

## HALF-MILE HEATS AT ST. STEPHEN WERE INTERESTING

Over a Thousand People at the Trotting Park—Three Classes With Seventeen Horses Starting—Lady Ashbrook, Evelyn B., and Bud Axworthy, Winners.

Special to The Standard.  
St. Stephen, May 24.—The races at the trotting park today were attended by over one thousand people and, though the races were but half mile heats, they were well contested and always interesting.

Edw. Hamilton of Woodland was starter, Dr. McQuaid of McAdam, Jos. Lamb of Boulton, and A. M. Budd of St. Stephen, judges; J. H. McMan of Calais, James Green of St. John, and J. F. Dumas of St. Stephen, timers; B. D. Budd, clerk.

The summaries follow:  
Class A.  
Lady Ashbrook, McBride, 1 1 1  
Little Gilling, McKee, 2 2 2  
Lady Ponderly, Love, 2 3 3  
Best time—1:08 1/2.

Class B.  
Evelyn B. Haley, 1 1 1  
Moak Gratian, Graham, 2 2 2  
Colonel D. McKay, 2 2 2  
Mary Hdr, McBride, 2 2 2  
Northern Star, Balkam, 4 4 3  
Ozen D. Coffey, 5 4 4  
Best time—1:09 1/2.

Class C.  
Bud Axworthy, Hyslop, 2 1 1  
Rose Lampe, Johnson, 1 3 3  
Highland Laddie, Keys, 2 2 2  
Lady Mac, Haley, 3 7 5  
Ben Bourbon, Forbes, 4 4 4  
Marion Todd, Groves, 6 4 6  
Nodlin, B. Love, 5 6 7  
Todd Jr., McLaughlin, 8 8 8  
Best time—1:16, in the last heat. The day is closing with a band concert and a grand ball.

A CHALLENGE.  
The Acadias baseball team challenge the Victors to a series of five games, to be played during the first week in June, arrangements can be made through The Standard or telephoning Manager Pyne.

## DOUBLE-HEADER BY THE ACADIAS AND THE VICTORS

Acadias Win Morning Game 9 to 8—Afternoon Contest Went To Victors With Score of 10 to 9—Two Interesting Games Played.

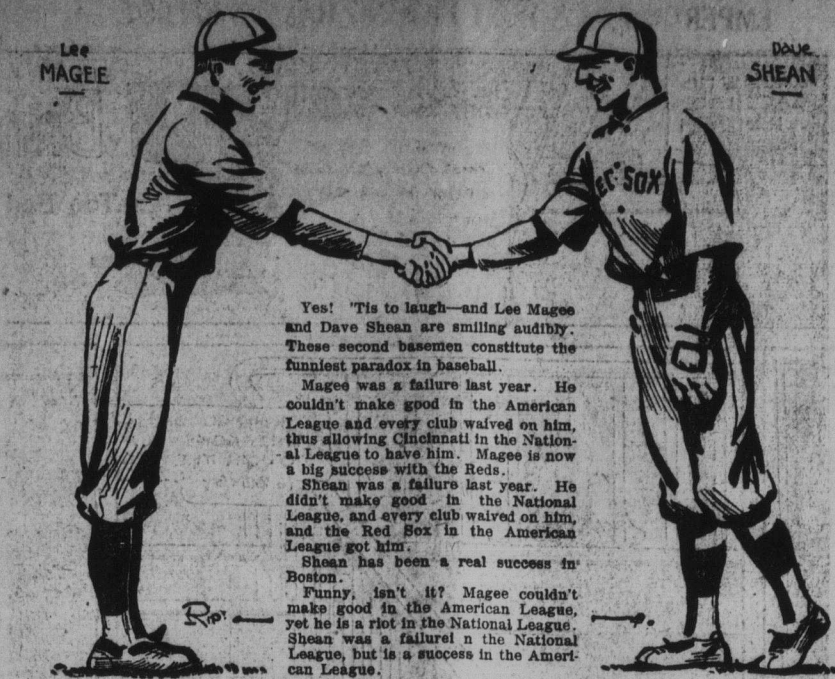
The Acadias and the Victors played a double-header yesterday on the Elm street grounds, the first game being won by the Acadias by a score of ten to eight, while the Victors won the second game by a score of ten to nine. The morning game commenced at 10:30 o'clock and was featured by fast fielding, timely hitting and daring chances on the bases. The batteries were: Acadias, Logan, Chestnut and Friars; Victors, King and Doherty.

