# CANADIAN PROS TO PLAY FOR PURSE IN NEW YORK

MONDAY MORNING

Vancouver, Wanderers and Quebec Opening Next Saturday

NEW YORK, March 8.—An uneventful season will be brought to a close with the annual invasion of the Canadian professionals, who will play a series of five games for a purse of \$5000, beginning next Saturday night, at St. Nicholas Rink. Three of the strongest organizations of professional Canadian experts will take part, and will give the most brilliant exhibition of the great Canadian game ever played outside of the Dominion. The team from Vancouver of the Pacific Coast League, which will represent the far west in the sectional conflict for titular honors, will include among others Frank Patrick, one of the most sensational players in Canada, and Fred Taylor, the giant, who is called Jeffreys because of his resemblance to the erstwhile heavyweight champion pugilist. D. Pitre is another famous player with the Vancouver champions.

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The Quebec team, another of the participants, is a past winner of the Stanley Cup, emblematic of the professional championship, and comprises many distinguished players, among them McDonald, formerly of the Ontarios; Moran, a noted-goaler, and Mummery, Prodgers and Malone.

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DON VALLEY FOOTBALL,

Long Ring Career

Arrange For Horse Show

Arrangements are under way for the holding of the horse show during the week beginning

Tuesday, April 28. Tho the program has not been com-pleted, it has been decided to

put on a number of military features. On the whole the features of last year's program

will be closely followed. Application has been made for

the use of the armories, and

Royal Highness the Duke of

Connaught to open the show.

Of Sam Langford

ferent occasions, each contest resulting in a draw.

After the Blackburn contest Langford will go to Kenosha, Wis., where he is matched to meet Carl Morris at the end of this month. After several other bouts now in prospect he will return to Paris in April to renew his efforts to bring about a match with Jack Johnson for the world's champingship. ferent occasions, each contest resulting

DUFFERIN DRIVING CLUB.

morden Hotel, on Tuesday, March 10, of the Don Valley F.C. All last year's play-ers and supporters and any new players are invited to attend, as the business is

#### Prospects Bright for Yorkshire Cricket Club

The third annual general meeting of the Yorkshire Society Cricket Club was the Yörkshire Society Cricket Club was held in the Sons of England Hall on Friday last. Great interest was displayed by all present, and everything points to another successful year by the champlons of the Toronto Church and Mercantile Cricket League for 1913. Several new players have been secured and prospects look as if even a stronger team than last year will be put on the field this next season. It is also anticipated the club will have much better grounds than heretoire which should be greatly to their advantage. A concert is to be held in about four weeks' time with a view of helping the club generally and also to present the prizes won by the various players last year. This year it was decided that four prizes, which were kindly donated by Messrs. W. C. Robinson, C. W. Dickinson, H. Pugh and Catton, should be presented to the two best batsmen, the best bowler and also the best fielder. The election of officers resulted in a good executive being returned, which also should add greatly to the success of the club. Mr. W. C. Robinson, who so ably piloted the team to victory last season, was re-elected as captain for 1914 season. The election resulted in the following being returned:

Hon, president, Ex.-Ald. M. Rawlinson; president, A. Atkinson; vice-presidents, E. Bracewell, S. Grimshaw, C. Hopkins, J. T. Myers, T. A. Marshall, J. Scott, T. P. Wood, W. C. Robinson; secretary-treasurer re-elected, Frank W. Myers, 19 Elmer avenue, Kew Beach; captain, re-elected, W. C. Robinson; vice-captain, A. A. Denton; committee, C. W. Dickinson, J. T. Myers, J. Scott, E. Bracewell, J. H. Tyson; umpire, F. Brownhill.

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DENIES HE WANTS CUBS.

CHICAGO, March 7.—John T. Connery, coal dealer of Chicago, who denied in New York yesterday that he was trying to buy the Chicago National League Baseball Club, informed friends in this city that he was going to New York to endeavor to purchase the Cubs for a Chicago syndicate, according to Riger C. Sullivan, former Illinois Democrat National committéeman, who is connected with the Connery family by marriage. Sullivan gave this information affèr being shown New York despatches, which said Connery was réported to be negotiat The annual meeting of the Dufferin Driving Club will be held tonight at the office of the secretary, 990 West Queen street, when the officers will be elected and the reports presented. A full attendance of members is expected.

In solown New York despatches, which said Connerty was reported to be negotiating for Charles P. Taft's controlling interest in the Cubs.

"I was not asked to take a hand in the deal, but I might be willing to buy a part of the stock if given the opportunity," said Mr. Sullivan,

Rangers.

Raith Rovers.

### Hoppe Makes World's Record at Billiards

CHICAGO, March 7 .- Willie Hoppe of New York, world's champion billiardist, finished the most brilliant run of his career tonight by defeating George Sutton, and winning the All-Star tournaton, and winning the All-Star tournament, which has extended over the week. Hoppe's grand average for the 3500 points he has played the two weeks he has been here was a fraction over 47.

Sutton took second place in the tournament, Yamada was third, Demarest fourth, while Slosson was last, having lost every game in which he participated.

Hoppe made a world's record average of 135% in his 1500 point match with Sutton last week.

OLD COUNTRY SOCCER.

The following are the results of the football games played in Britain on Sat-

Scottish Cup.
Fourth Round—
..... 3 Queen's Park ...
..... 1 Partick Thistle... Stevenston U. .. Motherwell ..... Aston Villa... Liverpool.... Sunderland... English League.

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#### Durham Beat York For County Honors

LONDON, March 7 .- (C.A.P.)-Rugby games today resulted as follows: Newport......11 Cardiff ........ London Hospital...5 London Irish ... Old Blues
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Newton
Liverpool Old B. 

County Championship, Northern Union League. 

HOCKEY IN CORNWALL.

CORNWALL, March 7 .- The champion ship of the Cornwall Sunday School Hockey League was decided, when the Methodist team defeated the Trinity (Anglican) team by 1 goal to 0, after laying 29 minutes' overtime. This gives he Methodist boys the championship for he fourth year in succession. On the regular series the teams tied, both in games and goals, each winning five and osing one match, and scoring two goals each in their own game. The teams cere: Methodist—Hessell, Penniston, Hendry, Vicholson, Wood, Relyea, James, Trinity—Carpenter, Kennedy Herring-on, Whitford, Casselman, Bailey, Stacey, Referee—E. Sommerville, Judge—Cooper, Umpires—W. Rombough, Geo. Penny, Timers—W. A. Gallinger, Fred Degan. Penalty timer—Eddie Degan.

BALMY BEACH GUN CLUB. The regular weekly shoot of the Balmy Beach Gun Club was held as usual of their grounds, Eastern avenue. A large turnout of members and their friends JACK BLACKBURN IS

were present. In the spoon event A. E. Craig won with 25 straight and in the team shoot Joselin's team defeated Cutler's by 12 birds. Joselin ....... Hirons .....

AFTER SAM LANGFORD

NEW YORK, March 7.- Jack Blackburn, the negro boxer, who as a wonder five years ago has been in hard traininf ever since he ceased to be one of Uncle Sam's unwilling guests. With a match with Sam Langford in prospect Blackburn is doing eight or ten miles on the road every morning besides a stiff workout in the gymnasium in the afternoon. His fine physical development has remained unimpaired during his incarceration, and those who have seen him at work state that he looks as good as ever. He will have a tryout in Philadelphia

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