

THE TIMES SPORTING PAGE

CHEAPSIDE

Miss Adams and her little daughter, Dorothy, from Detroit, spent last week with her aunt, Miss Harding.

Miss Agatha Stillwell and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smelser attended the wedding of their niece, Miss Eva Ferguson, and Mr. George Wilcox, on Wednesday, Feb. 24th, at the residence of her father, Mr. Duncan Ferguson, near Springfield.

Mr. Orion Weidrich spent a couple of days last week in Hamilton on business. Mr. and Mrs. Byron Pond and children, of Sandusky, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Pond.

Mrs. Robert Buckley was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Oliver Grindie, of Skirrik, last week.

Miss Olive Buckley, of Simcoe, spent Friday last at Mrs. R. Skilwell's. Master Jimmie Metcalfe spent Friday last with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Doyer.

The Misses Minnie and Mina Truckle, of Nanticoke, visited their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Wadsworth, last week.

Mrs. Joseph Atkinson, of Stockton, Manitoba, is the guest of Mrs. Robert Buckley.

There was no service in the Baptist Church on Sunday morning on account of the anniversary service held in the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Hobbs, of Hagersville, who has been spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Levi Beam, is lying seriously ill with a paralytic stroke.

At Sandilands, Man., an unknown Gallien was found with his throat cut. Whether it is suicide or murder it is impossible at present to say.

An expert study of the nitrate fields of Chili has been made lately, and, as a result, the estimate is made public that there is sufficient of this commodity a sight to last for 120 years at the present rate of consumption.

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From the Scrap Heap

New York, March 3.—Young Corbett, of Denver, former featherweight champion, signalled his reappearance in the ring here last night by defeating Johnny Marto, of New York, in a fast ten-round bout before the members of the Fairmont Athletic Club.

Although Corbett disappointed his friends by failing to knock out his opponent, he surprised those at the ring-side by the wonderful speed and agility displayed even under the handicap of increased weight.

The former featherweight champion has added to his weight until he now weighs fully 140 pounds.

Both men received a dose of punishment, Corbett closing one of Marto's eyes in the second round and the latter drawing blood from the former-champion's nose in the third.

Chicago, Ill., March 3.—James J. Jeffries, retired champion pugilist of the world, yesterday left Chicago for New York. During his short stay in Chicago he left the impression in the minds of local sportsmen that he would eventually fight Jack Johnson for the world's championship.

"Yes, I will be popular until someone hits me a wallop in the jaw," he said, in answer to a question, "and I take the count. Then it will be good-bye, Jeffries."

"In order to have that done, it will be necessary to re-enter the ring; won't it, Jim?" he was asked. Jeffries refused to answer this question.

New York, March 2.—A. F. Bettinson, matchmaker of the National Sporting Club of London, in a letter just received here by the club's American representative, says that the present English champion of England is Jack Goldswain, in a bout that was won by the English champion.

It is estimated the value of the estate will total \$25,000. The largest proportion is in the old country.

OLYMPIC RUNNER WON

Dorando Defeated Meadows Last Night. Guelph Hockey Team Won at Grimsby.

Toronto, March 3.—Dorando Pietri, the sturdy little Marathoner, scored an easy victory over Fred Meadows in the twelve-mile race at the Riverside rink last night.

In the eighth lap of the first mile Meadows went to the front, and at the end of the second mile was a lap ahead of the Italian.

The time by miles was as follows: Leader. 1. 4.51 Meadows. 2. 9.58 Meadows. 3. 15.31 Meadows. 4. 21.20 Meadows. 5. 27.03 Meadows. 6. 32.48 Meadows. 7. 38.33 Meadows. 8. 44.18 Dorando. 9. 50.26 Dorando. 10. 56.17 Dorando. 11. 1.02.03 Dorando. 12. 1.07.31-2 Dorando.

Colored Marathoner Won. Pittsburgh, Pa., March 2.—Howard Hall (colored) won the indoor Marathon race last night over 51 competitors.

Little Paragraphs of Sport From Far and Near. Calgary, March 3.—The boxing contest held here last night for the lightweight championship of Canada, between Billy Lander, of Calgary, and Eddie Miller, Seattle, holder of the Canadian title, was won by Lander, who got the decision after fifteen rounds of good fast boxing.

Montreal, March 3.—The Montreal Driving Club has made arrangements for five trotting events this summer, at which purses of \$25,000 will be distributed.

Walter Miller, the jockey, has developed into Walter Miller, the school-boy. The richest lad that ever straddled a thoroughbred, and the boy who has received more praise and applause on the turf than any other jockey since the days of Tod Sloan, is now receiving his education. This doesn't mean that Miller is ignorant. Far from it. A sharp, shrewd young stard, Walter was as well educated as the majority of boys, that does not satisfy him, and he is now improving his mind in one of the most prominent business colleges in Brooklyn, in order to fit himself to handle the fortune he made in the saddle.

When Miller started on his career, which wound up in a burst of glory, he followed the same road travelled by all his predecessors. Routed out of a warm bed at dawn to gallop a thoroughbred around the track for several miles, kept busy all day leading a helping hand around the stable, the ambitions had never had such opportunity to pore on school books.

