Baseball Toronto and Buffalo Continue to Lose ⁂ Cricket M. C. C. Make 338 For Four Wickets ⁂ Turf Charlie Eastman Wins Handicap

GRAYS SHUT OUT THE LEAFS JOE KELLY IS NOW IN BOSTON

Thoney Beats Phelan on Bases, But Latter is First on Bunt—Orioles Wallop Bisons—Skeeters and Royals Break Even—Last Game a Funny One.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 17.—(Special.)—Providence made it three straight against the new champions of the Eastern League to-day, defeating them in a very fast and well-played game by 4 to 0. Much of the credit of the victory is due Harris, who pitched one of his best games since joining the team. He allowed the Leafs but four hits, Wiedensaul getting one the first time up, Flynn one in the fifth, and Flynn and Hesterfer one each in the eighth. The only times the visitors had a chance to score were when Flynn got to third in the fifth, with two out, and in the eighth, when, with Hurley on third, Hesterfer on first and two out, Hesterfer was hit moderately hard by the Greys, but they hit when they were needed. Bases on balls were very costly, two of the runs scored by the Greys starting from passes. Both teams fielded brilliantly, not a semblance of an error being made on either side. McConnell walked in the opener, took third on Poland's hit and scored on Abstein's drive to Wiedy, who played second. Frick being out of the game with a lame ankle, Poland singled in the sixth, took second on a passed ball, third on Chadbourne's single, and scored on Abstein's out at first. With one down in the eighth, Poland made his fourth straight single, but was out trying to stretch it into a double. Chadbourne walked and Abstein scratched out a hit to Phyle. Phelan hit to right field for three bases, scoring both men.

During the game Phelan and Thoney engaged in a base-running contest, and two world's records were broken. Phelan won the bunt and run to first, covering the distance in three seconds flat. Thoney made it in 3-1-5 seconds. In circling the bases, Thoney covered the distance in 13 3-5 seconds, and Phelan did it in 14 seconds flat.

Manager Kelley was in Boston to-day conferring with the National League officials about his draft. Score:

Providence—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McConnell, 2b.	3	1	1	2	4	0
Lord, 3b.	4	0	0	2	2	0
Poland, r.f.	4	1	4	0	0	0
Chadbourne, l.f.	2	1	1	2	0	0
Abstein, 1b.	4	1	1	14	1	0
Phelan, c.f.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Peterson, c.	4	0	0	5	0	0
Crawford, s.s.	3	0	0	2	6	0
Harris, p.	3	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	28	4	9	27	16	0

Toronto—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Wiedensaul, 2b.	4	0	1	2	2	0
Schafly, s.s.	3	0	0	3	4	0
Thoney, l.f.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Phyle, 3b.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Carrigan, c.	3	0	0	4	3	0
Flynn, 1b.	3	0	2	8	0	0
Welsh, c.f.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hurley, c.f.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wotell, r.f.	3	0	0	1	1	0
Hesterfer, p.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	29	0	4	24	11	0

Providence 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 *—4
Toronto 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Stolen bases—Abstein, Duffy, Phyle, Flynn. Three-base hit—Phelan. Double-plays—Crawford to Abstein; Schafly to Flynn. Struck out—By Harris 5, by Hesterfer 1. Bases on balls—Off Harris 2, off Hesterfer 5. Time—1.20. Umpire—Owens. Attendance—2400.

Even Break at Jersey City.

JERSEY CITY, Sept. 17.—Montreal got away with the first game of to-day's double-header with Jersey City, but the Skeesters stung the Canadians in the second event, winning 2 to 1 in a contest of five and a half innings. The second game was a battle between Lake and Stanley, the former excelling. Scores:

—First Game—

Jersey City—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Clement, 1.f.	5	1	2	2	0	0
Madden, c.f.	4	0	1	3	1	0
Bean, s.s.	3	1	1	1	6	2
Hanford, r.f.	2	1	1	0	0	0
Merritt, 1b.	4	0	0	10	0	0
Fitzgerald, c.	3	0	0	0	8	0
Connors, 2b.	3	0	0	3	1	0
Woods, 3b.	4	0	0	0	1	1
Moore, p.	1	0	0	0	3	0
Pfanmiller, p.	2	0	1	0	1	0
*Halligan	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	6	27	13	3

*Batted for Pfanmiller in ninth.

