SNAP-SHOTS AT VARIOUS SPORTS

There were 252 delegates and 25 officers, past and present, entitled to vote at the C. L. A. convention, making a grand total of 277. Yet there were 279 cast for president. Something wrong somewhere, says the Star. Can it be that the C. L. A. is crooked?

The Torontos and Tecumsehs were turned down by the N. A. L. U. Great! To the village class for them!

The Toronto Telegram man has caught the fever from Mount Vesuvius, and spits out a roast at a Toronto contemporary and at sundry other people. One would imagine that Bat Masterson, that celebrated litterateur, was editing the Telegram's sporting page, it is so mild and even-tempered. But the apologist of the O. H. A. has to paw gravel, and becloud the situation in its remarkably facile way. It cannot get away from the Rowe case, although most of us were willing to let it rest until next fall. The great difference between the O. H. A. and its critics is that no anonymous letter writer or Jim the Penman should dictate to an executive of reasonable men. If the declarations had been statutory, all would have been well. As it stands, it

The grouch: The Rowe case has been illuminated with sparkling sawdust from the abundantly-stuffed intellect of a Toronto sporting column. The ignoramus musings of the journal which misused the Falconbridge decision are somewhat responsible for Barrie's misunderstanding of the points at issue in the Gowa case.

The O. H. A. deserved the good word of every journal that believes in amateur hockey. D. L. Darroch should have been praised, not blamed, for his share in the action of the case of Mr. Rowe. The suggestion that the action of President Darrach or of the O. H. A. was inspired by ill-will to Mr. Rowe jealousy of Barrie is beneath contempt, but it is not lower than the taces or the journal that has befooled Barrie in this controversy.

It was not ill-will to Rowe, but goodwill to the O. H. A., that inspired the action of the executive. To have left Mr. Rowe in, in the face of the facts presented, would have been to create a precedent that would have let everybody else in that could plead a similar state of facts. The O. H. A. executive satisfied itself that Mr. Rowe should go out. Accordingly, Mr. Rowe went

The critics of the O. H. A. could' have presented facts that would have vindicated Mr. Rowe if they could get at these facts. There was no desire to Wrong Mr. Rowe or impair Barrie's chances of a championship. Mr. Rowe went out because the authorities constituted by the O. H. A. decided that

If the critics of the O. H. A. could have produced another state of facts, that would have warraned Mr. Rowe's reinsatement, the O. H. A. could have been overwhelmed by argument.

Brown & Wigle, Windsor, have just sent to Dan Hopkins the 4-year-old plack mare, Miss Daphne Direct, by Direct-Madam Daphne, by Alcantara. She is a very likely acting pacer, and is a full sister to Daphne Direct, 2:08 1-4, that won many starts in the big circuit a few years ago.

The British League baseball championship may occupy good space in the sporting columns of the English newspapers some of these days. And if this comes to pass, Cecil Rhodes may be credited with it. Many of the Rhodes scholars at Oxford from the United States are experts at baseball, and they are numerous enough to be able to make up two pretty evenly-matched nines. The game has aroused some interest among the Oxford undergraduates, though it has not yet succeeded in gaining a place among recognized

Some enterprising Americans have, however, become convinced that a league will be successful, and propose to try it anyway. Already the preliminary steps have been taken to form a club in London, and, it is said, that Richard Croker is back of a movement to start another in Dublin. If these prove successful others will be formed, and the British international will follow. It is the purpose to bring over several professionals from the States to help get the game going in proper shape.

