chicago 6, Brooklyn 2.
Cincinnati 8, New York 2.
St. Louis 7, Boston 2.

TODAY'S GAMES
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.
New York at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.

American League

Won.	Lost.	P.C.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit.....42	30	.583	Philadelphia.....35	33	.515
St. Louis.....42	30	.583	Boston.....35	40	.463
Chicago.....41	33	.557	Washington.....27	44	.380
Cleveland.....39	32	.557	New York.....27	46	.370

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
Philadelphia 2, St. Louis 0.
Cleveland 4, Detroit 0.
Detroit 2, New York 2.
Washington 7, Chicago 1.

TODAY'S GAMES
St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at Boston.
Detroit at New York.
Chicago at Washington.

Dates Set for Quoiting Tourney
To Be Played on New Grounds

The annual tournament of the Forest City Quoiting Club will be held on the new club grounds, Horton street, on Aug. 2, 4 and 5. Among the events will be the competition for the championship of America as well as the lightweight championship. In the latter event quots up to 6 pounds will be allowed.

The entrance fee to be paid at time of entry is \$1. Dominion quoiting rules will govern the matches. The first draw will be made at noon, Aug. 3, play beginning at 1 p.m. the same day, and the following days at 9 a.m.

In addition to the consolation prizes the following will be offered:
First Series—1st prize, Forest City trophy and \$20; 2nd prize, \$20; 3rd prize, \$15; 4th prize, \$10.

Second Series—1st prize, \$18; 2nd prize, \$14; 3rd prize, \$8; 4th prize, \$4.
Lightweight Championship—1st prize, Dominion House trophy and \$10; 2nd prize, \$10; 3rd prize, \$5.

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Some Good Going at the Matinee

Good fields and excellent going were the order of the day at the Queen's Park track yesterday, and the matinee races were voted the best of the season.

Class I contained but two starters, both horses belonging to Mr. George McCormick, but the race which resulted was about as pretty a contest as could be asked for.

W. E. Robinson drove Charley K., while Mr. McCormick handled Wilksteel, and although the latter won it was not before Charley K. had annexed the second heat.

The other events were also splendidly contested, although the heats, with the exception of Class I, were won consecutively by the winners of the races.

Summary:
Class I—George McCormick.....1 2 1
Wilksteel.....2 1 2
Charley K., Geo. McCormick.....1 2 1
Time—1:10 1/4, 1:07 1/2, 1:07.

Class II—
Pierpont, Dr. Fred L. Wood.....3 1 1
Time—1:10 1/4, 1:07 1/2, 1:07.

Class III—
Glory, Dr. Routledge.....1 1 1
Fair Hazel, Dr. Fred L. Wood.....2 2 2
Electro C., R. J. Young.....3 3 3
Time—1:13 1/4, 1:13 1/4, 1:13 1/4.

Class IV—
Robert Burns, Dr. Hughson.....1 1 1
Ruby K., W. E. Robinson.....2 2 2
George M., James McCartney.....3 3 3
Time—1:13, 1:13, 1:13.

Class V—
Glenwood, J. C. Sloan.....1 1 1
Billy D., J. Darch.....2 2 2
Prince Patrick, R. Brown.....3 3 3
Time—1:21 1/4, 1:17 1/2, 1:17 1/2.

Class VI—
Starter, J. C. Trebilcock, timers and judges, J. S. Wilson, John McPherson, Norman McLeod.

Yesterday's Scores in Big Leagues

At Montreal—
R.H.E. 2 6 3
Toronto.....2 6 3

At Chicago—
R.H.E. 6 11 2
Brooklyn.....6 11 2
Chicago.....6 11 2

At St. Louis—
R.H.E. 2 7 6
St. Louis.....2 7 6
Philadelphia.....2 7 6

At Baltimore—
R.H.E. 1 4 0
Baltimore.....1 4 0
Newark.....1 4 0

At Cincinnati—
R.H.E. 5 7 6
Cincinnati.....5 7 6
New York.....5 7 6

At Pittsburgh—
R.H.E. 4 6 1
Pittsburgh.....4 6 1
Philadelphia.....4 6 1

At Philadelphia—
R.H.E. 0 8 0
Philadelphia.....0 8 0
Brooklyn.....0 8 0

At Washington—
R.H.E. 1 4 1
Washington.....1 4 1
Chicago.....1 4 1

At Boston—
R.H.E. 0 7 0
Boston.....0 7 0
Cleveland.....0 7 0

At New York—
R.H.E. 3 8 4
New York.....3 8 4
Detroit.....3 8 4

At Philadelphia—
R.H.E. 0 8 0
Philadelphia.....0 8 0
Brooklyn.....0 8 0

At Washington—
R.H.E. 1 4 1
Washington.....1 4 1
Chicago.....1 4 1

At Boston—
R.H.E. 0 7 0
Boston.....0 7 0
Cleveland.....0 7 0

At New York—
R.H.E. 3 8 4
New York.....3 8 4
Detroit.....3 8 4

IN MEMORY

Sporting Scribes in the cities formerly comprising the International League never had so much fun in their careers as they are having at present. Take a peep at some of these offerings:

No Wreath.
[Hamilton Herald.]