Afternoon Game.  
The Victors turned the tables on the Acadias in the afternoon by winning and like the morning contest, the game proved fast and interesting from start to finish and was witnessed by quite a gathering of fans. The box score and summary of the game follows:

Acadias.	ABR	H	P	O	A	E
McGuligan, 1st b.	5	3	3	12	0	0
Fraser, c.	5	1	0	9	0	0
McKinnon, 3rd b.	2	1	0	1	0	0
Ritchie, ss.	4	1	1	4	0	0
Green, cf.	4	2	2	1	0	1
Curran, 2nd b.	4	1	1	1	3	0
Latham, lf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Logan, rf.	0	1	1	1	0	0
Chestnut, p.	4	1	1	0	5	0
Jacobson, 3rd b.	4	0	1	1	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>

Summary: Earned runs, Acadias 5, Victors 4; two-base hit, Curran; bases on balls off Chestnut 1, off Gill 5; struck out by Chestnut 5, by Gill 5; left on bases, Acadias 11, Victors 6; first base on errors, Acadias 3, Victors 3; pass balls, Friars 3.

## 'TIS TO LAUGH.



## MARTIN SHERIDAN WAS THE WORLD'S GREATEST ATHLETE

Broad of Chest, Sinewy, Long-Armed and Supple—Winner at Many Great International Athletic Contests—Greatest All-Round Athlete in the World—The Maker of Many Records—Suitable Memorial to be Erected.

(The Irish World.)

Several athletic experts have declared that Martin J. Sheridan, who died in New York City recently, was the greatest all-round athlete that the world ever saw. Broad of chest, sinewy, long-armed and supple, a Gael of old Mayo, Sheridan represented the United States at many great international athletic contests and he always returned to America bearing the "palm" and "crown" as Milo returned to Croton and Chilo to Achaea in the days long past described in Greek song and story.

At the Olympic games held at Athens in April, 1906, Sheridan was one of the forty-three athletes who represented this country. To show how broadly international were the contests it may be stated that Greece had 28 competitors at these games, France 73, Great Britain (including Australia and Canada) 57, Denmark 56, Norway 44, Italy 35, Bohemia 37, Austria 35. There were also athletes, though in lesser numbers, from Switzerland, Egypt, Russia, Hungary, Turkey, Belgium, Finland and Holland.

The late lamented James E. Sullivan, president of the Amateur Athletic Union of America, writing in 1906 in Outlook, a high-class American periodical, said of the Olympic games of that year:

"At these games the athletic supremacy of the world was settled. Martin Sheridan scoring the greatest number of points of any athlete entered."

A writer in the New York Sun said recently:

"For more than a decade Martin Sheridan was the greatest all-round athlete in the world. To write of all the feats accomplished by him in athletic competition would require a book. He established at least a dozen world's records and won close to a hundred championship titles. At the Olympic games in Athens he scored more than twice as many points as any other athlete and more than most of the entire teams of all other countries."

Robert Edgren, sporting editor of the New York Evening World, himself an athlete of note, says:

"Sheridan was the greatest all-round athlete that ever lived. I don't think there ever was any gamer athlete than Sheridan."

Lawson Robertson, the noted athletic coach who trained the men of the Irish-American Athletic Club of New York before he became athletic instructor at the University of Pennsylvania, says that "Sheridan was the greatest athlete that ever lived."

No statue in bronze or marble has ever been erected in honor of any of the men who won athletic honors for the United States at the Olympic games of the second series, commenced at Athens in 1896 and held in later years at Paris, St. Louis, Athens (a second time), London and Stockholm. A committee has been organized to erect a suitable memorial to Martin Sheridan, who was beyond all question America's greatest and most representative athlete. This committee has already definitely decided to erect a Celtic Cross over Sheridan's grave in Calvary cemetery, New York. The realization of this very suitable tribute to a man of Sheridan's faith and race is already assured because of the prompt and generous response of those in and around New York City who knew and loved the popular athlete and were associated with him in various relations.

