

SPORT NEWS OF A DAY, HOME AND ABROAD

BASEBALL

Veterans Defeat Alerts.
The G. W. V. A. team defeated the Alerts on the east end diamond last evening by a score of 6 to 3. The lineup, score by innings and summary follows:
G. W. V. A. Pitcher. Alerts.
Kirkpatrick Lawlor
Catcher.
Killen Hatfield
Gorman Gill
First Base.
Gunnitt Brogan
Second Base.
Penderick Stewart
Shortstop.
Henderson McGovern
Left Field.
Case Arsenau
Centre Field.
Sterling Costello
Right Field.
Stewart Brittain

Score by Innings:
G. W. V. A. 1 0 3 0 2-6
Alerts 0 1 1 0 1-3
Summary—Two-base hits, Case, Three-base hits, Gunnitt. Sacrifice hits, Gill, Stolen bases, Brogan. Struck out by Lawlor, 3; by Kirkpatrick, 2. Total bases for Alerts in the sixth inning.
West End Trophies.
A meeting of the executive committee of the West End Improvement League was held on Wednesday evening. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the prizes donated to the league. Those present were: William Currie, Walter Morris, S. Wilson, Vincent Joyce and A. C. Smith.
The committee disposed of the prizes as follows: The cup, donated by Mayor McKeown, to the team winning the league; the medals, donated by A. C. Smith of West St. John, to the individual players of the winning team; the cup, donated by C. O. Morris, to the batter making the highest average for the season.
The interest in this league is increasing daily and large crowds turn out to see the games. The committee adjourned tonight in two weeks time.

Twenty Innings.
Hamilton, Ont., June 18.—The Canadian record for extra inning baseball games was broken yesterday when Louis Hamilton of the Michigan-Ontario League played twenty innings, the visitors winning by five to four. In 1900, Hamilton and Fort Huron played nineteen innings.
Yesterday's Games.
In the American League, Philadelphia indulged in free hitting yesterday when St. Louis bunched hits and won out. Boston noosed out ahead in pitchers battle with Detroit. Babe Ruth hit his 19th home run of the season.
In the National League, McHenry's home run scored the only run of the St. Louis-Philadelphia game.
Results: American League—Philadelphia 9, St. Louis 12; Boston 2, Detroit 1; Washington 10, Cleveland 1; New York 7, Chicago 2.
American League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Cleveland	35	17	.673
New York	32	20	.615
Chicago	29	24	.547
Detroit	26	23	.528
Washington	24	27	.469
St. Louis	24	27	.469
Pittsburgh	23	28	.447
Philadelphia	16	39	.291

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Cincinnati	29	21	.580
Brooklyn	28	22	.561
St. Louis	20	28	.415
Chicago	27	25	.519
Pittsburgh	22	31	.415
Boston	21	30	.407
New York	21	30	.407
Philadelphia	19	31	.381

The Stagers.
New York, 18.—The leading hitters are:
American League.
C. B. R. H. P. C.
Sisler, St. Louis 52 212 40 87 .410
Speaker, Cleveland 52 194 29 74 .376
Jackson, Chicago 46 197 29 74 .376
Mifflin, Washington 40 200 34 74 .370
Johnston, Cleveland 50 181 20 64 .354
National League.
C. B. R. H. P. C.
Hornsbey, St. Louis 53 215 41 84 .362
Daubert, Cincinnati 48 188 33 66 .331
Robertson, Chicago 41 186 21 53 .340
Cobb, Cincinnati 40 193 34 64 .332
Duncan, Cincinnati 50 189 25 62 .328

TENNIS.
Americans Win.
London, June 18.—William M. Johnston of San Francisco, United States champion, defeated M. J. G. Ritchie, in the fifth round of the London lawn tennis championship tournament here yesterday. Johnston won in straight sets by scores of 6-2, 6-2.
Win. T. Tilden of Philadelphia, defeated B. L. C. Norton, 6-2, 7-5.
Johnston, paired with Tilden, defeated Randolph Lycett of Australia and H. R. Barrett of England, two out of

three sets, by scores of 6-4, 3-6, 6-2, in the fourth round of the doubles.

RIFLE.

