Curling Ready for the Winter · Boxing International Matches Made · Lacrosse First Miller Tourist Returns

NOTE AND COMMENT

President Stark's letter, in reply to Secretary Hoskins of the Argonauts, received yesterday, emphasizes that the C. A. A. U. is running the show all right. The action of the Rugby men was an open mutiny, and as one of the Union officers said yesterday, they must take the consequences. Tho the Argonauts have resigned from the C. A. A. U., their members other than the football players, will remain in good standing in athletics as well as rowing. A meeting of the board of governors has been called for Oct. 26, when it is expected the whole matter will be straightened out. In the meantime the Inter-Provincial Union is an outlaw organization ,and the C. A. A. U. is the controlling body in Canadian athletics.

With the autumn semi-annual meeting over, Ontario curlers are ready to start their favorite game as soon as Jack Frost appears. Apart from some changes in the grouping, nothing unusual transpired. Tankard players must stay out of the district cups competition, as heretofore, tho a few wanted leads and seconds made eligible. Most important function of the fall meeting is the election of officers and this time, as is generally the case, one good man succeeds another in the chief office, the sporting parson of Brampton giving way to W. T. Toner of Collingwood, both veteran curlers and both still young men, having played on their tankard teams last winter.

LONGBOAT V. SHRUBB.

Longboat's time in the last Marathon has caused quite a tempest in a teapot. Alfred Shrubb questions the distance in a logical letter given on this page yesterday. The Englishman's anxiety to match with the Indian, coupled with heckling from new-found friends, gave him additional worry. Shrubb insists that he can outfoot the Indian, while 20 miles thru the mud in 1.41.40 seems to upset his argument. Controller Ward states that the course is at least 19 1-2 miles, but to settle all disputes, he will have it measured this week. In reference to the controversy, some letters were received here yesterday.

H. Longley writes: "I see by this morning's World (Shrubb's letter) that the Ward Marathon course, which was covered by Longboat on Saturday last was not nineteen miles. I think the best way to settle Mr. Shrubb's mind would be for him to run over the same course with official timers, and let him try and lower the record already made."

A Canadian writes: "I have a proposition to make to some of these runners who come out here to run down our country and our athletes. If they want Mr. Shrubb to race against Mr. Longboat, let them put up say $200 (and it will soon be covered) and have them race against time over the same course. If Mr. Shrubb wins, give him the $200. If he loses, give it to the Sick Children's Hospital. This is a chance to show who is the bag of wind."

Look out for Marathon winners in the future from the Holy Family School, Parkdale, whose boys had things pretty well their own way in the race for fourteen years and under on Saturday. John Moriarty was the winner, with Eugene Moylett second and William Moulahan third, all of the Holy Family School.

COLLEGE ATHLETICS.

McGill athletes are in fine form for the annual intercollegiate track and field games on Thanksgiving Day at Kingston. The eastern students made three new records at the games in Montreal last week, which was excellent work considering the soggy state of the track and field. Kemp showed himself the peer of all middle distance men by setting a new mark for the half-mile run, going the distance in 59 2-5 seconds. In the two-mile run, Kerr had it all his own way and won handily in 10 minutes 9 seconds, 26 seconds below the previous record. Powell won the broad jump with ease, covering 21 feet 3 1-2 inches, and beating the previous record, held by himself by 3 inches. For the fourth consecutive time, R. A. Donahoe won the individual championship with a total of 20 points. O. Waugh, with 12 points, was second, and J. C. Kemp was third.

The Toronto University Track and Field Club understand the prowess of McGill's athletes, but are in no way deterred in their determination to wrest the championship from Montreal, counting chiefly on Halbus and Seibert to sweep all before them from 100 yards to the half-mile.

Word comes from Youngstown, Ohio, that Fred Mitchell, the Toronto pitcher, has, like Hoey and Jacobson, had his arm successfully treated by Bonsetter Reese. Mitchell will now repair to his apple farm, near Boston, and after his apples are picked may return to Toronto for some more easy picking.

President Stark Replies.

President Stark of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union, in a letter to L. C. Hoskins, secretary-treasurer of the Argonaut Rowing Club, replying to the club's recent criticism of the C. A. A. U.'s action in announcing the suspension of the Argonaut football team, takes occasion to remark that the C. A. A. U. is thru with the "peace-at-any-price" policy, and that in future they will insist on the strictest interpretation of amateur principles.

Curlers in Semi-Annual Session Officers Elected, Clubs Grouped

W. T. Toner of Collingwood Goes up to the Presidency—Tankard Players Must Stay Out of District Cup Games.

The Ontario Curling Association held their October semi-annual meeting in the Granite Club's quarters yesterday, when the proposed amendment of A. M. Cunningham to allow first and second Tankard players to compete in the district cup competition was defeated on a vote, after a lengthy discussion.

