

TWO GOOD GAMES WITH THE KNIGHTS OF THE THIN PINS

In the city league on Black's alloys last night the Insurance team and the Nationals were the contestants. The Nationals won, taking the four points. The individual scores were:

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| Insurance | Nationals |
| Gilmour... 75 77 75 287-79 | ... 80 82 77 244-81 2-3 |
| Gregory... 95 78 93 296-88 2-3 | ... 80 85 82 217-70 1-3 |
| Evans... 75 86 74 285-78 1-3 | ... 84 82 77 244-81 2-3 |
| Smith... 80 104 75 259-83 1-3 | ... 80 96 85 261-87 |
| Chase... 84 79 96 259-86 1-3 | 411 403 407 1216 |
| 409 454 418 1266 | T. S. Simms and Co. |
| Nationals | Cosman... 71 78 70 219-71 |
| Olive... 90 109 88 287-85 2-3 | Laskey... 85 87 71 242-81 |
| Cosgrove... 83 77 85 246-81 2-3 | Deering... 83 72 71 229-75 1-3 |
| Tuffs... 95 85 86 296-88 2-3 | Addison... 55 56 65 174-68 |
| McDonald... 74 89 104 279-82 | O'Brien... 82 77 65 224-74 2-3 |
| Riley... 70 96 83 249-83 | 376 370 240 1086 |
| 414 456 446 1258 | |

The game in the Commercial League was won by M. R. A. Ltd, taking

ATHLETICS DIDN'T STEAL PITCHER'S SIGNS, SAYS MACK

"I usually make it a practice to pay no attention to baseball sayings in print," says Connie Mack, manager of the world's champion Athletics, "but there's just one comment that has so far gone uncontradicted and I want to drive a spike through it. It is that we are in the habit of stealing the signs used by rival teams. Persons who know baseball as it really is do not take stock in such yarns but others naturally believe them, and those are the fellows I want to reach.

"It is absolutely impossible for a man on the coaching line to detect the sign for a certain kind of ball given by the pitcher or catcher and at the same instant get word to the batsman in time to wise him up. I know that we have received credit for doing this lightning trick, but we are not entitled to it, for we know it can't be done. If we attempted any such scheme the chances are we would confuse our batsmen so that they couldn't hit at all. The batsman cannot watch the pitcher, the pitcher and the base runner at the same time, so that anybody can see how utterly absurd the statement is.

"But we'll not deny that we study opposing pitchers with unusual care. We have a couple of men who have been watching pitchers for years. It doesn't take them long to discover little peculiarities in a man's delivery that mean a lot. They can tell by the way a pitcher grips the ball, or by the position his feet are in before he delivers it, or by the way he winds up, throws his arm or uses his body just what he intends to serve to the batsman. To the unpractised eye a pitcher doesn't change his delivery a bit whether he pitches a curve, a drop, an inshoot, a fast jump or a slow ball. But any baseball man will tell you that a pitcher who can use the same identical delivery for each of these balls is a curiosity.

"When a pitcher's methods have been learned by our men on the coaching line, the information is imparted to the batsmen, who are told to study them carefully. In time they get the hang of the pitcher's delivery, and while of course they cannot guess correctly every ball that comes their way they come pretty near picking out the good ones, and that means hitting safely. The first time we faced Mathewson in the recent world's series he puzzled us because we couldn't solve his methods. We began to hit him the second time we pitched against us because we had a fair line on what he intended to serve. When we tackled him the third time we had his number. We didn't steal his signs, for we weren't foolish enough to try. But we knew how he delivered different balls, and as he had been pitching that way for years, he couldn't change his tactics.

"Why was it that Matty didn't use his fadeaway more? Because we knew just how he delivered it and we wouldn't hit at it. We outguessed him when he used his curve ball for the same reason. Our men studied Matty until they were able to know what to expect and the rest was easy. If the Giants had made a similar study of our pitchers they would have hit with better results, but as they weren't up to date in that respect they proved easy marks. The Giants didn't try to steal our signs because they know it couldn't be done.

BOXING IS BARRED IN ENGLAND

Birmingham, Eng., Nov. 13.—The case of the prizefighters Owen Moran and Jim Driscoll was called in the court here today. The men were summoned to show cause why they should not be bound over to keep the peace because they had been advertised to give a boxing match for the light-weight championship.

The Magistrate expressed the opinion that the proposed contest was a prizefight and bound the defendants over in £10 each, requiring two sureties of £5 for each man.

It is believed that this decision seals the fate of boxing in England. The case against the promoter was withdrawn. The Magistrate will state the case for appeal.

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Clothiers bought their winter overcoats some months ago, and makers are already at work designing models for next spring. We have taken advantage of a leading manufacturer's overproduction and purchased his entire surplus of Men's and Boys' Winter Overcoats for our Annual November Sale.



The overcoats are here just when you need them. The styles are the very pick of the season. The tailoring details are such as only a clever manufacturer can produce. In all, a most fortunate occurrence for overcoat wearers, and, as usual, it is an M.R.A. event which brings about such splendid savings.

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| | Extremely stylish models, exceptionally well finished and nicely trimmed. Certain to be durable garments for boys 2 to 10 years. Beavers, Naps, and Tweeds in light and dark shades of grey, green, blue and red. Self and velvet collars buttoning to neck. | | |



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CAMPBELLTON NEWS

Campbellton, Nov. 13.—Since early spring Campbellton has been a busy town. Many fine brick and concrete business blocks have been erected on Water street; on the Highlands nestling among the virgin spruce and fir are numerous handsome residences.