Montreal—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Needham, 1.f.	3	1	1	1	0	0
Snowden, c.f.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Brown, 1b.	5	2	2	12	0	0
Corcoran, s.s.	4	0	2	0	3	1
Shean, 2b.	5	1	1	1	5	1
Madigan, r.f.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Morgan, 3b.	4	2	2	3	1	0
Waters, c.	4	1	1	5	1	0
Brockett, p.	4	0	2	1	1	0
Clark, c.	1	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	35	7	11	27	12	2

Jersey City 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—3
Montreal 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—3

Left on bases—Montreal 7, Jersey City 7. First on balls—Off Moore 2, off Pfanmiller 1, off Brockett 5. Struck out—By Moore 2, by Pfanmiller 1, by Brockett 5. Home run—Hanford. Three-base hit—Clement. Two-base hit—Corcoran. Sacrifice hits—Bean, Snowden, Madigan. Double plays—Bean, Connors; Merritt, Madigan; Bean and Merritt; Waters and Morgan. Time—2.10. Umpires—Eason and McCarthy.

—Second Game—

Jersey City—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Clement, l.f.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Bean, s.s.	2	0	0	2	2	0
Merritt, 1.f.	2	0	1	0	0	0
Hanford, r.f.	3	1	0	1	0	0
Vandergrift, 1b.	2	1	0	7	0	0
Connors, 2b.	0	0	0	1	0	0
Woods, 3b.	2	0	1	0	1	0
Butler, c.	2	0	0	8	1	0
Lake, p.	3	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	17	2	2	18	6	0

Montreal—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Needham, l.f.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Snowden, c.f.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, 1b.	2	0	0	8	0	0
Corcoran, s.s.	1	0	0	0	1	1
Shean, 2b.	1I	1	1	2	3	1
Madigan, r.f.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Morgan, 3b.	2	0	0	1	1	0
Clarke, c.	2	0	0	4	2	0
Stanley, p.	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	18	1	1	15	9	2

Jersey City 0 0 0 2 0 *—2
Montreal 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1

Left on bases—Jersey City 5, Montreal 1. Bases on balls—Off Stanley 4, off Lake 1. Struck out—By Lake 9, by Stanley 3. Three-base hit—Shean. Sacrifice hit—Shean. Stolen bases—Hanford, Connors. Hit by pitcher—Stanley 1. Time—1.20. Attendance—850.

Newark 2, Rochester 1.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17. — Rochester dropped its third straight game, the final one of the season, to Newark to-day by the small score of 2 to 1. Both pitchers showed good form and the errors were almost absent. The score:

Newark—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Engle, r.f.	3	2	1	1	0	0
Mahling, s.s.	3	0	1	1	3	0
Cockman, 3b.	3	0	1	1	2	0
Mullen, 3b.	3	0	0	2	3	0
Sharpe, 1b.	3	0	1	13	0	1
Zacher, c.f.	3	0	0	4	0	0
Jones, 1.f.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Kritchell, c.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Pardee, p.	3	0	1	0	6	0
Totals	27	2	6	27	14	1

Rochester—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Malay, s.s.	4	0	1	3	3	0
Hayden, 1.f.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Clancy, 1b.	4	0	0	9	0	0
Kelly, r.f.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Flanagan, c.f.	3	1	2	0	0	0
Moran, 3b.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Lennox, 3b.	3	0	1	1	2	0
Higgins, c.	3	0	0	3	2	0
Bannister, p.	3	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	31	1	5	24	11	0

Newark 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 *—2
Rochester 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Two-base hits—Kritchell, Flanagan 2. Malay. Sacrifice hits—Mahling, Moran. Stolen bases—Engle 2, Cockman, Sharpe. Bases on balls—Off Pardee 1, off Bannister 1. Struck out—By Pardee 2, by Bannister 5. First on errors—Rochester 1. Left on bases—Newark 3, Rochester 5. Time—1.30. Umpires—Sullivan and Conway. Attendance—2000.

Bisons Get Theirs.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 17.—An approaching storm caused the calling of the game between the Bisons and Orioles. Buffalo being shut out at the time, Burchell was untouchable when the hits were needed.

