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It Pays to Read a Live Newspaper.

The World was the only morning paper in Toronto to appreciate the importance of the news that came in on Friday night of a revolution in Brazil. The Mail gave it thirteen lines and a small heading; The Empire a little more; The Globe still more, and The World all of the despatches that could be got up to 4 a.m. Saturday, and an explanatory article that made the whole intelligible. As a consequence one wholesale merchant of this city, who reads The World regularly and early, bought up enough coffee before 10 o'clock to clear thirteen hundred dollars.

The Huron Signal of Goderich expresses its belief that the Ontario elections will be held before the winter's snow lifts. The Signal is very apt to be correct. It is nearer the throne than some of the more pretentious organs.

The window glass manufacturers are to form a trust. They had better go light on it. The business is a pane one now.

"Dost think that whipping aids the mind,
Or knowledge can impart?"
The teacher paused, then made reply:
"It makes the children smart."

St. Paul talks of building a spiral toboggan slide forty feet high. There are probably simpler forms of suicide, but few more effective.

Equal Rights and Exemptions.

The Herald of Hamilton came out quite strong to the effect that the Equal Rights Association wished to make good its position in most first declaring itself against exemptions from municipal taxation. The point was well taken. Rev. R. J. Laidlaw, in a letter to The Herald on Saturday, says:

Editor Herald,—From your remarks on Mr. Boville's letter in yesterday's Herald I infer that you are not aware that a revised platform for the Equal Rights Association has been drafted and approved by the Hamilton branch, and that this platform is more radical than any previous one on the question of tax exemptions and other civil inequalities than anything that has yet appeared, as emanating from any source, civil or ecclesiastical. The new platform may not be given to the public until it has been fully considered by the Provincial Executive, but it will be given to the public, and having already received the hearty endorsement of representatives of nearly all religious denominations it may be expected that when published it will commend itself to all classes of citizens as both right in itself and as the only consistent course to adopt. It is an interesting fact that some who a few years ago advocated the exemption of churches from taxation are now strong advocates of the Equal Rights platform, which includes the abolishing of tax exemptions and all other forms of civil inequality. You will be pleased to know that more than one clergyman of Hamilton is prepared to have the principle of perfect civil equality applied in their case forthwith. That the laity are also prepared to see all classes of citizens placed on an equal footing before the law there can surely be no doubt. It only remains for the press of the country to faithfully voice the demand for equal rights that is in the heart of every right-thinking citizen, and it will not be long until such reforms shall be effected as will cause all civil inequalities to disappear throughout the Dominion.—Yours truly, R. J. LAIDLAW.

The French Government has closed the Trappist monastery at Mont des Cattes, in the department of the Nord. The reason given is that of the 65 monks only 30 are French, the remainder consisting of 23 Belgians, 10 Dutch and 2 Germans. There are two Trappist houses in England—Mount St. Bernard in Leicestershire and Stapehill in Dorset.

Ottawa papers are bragging because three days passed without a drunk appearing before the Police Magistrate. Nobody is mean enough to say that this is because the House is not in session.

General Wolseley is doing a good deal of magazine writing of late; but we cannot say in his case that the pen is mightier than the sword.

"Mr. Umpire" is the way in which ball players must hereafter address that official. This style of address will be a novelty to those who have been in the habit of calling him a "chump," with some italic language preceding it.

A Kingston man the other day had a grave dug for a relative who was not expected to live, but who is now on the mend. It may be awkward to explain away that hole in the ground.

The Third Party Trouble.

It might well have been considered that, during long time before this there have existed in Canada political distinctions enough, with substantial differences attached to them, too, to suffice for all the people of the country to divide upon. But now the two old parties no longer suffice, and a Third Party has made its start and is now before the country. About this Third Party many people are badly puzzled; almost everybody is asking what started it; where it comes from, and what is its real object and the secret of what it is driving at. Of course its spokesmen, some of whom are ready men on the public platform, are quick enough to say that for what they do they are quite prepared to give their reasons as they go on. And yet most people will remain under the impression that as regards this the half has not been told, and is not likely to be for some time yet to come. Some truth is being told, no doubt; but still a great part of the truth, and probably the real, essential part of it, is being carefully kept back. The old orthodox Reformers don't want to tell the whole truth; as little do the Third Party men themselves; while it may be that many of the straight-out Conservatives would rather not tell all they know about this Third Party business.

Perhaps the most rational looking way of accounting for the advent of the Third Party into politics is to say that it is due mainly to a growing belief, on the part of a great many people, that the *Second* Party has failed to fill the bill. In West Lambton, last week, certain old Reformers were not content with the nomination of one of themselves, who should have been counted a good party man, as having been and always an honest supporter of the accredited Reform leaders, in both Dominion and Provincial politics. Our undoubtedly popular little Premier appeared on the spot to try what the magic of his presence would do to quiet the rising storm; but all in vain, the Third Party men went into open rebellion, and took the serious step of putting in the field a candidate of their own. It would be nonsense to say that they did this because they were dissatisfied with Sir John or Mr. Meredith. The cold truth of the matter is that they were and still are dissatisfied with Mr. Mowat. The thing is "sticking out" so obviously that it would be childish to pretend not to see it.