Great Britain expects to at least divide honors with the American athletes at the Olympian games at Athens. Since the American team was announced there has been a careful study of their records, and while it admitted the race will be close between the two Angio-Saxon countries first honor, the hope is strong that the mother country will take most

The Eritish team is an exceptionally strong one. Here it is: K. Cornwallis (Oxford University), the 400-meters, 800-meters, and 1,500-

A. K. Churchill (Cambridge University), the 5-mile race.

F. M Edwards (Cambridge University), the 5-miles and Marathon

R. P. Crabbe (Cambridge University), the 800 and 1,500 meters races.

S. Abrahams (Cambridge University), the 5-miles and Marathon races.

J. W. Horne (late Cambridge University), the 400 and 800 meters races. S. H. Carnelly (Oxford University A. C.), the 5-miles and Marathon

Lieut. H. E. Hawtrey (London Athletic Club and Thames Hare and

Tounds), the 5-miles and Marathon races. D. W. Walters (Cardiff A. C.), the 110-meters hurdle race.

R. E. Wilkinson (Liverpool A. C.), the 1,500-meters walking match. Lieut. Wyndham Halswell (Edinburgh H.), the 400 and 800 meters race.

J. McGough (Bellahouston Harriers), the 1,500 meters race. A. E. D. Anderson (Bellahouston Harriers), the 400 and 800 meters

Each of these men is a champion.

Dan McEwen, the London driver is a busy man these days. For some time he has been giving his string of horses slow work, but since the track at Queen's Park has been getting in good shape, he has been stiffening their work considerably.

His stable comprises fifteen horses at present, and they are the best bunch that has been gathered together for many years in these parts. When Dan goes around the big ring, he's liable to show them more sensations than last year. All the horses have wintered well. Most of them have come through without a drawback, and a month's hard work will keep them up to concert pitch. The fastest record horse in the stable is Geary, 2:06%. The chestnut "wiggler" is looking better than ever, and there is not a sign of trouble with him. He ought to be in the money down the big ring all right. Missouri Chief, 2:101/4, is a good one. He is in better shape than he has been for some time. Wise horsemen predict that the Chief will prove the sensational Canadian pacer of the season. He won a number of races last season on the Michigan circuit and look ripe for the big ring.

Delbars, 2:1114, is a Monbars mare of much promise. She is big and strong, and ought to clip a few seconds of her mark. She was not in good condition up till nearly the latter part of last season, but she came fast at the end. She ought to get something this season,

Wisdom King, 2:151/2, is going to get his first chance at the big purses. He is a great old campaigner, and should win a lot in his class.

Hal. Galvin, 2:2714, is a gray "paster," with a terrific burst of speed, but his legs went back on him last season, and he was let out. His underpinning looks good at present, and he ought to get down to a lower mark easily. Queen of Clubs, 2:151/2, is in good condition, and looks fair to go fast.

Tom Wood, 2:2014, is a fast trotter Dan is taking down the line. He is a big bay stallion with a splendld burst of speed. He has stamina and is game and ought to land right. This horse looks good. He is engaged in some big stakes, among them being the \$10,000 Hartford purse.

Henry Winters is a green trotter, belonging to Johnston Bros., and he is staked well on the Grand Circuit. He is a nice going horse, and has shown

There are a couple of other Grand Circuit horses to be sent in, and then

his string ought to be completed. There are several other horses Dan is reparing for the Canadian and Michigan circuits. They include Grace lerton, a big lateral-gaited mare by Allerton, which has shown some fast frials; Never Agein, by Mendocino; Humming Bird, a full sister to Blackbird, which Havers James is taking down the Grand Circuit, and on whose chances James is so sweet; and Chrissy M., 2:231/4.

Mr. McEwen will not race much off the Grand Circuit. He will probably start at Listowel, Stratford and London and then go down the line. The Canadians ought to take down a bunch of money this year with their fast COVERPOINT.

TORONTO CLUBS ARE TURNED DOWN GALT LOST MONEY

Refused Membership in N. A. Sport Not a Paying Proposi-L. U.—Latter Cuts Away from C. A. L. U.

Montreal, April 15.—At the annual Lacrosse Union, which was held here recumseh and Toronto lacrosse clubs. William Foran, of the Ottawa Capitals, was elected president, and Mr.

The league this season will be comosed of Shamrocks, Montreal, Nationals, Cornwall and Capitals.