A motion by the Rev. W. G. Wallace was put reading as follows: "When the umpire in a tankard or district cup competition receives a request from any club secretary that the draw be made and announced before the day of play, the umpire shall be at liberty to do so, should he deem best, but he shall do this only after securing the consent of the secretaries of the clubs eligible to complete." This was adopted.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Patron, Earl Grey; hon. president, Sir W. Mortimer Clark; president, W. T. Toner, Collingwood; first vice-president, David Carlyle, Toronto; second vice-president, A. R. Goldie, Galt; chaplain, Rev. W. G. Wallace, Toronto; secretary-treasurer, James A. Macfadden, Toronto; executive, T. H. Brunton, Newmarket; Alex. Yule, Harriston; J. W. Corcoran, Queen City; W. D. McIntosh, Caledonia; C. W. Cartwright, Hamilton; W. C. Matthews, Toronto; committee on complaints and appeals, D. Carlyle, Alex. Congalton, W. I. Dick; committee on the annual, Jas. Hedley, W. C. Chisholm, and the secretarp; auditors, Geo. R. Hargraft, and G. G. Edkins.

The following dolegates were present, and were passed by the credential committee, David Carlyle and T. O. Robson.

Ayr Union—Geo. A. Graham.
Barrie—J. H. Needlands.
Bobcaygeon—G. D. Watt.
Brampton Excelsior—J. Goulding.
Brantford—G. S. Mathews.
Churchill—David Carlyle.
Cobourg, Waverley and Colborne—Geo. R. Hargraft.
Chatham—Dr. Bray.
Collingwood—W. T. Toner.
Detroit—J. A. Macfadden.
Dundas—Chas. Collins.
East Toronto Aberdeens—H. G. Orrillerod.
Elmvale—James Vair.
Fergus—T. J. Hamilton.
Galt—A. R. Goldie.
Galt Granite—C. Blake.
Glanford—E. Dickenson.
Grimsby—W. F. Gibson.
Guelph Royal City—R. Mahoney.
Guelph Union—A. Congalton.
Hamilton Asylum—B. Way.
Hamilton Thistle—J. A. Macfadden.
Hamilton Victoria—A. Yule.
Harriston—A. Yule.
Ingersoll—W. J. Elliott.
Lindsay—J. D. Flavelle.
Minto of Milton—W. S. Dick.
Mount Forest—J. P. Rogers.
Newmarket—T. H. Brunton.
Orillia—Geo. Thompson.
Owen Sound—W. H. Wright.
Palmerston—A. Yule.
Paris—J. Carnie.
Peterboro—T. F. Mathews.
Richmond Hill—H. A. Nichols.
St. Mary's—T. O. Robson.
Sarnia—R. Mackenzie.
Scarboro—T. Purdie.
Seaforth—T. O. Robson.
Southampton—J. H. Spence.
Toronto—John Bain.
Toronto Caledonian—W. D. McIntosh.
Toronto Granite—W. C. Mathews.
Toronto Lakeview—A. R. Denison.
Toronto Parkdale—George Duthie.
Toronto Prospect Park—David Carlyle.
Toronto Queen City—J. W. Corcoran.
Walkerton—J. D. Flavelle.
Windsor—D. L. Carley.
Past Presidents—J. D. Flavelle, T. O. Robson, Dr. Russell, Chaplain—Rev. Dr. Wallace.

Ontario Tankard Groups.

The grouping of the classes for the Ontario tankard competition was finally decided upon as follows:

Group No. 1—Lindsay, Port Hope, Cobourg, Toronto, Toronto, Lakeview, Toronto Granites, Toronto Prospect Park, Newmarket, Milton, Richmond Hill. Play at Toronto. Umpire, Mr J. P. Rogers.

Group No. 2—Hamilton Victorias, Hamilton Asylum, Hamilton Thistles, Paris, Glanford, Niagara Falls, Simcoe, Brantford, Dundas, Grimsby. Play at Hamilton. Umpire, Dr. Russell.

Group No. 3—St. Thomas, Ayr Union, Ingersoll, Woodstock, Preston, Embro, Galt, Galt Granites, London, London Thistles. Play at Ingersoll. Umpire, Mr. D. W. Karn.

Group No. 4—Gravenhurst, Orillia, Beaverton, Collingwood, Barrie, Meaford, Elmvale, Penetanguishene, Churchill, Parry Sound. Play at Barrie. Umpire, Mr. J. H. Bennett.

Group No. 5—Scarboro, Maple Leaf, Oshawa, Brampton, Colborne, Peterboro, Bobcaygeon, East Toronto Aberdeens, Toronto Caledonians, Toronto Parkdale, Toronto Queen City. Play at Toronto. Umpire, Mr. A. E. Trow.

