

SNAP-SHOTS AT VARIOUS SPORTS.

Kid Lavigne, the greatest lightweight that ever pulled on a mitt, is returning to the ring, and hooks up with a boy named O'Leary at Saginaw soon. The Kid will get his all right, as the game is too strenuous for him just now.

A racer that can step three times in 2:19 to 2:22 over ice can win all the money in the \$1,000 stake events for 2:35 horses at Ottawa, Canada, next February. Put that in your pipe and smoke it, and get ready to count the King Edward money.

Battling Nelson appears to be having a little difference of opinion with himself. Now that he has decided to take on Terry McGovern some time during the last week in January, and that the arrangements for the bout are all but completed, eastern papers are carrying lengthy interviews with the battler on the subject of the coming mill. In all of these Nelson tells just why he will beat McGovern, and gives interesting analyses of McGovern's style, to show that he is right. When Nelson was in Detroit, at which time negotiations for the bout were beginning, he viewed things differently.

"I don't know much about McGovern excepting what I've been told," he said then. "I never saw him in the ring. When he was getting the money I didn't have the price to get into a fight club."

The press agent is responsible for many a modern sin.

General Nelson A. Miles, late commander-in-chief of the United States army, has not been heard from for such a length of time that he decided this week that he must be heard, and immediately began to knock the football game. The aforesaid Miles would eliminate bloodshed from war, and make soldier boys wear corsets. Every time he changes his mind he dons another suit, so that everything will be harmonious, and he knows as much about football, as Carrie Nation does about the Higher Life.

Sarah Bernhardt was almost mobbed in Quebec because she knocked Canada and the Canadians. We wonder what will happen here when she reaches Hamilton, if she dares say one word against the Tigers. The divine one has not acquired any more sense with her years.

The most exciting affair in Buffalo of late was a waltzing match. What next! Learn the game of hockey and have some excitement this winter.

Now that the football season is over, the American cities will give themselves up to such violent pastimes as pinocle, blindfold chess, bowling and physical culture by means of highballs. The yarn-spinners' union will also work.

Now, it is Woods' skating records that have been removed from the rolls. If they keep on, Hal Walters' fine will be remitted.

A dispatch says that Toronto is going to "can" the C. L. A. and play in the east. St. Kitts and Brantford will have this end of it all to themselves. By the way, it is almost up to President Allen to remove the suspension from the Brantford bunch for playing on Sunday.

Crescent, 2:02 1/4, will be trained next year and an attempt will be made to lower his record. He and Dan Patch are advertising agents, and will get Savage the money next year sure enough.

Wealthy eastern men who take an interest in horse racing are gradually drifting toward the continental customs of conducting the sport. In England the race tracks are not grouped around London, but are scattered throughout the country, while around them are the breeding farms of the rich men who maintain the sport. In the United States racing has been confined almost exclusively to the big cities. The tracks have been built with an idea to transportation facilities and "drawing" powers. This, of course, was a concession strictly to the money making side of the sport. The exceptions have been Saratoga, and, in a small way, Lexington. Saratoga has been an immense success as a racing resort, although it has surrounded the annual sport there with certain features that have been anything but a boon to it. The Spa has proved, however, that a well-conducted race track does not have to be located in the environs of a great city in order to be a success. Now, there is to be another great race track at some distance from any big city, according to dispatches from the east. This is to be located at Salem, N. H., just across the Massachusetts state line. August Belmont and other wealthy New Yorkers are said to be behind the enterprise which contemplates the building of a great plant. The promoters are said to have secured a big tract of land. All of this will be inclosed by a tall fence, and within this inclosure, in accordance with the provisions of a recently enacted New Hampshire law, the wealthy New Yorkers will be permitted to conduct their racing in accordance with their own ideas. Salem is near enough to Boston to permit people of moderate means to make the trip and witness the sport, but it is too far away to make it possible for the much talked of "poor clerk" and others of his kind to become enlisted in an attraction that is beyond their financial capabilities. In other words, the drift of racing in the east is in the right direction—it is becoming the sport of the wealthy, which is all it can be if it is maintained as a sport and not as a gambling institution.

Here are some more autoing hints: Keep all parts of the machine well lubricated—especially the brakes. On approaching a steep descent, pour oil into your brakes liberally. That will prevent them interfering with the revolution of the wheels, and if you will try it alone some dark night on a long hill, with one or two sharp curves, it possible, you will find it as exhilarating as falling out of a balloon. Your heirs will be so proud of you that they will cheerfully pay any small fine for exceeding the speed limit.