At a meeting of the Martin Sheridan Memorial Committee held in New York City recently, the chairman, Supreme Court Justice D. F. Coahan, reported that former Congressman Murray Hubert, treasurer of the committee, had received assurances from high federal officials that they favored the proposal to name the new National Athletic Stadium at Washington in honor of Sheridan.

It is also proposed to erect a statue of "Sheridan Throwing the Discus" in some public park in New York or Washington and this will be done whether or not the federal government accedes to the request of the committee as to naming the athletic stadium. There are in this country countless representations in bronze

and marble of Grecian and Roman athletes, but up to the present there is no suitable statue of a representative American athlete. No more fitting subject could be found for such a memorial than Martin Sheridan.

The Irish World appeals to its readers to take the initiative in forcing into the life and light of a happy reality this proposed monument to the world's greatest athlete who, besides being a splendid type of American citizen, was a true Gael, born in County Mayo thirty-eight years ago. The first subscription sent to us to be turned over to the treasurer came from Right Rev. Monsignor Taaffe of Brooklyn, who is always at the forefront in every worthy American movement. We hope all our readers will follow the example of the venerable pastor of St. Patrick's church, Brooklyn, and that a monument worthy of American athletes' prowess and worthy of Ireland's contribution to America's supremacy in every sphere will be erected without delay.

DEMANDED HIS  
END IN ADVANCE

An April fool joke that was pulled off thirty days late was the bout between Bob Fitzsimmons and Ed. Dunkhorst, which took place in Brooklyn eighteen years ago today, with the Brooklyn fans cast for the role of suckers. Dunkhorst had never taken part in a real battle when he met Fitzsimmons. He was a giant in stature and weighed something less than 200 pounds, but not a whole lot less. Jim Jeffries who was then training for his fight with Corbett, engaged Ed. as a human punching bag. One Saturday the reporters at Jeff's training camp being short of news for the Monday morning papers, "Interviewed" Jeff's trainers, and sent out a story to the effect that Dunkhorst was the coming champion of the world. It was a joke, but the sport public, enamored of Ed's size, took it seriously, and clamored to see Dunkhorst in action.

A Brooklyn club offered Ed a match

## GREAT WAR VETERANS' SPORTS ON MOOSEPATH SUCCESSFUL

Were Under Auspices of Y. M. C. I. and Ably Arranged and Conducted By Joseph McNamara—Foot Races, Jumps, Tugs of War and Horse Races.

The sports yesterday on Moosepath were a success in every particular, and drew a large attendance. The entries were many in each event, and drew much applause—as those entered did excellent work. The total proceeds will go towards the building fund of the Great War Veterans' Association.

The sports were under the auspices of the Y. M. C. I. and the success attained is due to the untiring efforts of Jas. McNamara—the physical director, who made the programme such a genuine success.

The official referees appointed were Commissioner H. R. McLeellan and Col. J. L. McAvity. The timers were Martin Dolan, Thomas Nagle and Major Morgan.

The first event was the 100 yards dash, open, and resulted as follows: 1. Perry, 2nd; 2. Milan, Y. M. C. I., 3rd. Time 11 3/5 seconds.

100 Yards Naval and Military.  
Gur. Seymour, H. M. C. S. Helena, 1st; P. O. Chaffin, petty officer, 2nd; 1. Elston, H. M. C. S. Helena, 3rd. Time 12 3/5 seconds.

440 Yards—Open.  
George Margotte, Y. M. C. I., 1st; B. Garnett, Y. M. C. I., 2nd; M. Napier, Y. M. C. I., 3rd. Time 1 min. 31 seconds.

440 Yards Dash, Naval and Military.  
Geo. Seymour, H. M. C. S. Helena, 1st; S. J. Jacobson, H. M. C. S. Helena, 2nd. Time 35 seconds.