Baltimore—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Hall, 2b.	3	0	2	2	2	1
Kelly, c.f.	2	0	0	2	0	0
O'Hara, l.f.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Byers, c.	1	0	0	1	0	0
Hearne, c.	2	1	0	3	0	1
Hunter, 1b.	1	1	0	7	0	0
Harpbacher, r.f.	2	0	1	2	1	0
Burrell, 3b.	3	0	1	1	2	0
Beach, s.s.	3	1	1	0	2	0
Burchell, p.	2	0	0	1	4	0
Totals	20	3	5	21	11	2

Buffalo—	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Nattress, s.s.	3	0	0	1	3	0
Schirm, c.f.	2	0	1	2	0	0
Parrott, 1.f.	2	0	1	1	1	0
Murray, r.f.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Smith, 2b.	3	0	0	0	1	0
McConnell, 1b.	3	0	0	6	0	1
Ryan, 3b.	2	0	1	3	2	0
McAllister, c.	3	0	0	4	1	0
Tozer, p.	2	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	23	0	4	18	11	1

Baltimore 0 0 0 0 1 1 1—3
Buffalo 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Two-base hits—Schirm, Burrell, Hambacher. Sacrifice hits—Parrott, Burchell, Kelly. Stolen bases—Kelly, Schirm, Smith, McConnell. Double-play—Burrel to Hunter. Bases on balls—Off Tozer 2, off Burchell 2. Struck out—By Burchell 3, by Tozer 1. Left on bases—Baltimore 5, Buffalo 5. Time—1.20. Umpire—Kelly.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RECORD.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	80	52	.606
Detroit	80	54	.597
Chicago	79	57	.581
Cleveland	77	57	.575
New York	64	70	.477
Boston	58	79	.424
St. Louis	57	78	.422
Washington	43	89	.325

American League Scores.

At Philadelphia—		R.	H.	E.
New York	3 0 0 0 0 0 3 3 2—11	17	2
Philadelphia	1 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—3	10	5

Batteries—Hogg, Blair and Kleinow; Lord, Craig, Bartley, Coombs and Schreck. Umpires—Hurst and Sheridan.

At Cleveland—First game—		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	2	3	
St. Louis	0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—2	6	0	

Batteries—Thielman and Bemis; Powell and Stephens. Umpire—Egan.

Second game—		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 3—5	7	4	
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 1 1 0 3 1—6	11	1	

Batteries—Clarkson and Clarke; Bailey, Howell and Spencer. Umpire—Egan.

At Detroit—		R.	H.	E.
Detroit	2 0 2 0 2 5—9	15	0	
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1	5	0	

Batteries—Siever and Payne; Smith and Sullivan. Umpire—Connolly. (Called end of sixth; darkness.)

At Washington—		R.	H.	E.
Washington	0 0 3 2 0 4 0 0 *—9	13	1	
Boston	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1	8	3	

Batteries—Hughes and Blankenship; Glaze, Winter, Steele and Shaw. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RECORD.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	97	38	.710
Pittsburg	81	54	.600
New York	77	59	.566
Philadelphia	73	59	.553
Brooklyn	63	73	.463
Cincinnati	55	79	.411
Boston	52	81	.391
St. Louis	41	96	.299

National League Scores.

At Brooklyn—		R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1	5	2	
Brooklyn	0 0 0 2 0 4 0 4 *—6	9	2	

Batteries—Coakley, Moran and Dooin; Pastorius and Ritter. Umpires — Johnstone and Carpenter.

At Boston—		R.	H.	E.
Boston	0 1 0 0 0 0 5 0 *—6	12	2	
New York	0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 0—3	11	1	

Batteries — Barberich and Needham; Mathewson and Bowerman. Umpire — O'Day.

At St. Louis—		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—2	4	1	
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	4	2	

Batteries—Fromme and Hostetter; Willis and Gibson. Umpires—Rigler and Klem.

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FINISH OF OPENING FEATURE AT WOODBINE.
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JUNIOR C.L.A. FINAL TO-DAY.

Bracebridge Play Toronto Junction at Newmarket at 3.30.

This afternoon at 3.30, at Newmarket, Bracebridge and Toronto Junction meet for the junior C. L. A. championship.

The junior age limit for the C. L. A. has only been in operation two years, and incidentally these teams have been in the finals in each case, Bracebridge winning the championship last year.