Chaffeur is derived from the French word meaning "nerve," and as it is always necessary to have your nerve with you when touring it will be seen that the chaffeur is an indispensable auto accessory.

In selecting a chaffeur, one with sharp, aquiline features, as offering the least wind resistance, is to be preferred, as it must be remembered that in automobiling personal appearance, dress, in fact everything, is subordinate to speed. You will not care how hideous or ludicrous you look after you have owned a touring car for a short time.

A chaffeur should not only be fearless but must possess personal magnetism and even hypnotic power of a high order, so that he may have no trouble in convincing the most irate village magistrate that a car which appeared to him to be moving at a rate of 60 miles an hour was, in point of fact, crawling along well within the speed limit.

When touring, cultivate a spirit of contemptuous superiority and pitiless indifference for all moving objects. The law, unfortunately, is not yet off on pedestrians, so you must be patient, but trolley cars and railway locomotives are your natural competitors and as such are entitled to no consideration.

If a steam engine is insolent enough to get in your way, don't hesitate to butt in. It will not hurt the engine any and you will be much happier—if your past life has been all that it should have been.

COVERPOINT.

ATHLETICS.
HAMILTON HAS STRONG TEAM.
Buffalo, Dec. 6.—Hamilton is coming here strong to compete in the games at the Sixty-Fifth Regiment Armory on Friday night. The half-mile international relay race will bring five entries from the Senator A. C. Hamilton, Ont. The Canadian runners are out to beat their competitors, who will be the Central Y. M. C. A. and the Mohawkians. The Canadian team will

consist of Kerr, who has won races at the Sixty-fifth Armory; Scotty Northington, Canadian all-around champion; Frank Sullivan, a short distance crack; Skinn Jamison, F. W. Farmer and Chick W. Sheridan.

SKATING.

ROBSON CLAIMS THE RECORD.

Toronto, Dec. 6.—F. B. Robson, the Toronto skater, has written S. J. Montgomery, of New York, claiming the 220-yard record of Canada.

WEBB THE WINNER OF DUPONT PRIZE

Beats Other Crack Shots of the Springfield Gun Club—Monthly Shoot.

The monthly shoot of the Springfield Gun Club was held yesterday afternoon, with nine members present. Three matches were shot off, the winners being Parker, Glover and Day.

The Dupont trophy event was practically completed by Parker, Webb, Glover and Day and the trophy is sure to go to Webb, as those who still have to shoot it cannot possibly beat his score.

Event	Shot at	H. P. C. Hip	T. I.
Brook	15	40	4
Parker	15	43	8
Day	15	43	8
Glover	15	43	8
Webb	15	43	8
Portner	15	43	8
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AVERAGES FOR THE DAY.

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TOTALS IN DUPONT CUP.

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HOCKEY SCHEDULES ARRANGED.

Woodstock, Dec. 6.—Representatives of teams in group 7, intermediate O. H. A. series, met at the New Dufferin Hotel, for the purpose of arranging the schedule of games for the first round of the series. The following were the representatives present: B. P. Edmunds (convener), Stratford; G. Montgomery, Ingersoll; E. E. Carter, Simcoe; L. J. Mahler, Paris; H. M. Howie, Brantford.

The schedule of games drawn up was as follows:
Jan. 2—Paris at Brantford, Ingersoll at Stratford.
Jan. 5—Brantford at Ingersoll, Stratford at Paris, Simcoe a bye.
Jan. 8—Simcoe at Stratford.
Jan. 9—Paris at Stratford.
Jan. 12—Brantford at Paris, Stratford at Simcoe, Ingersoll a bye.
Jan. 15—Simcoe at Stratford.
Jan. 16—Ingersoll at Paris.
Jan. 19—Stratford at Ingersoll, Paris at Simcoe, Brantford a bye.
Jan. 23—Simcoe at Paris, Ingersoll at Brantford.
Jan. 26—Paris at Ingersoll, Brantford at Simcoe, Stratford a bye.
Jan. 29—Stratford at Brantford, Ingersoll at Simcoe.
Jan. 31—Brantford at Stratford, Simcoe at Ingersoll, Paris a bye.

The following referees for the season were named: P. Layden, A. Fraser, T. Mauer, Paris; J. Kelly, Stratford; H. Powell, Brantford; J. Smith, G. Bell, Ingersoll; J. Mason, T. Ager, Simcoe; C. R. Rankin, Woodstock.