Group No. 6—Glencoe, Detroit, Chatham, Grand Rapids, Sarnia, Windsor, Petrolea, Thamesville, Toledo, Fort Wayne. Play at Windsor. Umpire, Mr. J. G. Kerr.

Group No. 7—Berlin, St. Mary's, Clinton, Guelph Royal City, Guelph Union, Bright, Seaforth, Hespeler, Stratford, New Hamburg, Waterloo, Plattsville. Play at Stratford. Umpire, Mr. T. O Robson.

Group No. 8—Mount Forest, Fergus Southampton, Owen Sound, Lucknow, Walkerton, Harriston, Wingham, Elora. Play at Harriston. Umpire, Mr. A Yule.

For the District Cups.

In the district cup competition the final grouping was decided as follows:

District No. 1—Georgetown, Toronto, Toronto Lakeview, Toronto Caledonia, Toronto Queen City, Toronto Prospect Park, Toronto Granites, Toronto Parkdale, East Toronto Aberdeens, Brampton, Scarboro. Play at Toronto. Umpire, Mr. W. D. McIntosh.

District No. 2—Oshawa, Peterboro, Keene, Colborne, Lindsay, Fenelon Falls, Bobcaygeon, Port Hope, Lakefield, Belleville, Orillia, Beaverton. Play at Lindsay. Umpire, Mr. T. F. Matthews.

District No.3—Penetanguishene, Meaford, Elmvale, Newmarket, Alliston, Collingwood, Churchill, Barrie, Richmond Hill. Play at Newmarket. Umpire, Mr. T. H. Brunton.

District No. 4—Section A: Owen Sound, Palmerston, Mount Forest, Harriston, Southampton, Listowel. Play at Owen Sound. Section B: Elora, Guelph Royal City, Guelph Union, Seaforth, Stratford, Fergus, Wingham, Berlin, New Hamburg, Waterloo. Play at Harriston. Umpire, Mr. R. Manoney, Guelph.

District No. 5—Grimsby, Hespeler, Plattsville, Simcoe, Preston, Galt, Galt Granites, Dundas, Brantford, Hamilton Asylum, Hamilton Victorias, Hamilton Thistles, Paris. Play at Galt. Umpire, Mr. C. Turnbull.

Group No.6.—Section A: Fort Wayne, Windsor, Toledo, Detroit, Grand Rapids, Sarnia, Petrolea, Chatham. Play at Detroit. Winners to play off. Section B: St. Mary's, St. Thomas, Ingersoll, London, London Thistles, Parkhill, Thedford, Forest. Play at London. Umpire, Mr. W. K. Cameron.

TORONTO CURLING CLUB.

Elect Officers and Skips at Seventieth Annual Meeting.

At a large and enthusiastic meeting last night in the Victoria Rink, the Toronto Curling Club held their seventieth annual meeting.

The club showed a good increase in membership, while the financial report showed a good balance on the right side.

The following officers and skips were elected.

President—A. J. Taylor.
Vice-president—E. M. Lake.
Secretary-treasurer—J. S. Pearcy.
Representatives to O.C.A. — Charles Swabey and J. Paton.
Committee of Management—The officers, W. H. Burns, W. J. Barr, T. Hodgette, Z. Lash, G. H. Muntz, Dr. C. G. Clark, J. Mason, A. G. McArthur, R. K. Sproule.
Rink committee—The president, vice-president, secretary, and Dr. C. G. Clark and R. K. Sproule.
Rink skips—G. B. Braithwaite, Kayley, Clarke, Cruso, Darrow, Hargreaves, Jones, Maule, McArthur, McCleod, McMillan, Muntz, Patterson, Paton, W. K. Ross, G. A. Ross, Sproule, Rev. Dr. Wallace, Weatherald, Gallenough.

Lindsay Curling Club.

LINDSAY, Oct. 15.—At an enthusiastic meeting of the Lindsay Curling Club the following officers were elected:

Patron, Mr. John Carew; president, Dr. Wood; vice-president, Rev. J. W. Wallace; treasurer, Mr. J. D. Flavelle; assistant treasurer, Mr. Peter Kennedy; secretary, Mr. J. C. Harstone; assistant secretary, Mr. J. M. Knowlson; chaplain, Rev. J. W. Wallace.

Managing committee—Club officers and Messrs. L. V. O'Connor, M. H. Sesson, G. H. Hopkins and Dr. F. A. Walters. Representatives to Ontario Curling Association—Messrs. J. D. Flavelle and G. H. Hopkins.

Ontario Tankard skips—Messrs. J. D. Flavelle and L. V. O'Connor.

ERNIE RUSSELL CAPTAIN.