It was also decided to cut loose from

the Canadian Amateur Lacrosse Union, whose decisions are not liked. The action of the delegates in refusing the applications of Toronto and Tecumsehs after they had been practically promised that they would be admitted was sharply denounced by

the western representatives. The union adjourned to meet April 25, when the schedule will be fixed.

SEARS TAKES CUP.

New York, April 15.-The final results of the annual championship matches of the United States Revolver Association were made public yesterday. S. E. Sears, of St. Louis, won the revolver match with a total score of 451. Dr. N. B. Moore, of St. Louis, was second, with 447, and Lieut. H. R. Sayre, third, with 435. The pistol championship was won by J. A. Dietz, of New York, with a score of 447. J. B. econd, with 443, and Thomas Andonder third, with 440. Mr. Sears has won the revolver cup three times, so it now becomes his property. The highest score made by a woman with the pistol matters. Galt people will also be aswas that of Miss M. Waterhouse, of sured of having a friend in their ex-

tion There — Out of the W. F. A. This Year.

Galt, April 14.—The decision has convention of the National Amateur been reached that the Galt Association Football Club will not enter the W. F. A. this season. This was the on Saturday evening, it was decided unanimous judgment at a caucus not to entertain the applications of the meeting of the members. The withdrawal of the club is entirely due to the fact that during the last three years fotball has not been on a paying button. basis in Galt. The attendance has Thomas Carlind, of Montreal, vice- fallen away to such an extent that to ENTRIES FOR STAKE continue in the game would be a financial loss. There are many reasons advanced for the small attendance which have marked the regular scheduled W. F. A. games during the past three seasons. The principal reason is that the competition has not been sufficiently keen. The Galt team has had so little diffi-

culty in trimming all visiting teams that the result has been taken as a foregone conclusion, and the element of doubt which is to a large extent the magnet which draws a crowd, has been removed. Galt will, therefore, play independent ball unless a strong trips the first being a trip up for the seniors, and later a trip up through Clinton, Seaforth, Brussels and Goderich, for the intermediates.

Hilda Cigar stake, 2:30 trot, \$600—Abe Johnston, Brantford; Sydenham Stock Farm, Wallaceburg; R. C. Stinson, Brantford; W. Besides, the seniors will of course, meet the English Corinthians when they come to Canada next September.

The election of Mr. L. B. Duff, to the presidency of the W. F. A., is received with a great deal of satisfaction by Galt people. Apart from the fact that Cringer, of Springfield, Mass., was Mr. Duff has an intimate knowledge of football matters, he is the kind of a ton; man who is an ornament to sport, holding, as he does, opinions of the

A New Set of Rules Will Govern Canada Cup Race

One Miles, With a Five-Hour Time Limit.

men have arranged a new set of rules

"It will be remembered that in the first race of the series last August, hour to spare on a time limit of 51/2 mile course with a time limit of only five hours. With these latter condihave been thrown out and what might Commodore Nicholas, of the Royal must be left to the imagination. "According to the new rules, not only

Course Lengthened to Twenty- Whether this will redound to the advantage of the locals or their rivals is a matter of conjecture.

"The windward and leeward races

Canada's Cup, which will be sailed "There is one rule in next year's of 500 to 245. next year off Charlotte. This cup was schedule which in all likelihood will be races.

"The clause relating to the old boats opens up possibilities. It stipulates course with a little less than half an 1902 are eligible to compete in next year's races. This lets in Kee Lox II., hours. Next year's races call for a 21- Iroquois, Zoraya, Temeraire and Rochester, although the latter is now being fitted as a cruiser. New boats will tions prevailing in 1905 the first race, be built both in America and at Towhich went to the defender, would ronto. That much is certain. Rear have happened in that contingency Canadian Yacht Club, has already placed his order with Fife for a challenger and there will be others to dishas the course been lengthened to 21 pute the honor with him. At least two nautical miles, but the triangle has boats will be built in Rochester, and been increased to legs of seven miles, with this addition to the fleet a magwhich means once around. Last year nificent class of racing 30-footers can the triangular course was nine miles. be looked for.'