DISTRICT NO. 8.
Stratford, Ont., Dec. 6.—Representatives of the clubs in district No. 8 of the O. H. A. met here this evening and agreed in the following schedule of games:
1905—
Dec. 26—Hensall at Seaford.
Dec. 26—London at Alisa Craig.
Dec. 26—Stratford at Hensall.
Dec. 26—Alisa Craig at London.
Dec. 26—Goderich at Clinton.

1906—
Jan. 1—Clinton at Goderich.
Jan. 2—London at Seaford.
Jan. 3—Clinton at Alisa Craig.
Jan. 3—Goderich at Hensall.
Jan. 5—Seaford at London.
Jan. 5—Alisa Craig at Clinton.
Jan. 5—Hensall at Goderich.
Jan. 9—London at Hensall.
Jan. 9—Stratford at Alisa Craig.
Jan. 9—Clinton at Seaford.
Jan. 12—Hensall at London.
Jan. 12—Alisa Craig at Goderich.
Jan. 12—Seaford at Clinton.
Jan. 16—London at Goderich.

CANADA TO PLAY STATES AT GOLF NEXT SEASON

Cumming and Bennett Have Issued Challenges to Anderson and Smith, American Champs.

Toronto, Dec. 6.—Negotiations are in progress for a big international golf match next year between Canadian and United States champion professional golfers.

George Cumming, of the Toronto club, open champion of Canada, and Percy Barrett, of Lambton, who was a bang-up third in the open championship of the United States last year, have challenged Will Anderson, open champion of America, and Aleck Smith, admittedly the best professional in the United States, to a series of matches in the spring. The match will be played on the links of the Toronto club, 26 holes at a time, and an equal number on the American course.

The prospects are that the matter will be arranged within a few days, and the next month to Mexico with the American golfers. Anderson has already practically agreed to the match, the international aspect of which is heightened by the fact that the best players in both countries will be engaged.

POLO.

The Free Press Roller Polo team defeated the Horions at the Jubilee Rink last night in an exhibition game by a score of 3 to 1.

WINDSOR WILL BE ITS HEADQUARTERS

Highland Park Association Decides to Abandon Detroit Track, Owing to War.

Detroit, Dec. 6.—Whatever the outcome of the struggle between the Western Jockey Club and the American Turf Association the Western Jockey Club will have Detroit to itself. The Highland Park association has abandoned the race track at Highland Park, Detroit, and will make Windsor its headquarters.

The latter plant is to be greatly improved, and 20 new barns built, increasing the stabling capacity to 600 horses. The Windsor Jockey Club has a very strong and probably will not be until after the American Turf Association meeting in January. If the Grande Point (Detroit) dates conflict, the Highland Park meeting at Windsor probably will be a long one.

THE TURF.

HALF DOZEN EXPULSIONS.

New York, Dec. 6.—The board of review of the National Trotting Association, in session here today, expelled six members and disqualified four well known horses, the disqualification of the latter to be removed on payment of \$100 fines.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.

At New Orleans, Fair Grounds—Dr. Heard 8 to 5, Ben Lear 25 to 1, High Leggett 4 to 5, La Sordere 13 to 10, Loggitt 10 to 5, Club 7 to 5.

BOWLING.

PRIMEAU DEFEATS SHEERE.

Captain Walter Primeau's team defeated a team captained by Alf Sheere by 37 points on the Y. M. C. A. alleys last night. Only one frame was bowled. The score: 19-41.

W. Primeau...192 A. Sheere...129
B. Graham...162 J. Russell...153
H. Thompson...108 H. Peel...145
P. Wilson...145 B. Reynolds...97
J. Atkinson...148 F. Dixon...118
Total...518 Total...781

HOCKEY SCHEDULES ARRANGED.

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Jan. 16—Clinton at Hensall.
Jan. 19—Seaford at Alisa Craig.
Jan. 19—Goderich at London.
Jan. 19—Hensall at Clinton.
Jan. 23—London at Clinton.
Jan. 23—Goderich at Seaford.
Jan. 23—Hensall at Alisa Craig.
Jan. 26—Clinton at London.
Jan. 26—Seaford at Goderich.
Jan. 26—Alisa Craig at Hensall.

GROUP NO. 6.

Berlin, Ont., Dec. 6.—At a meeting of representatives of group No. 6, O. H. A. intermediate, here tonight, the following schedule was drawn up:
Jan. 5—Galt at Berlin.
Jan. 8—Preston at Guelph.
Jan. 12—Berlin at Galt.
Jan. 12—Guelph at Galt.
Jan. 17—Galt at Preston.
Jan. 19—Preston at Berlin.
Jan. 22—Berlin at Guelph.
Jan. 22—Preston at Galt.
Jan. 25—Guelph at Berlin.
Jan. 25—Guelph at Galt.
Jan. 28—Berlin at Galt.
Jan. 31—Guelph at Preston.