Wanderer Hockey Club Elect Officers for Coming Season.

MONTREAL, Oct. 15.—The Wanderer hockey team, Stanley Cup holders, organized last night for the coming season.

Erie Russell, over whom all the dispute has been in the Interprovincial Rugby League, was elected captain, and while the team loses two of their best men in the persons of Lester Patrick and the late Hod Stuart, are still strong.

Altho not officially given out, it is understood that Art Ross, the Brandon coverpoint, will play for the Wanderers this season. The officers elected:

Hon. patron—George Hodge, sr.
Hon. president—James Strachan.
Hon. vice-president—R. N. Ahern.
President—William Jennings.
Vice-president—Thomas G. Hodge.
Secretary-treasurer—George G. Gales.
Captain—Ernie Russell.
Executive—C. W. Blanchford, R. R. Stevenson, F. Strachan and Harry Watson.

Hockey Gossip.

Fred Whitcroft, the Peterboro hockey player, last year with Kenora, goes to Edmonton this week, where he will captain and play cover for that team. Jack Winchester, last season with Pittsburg, will accompany him and play goal. Writcroft is on the lookout for a good coverpoint.

Frank Mercer, who was placed under the ban ofg the O.H.A. last season, is back again in Guelph.

A meeting will be held on Wednesday evening at 8.30 in the Hotel Buckton, Dundas-street, to form a hockey team for the coming winter. All players and supporters are requested to attend.

Toronto Horses at Omaha.

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 15.—(Special.)—The fourth annual horse show opened here to-night with a record attendance and a big list of exhibitors. The Canadians were prominent amongst the prize-winners to-night. Crowe & Murray of Toronto won first prize in the harness horse class, with The President, third in the tandems and third in the four-in-hands. Mr. Pepper won first in hunters with Myopia, and third in the same class with E. H. Weatherbee's San Toy. Mr. Parsons got second with Lord Minto in hunters.

Grand Opera Baseball.

The Rays Baseball Club, captained and managed by Johnny Ray, the star of "King Casey," the attraction at the Grand Opera House, issued a challenge yesterday to the champion Sellers-Gough team. They will play on Thursday at Hanlan's. The Rays have a great bunch of rooters in the chorus girls, and their team has lost only one game in 17 that have been played.

Toronto Driving Club's Outing.

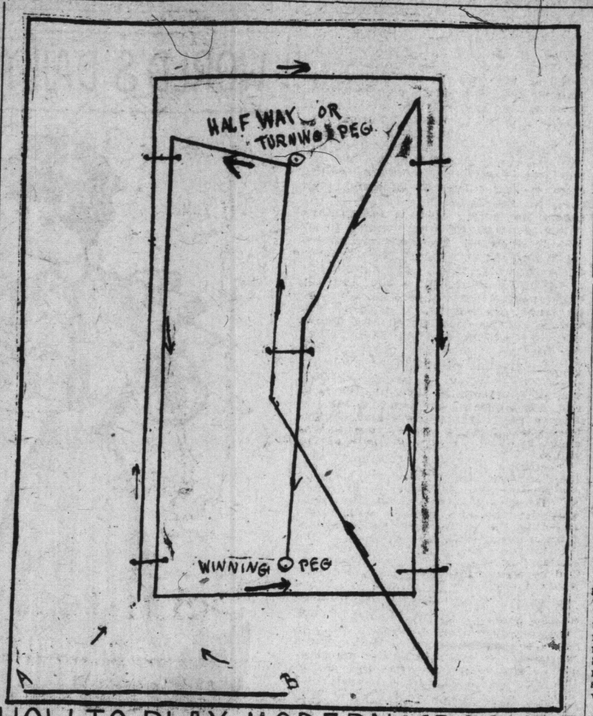
The members of the Toronto Driving Club will hold their annual outing to the Woodbridge Fair on Thursday. They have made arrangements with the C.P.R. to have two coaches attached to the special, one for ladies and their escorts. The train leaves Union Station at 12.45 p.m.; returning leaves Woodbridge at 7.30 p.m. This is one of the club's best outings of the season, and a good time is promised everybody.

Soccer Notes.

Varsity or any of the senior college teams can have a game at East Toronto Saturday by writing the secretary, Stuart Toms.

The Broadview Juniors practise to-night at 7 o'clock. All players are asked to turn out.

Broadview Senior Boys' Union football team practise to-night from 8.30 to 10. All players are requested to be on hand. The team for Saturday's game with the Maple Leafs will be picked after the practice.



HOW TO PLAY MODERN CROQUET

Progress of Toronto Clubs and Record of Successful Tournaments—Game Has Developed Rapidly.

