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THE FORMING OF A CIRCUIT

romising Outlook for Professional Game in Ontario.

The Inter-Club Whist League meeting, held at the Athenaeum Club rooms Mou day evening, was the most successful convened. About 30 enthusiasts took the keenest interest in all matters brought forward by the league officers and the spirited discussions resulting therefrom were a coavincing testimony of the growing popularity of the duplicate mode of competition, which is now recognized as the only fair test of whist skill.

It was decided that the first match should be played on Wednesday evening.

Dec. 30. at 8.30, and thereafter on Friday night of each week until the score is completed.

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TO-DAY SPECIALTIES TO-MORROW

Clare Ruled Off at Iron Rill for a Bad Ride on Hask, Who Pinished Third.

DAILY BACING ROUND.

IRON HILL PROGRAM.

Iron Hill, Dec. 8.—Heavy showers fell during the early morning and made the track muddy. The attendance was large. The officials ruled off Jockey Clare for his very bad ride on Mask in the second race. The

THE JUNIORS WHITEWASHED Second race, 4½ furiongs—Reform, 5 to, 1; Touraine, 3 to 1, place, 2; Mask 3. ime 1.02.

> Science Men Scored 11 in the First Half and 13 in the Second.

men Were Never in It, Although They Rallied Near the Close and Almost Got the Ball Over-One Man Injured.

Rugby football is a back number around Varsity. The Mulock trophy games have all been fought, and the School of Practi-cal Science are wearing a crown of olives, though it is badly disaggured by the mud

St. Louis, Dec. 8.—First race, 9-16 mile
—Mamie Clark, Richmond, Impress, Dick
Bauer, Caleben, Roy, Abe Cohn 124, Tradesman, John Berkley, Glencoe 127.
Second race, % mile—Taromie, Rochill,
Tennyuser, Willie G, Legrande, Little Fellow Jr. Rob Roy, Toss Witt, Isabella, Walter O, 155 each.
Third race, 1 3-16 miles—Castalia 94,
Southerner, Charley B 99, Liberty Bell 102,
Swifter, Jimmie R, Salver Bill 104, W. T.
Ellis 119. Southerner. Charley B 99, Liberty Bell 102.
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Ellis 119.
Fourth race, 11-16 mile—Gold Wave, Hopper. Hella, Alcroy, Joe Lee, Smuggler, Colusion 108, Echolile, Enthusiast 113.
Fifth race, 3¼ furlongs—Salesman, Seth Thomas 96, Wagtail, Tony Mack. Prairic Flower 114, Crab Cider, A. B. Dade, Rachet, Minnie F. Gopher 119.

THE ODDS-ON FAVORITES BEATEN.

HAVE BEENS WIN WITH WISHES. New Orleans, Dec. 8.—Fine weather draw out a large crowd. The afternoon's sensation was the defeat of O'Connell, who started at odds of 6 to 1 on. Only one post favorite won during the day. The summaries:

First race, 6 furlongs—Fannie Rowena, 10 (Morse), 7 to 1, 1; O'Connell, 1 to 6, 2; Aana Mayes, 104 (Dorsey), 15 to 1, 3. Time 1.174.

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12. Detroit Journal.
13. If Hearts Could Only Speak.
14. Handicaps.
15. Selected.
16. Coons Pictures.
17. Daughter of Love.
18. Barn Dance.
19. La Chatte Blanche.
20. The Crimson.

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