However, Junction are considerably stronger than last season and may turn the tables on the northerners to-day.

Special cars will leave corner Dundas and Keele to-day at 12.45, connecting with the Metropolitan cars leaving North Toronto at 1.30.

Bracebridge are bringing down an excursion, and altogether an interesting time may be expected this afternoon.

The following are the teams:

Bracebridge—G. A. McLeod, Arnott, Trimble, Foster, Gimson, Bastedo, P. Jacques, Bethune, Wesley, Boyer, J. Jacques, McDonald.

Junction—Kinsman, Gilbert, Curtis, Scott, Wallace, Vernon, King, Johnson, Smith, Cooper, Smith, Gregg.

Bones Allen left Ottawa Saturday night for St. Paul, where he will play a few games before the season closes. Allen will play hockey there this winter.

STRATFORD HOCKEY PLAYERS

Roberts and Rankin Are Now Attending Varsity.

Stratford will lose two of their hockey players this year, but their loss will be Varsity's gain. The players are Boat Roberts, point player of the senior O. H. A. champions, and Ramsay Rankin, the husky forward of the junior O. H. A. champions.

Roberts is attending Pharmacy, while Rankin is going to Medical. Both players are strong defence men, while Rankin is still eligible to play junior O.H.A.

Croquet Tournament.

The Toronto Croquet Club are holding a croquet tournament on the lawns of the Dominion Lawn Bowling Association, at the Woodbine, on Saturday, Sept. 23, commencing at 9 a.m. There will be four competitions, as follows: 1, championship, doubles, open; 2, championship, singles, open; 3, novice, doubles; 4, novice, singles. The games will be played according to the English rules, with such variations as the committee may approve; four to 4½-inch hoops, 3½-inch balls.

Entries must be received by the secretary on or before Sept. 24. The secretary is C. W. Thompson, 228 Beverley-street.

More Lawn Tennis Finals.

The mixed doubles in the Ontario championships were advanced to the finals by yesterday's play, when Miss Moyes and Macdonell defeated Miss Witchall and Baird in a well-played game by the following score: 6—4, 2—6, 6—1.

The final in the mixed doubles will be played this afternoon, when Miss Moyes and Macdonell meet Miss Hague and Paterson at 4.30.

The final in the men's doubles, between Baird and Witchall and Paterson and Smith will be played at the same hour to-morrow afternoon. Both these events promise to be keenly contested, and will no doubt be witnessed by a large crowd, all the players are at the top of their game and some spectacular tennis is sure to result.

Kincardine Win Championship.

KINCARDINE, Sept. 17.—In the final Lakeside League baseball match, played here to-day between Teeswater and Kincardine, the home team defeated Teeswater by a score of 7 to 0. Henry pitched for the locals, and the visitors got only four hits off him. McCaig pitched three innings for Teeswater and Johnson five. There were six hits made off McCaig and seven off Johnson. Henry had 16 strikeouts to his credit.

Amateur Baseball.

The Arctics will play the Royal Oaks of the West End Senior League on Saturday in the deciding game of the series, each team having won a game. An effort is being made to secure closed grounds, Diamond Park, if possible. The players are asked to attend practice tonight, and Friday especially as a meeting will be held in Seymour's Hotel at 8 p.m.

The Willows would like to arrange a game with any juvenile team for Saturday, Sept. 21. Address N. Heywood, 52 West Gerrard-street.

The Wellingtons expect to arrange a game to be played Saturday at Diamond Park.

The Nationals would like to arrange a game with some fast juvenile or junior league team for Saturday afternoon, Reliance preferred. Address G. Armstrong, 296 George-street. All members of the Nationals are requested to meet at Bayside Park Friday evening, as business of importance will be transacted.

Toronto Central Harriers.

The Toronto Central Harriers will commence their week-night runs tonight, leaving the building at 9 o'clock. New members are requested to start training now while the runs are easy.

Against "Raw" Milk.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 17.—The international pure milk congress has officially declared against the use of raw milk. It advises mothers to give to their infants milk brought to the boiling point, pasteurized or sterilized.