In these days of lawn tennis, golf and bowling on the green, to revert to such a thing as croquet brings up visions of a pastime at which eight people may assist—a pastime of small grounds and large hoops, associated with crinolines, coquetting and crossness. But such is not the case with the members of the Toronto Croquet Club. There is as much likeness between tight croquet and the modern game as day and night. The evolution in the past few years has transformed it from a tea-party entertainment into a strong, scientific game, demanding for its successful exploitation patience, skill and a high degree of dexterity. Unfortunately, however, its developments are known to comparatively few, owing to there being practically no current literature to keep ordinary people informed of what is going on among the leaders of the movement.

The game has developed very rapidly in England during the past decade, and was introduced into Toronto by the late Russell R. Baldwin, the founder of the Toronto Croquet Club.

The modern game is played with four boxwood balls, being 3¾ inches in diameter, weighing 15 to 16½ ounces, and colored blue, red, black and yellow, in which order they play. The hoops are made from half-inch iron, stand 12 inches high, and not less than 3¾ inches and not more than 4 inches wide, inside measurement. The pegs are 18 inches high and 1½ inches in diameter, all of which must be securely fastened in the ground. The regulation grounds are 35 yards by 28 yards, with a setting, as on diagram. Mallets of any size, weight or shape may be used, except they must be made of wood, and have the two end faces parallel, and of equal size and similar shape.

The game commences by each ball playing from line marked "A-B," which is called balke. After the first stroke is taken the ball is in play, and is subject to be roqueted and croquetted by the next player. The player mayroquet and croquet each and every ball before and after every hoop or peg he makes, and continue to do so until he makes the round, providing he does not send his or the croquetted ball over the boundary, when taking croquet, or make a foul, there being fourteen ways in which this can be done.

The Toronto Croquet Club has been in existence for nearly ten years, during which time it has run off several open tournaments. In 1901 a tournament for singles was won by A. C. Carey, with C. W. Thompson as runner-up; in 1902 the tournament for doubles, held on the Canada Lawn Bowling Club's lawns, was won by Johnson Carey and Alex. P. Read; in 1903 the tournament for doubles, held on the lawns of the Royal Canadian Yacht Club, was won by George Dunbar and Alex. P. Read; in 1903 the singles were won by C. W. Thompson, with Dr. P. H. Bryce as runner-up; in 1904 the tournament for doubles, held on the lawns of the Canada Lawn Bowling Club, was won by George Dunbar and Earn McKenzie; in 1905 an open tournament, held by the Gormley Club, was won by John H. Eyer and Alex. P. Read; in 1907 the open tournament for doubles, held on the Woodbine lawns, was won by C. W. Thompson and Earn McKenzie, and the singles by C. W. Thompson, with John H. Eyer as runner-up. At this last tournament there were entries from London, Port Perry, Allandale, Mimico, Gormley, Stouffville, Balmy Beach and Toronto.

The present officers of the club are: Hon. president, Chief Justice Moss; president, John H. Eyer; first vice-president, Johnson Carey; second vice-president, Arthur L. Massey; secretary, C. W. Thompson; treasurer, Alex. P. Read.

RECORD FOR RILEY B.

Toronto Pacer Wins in Straight Heats at Tottenham.

TOTTENHAM, Oct. 15.—The fall meet was the best in the story of the local turf club. The day was fine and the crowd large. Altho the races were in straight heats, they were all close finishes. Riley B., the Toronto horse, lowered the track record to 2.15½, and Miss Alcy, owned by Mr. Donald of Tottenham, stepped the first half of this mile in 1.05¼. The track, which we pride ourselves on, was in perfect condition. There were several horses here that did not start. The following are the summaries:

Open race—
Riley B., 2.05¼; Burns & Sheppard, Toronto 1 1 1
Orillia Belle, 2.15; G. Powell, Orillia 4 2 2
Miss Alcy, 2.17¼; E. Donald, Tottenham 2 4 4
Sunday Belle, 2.10¼; J. Beatty, Alliston 3 3 3
Time—2.15½, 2.16, 2.18.

2.25 class—
J. C. Rooker; James Hume, Stayner 1 1 1
Prairie Oyster; J. Culverwell, Sutton 2 2 2
Hattie H.; G. Powell, Orillia 3 3 4
Antille; E. Beamish, Bolton 4 4 3
Time—2.26, 2.26¼, 2.28.

2.50 class, half mile—
Prairie Oyster; F. Culverwell, Sutton 1 1 1
Honest Billy; W. G. Gilkes, Barrie 2 2 2
Dolly Toster; J. L. Clark, Norval 5 3 3
Antille; E. Beamish, Bolton 3 4 5
Hilda B.; T. Williamson, Streetsville 8 5 4
Wa Wa.; H. Leadley, Cookstown 4 7 6
Dick; J. Warren, Beeton 7 8 7
Danmore; T. Kane, Tottenham... 6 6 dr
Time—1.14½, 1.10, 1.09.