These referees were named: Berlin, George Boehmer, H. E. Wettlaue; Guelph, R. B. Hamilton, B. Irving; Preston, J. Short, C. R. Shantz; Galt, J. Fraser, E. C. Coddling.

GROUP NO. 1.

Brookville, Dec. 6.—At a meeting of representatives of group No. 1, O. H. A. intermediate series, held here tonight, the following schedule was agreed upon:
Jan. 2—Mic Macs, Smith's Falls, at Brookville.
Jan. 2—Perth at Stratheonias, Smith's Falls.
Jan. 10—Perth at Brookville.
Jan. 17—Stratheonias at Brookville.
Jan. 17—Perth at Mic Macs.
Jan. 22—Brookville at Perth, Stratheonias at Mic Macs.
Jan. 22—Brookville at Stratheonias, Mic Macs at Perth.
Jan. 29—Brookville at Mic Macs, Stratheonias at Perth.
Referees—John Wilson, Dr. Mitchell, G. E. James, Peter; Frank Hutton, G. C. Brock, J. C. Cafferty, Smith's Falls; G. C. Brock, J. Gray, L. Fournier, Brookville.

JUNIORS AT KINGSTON.

Kingston, Dec. 6.—The Junior O. H. A. series schedule for Kingston is: A. St. George's at Queen's, Jan. 15. Queen's at St. George's, Jan. 17. B. Y. R. M. C. II. Jan. 23. Winners of A. at R. M. C. II. Jan. 23. R. M. C. II. a. winners of A. Jan. 23.

JOCKEYS GET SOME HANDSOME GIFTS

Generous Presents From Kings and Turfmen—A Life Annuity For Winner of Big Event.

Since the 5 lb. apprentice allowance to jockeys was instituted large sums have been paid to these small horsemen for their services as important handicappers. York and contingencies in the event of success is about the average amount required to enable them to match him by their respective substantial presents in the form of money or horses.

One of the most successful of these famous English riders, Lord Archer, the present present he remembered was a pound of green tallow which an old farmer Jocke's parents to mark their son's rise in the world.

The biggest present he ever received was £200 to nothing about it. Locomotive's success in the most recent steeplechase which jockey ever received, care of the Turfmen, was sent to him. There was a sum of £25,000 to the week or so Archer refused to take the commission as he suspected a hoax. Archer, however, the stationmaster, refused him to accept it and now the carriage. Upon opening it he discovered a handsome gold-mounted riding whip, and wrapped round it as a sort of packing were 50 crisp £5 notes. There was no explanation as to the sender, who was never discovered. Altogether jockeys have a good time.

The King gave Anthony, the rider of Ambush II, £500 and a memento scarf pin when he won the Grand National, and Herbert Jones received a similar douceur when successful on His Majesty's Diamond Jubilee in the Derby. J. Daley, the rider of Hermit, the snowstorm Derby winner, was presented with £500 by Mr. H. Chaplin, who won over £100,000 in bets on the race.

The rider of a Grand National winner a couple of years ago was handed the full value of the race, approximately £2,000, in addition to which securities were transferred to his name assuring him a certainty of £1 a week for life. Arthur Nightingall received a check for £1,000 for winning the same race on Box Last year over crack steeplechase jockey, P. Woodland, rode in France, and when he won the Grand Steeplechase de Paris on Domino M. Fischhoff made him a present of the entire stakes, £2,000 francs—nearly £2,000. A jockey's life is a very strenuous one, with early rising, plenty of hard work riding in all weathers, and little to eat, but his cloud has certainly a golden lining.

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DANGER OF GAME IS TOO GREAT

Chicago 'Varsity Senate is in Move for Reform in Football.

Chicago, Dec. 6.—The University of Chicago has started a movement to secure needed reforms in football and the plans have gone so far that a committee has been appointed to investigate the game and make recommendations. A decision has been reached to the effect that some changes are needed in the game both to decrease the physical danger to the players and to do away with moral evils, which is declared, plainly exists.

Football is one of the subjects discussed at meetings of the university senate, the highest academic body in the school, on Dec. 3 and 4. The senate is composed of heads of departments and members of the faculty representing the alumni. The discussion brought out practical unanimity on the following points:

1. The promotion of physical culture and the discouragement of athletics have been from the beginning and should continue to be integral parts of the programme of the university.
2. The history of football in the middle west for the last dozen years is by no means a story of indifference on the part of university authorities to the various forms of danger, both physical and moral, which have attended its development. On the contrary much has been done in reducing the roughness of the game and in elevating the standards of its surroundings.