But, while the grumblers decline revealing the real reasons why they have left the ranks of Ontario's grand old party, others may venture to "guess" what principally was the matter. It is no great secret that the main cause of offence within the Ontario Reform party has been the crooked course of Mr. Mowat and his lieutenants on the liquor and license question. While professing that theirs is the party of truth and righteousness, they have so operated the powers of Government, the same having been greatly outraged by themselves, for this very purpose—as to control votes with those valuable papers called licenses—while furnishing the party "bosses" with big chances of making money, which the "bosses" aforesaid were not slow to improve. When the present year was just at its opening, or little more, The World exposed the huge deception that was being practised in the name of Temperance and Reform, by which the temperance sentiment of the community was being used to promote political purposes. Many people appeared to think that The World was romancing when in January last it talked of our "political license board"; "the license boodlers"; "whiskydom's reign of terror"; "the man who gives the wink"; "politics, favoritism and monopoly," etc. It looks now as if some of our stirring temperance men have a suspicion that The World has not been very far wrong in what is said on this subject. Now, try your best at guessing where the Third Party has come from, and what its heaviest cause of offence is with the grand old party.

Why should cemeteries be exempted from taxation? They are frequently commercial enterprises.

Dominick McCaffrey challenges Sullivan, and some one suggests that Sullivan could make himself useful in killing McCaffrey. The proposition is respectfully submitted.

A Toledo man has been fined five dollars for having cursed the Western Union Telegraph Company. That kind of language is best expressed in dots and dashes.

Zion's Herald of Boston has sent out a circular letter asking various eminent clergymen and laymen to define what it is to be a "Christian." An interesting fact about the replies which it publishes is not one of those who answer the question defines "Christianity" to be membership in any Christian denomination. All unite sub stantially in saying that a Christian is one who lives in accordance with the spirit of Christ's teachings. As an indication of the tendency of modern religious thought this is suggestive.

The Almonte Gazette speaks of the French Government having ceded Newfoundland to Canada. That must have been some time ago.

A Walkerton woman has been divorced five times and is suing her last husband for alimony. She would appear to be a practical commercial unionist.

The Woodstock Times thinks the Wiman fad may turn out to be a good thing for the country, in forcing Reformers into the Conservative ranks. Practically the fad is dead.

HON. ALEXANDER MORRIS WILL.

An Estate of Nearly $400,000—Bequests to Seats of Learning, Etc.

In the Surrogate Court Saturday Daniel R. Wilkie, banker; and John J. Foy, barrister, Margaret Morris and Christina Morris applied for probate of the will of the late Hon. Alexander Morris. The estate amounts to $376,982.89:

Household goods	$ 3,000 00
Horses	300 00
Cattle	20 00
Money secured by mortgage	5,371 00
Life insurance policies	20,000 00
Stocks	42,642 89
Real estate	305,644 00
Total	$376,982 89

The following extracts, showing the principal bequests, are copied from the will:

"I give my volumes of Audubon's Birds to Ed. C. Morris, my son, to encourage his interest in natural history.

"I give to Queen's College at Kingston the sum of $1000, to be applied to the founding of a bursary in the faculty of divinity in said college to be known as the Hon. William Morris Bursary. I give to McGill University, at Montreal, $1000, to be applied to the founding of an exhibition in said university in the faculty of law, to be known as the Alexander Morris Exhibition."

"I direct that my wife, Margaret Morris, shall have the use and enjoyment during her life of so much and such of my household furniture and utensils, plate, linen, china and consumable stores as she shall think proper. And my wife shall not be bound to give any security or conform to any formality whatever in entering into possession thereof, and from and after her death the same shall form part of my residuary estate and be held upon the trusts set forth herein respecting the same, provided, however, that should the major part of my children, after the age of 25 years, desire that the said articles and chattels be divided among them in specie, then my said trustees shall so do.

"And as to the rest of my real and personal estate and effects, whether situate in Ontario or Manitoba, I devise and bequeath unto and to the use of my wife, Margaret Morris, my daughter, Christina Morris, William Morris, James J. Foy, Daniel R. Wilkie, or the survivors of them, upon trust to sell at their discretion at any time. And upon the further trust to pay out of the annual income of said moneys to my said wife during her life the interest on the sums of money and jointure promised to her by our marriage contract, and in addition thereto so much as shall make up her annuity from my estate, to the sum of $2000 per annum.

"And upon further trust as to all the residue of my estate for my children in equal shares, payable to them at the age of 25 years."

With reference to the bequests to his daughter the will directs the executors "to pay her share to each into her own hand during her life for her separate use, free from control of any husband whom she may marry without power of alienation or mortgage, as strictly personal property. At her death it is to revert to such persons as she may appoint other than her husband, and in default to the next heirs of her own blood and kin."

These two extracts are also copied from the will:

I appoint my said wife and the said Christina Morris, William Morris, James J. Foy and Daniel R. Wilkie to be the executrix and executors of this my will.