Starter, L. C. Hughes, Tottenham; judges, Dr. S. J. Anderson (Barrie), Messrs. W. J. Belle (Beeton), W. Booth (Alliston); timer, Dr. Wright, Tottenham.

CENTRAL BOWLING LEAGUE.

Twelve Teams Have Entered This Season—Sidelights.

Over 50 members of the Central Bowling League turned out last night to the final meeting in the Aberdeen Chambers. President Howard Black was in the chair, and after arranging several minor details, it was decided to open the league season on Monday, Oct. 28.

While the league has only been in existence a year, yet it is one of the strongest in the city, as 12 teams entered will indicate, and if a name counts for anything there will be some great bowling this year.

Mr. Hartman, owner of the Brunswick alleys, has promised excellent accommodation, while the opening night promises to be a great affair.

The following are the teams and captains entered:

Bronchos, J. Midgley; Aberdeens, F. Mansell; Pastimes, W. Black; H. & A. Saunders, L. Johnson; Klein's Colts, R. Klein; Welleseys, H. Fuerst; Pykers, F. Graham; Beefeaters, Charles Joy; Strollers, William McMillan; Royal Alexandras, Ed Pym, Benedicts, J. Foster; Brunswicks, A. J. Hartman.

Sidelights.

The members of the Royal Canadian Bicycle Club interested in bowling are requested to meet at the clubrooms Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

Eddie Sutherland of the Royals put on a 232 score last night at the T.B.C.

The Iroquois team, composed of Bert Adams, Frank Johnson, Billy Hall, Bert Moran and Mac Campbell, open the season with the Royals Monday night.

Tommy Ryan says his Americans will win out the first series in the Toronto Bowling League.

Irish-Canadians Meet.

All entries for the Irish-Canadian Athletic Club closed meet will close on Thursday evening with T. C. Flanagan, 57 Simcoe-street.

Hounds Meet To-Day.

The hounds will meet at Stanley Barracks at 2.30 to-day.

Walking 1000 Miles in 1000 Hours

Unique Feat Undertaken by O'Leary the Veteran Pedestran—Will Finish Next Saturday.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Dan O'Leary, the veteran pedestrian, has entered the home stretch in his 1000-mile walk. On next Saturday he will have accomplished his task of walking 1000 miles in 1000 hours.

He began his long journey on Sept. 8, and undertook to walk one mile in every one of the hours every day. So far he has averaged a mile in 11 minutes. His sleeping, eating, in fact everything, must be apportioned, must be done during the remaining minutes of the hour. Despite these hardships he is still going, and confident he will finish on schedule time.

O'Leary is the holder of many professional walking records. He has competed all over the world and defeated fast pedestrians in many countries. His first big walk was in May, 1875, at Chicago, when he walked 500 miles in 153 hours. In 1876 he walked 500 miles in this city in 143 hours 17 minutes. In 1878 he won the go-as-you-please walking championship in this city, walking 403 miles in 142 hours. He walked 516 2-7 miles in San Francisco in 1880 in 142 hours.

The veteran believes in much exercise and properly cooked food. In a recent interview he said that nearly all unhappiness comes from a violation of the rules governing life's mainsprings.

"I'd rather have a son of mine marry a divorcee of the devil than a bad cook," he said.

International Boxing Bouts Three Matches Just Made

Moran and Summer of England and O'Keefe of Ireland to Meet Yankees in Philadelphia and the East.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Three interesting ring battles were arranged yesterday. Johnny Summers, the English lightweight, who made such a good showing against Tommy Murphy in their fight at Philadelphia, was coupled with the Philadelphia lightweight, Bert Keyes, for a 20-round session before the Edgewood A. C. of New Haven on Nov. 1. The principals in the other match were Pat O'Keefe, the Irish middleweight champion, and Sailor Burke, the Brooklyn middleweight. This pair were matched for a struggle at catch-weights, and bids for the fight will be received until Oct. 24.

Last night Charles Harvey made his third match of the day, when he arranged a battle at catch-weights between Owen Moran of England and Tommy O'Toole of Philadelphia. This will be a six-round battle, and will be held at the National A.C. of Philadelphia on Saturday night.

Summers and O'Keefe are both managed by Charles Harvey, who intends to get them into action without delay in order to test their calibre. Summers arrived here last week and had little trouble getting a match, as he put up a wonderful fight when he met Murphy. O'Keefe is not well known here, but as soon as Sailor Burke heard that there was a new middleweight in sight, the nautical person lost no time in connecting with the visitor.