3. In spite of these considerations it is evident that football at present calls for an intensity of physical exertion and endures the players to a degree of danger of students.

4. More serious than these physical dangers are numerous moral evils which plainly exist. It is not necessary at this time to attempt the appointment of responsibility for these evils, but it is clear that they have for outgrown the vigilance of faculties in foreseeing dangers and in providing remedies.

5. The situation involves so much more than mere athletic relations that it should be treated as an academic problem of grave importance, and for that reason the essentials should be considered by the highest university authorities.

In order to carry the above views into effect the university senate adopted the following resolution:
"In view of the moral and physical evils connected with intercollegiate football as at present conducted, it is the opinion of the university senate that the university should take immediate steps in reforming the game and in providing remedies. To that end it is recommended that a committee be appointed to consider the subject and to report recommendations to a chairman, such committee to consist of a chairman, members each from the faculty and of the university council and the board of physical culture and athletics."

In accordance with this action the senate has appointed the committee as follows: Chairman, Dean Harry Pratt Judson; from university senate, Professors W. G. Hale and Abner W. Shaw; from the university council, the dean of the senior classes, Professor F. W. Sherrill, and the dean of the junior classes, Professor Geo. E. Vincent; from the board of physical culture and athletics, Professor A. A. Stage and Dean E. B. Hulbert.

TWIN SULLIVAN THINKS HE CAN TRIM HART

Match With the Louisville Man May Shortly Be Made—Sullivan Confident of the Outcome.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 5.—It took but a short time for the news that Marvin Hart is at some place to reach this city. Today Tom McCarty, matchmaker of the Pacific Coast Club, wired Hart to come to this city to match him with Sullivan, and that should the Kentucky man agree, a good-sized purse will be offered. McCarty says Hart can come to the coast and start training at once. When this news reached the fight fans here it was at first looked upon as a rather dim daydream, but when Sullivan spoke regarding the match they took it more seriously.

"It will be almost impossible for Hart to make my weight, but I will not ask that of him. If I can go up a few and win, I will be content. The match is on. I never felt better in all my fighting days, and I honestly believe I can beat Hart's measure."

"Hart is in arrest of seeking a match, let him communicate with me, and I am sure we can come to a suitable agreement."

Hart is at present in Michigan, stopping at Tommy Ryan's farm. Neither Hart nor his manager have yet expressed their willingness to accept the match, but it is expected that Hart will say "yes" some time today. Sullivan is still training hard, with the hopes of getting on some of the top-notchers of his class.

Hart and Tommy Ryan are going through many different exercises, preparatory to their tour around the country.

BASEBALL.

Detroit, Dec. 6.—Frank Kitson, the old Detroit pitcher, has been traded to Washington by the Detroit Club for Jack Townsend, who has pitched for Washington during the past three seasons. Manager Armour, of the Tigers, consummated the deal this morning.

ECKERSALL IS CAPTAIN.

Chicago, Dec. 4.—Walter Eckersall was today elected captain of the Chicago University eleven for 1906.

DROWNED WHILE SKATING.

Beloit, Wis., Dec. 6.—Orla Morey, a junior in Beloit college, captain of the baseball team and the star pitcher of all the college teams in the west, was broken through the ice while skating today and was drowned.

SECOND DAY'S SHOOT AT ST. THOMAS CLUB

Bates and Galbraith Tied for the International Handicap With a Score of Twenty.

St. Thomas, Ont., Dec. 6.—The second day of the annual shooting tournament attracted a big crowd of enthusiastic marksmen. Weather and birds were favorable, and the averages on the whole were first-class. There were three events. The Canadian handicap, with 20 entries, was not finished.

Event No. 4, 10 live birds—Cantelon 9, Stroud 10, Broderick 15, Upton 7, Wilson 8, H. Scane 9, C. Scane 8, McRitchie 10, Emile 7, R. Coffey 9, McLaren 10, Miller 9, McCall 6, A. Brown 9, Luck Marks 9, Stanley 9, Ford 9, Bates 9, Galbraith 9, Stotts 8.

Event No. 5, international handicap, \$300, 20 live birds—Galbraith and Bates were tied. The individual scores were: Cantelon 16, Stroud 17, Broderick 16, Upton 17, Wilson 16, H. Scane 19, McRitchie 17, Emile 16, R. Coffey 18, McCall 16, Wood 17, Mercer 18, Miner 1-8