JEFFRIES IGNORES O'BRIEN AND FITZ \$100,000 OFFER CONSIDER A FIGHT

to Go Against Some of the Antiques Named for Him.

San Francisco, April 14.-It looks as six heavies named by O'Rourke.

O'Rourke scheme too good to be true. something out. As matters are he has every reason for feeling dubious about it. To be- can's man. gin with, no matter what may have been the outcome of a test case, it said the immaculate O'Rourke. is a risky thing to undertake to eshis offer to Jeffries the Burbank agriculturist might sit up and take notice. He may fall in line where he would have steadfast objections to

being used as a bell wether. It would be outright cruelty to animals to send Jeffries against some antiques named by O'Rourke and Jeffries or so, and wants the mill to be for 20 the future queen of Spain. knows it. To handle these fellows gently would be to invite derision and cal tour and would want a good rest disgust and bring the all champion and then time to train before I would on board during his stay here, which K. Routledgesix weeks' tourney to a premature make such a match with Fitz. You will last a week. close, while to go at them slam bang would be to risk arrest for man-

slaughter if not for murder. It is doubtful if one man capable of making Jeffries extend himself can be found, let alone six. - Under the exercise with the punching bag. circumstances O'Rourke had better pattern his plans after these of other and I would not consent to allow him has just been made public. Fifteen promoters. Let him find out if there to meet such a robust youth without German yachtsmen have given orders s one heavyweight in the lists who ample preparation. I am willing to for new yachts with the intention of the public think has a fighting chance meeting him in a short bout in this representing German colors should

knows It Would Be Cruelty Lanky Bob Ready for a 20-

Round Battle, But Quaker Wants a Good Rest.

though Tom O'Rourke's \$100,000 offer excitement about the Metropole Hotel gave a fine exhibition of nerve and of 38, and the ladies' aggregate score by to Jim Jeffries has fallen flat. It yesterday when it was learned that skill when he made the high run of Miss Cooke, with a plus score of 26.

Bob Fitzsimmons, Jack O'Brien. Tom the week's play in his sixteenth inning. The ladies' pair match was won by Mrs. doesn't follow that the former-cham- Bob Fitzsimmons, Jack O'Brien, Tom the week's play in his sixteenth inning, Burgess, of Toronto, and Mrs. Irwin, Burgess, Organical Research and Burgess, of Toronto, and Mrs. Irwin, Burgess, Organical Research and Burgess, of Toronto, and Mrs. Irwin, Burgess, of Toronto, and Mrs. Irwin, Burgess, Organical Research and B pion wouldn't jump at a legitimate chance to earn the lump sum named other stalwart individuals were seated of the stalward individuals were seated of the sta the work he had to accomplish called remarks, but looking very wise. They and his high runs 168, 60, 52, and 31. for as little exertion and promised as sat perfectly still, save when they oclittle in the way of a setback as would casionally tossed crumbs at the shin- FOOTBALL. the trouncing of at least five of the ing tile of Ruby Bob, to the great discomfiture of the latter; but it was easy In all probability Jeffries thinks the to see that all were bent on thinking

"What's doing?" asked The Ameri-

"Nothing yet, but we're trying hard," "Well, I'll tell you how it is," said tablish twenty-round boxing in a sec- O'Brien. "Fitz here and myself are tion where it was not permitted be- trying to arrange another fight. I am fore. Maybe if O'Rourke worked off perfectly willing to give him another and urging upon player and official the a few matches between men of estab- chance against me, but I think I am necessity of observance of the spirit of lished reputation and then repeated entitled to the big end of the purse, win or lose.

"You see, I'm champion now, and I wouldn't want to establish a bad precedent by not taking everything I can get in the way of money.