ENGLISHMEN RUN UP SCORE

338 for Four Wickets and Declare Innings Closed in Opening Game.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—A large number of cricket enthusiasts were treated to a great exhibition of batting, resulting in 338 runs for four wickets, at the international match which began at Livingston, Staten Island, to-day, between an eleven sent out by the Marylebone Club of England and a team representing the best players in all New York. The match is limited to two days.

The English captain took advantage of the new rule governing a two days' match and declared the inning closed for 338 runs. The 338 runs is the largest score ever made for the number of wickets in an international match in this country.

There was about an hour left for the local team, and they had lost two wickets for 45 runs, when stumps were drawn. J. L. Poyer of Brooklyn was the only bowler of the all New York team to get a wicket. The teams are:

Marylebone Club—H. Hesketh Pritchard (captain), Capt. E. G. Wynyard, G. MacGregor, G. T. Branston, L. G. A. Collins, G. H. Simpson-Hayward, F. H. Browning, K. C. Goldie, J. W. H. T. Douglas, F. H. Bohlen.

All New York—M. R. Cobb (captain), F. F. Kelly, A. F. Spooner, A. G. Laurie, C. H. Clarke, M. McIloy, A. Hoskins, B. Kortlaak, J. L. Poyer, H. F. D. Burke, Radford (professional).

TORONTO FOOTBALL LEAGUE.

Referees Who Will Officiate in the Opening Games.

The referees for the opening intermediate games in the Toronto Football League on Saturday, are as follows:

Shamrocks at Don Valley—F. Tuckwell.

All Saints at Bristol Old Boys—W. Dittania.

Britannias at Garrison—T. Dibbons.

Lancashire at British United—G. Little.

Thistles at Lambton—F. Robinson.

Parkdale Ablions at High Park Rangers—M. Harrington.

A meeting will be held at Love Bros' office, 1000 Gerrard-street, to-night to form a Manufacturers' Football League. Any factories wishing to join are asked to send two delegates.

The British United seniors want a game for next Saturday afternoon. The players of both senior and intermediate teams are asked to turn out tonight as soon after 6 as possible.

The Broadviews practice to-night at 5.30 on Broadview Field.

Rugby Gossip.

The Eureka A.C. have organized a Rugby team and will enter the Junior City League. The following officers were elected: Hon. president, Vic Scott; hon. vice-president, M. J. Crottie; president, A. L. Lanagan; vice-president, Alf Newton, S. Pringle; secretary-treasurer, Andy Kyle, 37 West Adelaide-street; captain, A. Hunter. Pete Lanagan, who has managed the hockey and football teams, was elected manager, and the boys look forward to a successful season. Practice will commence Tuesday night at Bellwood's Park, when all players and friends are asked to turn out.

The Victoria Rugby Club, who intend to place three teams in the O.R.F.U., will hold a practice in Jesse Ketchum Park this evening at 7 o'clock. All of last year's players and those wishing to play with the Vics are requested to be on hand at the N.E.A.A. clubrooms, corner Bloor and Yonge-streets, to dress.

Weston Bowlers Win.

St. Simon's Bowling Club were defeated at Weston by the following score:

Weston.		St. Simons.	
J. Thompson,		W. Gwynne,	
A. J. Barker,		R. Lockhart,	
J. Hamshaw,		W. J. Parsons,	
T. Nattress, sk.	28	G. P. Payne, sk.,	8
J. M. Pearen,		T. High,	
K. Cruickshank,		C. E. Brown,	
H. J. Alexander,		R. Petman,	
S. H. Hill, sk.	11	H. Gray, sk:	20
J. Cruickshank, Jr.,		G. Lightbourne,	
W. McFarlane,		G. Boyd,	
J. Gardhouse,		W. D. Strickland,	
Joe Barker, sk.	25	F. Lightbourne	12
Total	64	Total	40

Shock to Physician.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 17.—Pauline, the 9-year-old daughter of Dr. T. F. Reardon, was killed to-day by Dr. Charles P. Hooker's automobile. Without knowing the identity of the child, Dr. Hooker took in his arms the limp form and hastened to the office of the nearest physician. Not until the lifeless body had been tenderly placed upon the operating table for examination did Dr. Reardon learn that the child was his daughter.

Cornishmen's Association.

At last night's meeting of the Cornishmen's Association eight new members were enrolled. Three members of the Pittsburg Association told of the success there. Owing to the mining region the association has a large membership.