JOCKEY MILLER NOW HUMBLE SCHOOL BOY.

The years rolled on and Miller kept steadily climbing the ladder of fame, there was very little change in the daily programme, and the ambitious star was busy every second of daylight. Instead of spending his winter around the track in the east, Miller went to the golden opportunity of increasing his fortune slip by, and invariably went to the coast with the horses. This steady grind kept the little jockey busy to the limit, and when he had any spare time it was not for idleness, but for study.

It was his recent visit to the coast that hurried Miller on his studious career. He was fined \$200 by the stewards at Emeryville, which he declared was unjust, and refused to pay. The officials disagreed with the rider, and the outcome was that Miller packed up and came East. Miller has only been at his books for a little over a week. According to his instructors, he is very bright, attentive and quick to grasp the meaning of any study, and industrious to the extreme.

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HAMILTONS PLAY AT BUFFALO.

The Hamilton basketball team will go to Buffalo to-night to play the second game in the series with the famous Buffalo Germans, world's champions. It will be remembered that the Hamiltons gave them a very close game a week ago, but the condition telling on them in the last five minutes. The local team have trained hard this last week, and expect to duplicate the trick which they performed three years ago, defeating the Germans on their own floor.

FORFISH AND GAME RESERVE.

Toronto, March 3.—A mammoth forest and fish and game reserve of two million acres is projected, one-half in the State of Minnesota and one-half in the Province of Ontario. As a result of the decision of the State, on the request of the Fish and Game Association, to set aside one million acres to the south of Hunter's Island on condition that Ontario did the same, the reserve to be operated jointly, Mr. A. Hawke, accompanied by Mr. W. A. Preston, M. P. E., conferred with Hon. Messrs. Cochrane and Reame yesterday. The Ministers

AN EXCITING GAME.

Ladies' Hockey Team From Guelph Won at Grimsby.

Grimsby, March 3.—(Special.)—A large crowd witnessed the ladies' hockey match here last night. The game was close and exciting throughout, the teams being very evenly matched. The ladies wore natty uniforms and played well. The visitors won by a score of 7 to 5.

Mr. J. Steele, of Guelph, was referee, and the team: Grimsby: (5)—Misses Smith, Culp, Walker, Alexander, Conson, Rundle. Guelph: (7)—Misses Alexander, Conson, Melrose, Mason, Mason and Steele. VAN HORNE CANT PLAY.

Kingston, March 2.—Geo. Van Horne, captain and cover-point of the 14th Regiment, who had one of the bones in his left shoulder dislocated in Monday night's match with Toronto A. C., will be able to be out in a few days.

Yesterday's Results. O. H. A.—Junior. 1. Eureka 4. Barrie 1. 2. Fit-Reform 5. 3. Winnipeg 6. 4. Shamrocks 5. 5. Exhibition Games. 6. Watford 4. Strathroy 2. 7. Grimsby 5. Guelph 7.

To-Day's Games. O. H. A.—Intermediate—Stratford vs. Ingersoll at Stratford (sudden death). Eastern Canada League—Waukegan at Ottawa.

SHORT ENDS

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Knocking Down the Pins

Dunessne Gardens, Pittsburg, Pa., Mar. 3.—The minor events fell into line along with the five man event in the American Bowling Congress tournament, now running in this city, when local players opened the ball in the doubles and singles. Garry Green, the famous one-eyed bowler of New York City in years past, and now a local resident, proved the hero in the minor attacks on the pins by taking first place temporarily in the doubles, with Jim Blair as his partner, the pair registering 1,062.

Green had secured an hour later in the singles, with 99, John Locks of this city putting up a really creditable showing with 697 pins. The players in the minor events were badly handicapped by the extreme cold of the ball, the tires under the steam-heating tanks having been allowed to die down over Sunday and the big ball being colder than a bear's paw. President George Meyer, who issued orders that steam be kept on this day and night until the next day, for fear of a duplication of Cleveland's chilled meet.

Post-mortem in the International Harvesting Bowling League were played last night. The winners were Forge, accounting, MAIN Office and Tool teams. Green was high man with 230. The scores: S. & T. 191 173 141-402. Cook 127 193 151-462. James 54 91 51-284. McRobb 115 145 124-419. Tullace 121 114 150-386. Green, H. P. 130 139 141-402. 620 589 631 1837.

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H. S. & P. R. 196 128 130-414. Berwick 143 139 154-437. Hughes 181 172 128-482. McMillan 122 125 160-408. Robertson 131 139 141-402. 743 652 682 2108.

Main Office 142 163 154-459. Ward 127 131 152-410. Good 114 145 142-402. Gurry 129 139 149-409. Irwin 122 125 160-408. 752 729 758 2239.

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Archie 122 135 144-400. Wilson 155 141 152-457. First Jeala 139 115 125-379. Good 114 145 142-402. Martenson 117 151 176-474. T. Smith 115 115 115-345. 678 719 750 2136.