"Then again, Fitz wants to fight me rounds. I have just had a long theatrisee for yourself how fine he looks. (Here Fitz winked several times.) He has the complexion of a babe. He has been knocking around for several weeks doing nothing but taking a little

"Now I am manager of Jack O'Brien, Jeffries that there is a demand for his also have a good offer for a six-round races, which take place on this side bout with Fitz in Philadelphia. I will of the water next Auguse.

At this point a deftly thrown napkin sent Fitz's hat rolling to the floor, and the ex-champion was too much concerned to say something for him-

"Fitz has explained to me," continued O'Brien, "that he was not himmestic trouble had caused him many sleepless nights, and he was unable to get in good shape."

"That's right, and it was a lucky thing for you, too," chimed in Fitz in a cheerful voice.

"Well, that's how it stands," said O'Brien. "Come, boys, 65 per cent of the gross

receipts," said O'Rourke,

July 10, 11 and 12. There will be a stake do not think they will and that they race each day. The entries for the stake are only putting up the bluff to get events closed a couple of days ago. They all filled, and unless the number of withdrawals is larger than usual, great contests are assured. Those who have made entries for the stake events are:

Kuntz Regal Lager stake, 2:11 pace association should be formed, which \$1,000-James Easson, Stratford: John would make it worth while to join. Wigle, Windsor; Thomas Neville, Colling-The club will arrange a number of wood; W. C. Kidd, Listowel; J. Rom-

James, Hamilton; W. A. Collins, Hamilton; W. J. Anderson, Hamilton; J. Rombough, Newark; J. Gordon, Hamilton, bough, Newark; J. Gordon, Hamilton, 2:30 pace, \$600—A. J. Goodale, Hamil-ton; J. F. Wood, London; Sydenham Stock Farm, Wallaceburg; E. M. Stewart, Guelph; C. W. J. Karn, Berlin; James Irvine, Dundas; W. Bessey, Hamilton; W. Hodson, Point St. Charles; W. C. Kidd, Listowel: W. King, Ottawa; J. best and highest nature on sporting W. Kidd, Listowel; W. King, Ottawa; J. Ridd, Listowei; W. King, Ottawa; J. Rattenbury, Hamilton; S. Beattle, Barrie; James Collings, Wallaceburg; A. D. Mc-Bride, Ottawa; H. H. James, Hamilton; A. Mahoney, Hamilton; H. T. Westbrook, Brantford; D. McLachlan, Chatham; W. J. Andreas

Hamilton; Alex. Brown, Dundas; A. S. Turner, Hamilton; J. Fitch, The association has disposed of the privileges to a firm in Springfield, Ohio.

HOPPE BADLY BEATEN BY VETERAN SLOSSON

New York, April 15.-George Slosson, have also been increased, the new rules the patriarch of the seven experts encalling for a nine-mile beat and a run gaged in the 18.2 balk line championhome, or vice versa, making a total of ship billiard tournament, being decid-The Rochester and Canadian yachts- eighteen miles. Formerly these courses ed at Madison Square Garden concert were sixteen miles—a four-mile beat out and run home twice around. The dat Madison Square Garden concert hall, last night defeated Willie Hoppe, to govern the next contest, for the same time limit (five hours) obtains. the youngster of the party, by a score retary W. H. Hall.

defended by the Rochester Club last enforced. This is the one pertaining than any that the boy wonder has yet T. Doyle with the president and secger and the Canadians challenged to the measurement of the racers. It experienced, and it was accomplished retary as ex-officio members. They Pittsburg again for a race to be sailed this year. was overlooked last season, and as a by billiards which was of a sterling will hold their first meeting on Wed-The Rochester men, however, did not result some dissatisfaction was caused and at the same time heart-breaking nesday night, April 25, at the Iroquois, field, Karger and Carisch want a race again so soon and so the among Toronto yachtsmen. This rule character. Slosson's superior general- Clubs are requested to notify Secretary penter and Klem. Attendance, 15,000 race was postponed for one year. The says that yachts shall be measured ship, combined with his ability to play Hall at once as to which series they Rochester Democrat and Chronicle, re- not less than four days before the sound, telling billiards, was the reason intend entering, and also suggest the for such a decisive victory.