The Cornishmen's Choir will resume its practice and a series of entertainments will be arranged for the winter.

Mr. Courtney, ex-deputy minister of finance, will be asked to address the association next week.

This morning members will attend the funeral of Bro. Higman from McGill's undertaking rooms, College-street.

INACTIVITY IN ROWING.

Brockville Makes Complaint, But Expects to Do Better.

BROCKVILLE, Sept. 17.—(Special.)—At the annual meeting of the Brockville Rowing Club, the reports showed a satisfactory condition of affairs during the past year. The total receipts were $7047.25, and expenditures $1682.06, leaving a balance of $365.19. In addition there is cash assets amounting to $115, consisting of unpaid membership fees. During the year $116.60 had been paid off the 1906 deficit, thus converting that deficit into an actual surplus of $485.10, after spending on the bowling green and appliances $317. The receipts of the minstrel show are $1271.50, and expenses $638.17, leaving a surplus of $623.33. The total membership at present is 201, the largest in the history of the club.

Complaint was made of the inactivity shown in rowing, and motor boating was put down as the cause for the boys losing interest in the sport. The club was willing to send one or more crews to the Canadian Henley, but the men were not available. Next season a professional coach will be hired.

The new officers of the club are: Hon. president, his honor Judge McDonald; president, W. C. Maclaren; first vice-president, D. W. Downey; second vice-president, R. H. Lindsay; secretary-treasurer, L. C. Parrett, executive, Dr. Brace, P. B. White, James Bresnan, A. Graham and Dr. Percy Shirreff; captain, W. Row.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

—Gravesend—

FIRST RACE—Wave Crest, Big Chief, Black Mary.

SECOND RACE—Garrett, Essex, Colt entry.

THIRD RACE—Smiling Tom, Woolstone, Zipango.

FOURTH RACE—Belmont entry, May entry, Explosion.

FIFTH RACE—Vino, Ed Bail, King Cole.

SIXTH RACE—Demund, Whitney entry, Suffrage.

Gravesend Program.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—First race, 2-year-olds, selling, 5½ furlongs:

Big Chief	107	Youthful	101
He Knows	109	Miss Delaney	104
Kerry	99	Latonia	102
Spring Heel	101	Blue Heron	102
Genesee	106	Amundsen	102
Wild Star	*97	Wave Crest	*94
Sanguine	*94	Queen of Hills	*94
Black Mary	*99	Wm. H. Lyon	*95

Second race, steeplechase, handicap, about 2½ miles:

Garrett	150	Gus Strauss	147
Essex	149	Homoselle	140
Dunsverrick	130	Maximilian	132
Knight of Elway	135	Paprika	142

Also eligible:

Ben Shaw	143		

Third race, for 3-year-olds, selling, 1 1-16 miles:

Mintberia	98	Zipango	107
Punky	104	Lally	101
Victoria B.	98	Linnepee	99
Alpenmarchen	99	Harman	98
Lord Stanhope	99	Ingham	*91
Woolstone	*99	Umbrella	*91
Killochan	*91	Smiling Tom	*106
Tivolini	*95	Eudora	*91

Fourth race, 2-year-olds, The Willows, 5½ furlongs:

Julia Powell	117	Explosion	114
Mombassa	110	Whip Top	102
Adriuche	95	Lady Winifred	112
Half Sovereign	115	Fond Heart	110
Please	112	Marbles	100
Berry Maid	98	Sungleam	98
Meggs Hill	117	Desirous	1[illegible]
Jane Swift	99	Gowan	107
Black Mary	100		

Fifth race, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 1⅛ miles:

Robador	104	Lally	97
Sam Rice	92	Ed. Ball	101
Workman	*99	D'Arkle	*96
Vino	*94	Ostrich	99
Lord Badge	*98	Just So	*96
King Cole	*101	Quagga	90
Oak Grove	*96		

Sixth race, handicap, all ages, 6 furlongs:

Prince Hamburg	115	Baby Wolf	117
Suffrage	124	Demund	126
Heaslip	98	Keator	107
Dreamer	113	Minnie Adams	108
Escutcheon	92	Meadow Breeze	100
Mark Anthony II.	109	Fleming	97
Cuban	100	Number One	88

Also eligible:

Veil	112	Blandy	104
Chief Hayes	95	Battle Axe	90
Sadder	92		

*Apprentice allowance of 5 lbs. claimed.
Weather clear; track fast.