The International League is a dead one and there is not even a Wreath to mark the spot where it fell.

Down at the bay they use a net to catch suckers. Fred Palge did not need one to make his big haul.

If the International League goes out of business London will only be heard of once a year, when the lawn bowling tournament is on.

A Back Number.
[Hamilton Spectator.]

The International League is now a back number. Simply another good thing gone to the dogs.

And the downfall of the league can be laid with the club owners, who lacked sadly many of the requisites to make their clubs a success, and if the clubs failed to make good, the league could hardly make good.

Professional baseball will hardly be tried in these parts again for some time to come. Some people will be delighted.

Addie Richardson.
[Hamilton Times.]

Among the visitors to the Times sporting sanctum this morning was Addie L. Richardson, known among the old fans as "the Father of Canadian Baseball."

The office boy went when he saw the effect the few short weeks of active work in the International had had on the great little sportsman of twenty years ago.

He is aged, aged faster than native wine in wood, and he says his six weeks' employment in the International has shortened his life by many years. His troubles are many, and he runs the day he met Promoter Palge, signed up as road manager of the Hamilton team, and obtained the custom privileges at the ballparks in Barton street east. He found the road rough and hard, and the cushion game not worth a row of pins.

The league is too strenuous, and too short, even if it has a long haul. Mr. Richardson will spend the next few days preparing an obituary for the Sporting Life, after which he will take a well-earned rest.

To the International League president: "So Long!"

No More Baseball.
[St. Thomas Journal.]

As far as another team being started in this city this season, it is unlikely that such a step will be taken. For one thing the season is too short, and then the players would be strangers, which is a serious drawback. Had Manager Murray been able to hold his team together until Wednesday afternoon games were played, it is reasonably supposed he would have been able to place his team on a proper financial basis, as the fans were beginning to become acquainted with the players, and interest was growing daily.

However, as far as the fans are concerned, the league has died with the team, and a revival would be a difficult matter this year. The hope is expressed that next year a club will be organized here at the beginning of the season, and there is very little doubt that that will be a financial success.

The Good Die Young.
[Guelph Herald.]

The International League has gone up another illustration of the old saying that the good die young.

The expected has happened. Old baseballers in this city, who with their ball came to this city, expressed their opinion that it would not go in Guelph, and the opinion was justified. The Guelph Schiel, transferred to St. Thomas, and the Ballpark City has done no better than Guelph. The players took hold of the team, but in spite of the splendid reports of the attendance sent to the cities, the number of paid admissions gradually diminished, and finally the team fled.

[Guelph Mercury.]

Now that the International League has gone to its long rest, the "I-told-you-so" man can come forth from retirement again.

[Niagara Falls Gazette.]

If Bill Murray had done less kicking and had paid more attention to baseball than box office receipts, the game might have gone here.

On City Diamonds

The Rose Buds wilted yesterday when they were fallen upon by the Riversides in a first game of baseball on the playgrounds' diamond, the score being 5-3.

The score by innings:
Rose Buds.....1 0 0 2-3 6 4
Riversides.....2 1 1 1-5 6 3

Last night in the North End League the St. John's A. C. ball team had a comparatively easy victory over the Pirates, with Jerry McColl as curve dispenser, by a score of 9-4.

The following is the score by innings:
St. John's.....1 1 0 2 1 4 0
Pirates.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0

Batteries—Scattered and Wright; McColl and Walden.

Umpire, Gibson.

YACHTSMEN PLAN VOYAGE ON ERIE

Two local yachts will leave Port Stanley Saturday afternoon for Put-In-Bay where they will spend several days witnessing the yacht races to be held there in a few days.

The boats are the Dinah and the Nancy.

The Dinah will carry Messrs. John Harvey, William Harvey, F. R. Howell, A. D. Jordan, Edgar Jeffries and Robert Watt. Those who will make the trip on the Nancy are: Messrs. Dr. Hutchinson, Dr. Bluff (Tillsbury), John Dillon, City Architect Nutter and J. Harvey, Jun.