One Mile, Naval and Military.  
Geo. Seymour, H. M. C. S. Helena, 1st; R. Murray, C. D. 10, 2nd; S. J. Jacobson, H. M. C. S. Helena, 3rd. Time 35 seconds.

Sack Race—Open.  
Robert Murray, C. D. 10, 1st; Geo. Seymour, H. M. C. S. Helena, 2nd; S. J. Jacobson, H. M. C. S. Helena, 3rd. Time 35 seconds.

Three-Legged Race.  
McCarthy and Brogan, Y. M. C. I., 1st; Mooney and Paine, Y. M. C. I., 2nd; Seymour and Jacobson, H. M. C. S. Helena, 3rd. Time 1 1/2 minutes.

Tug-of-War.  
Depot Batt de-satel C. 2, R. 2nd; Depot Batt de-satel C. 2, R. 2nd; Depot Batt de-satel C. 2, R. 2nd. Time 2 1/2 minutes.

Wall Scaling.  
C. G. R., 1st; Depot Batt. 2nd. Time 2 1/2 minutes.

Victoria Cross Race.  
Pounds and Cummer, 1st; Goguen and Briand, 2nd; Rankine and Slater, 3rd. Time 2 1/2 minutes.

220 Returned Men's Race.  
W. D. Cameron, 1st; C. F. Bishop, 2nd. Time 2 1/2 minutes.

Running High Jump.  
W. J. Manzer, Depot Batt, 1st. 4 feet 10 inches; Geo. Margotte, Y. M. C. I., 2nd, 4 feet 10 inches; F. Flood, Y. M. C. I., 3rd, 4 feet 9 inches.

Running Broad Jump—Open.  
J. Milan, Y. M. C. I., 1st, 15 feet 5 inches; P. Perry (unattached) 2nd, 14 feet 9 inches; C. Brogan, Y. M. C. I., 3rd, 14 feet 8 inches.

Running Broad Jump, Naval and Military.  
Stewart, 1st, 14 feet 5 inches; Manzer, 2nd, 13 feet 11 inches; Founds, 3rd, 13 feet 8 inches.

Shot Put (12 pounds)—Open.  
A. McInnes, Y. M. C. I., 1st, 39 feet, 4 inches; P. Perry (unattached) 2nd, 34 feet, 8 inches; J. Milan, Y. M. C. I., 3rd, 32 feet 5 inches.

Shot Put (12 pounds) Naval and Military.  
S. Carr, 1st, 35 feet, 3 inches; W. with Ptz, and Dunkhorst, who was as crazy like a fox, expressed his willingness to mop up the ring with the lanky one for the sum of \$1,000. Ed knew he would stand no chance with Bob, so he wisely demanded that the coin be paid over before the bout.

J. Manzer, 2nd, 34 feet, 11 inches; Founds, 3rd, 32 feet, 7 3/4 inches. Running High Jump, Naval and Military.  
Pte. A. Stewart, Ry. Con. Co., 1st, 4 feet 2 inches; Major Barnes, Depot Batt, 2nd, 4 feet.

THE HORSE RACES.  
Two horse racing events during the afternoon proved very interesting. Allan Hale won the class "B" event. Sure Enough captured the first heat but Allan Hale won the next two and race.

There were seven starters in the Colt race which was won in two straight heats by Jack K., a fast stepper, owned by Mr. Keefe. The summaries of the events follow:

Class B.  
Allan Hale (Cook).....2 1 1  
Sure Enough (Rice).....1 2 2  
Chin Chilla (Howarth).....3 3 3  
James O'Neill (Short).....4 4 4  
Jennie Nell (Kelley).....5 5 5  
Time, 1:11 2/5; 1:15; 1:13.

Colt Race.  
Jack K. (Keefe).....1 1 1  
Allie Mac (Hayes).....2 2 2  
James O'Neill (Short).....3 3 3  
Dodd's Princess (Stantford).....4 4 4  
Rasauli (Richards).....5 5 5  
Victory Bond (Kins).....6 6 6  
Crawford.....7 7 7  
Time 1:20; 1:20.