Wilson Lodge Celebrate.

Wilson Masonic Lodge celebrated their 50th anniversary in the Temple Building last night.

The toasts were: "The King and The Craft," proposed by the chairman. "The Most Worshipful the Grand Master," proposed by R. W. Bro. Alexander Patterson. "The Grand Lodge of Canada," proposed by W. Bro. George McLeish. "Our Visiting Brethren," proposed by W. Bro. Dr. W. P. Thomson. "The Candidate," proposed by W. Bro. R. F. Segsworth.

Entertainment was furnished by the following talent: Bro. William Gillespie, Messrs. W. R. Jackson, Hogg, Davison, Jenking, McEachern, Myers and Bodley. Harvey Lloyd also assisted.

Natural Gas.

Tillsonburg, Sept. 17.—Some comment is being heard over the continued refusal of council to grant a franchise to a company which wants to exploit the natural gas fields thought to be in the neighborhood.

Sonoma Girl Sets New Mark In the World's Trotting Record

For Green Trotters—Goes Mile in 2.05 1-4, Which is the Fastest This Year—Two Canadian Horses Third and Fourth in 2.09 Pace—Rain Stops Racing at Columbus.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 17.—Heavy rains broke up to-day's Grand Circuit races after four heats had been decided and a start made on a sensational program.

Sonoma Girl and Highball, both with manners nearly perfect, got together in the Hotel Columbus $10,000 Stake and the California mare, when she won by half a length from the Geers 5-to-2 favorite, got a record of 2.05¼.

This is the fastest trotting race mile of the year, a world's record for a green trotter, and takes three seconds off the record for the stakes.

Sonoma Girl was fortunate in drawing second position, while Highball had to score from twelfth place. Each horse trotted every inch of the route and put up a rattling finish.

R.F.D. was forced to a record of 2.05¼ by Lady Maud in the final heat of the 2.11 pace that came over unfinished from Monday.

Lillian R. was almost a prohibitive favorite over the other 2.09 trotters, and won the one heat with ease. Laura Belmi was first choice in the 2.09 pace, but a break put her out of it. Elesis turned up as the winner.

This heat was paced in a light rain, which turned into a deluge before another could be started. Summaries:

2.11 pace, second division, purse $1200, two heats Monday—

R.F.D., blk.g., by Kingmaker (Robinson)	1	1	1
Lady Maud, ch.m. (McMahon)	6	2	2
Miss Feltier, b.m. (Merrifield)	7	3	5
Mixedwood, blk.g. (Ernest)	5	8	3
Davie K., b.g. (Hopkins)	4	9	6
Aileen, b.m. (Benyon)	9	7	7
Gen. Adler, blk.h. (Davis)	2	4	dr
Arrow, b.g. (Cox)	3	6	dr

Time—2.07¼, 2.07¾, 2.05¼.

Columbus Purse, $3000, for 2.09 trotters—

Lillian R., b.m., by J.T. (McDevitt)	1		
John Caldwell, br.g. (Geers)	2		
Tom Taylor, s.g. (Wilson)	3		
Baraja, b.g. (Shaw)	4		
Ember, b.g. (W. McDonald)	5		
Tampa, b.m. (Jones)	6		
Biflora, b.m. (Benyon)	7		
King Entertainer, ch.h. (McLaughlin)	8		
Watson, ch.g. (Loomis)	9		
Bellelsle, b.m. (Swearinger)	10		
Charles Belden, b.g. (DeRyder)	11		
Bonnie Russell, b.h. (Thomas)	12		

No time given; unfinished.

Hotel Columbus Stakes, $10,000, for 2.16 trotters, three heats—

Sonoma Girl, b.m., by Linwood (McHenry)	1		
Highball, b.g. (Geers)	2		
Margaret O., b.m. (Davis)	3		
Claty Latus, ch.m. (Lasell)	4		
Kassona, b.m. (Young)	5		
Jack Leyburn, ch.g. (McCarthy)	6		
Axtellay, b.m. (Thomas)	7		
Thornfield, br.h. (Benyon)	3		
May Earl, b.m. (Hedrick)	ds		
Genteel H., br.h