Judging from the past performances of the two lightweights, their battle will be a rousing good fight. Keyes will undoubtedly be able to stay the limit, provided, of course, he avoids the heavy swings of the Englishman. To those who watched Summers' fight with Murphy, it looked as if the Englishman would have been unable to go much further. Keyes met Murphy recently in Brooklyn, and put up such a strong defence that many experts favored him over the Harlem boy.

The match between Burke and O'Keefe calls for six or ten rounds, and the two fighters are husky enough to make it interesting all the way. Until some club, however, shows a desire to have this fight on its schedule, speculation as to the outcome would be more or less unprofitable.

Fall Boxing Tournament.

The fall amateur boxing tournament opens two weeks from to-morrow night in the Mutual-street Rink, the semi-finals and finals taking place the following Friday and Saturday nights. Entry blanks were mailed to the different clubs yesterday, and those not receiving any are asked to call at H. A. Wilson's, 35 West King-street, where all information may be had.

VARSITY HAS A GIANT.

McDonald, Weighing 237 Lbs. Will Be Used in Scrimmage.

With each succeeding workout of the Varsity football squad the impression becomes more and more general that the local collegians have much better than an outside chance to annex the intercollegiate senior championship.

Some changes in the team are contemplated which are expected to further strengthen the blue and white. Jack Ramsay, who played at outside wing at Toronto, doing much effective running and tackling, met with an accident to his elbow thich may keep him out of the game for a short time. With McDonald, the recently uncovered giant, weighing 237 pounds, in the "scrim.," Shaw will go to inside wing, Martin to middle wing, and Moon Lee to outside. If McDonald is not ready by Saturday, O'Grady may get a chance to show what he can do. Murray Kennedy, whose punting was a feature of the McGill game at Montreal, sustained a slight injury in practice last night, but will be out to-morrow.

Varsity has suggested Russell, Britton, Sheriff, Stevens, Dr. Hetherington, Geo. Richardson, from whom to select officials for Saturday's battle with Ottawa College at Varsity Field. The plan opens at Love's Friday.

Football enthusiasts will be glad to know that Hugh S. Brennen has made arrangements whereby George Ballard, the popular captain, will remain in town until the football season is over. This is at considerable inconvenience to Mr. Brennen, and one of the other employes in the office, who kindly agreed to go in Mr. Ballard's place. Mr. Brennen is not what is generally considered a sport, but he takes a deep interest in good athletics, and citizens generally will appreciate his kindness.—Hamilton Times.

Technical and Harbord play a city collegiate Rugby game to-day.

There are rumors that Hamilton will have on Gordon Southam at centre half Saturday against Argonauts.

Toronto Varsity teams have always been noted for the ability of the backs to boot the ball. Baldwin and Beatty, and more recently Southam, were hard to beat the punting game, and Murray Kennedy well upheld the team's reputation against McGill Saturday.—Montreal Gazette.

Dinny O'Brien, the former college and St. Patrick full-back, has turned out with Ottawa. He will likely be played against Montreal Saturday, moving Durocher up on the half and dropping Coursell.

Bonner, who played with the Australian soccer team in England, has turned out with Ottawa.

"Flett is one of the greatese backs I have ever seen," says Tom Clancy, "but the Argonauts are working him to death, and he will not last three games, keeping up the pace that he has been compelled to maintain against the Montreals and Ottawas."

La fleur, captain of the Ottawa team, says they will go thru the season without another defeat. Here's hoping they trim Montreal Saturday.

The Elms Rugby Club would like to arrange a game for Saturday, Harbord C. I. or Beach Success preferred. A. Ewart, secretary, 16 Cowan-avenue.

The Elms Rugby Club will play Parkdale Collegiate a practice game this afternoon at 5. The following players are requested to be on hand: Tough, Hollingshead, Scott, Wagner, Duff, Henderson, Ewart, Pell, Dale, Kirby, Austin, Rankin, Scythes, Hassard, V. Clarke, Knox, Guthrie and Sinclair.

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LONGBOAT RUNS FRIDAY.

At Varsity's Annual Field and Track Games—Students Train Well.

A splendid opportunity will be given the student body and the people of Toronto of seeing Tom Longboat compete in a three-mile open race against his speediest rivals, at the university annual games, to take place at the Varsity Athletic Field next Friday afternoon. Tom had a workout yesterday on the Varsity track, in which he did the three miles in about 15 minutes flat. Manager Flanagan says Longboat is running better than ever, and under favorable conditions ought to do the distance under 15 next Friday. The West End Y., Central Y. and other athletic association have, however, entered their fastest men, so the race is bound to be a beauty.

Toronto University bids fair to have the fastest track team in years to compete against Queens and McGill next Thanksgiving Day at Kingston, judging from the number of men turning out and the good material appearing. The Dental College has, as usual, entered a strong team to compete in Friday's events. The entries include the name of Frank, a new man, who is exceptionally good in the weight events.