The score by innings: Slosson-0, 84, 17, 1, 1, 0, 70, 10, 61, 3, Iroquois finished an eighteen-mile that boats built subsequent to the year 37, 45, 53, 33, 17, 4, 1, 0, 3, 23, 1, 12, 24. Total, 500. Average, 20 23-24. High runs, 84, 70, 61.

Hoppe—5, 0, 56, 7, 26, 0, 26, 20, 23, 1, 6 28, 0, 9, 9, 0, 3, 0, 6, 11, 0, 9, 0. Total, 245. Average, 10 15-23. High runs, 28, 26, 26.

SCHAEFER DEFEATS SUTTON. The Chicago wizard, as was the case against the ill-fated Cutler on Thursday night, was in his happiest vein in the afternoon game, and, to the delight of many adherents, ran out in the 20th inning, with a high run of 131. Sutton, within a fraction of 21, while his high run was 118, made in the sixteenth inning, when it was most needed. The score by innings:

Schaefer-30, 2, 3, 0, 7, 131, 0, 0, 14, 33, 4, 22, 18, 14, 12, 7, 0, 76, 72, 55. Total, 500. Average 25. High runs, 76, 72, 55. Sutton-0, 9, 20, 1, 8, 3, 4, 56, 0, 34, 12, 0, 46, 0, 118, 2, 9, 74. Total, 397. High runs, 118, 74 and 56.

CURE DEFEATS SUTTON. Parisian billiardist, played his third passed off most smoothly game in the world's championship 18.2 tonight, and defeated George Sutton, 500 to 427. Cure played a steady game, championship pairs match, was won by L. G. Amsden and H. Kidd, of the Toronto Whist Club. and at the end of the tenth inning was New York, April 14.—There was some excitement about the Metropole Hotel

REVISION COMPLETED. New York, April 14.—The American intercollegiate football rules committee met here today and completed its journed until May. labors in the matter of revising the rules along the lien of reform. The committee adopted an elaborate preamble to the rules, declaring that the elimination of objectionable features was a matter of spirit than of rule,

the new code strictly. YACHTING.

KING ALFONSO YACHTSMAN. London, April 14. - The King of Dr. Ross-Spain was today elected a member of the Royal Yacht Squadron, prepara- S. Lewistory to his arrival at Cowes April 17, before the Tuxedo Club in a month to visit Princess Ena of Battenberg, J. Armitt-King Alfonso will come to England W. Hodgins

> GERMANS AFTER ROOSEVELT CUP.

Berlin, April 15.—The programme for the American yacht race for the Son- R. S. Rockettderklassen, to be sailed at Marblehead next September, for the Roosevelt cup,

take up either of these offers at once, but Fitz is holding out." At this point a defily thrown pane SENIOR SERIES

self when I got the best of him. Do- C. L. A. Can Get Along With- Highlanders Win Out from out the Tecumsehs and the Torontos.

"He writes his own monologues," there would soon be a senior series, spective opposing nines, did the pitchsaid Fitz, pointing a long forefinger at as Bradford, Orillia, St. Thomas, Chip- ing. O'Rourke sighed and touched the possibly Hamilton would enter.

by mutual agreement. EVENTS AT HAMILTON Torontos and Tecumsehs had sent re- two men out. The score: presentatives to the N. A. L. U. meet- New York....0100000001-2 ing. The writer heard from one who Boston Hamilton, April 14.-The Hamilton Driv- is on the inside, Friday night that the Batteries-Chesbro and McGuire; Young ing Association intends holding a three teams would be admitted to the N. A. and Graham. Umpires, Sheridan and days' meeting at the holding at the ball mile treets on the N. A. Evans. days' meeting at the half-mile track on L. U. Brantford and St. Catharines

> 40 per cent. When seen Saturday L. Solman of to the expense to send delegates to the nothing of the free admissions and Toronto clubs to lose money year af- President Ban Johnson, of the Ameri-