HYSLOP BICYCLES

Bicycles are rapidly coming back into popular favor, the demand this year being five times what it was five years ago. We have planned for it in two ways—by getting the very best English wheel we can for popular selling, and by offering our customers all intermediate profits by filling orders direct by mail instead of through agents. In this way we can offer \$50 Wheels for \$25 and give better satisfaction all round. The quality of the wheels is all right—only the best materials used and only skilled mechanics employed in construction. The equipment is right up-to-date and the machines throughout are such as we can thoroughly recommend. We sell automobiles as well as bicycles and our plan is to make wheels serve as a good advertisement to the entire business. Send for illustrated folder.

Gossip and Comment

Some of the local baseball fans view with favor the proposition to form an Inter-City League composed of two teams from Brantford and two from Hamilton. There is enough good material in these places to make two strong nines, a league on these lines should be able to succeed, particularly as the travelling expenses would be light.

A good deal of interest is being taken in the series of indoor baseball matches for the Canadian championship, between the Seondreds and the Queens' Queens, of Toronto. The second game of the series will be played at the Army Hall next Saturday night and the Toronto team will be accompanied by about 100 rooters. The game will likely be quite a betting proposition.

Hamilton and Brantford have had enough bush league ball, and are now talking of organizing an inter-city league. It's cheaper, and about as good as the kind provided last season.

The return to the diamond of Arlie Latham, and particularly his connection with the local club, brings to mind some interesting tales that are told about the "clown" when he himself was one of the Von der Ahe, who himself was one of the most interesting figures in baseball.

Von der Ahe was a typical German, with a Teutonic dialect as wide as his girth. Latham never missed a chance to put one over on the "Puss manager," but after everybody had given Chris the laugh he would come back with this: "Mit all his faults I luf him still."

Latham was playing in St. Louis on one Fourth of July. The park was crowded. Previous to going on the field, Chris and Arlie had a rumble, and the German, whose fiery temper caused him to say things he never meant, told Latham that he wished somebody "shoot him dead."

This was a cue for Arlie. When he left the clubhouse for the field he had concealed in his blouse a giant firecracker. This he placed under third base when Von der Ahe had his back turned.

The game had gone about two innings, and Latham had made two errors, Chris was furious. From his perch in the stand he yelled: "Und dat is a pall player. Yes! Vy doan't somebody shoot him?"

This was Latham's cue. He had a match in his pocket, and, lifting the bag as if he was trying to fasten it, he touched off the giant cracker.

Everybody was interested in the play, when suddenly there was a loud crash at third base. With the report Arlie Latham was seen to totter a few steps and bring his hand up over his heart and sink to the ground.

Von der Ahe saw Latham drop. He let out a screech and tumbled out on the field and was soon kneeling beside Latham.

"Ach, Gott, Arlie, I didn't mean dat somebody should shoot you. Bless 'speak!"

Latham suddenly jumped to his feet, and, rubbing his ear, said: "It's all right, Chris. The bullet struck me in the mouth and I swallowed it."

Chris did not see the joke until the team left the field. He then hastened to the clubhouse and fined Latham \$50 for "shooting off" firecrackers on the field. Of course, Arlie didn't pay the fine. If he had paid every time that Chris handed him, Latham would owe Von der Ahe money.

A CHECKER WONDER.

Newell M. Banks, the juvenile checker wonder from Detroit, gave another exhibition of his skill at the quarters of the Hamilton Checker Club yesterday afternoon and evening. He played in all 200 games here, losing only seven. Messrs. Nichol, King, Cummings and Gillard were the victorious ones. Banks left for Toronto this morning.

UNDERGROUND ROUTE

For White Slaves From Canada to United States. Watertown, N. Y., March 2.—Deputy United States Marshal E. C. J. Smith and Immigration Inspector James A. Conaty, of Ogdensburg, in conjunction with the local police, have discovered what they believe to be an underground route for the white slave traffic. Ida Lewis, of this city, is under arrest, charged with violation of the immigration laws in harboring two young French-Canadian girls, who arrived in this city from Ottawa a week ago. The police say they have evidence in the form of letters indicating that an unknown man has been procuring French-Canadian girls in Canada for various American cities.

HUBBARD WILL NOT TELL.

Winnipeg Barrister Believed to be Shielding a Provincial Minister. Winnipeg, March 2.—Rather than reveal the name of the person who shared his commission on the sale of the Normal School site to the Provincial Government, amounting to \$25,000, F. C. Hubbard, barrister, to-day accepted the judgment of the court requiring him to pay three-fifths of the amount to his former partner as well as the costs. It is asserted that the mysterious person who is thus shielded from the public is a member of the Roblin Government.

SHOT BY A MINISTER.

Man Crazed With Drink Killed at Temple, N.H. Temple, N. H., March 2.—While crazed with drink George L. Marcotte, a valet in the employ of Brigadier Gen. James Miller, ran amuck late to-day, and after shooting at several villagers who attempted to disarm him, was shot and killed by Rev. Harvey Eastman, pastor of the local Congregational Church. Mr. Eastman had gone to Gen. Miller's home with a number of other men in response to a telephone call for help, and fired at Marcotte in self-defence.