By the way Sebert is showing up in training there ought to be new records made in the 220 and 100 yard events, while Halbaus is pretty sure to smash all previous records in the quarter-mile. He is also entered in the 100 yards and broad jump. Tho the pole vault has already some good entries, there is still room for a few good men in that event.

With Toots Houston as college marshal, the student body ought to make themselves heard on Friday. The procession will form at the university grounds shortly before 2 p.m., and, as all lectures are called off, every student is expected to be present. Places in the parade will be given according to the percentage of attendance of the different faculties. All entries must be in on or before Wednesday, the 16th. They may be handed in at the university gym., or to H. S. Sprague, secretary-treasurer of the Track Club. The plan of reserved seats will open as usual Thursday at 9 a.m. at Love's, Yonge-street.

SPLIT HEATS AT LEXINGTON.

Pacemaker and Jack Leyburn Winners—A Fast Three-Quarters.

LEXINGTON, Oct. 15.—An accident prevented the world's stallion record from being beaten to-day, when Mainsheet, having trotted three-quarters of a mile in 1.32½, caught his hoof in his quarter boot and went to his knees, as he was trotting the last quarter of the mile. The accident occurred near the last eighth pole. Mainsheet had trotted the first eighth of the last quarte in 14 seconds, and was going strong when the accident occurred. Jack Leyburn, the chestnut gelding owned by Erward and Joseph Madden, sons of J. E. Madden, won the Walnut Hall Firm Cup, valued at $500, and $2000 stake. Ed. Geers, who had won tsestake three times before, drove the winner. The race proved easy for the winner, as he jogged home three lengths to the good in the second, third and fourth heats. W. Murphy, driver of Pacemaker, winner of the 2.15 pace, was fined $100 for laying up the first heat.

Summaries:

2.14 pace, purse $1000, three in five—

Pacemaker, b.h., by The Kingmaker (Murphy)	7	5	1	1	1
Harry D., ch.g. (Donahue)	6	1	2	2	2
C. M. W., br.g. (Ross)	1	4	5	6	3
Norchan, b.h. (Myers)	2	2	3	3	4
Amber G., b.m. (Kenney)	3	3	7	4	6
Redash, br.h. (Hedrick)	5	6	4	5	5
General Luther, b.g. (Paceman)	3	7	6	7	dr
Chestnut Bell, ch.m. (Bailey)	8	8	dr.		

Time—2.09¾, 2.10½, 2.09¾, 2.10½, 2.09½.

Walnut Hall Farm Cup, 2.15 trot, three in five—

Jack Leyburn, ch.g., by Alto Leyburn (Geers)	2	1	1	1	
Claty Latus, ch.m. (Lasell)	1	3	3	3	
Wild Bill, br.g. (DeRyder)	8	2	2	2	
The Pacelot, blk.g. (McDevitt)	4	4	6	5	
Peter Balta, b.s. (Hedrick)	6	5	5	4	
Princess Yetive, b.m. (Greer)	5	8	7	6	
Genteel H., br.h. (McDonald)	7	6	4	ds	
Kassona, b.m. (Young)	3	7	dr.		

Time—2.08½, 2.08½, 2.10½, 2.09½.

2.13 pace, purse $1000, three in five—

J. J. J., b.g. by Red Edie (Snow)	1	1	1		
Maramosa, b.h. (Fleming)	4	2	2		
Village Boy, b.g. (M. Wilson)	2	3	5		
Dick White, ch.g. (Ross)	3	5	3		
Corvette, blk.m. (Wilson)	5	4	4		
Gold Hal, ro.h. (Macpherson)	dis.				

Time—2.08, 2.10½, 2.09½.

2.14 trot, purse $1000, three in five—

Octeo, br.g., by Greathea t (McLane)	1	1	1		
Lady Jones, blk.m. (Benyon)	2	8	6		
*Richie Baron, br.g. (Hayes)	10	6	2		
*Silas, b.g. (McMahon)	6	2	10		
Bellemont B., b.m. (Thomas)	5	3	3		
Clarence O., ch.g. (Myers)	3	5	9		
Ruby R., b.m. (Marvin)	7	4	4		
Ward M., blk.g. (Rathbun)	4	10	8		
Hazel Grattan, br.m. (Thomas)	8	9	5		
J. J. M. Jr., br.h. (Hall)	9	7	7		

Time—2.11½, 2.11¼, 2.10¾.

*Ritchie Baron and Silas divide third and fourth money.

Last Varsity Tennis Finals.

In the final in the men's handicap at the Varsity lawn tennis tournament yesterday, McEachern beat Hooper, 6—3, 6—2, Mitchell beat Hodgson, 6—2, 6—2, 6—1.

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