The boats will first proceed to Port Colborne where they will meet a number of Toronto yachts. From Port Colborne the yachts will proceed to Buffalo, thence to Erie, Cleveland and Put-In-Bay.

The yachtsmen expect to be back in Port Stanley by the 25th of July.

Londons and McClarys To Clash
For Championship of the City

Teams Will Meet Saturday and a Fast Game Is Assured.

A most interesting baseball card has been arranged for Saturday, when the London professional team plays the McClarys, winners of last year's City League championship, in a game for the championship of the city.

The McClarys intend to place their last year's team upon the field, and with that object in view Walter Gibson will be asked to come here from Lucan to twirl against the Orphans.

The game should be red-hot from start to finish, and the team that wins will realize fully that it has been playing baseball.

It is probable that the clever Cy Parkins will be sent in against the erstwhile City Leaguers, and if he is the McClarys may have troubles of their own to win, for Cy was never in better shape than he is today.

A glance at the score of yesterday's game with the Tigers will verify this statement.

The Orphans were much disappointed with the attendance at yesterday's games, but hope to get a good crowd Saturday.

It is no fault of the London players that the league has proved a failure for a more conscientious lot of players have never been gathered together. Tomorrow the Orphans play at Stratford. No game is scheduled for today.

The London players have done everything in their power to give London fast baseball, and it seems unfortunate that they should have been placed in the hole they now find themselves in in reference to salaries.

FAST TRACK LARGE FIELDS

The Canadian Horses Made Fine Showing at Port Huron Yesterday.

Port Huron, Mich., July 8.—Large fields and a fast track made today's races all that could be desired. Canadian horses again showed up splendidly. The results:

2:10 pace, purse \$400—
Dorcas H., b. m., by Wiggins, J. L. Dodge, Orangeburg, N. Y. (Grady).....5 2 1 1 1

Kingmore, br. h., by Atlantic King, Wm. D. Muffat, Detroit (Hopkins).....2 1 2 2 2

Robert Kernan, b. g., by Absconter, F. H. Milham, Kalamazoo (Douglas).....1 2 4 3 3

Collingwood Rooker, b. g., by Texas Rooker, T. Neville, Collingwood, Ont. (Neville).....3 4 3 5 4

Leo Bannon, br. m., by Highclere, Price, Mrs. E. Heinbaugh, Bronson (Heinbaugh).....4 5 5 4 5

Time, 2:12 1/4, 2:13 1/4, 2:13 1/4, 2:10 1/2, 2:12 1/2.

2:17 pace, purse \$400—
Black Watch, blk. h., by Monarchs, M. Roche, Forest, Ont. (Pierce).....3 1 1 3 2

I. X. L., b. h., by Reb. Alfred Trudell, Tilbury, Ont. (Trudell).....6 2 2 2 1

Miss Daphn Direct, blk. m., by Direct, F. S. Hall, Detroit (Hopkins).....10 8 7 1 2

Phoebe Hall, ch. m., by Hal Campbell, W. H. Parish, Cadillac (Allen).....2 4 5 5 6

Jack Harlow, blk. m., by Brown Hag, J. L. Dodge, Orangeburg, N. Y. (Grady).....9 7 3 4 4

Gamble, b. m., by Gamboller, Mrs. A. Sischo, Toledo (Sischo).....7 5 6 7 7

Captain Mack, b. h., by Simon W. O'Meara, Wal-laceburg, Ont. (Crummey).....10 4 6 8 5

Mackay Boy, b. g., by Tom Irwin, Joe Gahagan, Toledo (Gahagan).....4 6 8 8 8

Vineyard, br. h., by Strongwood, C. G. Bigler, Wyandotte (Bigler).....1 3 9 9 9

Metropole, blk. g., by Sidney, Arthur Niles, Gaylock (Niles).....5 9 9 9 9

Time, 2:14 1/2, 2:15 1/4, 2:15 1/4, 2:15 1/4, 2:16 1/2.

2:25 pace, purse \$400—
Phil Barr, dr. g., by Monarchs, Shaffer Bros, Tilbury (Wieman).....2 2 1 1 1

T. W. ch. g., by Montcalm, C. G. Sweet, Benton Harbor (Sweet).....1 1 2 4 3

Katie D., ch. m., by G. H. Stoner, F. W. Stone, Detroit (Stone).....3 5 4 2 2

Robert M., b. g., by Tom Reed, Wm. V. Major, Toledo (Williams).....4 4 8 5 4

Marguerite, b. m., by At-torney, Jun., Lon Freeman, Chicago (Hopkins).....5 8 5 3 5