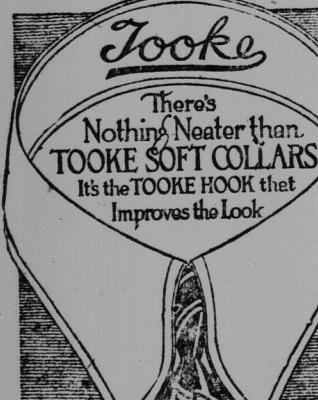
Trophy and Cash.
Montreal, June 18.—A handsome trophy was yesterday presented by W. C. MacDonald, Registered, for rifle competitions in Canada, accompanied by permanent cash additions to be paid by the company. These are the "Brier" shield, standing two feet high and eighteen inches wide, to be presented to the Dominion Rifle Association. There will also be a cash donation of \$1,000 annually, whilst for the Quebec Rifle Association the company has donated a further \$500 to be shot for annually.
At Fockliffe.
Ottawa, June 17.—H. W. Burke of Micham, shooting from the twenty-one yard mark, carried off the grand Canadian handicap trophy in the feature event of the annual tournament of the Eastern Canada provincial trapshooting association, concluded at Fockliffe today. His score was 91 out of a possible 100, and was one of the big surprises of the meet. E. W. Hobbie of Greenwich, N. Y.; George O'Connor of Ottawa and A. D. Bates of Hamilton, were tied for second money with ninety each, while R. Booth, Jr., of Ottawa, H. W. Cooley of Toronto, J. Payne of Galt, and W. R. Kenyon of Montreal were on even terms for third with eighty-nine. A special prize punch bowl, donated by Mayor Fisher, also goes with the grand Canadian trophy.
The eight man team championships was captured by St. Hubert's No. 1 team, which turned in a total of 178 out of a possible 200. The Montreal squad was second with 107. Sam G. Vance, Tillsonburg star, won the governor general's trophy for the high score of 300 targets in registered events and the 100 birds in the handicap.

CRICKET.
Lancashire Victory.
London, June 18.—(Canadian Associated Press)—At Tonbridge, Lancashire, scoring 150 and 154 for seven wickets, beat Kent 108 and 148 by three wickets.
CYCLE.
Some Speed.
London, June 18.—(Canadian Associated Press)—The motor cycle senior tourist trophy race yesterday was won by T. C. Delahay, who averaged fifty-two miles an hour.
SPORTING BRIEFS.
"Babe" Ruth scored his nineteenth home run of the season yesterday in Chicago when he drove the ball over the right field bleachers, scoring two men ahead of him.
St. Peter's and the Alerts are to play on St. Peter's diamond this evening in the City League fixture.
In the Intermediate League, played in West St. John last evening, the St. Roses, of Fairville, defeated Carleton, 13 to 4.
Jack Kearns, manager of Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, said yesterday that he will fight Carpenter one week to decide whether or not he wants to meet the champion on or before Labor Day. If satisfactory arrangements are not made in that time he will start a campaign among other heavyweights.

The opening game of the season took place Fair Vale last evening when the home team played a nine from Rotherway. The Fair Vale boys won by a score of 4 to 3.
Lively Ball in Moncton.
Times, Wednesday: More than 2,000 wildly enthusiastic fans saw the Estonsians go down to defeat at the hands of the Veterans' nine after one of the most thrilling games that has been witnessed in many years.
For six innings the game went on without a single tally, or even the semblance of a score, until in the first half of the seventh and last inning. The fighting Veterans grimly laid on the ball and when the smoke of battle had cleared away had put four runs across the plate. The Estonsians were unable to retaliate and the game ended with a 4-0 score.
The game was to a considerable extent a pitchers' battle for six innings Fyres and McEllan each had lots on the ball and were pretty evenly matched, with McEllan having the edge if anything.
Four safeties were gathered off his delivery while the Veterans connected with Fyres for eight.
McEllan had two more strikeouts than the Estonsian hurler. Even in the seventh when Fyres weakened slightly, the game might still have been even had not a slight mix-up with Campbell McKie on the part of Captain Algie and other members of the team sent the mail order house boys on a brief balloon trip.

Invitation Accepted.
An Eskridge man was visiting a friend last week. The friend said, "Walk in to the house with me and we'll have a drink."
"Walk?" said the Eskridge man. "Let's run." Alma (Kam) Enterprise.