The citizens have reason to be proud of the grit and courage which in the year has, as if by magic, transformed a smouldering hodge of grief and despair into a prosperous, bustling town of happy, contented people.

Last Saturday night about 7:30 o'clock fire broke out in Richard Smith's carriage factory on Queen street. After a hard fight the firemen got control and saved the building, which is a large wooden structure. The loss is covered by insurance in the Royal and Nova Scotia. More damage was done by water than by the fire.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Comeley, on Wednesday, the eighth inst, when their eldest daughter, Jane, was made the bride of Abraham Olsen, the Rev. T. P. Drumm officiating. The young couple received many valuable presents. They will live in Campbellton.

Police Officers Brown and Harris, who ate canned rabbit and became ill, have recovered sufficiently to attend to duty. Officer Harris was quite seriously sick, two doctors being in attendance.

Considerable activity is manifest in local option circles. Apparently there are avenues of escape for the dispenser of spirituous liquors, which can be unscrupled by a wily legal gentleman for the small and insignificant sum of five dollars. The Act seems to have loop holes introduced, while said act was being framed.

The town is fortunate in having an able and impartial Police Magistrate and efficient police officers, and may safely trust the enforcement of Local Option to them.

AN ELOPEMENT 50 YEARS AGO

La Crosse Correspondence, St. Paul Dispatch.

Married in La Crosse 50 years ago, the culmination of a pioneer day romance of the sort that is read about in fiction, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dougherty today celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home at Hodeo, N. M.

But one witness of the marriage is alive today and he, James W. Young, of La Crosse, today told the story of the wedding, which follows:

"William Dougherty was born in Vermillion county, Indiana, and so was his wife, whose maiden name was Mary Catherine Hiller. It seems that at the time of the wedding the girl's parents objected to the young man's attentions, which made it necessary for several other young fellows and myself to help the prospective bridegroom out of the difficulty.

"We got a skiff and rowed up the river to the girl's house, where we quietly got her out of the house and into the boat. We then rowed down through French Slough and up to the north side, where Mr. Dougherty was waiting for us. We soon had Justice of the Peace Winston on the scene and the necessary ceremony was performed."

BADMINTON CLUB.

The annual meeting of the St. John Badminton Club was held yesterday afternoon in the Sign of the Lantern, on Germain street. The statement of Paul Longley last year's secretary-treasurer, was read and shows the club to be in a flourishing condition. J. G. Harrison was elected president for the coming year, and H. N. Stetson, secretary-treasurer. The managing committee for this year are: Hugh McKay, F. W. Fraser, J. C. Belyea and C. P. Inches. The club will have the same quarters as last year and will be open the first week in December.

CONCERNING SNAKES.

Easiest Way to Kill Ordinary Vipers

Is to Rap Them on the Back. The first impulse of a man on seeing a snake is to stamp on his head, which according to the Rotary Magazine, is unwise. A snake's skull is very tough, as behooves a part of the body that is always liable to be knocked against stones, etc., owing to the extreme short sightedness of all serpents.

The back, on the contrary, can be broken with a light rap, for it consists of a delicate system of ball and socket joints. Should snakes be harmless the best plan is to leave them alone; should they be dangerous a shot from

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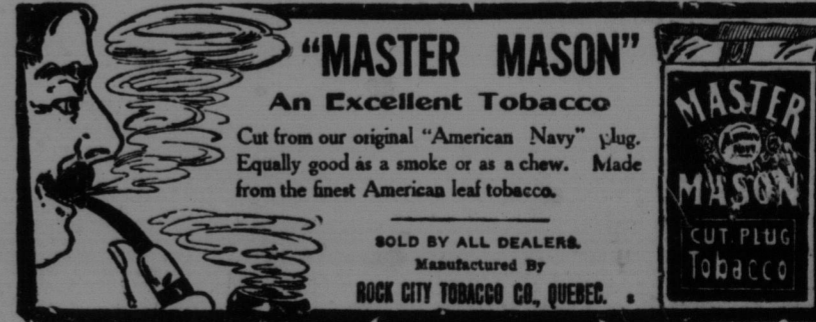
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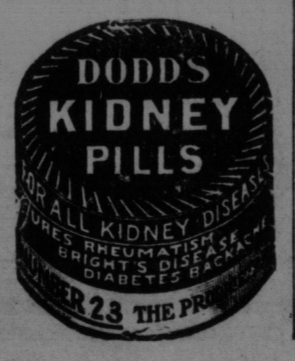
A revolver is safe and effective. In case no revolver is at hand a rap with a cane will be sufficient, but care must be taken to keep away from the head of the creature.

A snake does not normally go about hitting its skull against hard objects; it only does this when in a hurry. Moving at its ordinary pace, it feels its way with its long, delicately forked tongue.

In the same way when about to swallow its food it touches it all over with its tongue in order to ascertain where to take hold, and this process has given rise to the mistaken idea that a snake covers its prey with saliva prior to swallowing it. No doubt a considerable quantity of saliva is generated during the process of deglutition, but it does not come from the tongue, which is merely used as a feeler.

When a snake bites it bisects its head up to the nape of its neck and opens its jaws till they are in the same plane, i. e. at right angles to the body. These jaws are provided with six rows of strong, sharp teeth, four on the upper jaw and two on the lower jaw.

Dr. J. P. McInerney was reported to be slightly better last evening.



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