If the \$15 guarantte had been adopt- diplomatic corps, were present. ed he would prefer the C. L. A., as the

denham | card of the east. St. Catharines are awaiting the decision of the meeting at Montreal, and Philadelphia hoping the dispatch from that place saying the teams would not be ad- and Schreck. mitted, is extrect. Brantford has, so far, shown no feeling on the matter. Chippewas are also awaiting, and as P. J. Haney said Saturday, are will- Boston ing to continue the C. L. A. series with Brooklyn advocate a return to amateur lines. and Conway The question arises, if the teams are admitted, what will become of the sen- Phil ior players? There will certainly be a New York scramble after such men as Don Cameron, Cory Hess, Davidson, White-

head and a few other good ones. COUNCILS FIRST MEETING. The first meeting of the C. L. A. council was held at the Iroquois this and Brown and Kling. Umpire, Johnstone in the chair. The other members pre- postponed; wet sent were O. S. Eby, Brown Jackson, T. E. McKim, H. Goodall, J. K. For-

Slosson's victory was more crushing appointed: J. D. Bailey, J. K. Forsyth, districts they would like to be in. The application of T. J. McFarlane. Reu Brantford, who played one senior Attendance, 12,000. game last year, to return to the intermediate class, was granted, as were also those of the following young Toconto men: George and John Heal, W. Morrison, A. Mara and W. Selby. refused reinstatement.

SKATING.

HARDY WON FINAL.

The final heat for the one-mile junior roller skating championship was decided Saturday night at the Jubilee Rink. There were only two starters-Roy Hardy and Charlie Lattimer. The latter got away in front, and cut out the pace for a couple of laps, when Hardy sprinted and took the lead. Lattimer forced him to travel fast, but could not catch him. Both finished in good condition. The time was 3:13.

WHIST. CONGRESS ENDED.

Toronto, April 15 .- The Canadian Whist Congress closed on Saturday night after New York, April 15.—Louis Cure, the was most successful, and all the contests The Hay trophy, emblematic of the Then men's high aggregate score for and 59. Sutton's average was 18 13-23, Coulthard, of Toronto, pairs with a plus score of 4 1-10 tricks.

THE WHIEL.

CONVENTION POSTPONED Toronto, April 15.-The annual conven day afternoon, owing to the absence of the president and secretary, has been ad At a meeting of the executive the Dominion championships were given to the Toronto Exhibition, to be held on the Saturday of the fair, It is probable that the provincial chamcelebration to be held in Waterloo on July 1.

THE GUN. SHOOT AT HYDE PARK.

Hyde Park, April 14. - The following scores were made on Good Friday by the Hyde Park Gun Club:

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SWIMMING. HANDY AT IT AGAIN.

with Jeffries. Then let him convince city, and have a good offer for us. I they be successful in the eliminatory broke two American swimming records. He covered 600 yards in 5:16 3-5. join his new employers. Handy also made 440 yards in 5:50.

TWELVE INNINGS IN OPENING GAME

Boston in Extra Time-Athletics Trim Senators.

Toronto, April 14.—Secretary W. H. New York, April 14. - Overtims Hall, of the C. L. A., stated this morn- marked the opening game of the Amering that even if the Tecumsehs and ican League in this city, in which Toronto did go to the N. A. L. U., Chesbro and Young, stars of the re-

pewas, St. Catharines, Brantford and Twenty-five thousand persons at-It tended the opening game. The contest would not be amateur, however, unless was worthy of the occasion, as it lasted through twelve innings, the winning Lacrosse enthusiasts were somewhat run being made Williams on a twosurprised Saturday to hear that the base hit and a single by Chase, with

ATHLETICS START WELL. Washington, April 14. - The chamthe \$10 guarantee at place of 60 and tory today, winning by a score of 4

When seen Saturday L. Solman, of the Tecumsehs, said that despite the Montreal dispatch, that the Toronto teams could not be admitted, they would or else he would not have gone