The officials were: Dave Stockford starter; M. Dolan and J. T. Power, timers; H. J. Sheehan and F. W. Kelley, judges.

The winners of the different events are requested to call at the office of Charles Robinson, secretary Returned Soldiers Commission, 49 Canterbury street and receive their prizes.

## THE FREDERICTON RACES YESTERDAY

Good Attendance at Trotting Park—Four Events With Ten Horses Starting.

Fredericton, May 24.—The horse races which were held at the Trotting Park this afternoon under the management of the Park Association attracted quite a large attendance and proved interesting. There were four classes and ten horses started. The summaries follow:

Class A.  
Roy Volo, 2:13 1/2, W. B. Lint, 2:14 1/2, Thomas Earl, 2:05 3/4, P. Doherty, 2:2 2 Time—2:23 1/2, 2:25 1/4, 2:19 1/4.

Class B.  
Bill Sharon, S. Boyle, 1:1 1 1  
The Manor, H. G. Kitchen, 1:2 2 2  
No time announced.

Class C.  
Jennie Frisco, 2:14 1/2, P. Doherty, 1:1 1 1  
Jessie H., 2:18 1/2, H. G. Kitchen, 1:2 2 2  
Try Jack, 2:14 1/2, W. B. Lint, 2:1 3 3  
Time—2:27 1/2, 2:21 1/4.

Class D.  
Shadland Panetta, 2:04 1/2, P. S. Watson, 2:17 1/2, A. M. Gib-son, 2:17 1/2, H. C. Coates, 2:2 2 2  
Queen Aquiline, H. C. Coates, 2:2 2 2

## SPRINGSIDE WON THE KING'S PLATE

Toronto, May 24.—The following is the result of the King's plate here today:

Springside, 1:13 (Mink), won; Ladder of Light, 1:19, Ensign, second; May Bloom, 1:08, Rodriguez, third. Time—2:08 4/5.

Red Admiral, Black-Burn, Sadducee, Bender, Scarborough Beach, McCubbin, Gold Gator, Twelve Bells, Sea Froth and Pleasure Bent, also ran.

Extract from a letter of a Canadian soldier in France.  
To Mrs. R. D. Bambrick:  
The Rectory, Yarmouth, N.S.  
Dear Mother—  
I am keeping well, have good food and well protected from the weather, but have some difficulty keeping uninvited guests from visiting me.

Have you any patriotic druggists that would give something for a gift overseas—if so do you know something that is good for everything? I do—Old MINARD'S Liniment.

Your affectionate son,  
Rob.  
Manufactured by the  
Minard's Liniment Co. Ltd.  
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## BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.  
Cincinnati 2; Philadelphia 1.  
Cincinnati, Ohio, May 24.—A wild pitch by Watson allowed Griffith to score the winning run from second base in the last half of the eleventh inning today, giving the Reds a two to one victory over Philadelphia. The score:

Philadelphia.....0000010000—1 9 2  
Cincinnati.....1000000001—2 7 3  
Batteries—Frederick, Watson and Adams; Toney and Wingo.

St. Louis 2; Brooklyn 1.  
St. Louis, Mo., May 24.—St. Louis broke its losing streak today, by taking a twelve inning game from Brooklyn, two to one. The score:

Brooklyn.....0000000000—1 7 0  
St. Louis.....0000010000—2 8 1  
Batteries—Marquard and Krueger; Packard and Gonzales.

Boston 6; Pittsburgh 3.  
Pittsburgh, Pa., May 24.—The Boston Braves made their first appearance of the season here today and defeated Pittsburgh, six to three. The score:

Boston.....002130000—6 12 1  
Pittsburgh.....00000020—3 5 3  
Batteries—Ragon and Wilson; Steele, Jacobs, Harmon and Archer.