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Newly-wed Screen Favorites Fairbank Into New York Unheralded, Bringing Smile, Pickford Lashes and Curls—Join Hopi Tribe.
(N. Y. Evening Post.)
Ouji's boards, and all forms of subliminal revelations have suffered a discount today, for Mary Pickford and her husband, Douglas Fairbanks, arrived in New York this morning unheralded and unannounced, without a single psychological vibration or soul urge for the public. Otherwise, how account for the fact that industrious young men remained behind counters, bent over tones and ledgers or shovelled the coin of the realm through the wickets of banks? Would one of them have stayed at his post had he known that Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks were in town? Would one of them have been possible for those dying fingers that have been manipulating typewriters all morning with the indifference born of skill to have continued to write business letters for an unappreciated and inartistic public had the young women to whom those fingers belonged known that the Douglas Fairbanks smile was being shown not on a film but on the roof of the Kitz-Cartoon Hotel at the behest of a small army of photographers?
No, bands and flags and formal processions are all well enough to mark festive days and the triumphs of heroes, but such an event as the arrival of these two moving picture stars would require a popular uprising to express the enthusiasm and admiration of the movie fan for these two favorites of film land. Miss Pickford, arrayed in a tailor-made of lawn color which displayed a pink and white checked vest and collar, which some way reminded one of child gingham and added a note of youth to her already decidedly youthful appearance, in company with Mr. Fairbanks, proceeded to the roof of the hotel to stand the attack of camera men. Standing in front of a camera cannot be a novel experience for these seasoned veterans, and they seemed to regard the ordeal as the most normal proceeding possible, and when told to look pleasant, Miss Pickford showed that even rows of teeth and that arch expression of deep blue eyes under long lashes that even simply bound the populace to her and claims that seem impossible to weaken. Miss Pickford offered to take off the becoming brown satin and straw hat, and showed the advantages of continuous filming in the open, seems to have lost a bit of the tendency to embellish in his citizen's clothes of decidedly nondescript cut, did not reveal himself at all as the daring hero of frontier life and hair-raised escapes. Mrs. Pickford was also in the party, posed in some of the pictures and seemed to have the same professional disregard for the camera displayed by her daughter. Of course, such picture making must be a bit tiring for these experienced artists and Mr. Fairbanks seemed to have a fund of exuberance that was not exhausted by standing in correct attitudes and looking in desired directions at gazing lenses. When told to sit down on a glass-covered projection he did so with a force that caused an ominous creaking of the glass, while later his athletic tendencies found vent in sliding down some of the balustrades leading from the roof.
Miss Pickford seemed much surprised at the idea of her giving up her work in moving pictures as has been rumored. "Why, I couldn't imagine not working," she exclaimed earnestly. "I have worked ever since I was five years old (a very recent birthday, if one could judge from her appearance as she spoke) and I can't see what incentive life would have without work. If I did give up my work in pictures I should want to take up something else definite, study of some sort, languages preferably."
No reference was made to the tangle of complications in the Pickford divorce situation, but Mrs. Fairbanks did say emphatically that her present marriage was one of the "real things" that count in life, and that much of the rumor, supposition and alleged happenings in the lives of "professionals" should be discredited, as everything about people so much in the public eye must be exaggerated and extreme.
When the party passed from the roof down to the elevator an admiring line of domestics awaited Mr. Fairbanks. They were drawn up in a series line patiently hoping for a glimpse of their hero. As he gallantly acknowledged their homage, one waving her apron with a flourish, declared with an encouraging smile at Miss Pickford, "Sure, he's better off in his picture than he is in it. Mrs. Fairbanks," and Mrs. Fairbanks gratefully accepted the sincere tribute with a smile and quick word of appreciation.
The Facts of The Case.
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chance, and had run up and held him. "Then you caught him in the nefarious act?" said the magistrate. "The what, sir?" said the witness. "You caught him in the nefarious act, I say," repeated the magistrate. "Not me!" was the reply. "I caught him in the passage just beside the grocery shop."
His View of It.
"I wish," said the head of the department, "to let some of my clerks go." "Why?"
"I have nothing for them to do."
"Hark," said Senator Grubb, "that's a queer reason for wanting to let clerks go!"—From the Louisville Courier-Journal.

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