What was conceded to be the largest crowd that ever attended a baseball game in this city turned out to see the opening contest. Nearly 13,000 persons would, or else he would not have gone passed through the turnstiles, to say meeting. He said it was folly for the those that climbed over the fences. ter year on the 60 and 40 per cent basis, thereby supporting Brantford and St. Catharines out of the Toronto gates

President Ban Johnson, of the American League, tossed out the first ball, and many senators, representatives, members of the supreme court of the United States, and members of the

The game was well played for this expenses were not so great and so far season of the year, the errors being of as the Tecumsehs were concerned, the easy sort, while the batting was they had arranged with Shamrocks for timely. Bender outpitched Hughes, ala game here on May 24, and a game though the former had the luck on his with Ottawa at a later date. These side. The batting of Murphy and the two teams are practically the drawing fielding of Cross and Schalfly were the features. The score:

Washington 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2-31 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 0-4 11 1 Batteries-Hughes and Heyden; Bender and Schreck. Umpire, O'Loughlin, IN THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

At Brooklyn-

a new circuit, even going so far as to Doescher and Bergen, Umpires, Ems. 100 At Philadelphia-

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norning, with President J. C. Miller At St. Louis-St. Louis vs. Pittsburg SUNDAY GAMES. At Boston-

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FOOTBALL.

VOTED DOWN WITHDRAWAL. Kingston, April 15. - At a meeting of the Canadian Intercollegiate Rugby Robinson, of the Chippewas, who Union last evening representatives were played under an assumed name, was present from McGill, 'Varsity, Ottawa, Queen's, Royal Military College and

McMaster. Dr. Etherington (Queen's). president, occupied the chair. The proposal of McGill and Queen's to withdraw from the Canadian Rugby Football Union was voted down, these two universities being the only ones in

favor. The proposal to abolish the three in and adopt the scrimmage for outsides was discussed, but action was deferred The schedules for next fall were drawn up. The senior is as follows: Oct. 13-Queen's at Ottawa, McGill at Varsity Oct. 20-Ottawa at McGill, 'Varsity at

Queen's. Oct. 27-McGill at Queen's, Ottawa at 'Varsity Nov. 3-Queen's at McGill, 'Varsity at

Ottawa. Nov. 10-Ottawa at Queen's, 'Varsity

Nov. 17.—Queen's at 'Varsity, McGil. at Ottawa.

CLOSE AT NEW ORLEANS New Orleans, April 14.-The longest acing season ever held in New Oreans closed with the last race at the Fair Grounds today. Racing lasted four and a half months. More than mixed \$700,000 has been distributed by the

two tracks. Both tracks lost money. Efforts to realize get-away money made the betting more lively than usual, but the books had the better of the argument. GOES TO RUSSIA. Cleveland, Ohio, April 14. - O. G.

Kent, of Cleveland, has sold his trotter Anzella, 2:06%, and a 4-year-old McKerron filly to Frank Caton, the Russian trainer, for \$3,250. The deal at an old boys' was closed yesterday and the pair will be shipped to St. Petersburg, where the mare will be raced this season. BENNINGS CLOSED. Washington, April 15. - An excellent card was offered yesterday as the clos-

ing attraction of the spring meeting of the Washington Jockey Club at Bennings. The club offered the second running of the Jesse Brown cup, the seventh running of the second Bennings spring handicap, the seventh spring hunters' steeplechase and a handicap steeplechase. Pater had no difficulty in 00100101000111111110010000-11 Jesse Brown cup race went to Orphan Lad. The spring hunters' steeplechase was completed by Garret with ease, while the handicap steeplechase was a dead heat between Phantom and Thistledale.

RADTKE SOLD.

Hot Springs, Ark., April 13.-Jack Keene said here tonight that he has transferred the contract held by him on the services of Jockey Radtke to Chicago, April 15.-H. J. Handy, of Paul Rainey and J. W. "Bub" May the Central Y. M. C. A., last night for the consideration of \$25,000. The

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