Postponed Game.  
At Chicago—Chicago-New York, rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.  
Won Lost P.C.  
New York.....123 7 767  
Chicago.....119 15 559  
Cincinnati.....119 15 559  
Pittsburgh.....115 14 517  
Philadelphia.....112 17 414  
Boston.....113 19 406  
Brooklyn.....111 19 397  
St. Louis.....110 20 333

AMERICAN LEAGUE.  
St. Louis 9; Philadelphia 5.  
Philadelphia, May 24.—St. Louis lengthened its winning streak to six straight today by knocking Myers out of the box and beating Philadelphia nine to three. The score:

St. Louis.....023000031—9 12 0  
Philadelphia.....002000010—3 10 3  
Batteries—Gallia and Nunnemaker; Myers, Adams and McAllister.

Boston 5; Chicago 4.  
Boston, May 24.—Boston took the first game of the series from Chicago today by staging a ninth inning rally winning five to four. The score:

Chicago.....00020002—4 7 3  
Boston.....00004001—5 10 2  
Batteries—Faber, Danforth and Schalk; Bush and Agnew, Schang.

Cleveland 3; New York 2.  
New York, May 24.—A nineteen inning game, the longest of the present major league's season was won by

Cleveland from New York today, three to two, when Joe Wood, the former pitcher, his second home run of the game. The game was a remarkable pitcher's battle between Coveleski, who went the entire distance, and Russell and Mogridge. The score:

Cleveland.....0010001000000001—3 34 1  
New York.....000000101000000000—2 12 2  
Batteries—Coveleski and O'Neill; Russell, Mogridge and Hannah, Walters.

A Benefit Game.  
Washington, May 24.—Detroit and Washington played a sixteen inning game today for the benefit of the American Red Cross second war relief fund. The score was two to two, when darkness ended the contest. The score:

Detroit.....0001010000000000—2 6 1  
Washington.....0110000000000000—2 8 2  
Batteries—Coveleski and O'Neill; Harper and Alnuth.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.  
Won Lost P.C.  
Boston.....120 12 625  
Cleveland.....118 14 563  
St. Louis.....116 13 552  
New York.....116 14 533  
Chicago.....114 13 519  
Philadelphia.....113 18 419  
Detroit.....112 17 414  
Pittsburgh.....8 16 333

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.  
Toronto 5; Jersey City 5.  
At Toronto—Morning game.  
Jersey City.....01000000—1 2 5  
Toronto.....05101100—8 11 2  
Batteries—Labatte and McAllister; Warhop and Fisher.

At Syracuse.  
Binghamton 7; Syracuse 4.  
Syracuse.....00000001—7 11 2  
Syracuse.....20020000—4 9 6  
Batteries—Beckermis, Prock and Smith; Heck and Hopper.

Baltimore 6; Rochester 4.  
At Rochester.  
Baltimore.....00200200—6 13 0  
Rochester.....00002000—4 9 1  
Batteries—Lewis and Egan; Russell, Brogan and Smith.

At Buffalo.  
Buffalo 5; Newark 4.  
Buffalo.....020002001—5 13 0  
Newark.....1001010100—4 8 3  
Batteries—Cooper and Meyers; Walker and O'Brien.

## THE GUMPS—MIN WILL BANKRUPT ANDY YET.

I KNEW IT—I WANTED HER TO LET ME INVEST THAT \$2,000.00 IN EXCELSIOR PACKING STOCK. I PLEADED WITH HER TO LET ME HAVE THE MONEY AND HERE IT'S GONE UP 1 1/2 POINTS.

I TOLD HER IT WAS GOIN UP, BUT SHE WOULDN'T LISTEN, THEY NEVER DO. I JUST KNOCKED ME OUT OF \$225.00 COLD CASH. THAT'S WHAT SHE DID.

LOOKIE HERE!! SEE WHAT THAT STOLK DID. I LOST \$225.00 THROUGH YOU. I HOPE YOU'RE SATISFIED. NOW I WANT MY MONEY. I'M GOIN TO INVEST IT MYSELF.

WHAT IS THIS—A NIGHTMARE YOU'RE HAVING? THAT'S YESTERDAY'S PAPER—LOOK AT TODAY'S—YOU'LL FIND IT DROPPED 4 POINTS.

—SIDNEY SMITH—

NO WORRIES.

—Yes, sir, there's one thing I'm troubled with, and that's—Punctureproof tires?

—No; I haven't got a worry about tire trouble.

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