I give and bequeath my law reports and law books to my son William Morris. I direct that my other books and pamphlets shall be carefully examined and divided among my children but as regards my books relating to Canadian history or Canada I empower my executors in their discretion to dispose of them in aid to some institution of learning or other public institution which will undertake to preserve the same as a collection under my name.

The date of the will is May 2, 1888.

—Caswell, Massey & Co's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Pepsin and Quinine, is recognized as the best preparation known. Prescribed by the leading physicians. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

New Companies Incorporated.

Letters patent have been issued incorporating the Ingersoll Waterworks Company, the Chatham Waterworks Company, the Bloor-street Lumber Company of Toronto (limited), with a capital stock of $25,000; increasing the capital stock of the Toronto Athenæum Club from $3000 to $10,000 and giving members holding five shares of paid-up stock preference over other shareholders in the use of a bowling alley.

An old chestnut. Don't forget a tube of Dyer's Jelly of Cucumber and Roses for my chapped hands. Bring it home with you. Druggists keep it. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

To sick bent frames, life's forces lost, St. Leon brings strength and health to boast.

Certain. Yet see the numbers ailing, shivering in poisoned frames, starved of nerve and vital fuel—St. Leon, the essence thereof. Listen to Mr. Charlebois, conductor, C.P.R.: Was a martyr to dyspepsia; appetite, digestion, etc., all gone; kidneys so bad could not walk; drank St. Leon water; got strength and joy surprising. 136

There is nothing equal to Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator for destroying worms. No article of its kind has given such satisfaction.

'VARSITY'S WINNING KICKS

GALT DEFEATED FOR THE FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP.

The University Eleven Victors by Two Goals to One—Laurels for two Second 'Varsity Teams—American Inter-Collegiate Matches—Syracuse Received by the American Association—A Big Shoot.

The first of the series of two games for the Association football championship of Canada was played Saturday at Galt between the 'Varsity eleven, champions of the Toronto League, and Galt, the champions of the Western Association. The result was a surprise to the Westerners, who found the light defence not so very weak after all. The Toronto contingent who visited Galt say that the home team's only goal was taken by a man clearly off side and they have lodged a protest on this account.

'Varsity had the kick-off. Immediately the ball was taken up by Wood and McLay. Wood centered and Kennedy knocked the ball out a short distance. Duncan had a great chance to score, but unluckily the ball struck the goal post. Then the play was in midfield for a time, until another run by the 'Varsity right. Duncan centered. McLay was in the proper place and from fifteen yards range made a low, swift shot and scored the first goal.

Galt made a good rush from the kick off in the second half and looked dangerous. Barber sent in a hot. On that Senkler successfully negotiated. The game now waxed fast and furious. Curiously the backs on both sides remained close to their respective goals.

On the change of ends Galt started with a rush. Finally after twenty minutes' play the ball was sent from the half-back line to the right and across to Aitkins, who was apparently off side. He sent a ball in that beat Senkler amidst tumultuous cheering from the spectators.

Now 'Varsity's blood was up. Eddie Senkler soon took the bladder and made a torpedo rush up the left, passing both Murray and Dickson and passed to Thomson, who dribbled the ball through, placing 'Varsity in the ascendancy. During the remainder of the game there was a continued storm at Varsity's goal, but it proved an impenetrable fortress and Varsity walked off the field victorious by two goals to one.

Murray and Dickson did Galt's best work, Eddie Senkler and Wattie Thomson fairly overdid themselves, while Duncan, Lockhart and Blake were also quite noticeable for their off-drive work. Jean Senkler's work in goal was of the brilliant order.

During the remaining part of the game Blake and Dickson had a slight scrap in which the 'Varsity man came out best. He was unanimously protested by the youngsters, who thought he should not desert his town to assist his college to victory.

There was a splendid attendance of ladies and gentlemen at the game, also about thirty Varsity enthusiasts.

When the team arrived in the city at 9.25 they were met at the station by a number of footballists and escort-d up town, headed by a brass brigade, and wound up at the Scottish Hospitable. All the local clubs are jubilant over Varsity's success. The teams were:

Varsity—Goal, Senkler; backs, Blake, Edgar; halves, Fraser, Goldie, Lockhart; forwards, Wood, McLay, Thomson, Duncan, Senkler.

Galt—Goal, Kennedy; backs, Dickson, Gourlay; halves, Burnett, Murray, Hemming; forwards, Greene, Cress, Spiers, Barber, Aitkins.

Referee—John Porteous of Galt.

Second 'Varsity Association Team Wins.

The Stanleys received their first reverse of the season on Saturday when they met the second eleven of 'Varsity on the lawn. The game was a splendid one from a spectators' standpoint. The Football Association champions' defeat by no means shows that they are a weak team, but on the other hand demonstrates that there are a great many brilliant Association men at the 'Varsity when such a strong second team as Saturday's could be aggregated. Hammill scored a smashing goal for the first half. The same player with Hooper made a pretty run in the second and the last named gave the bladder a parting successful shot. The Stanleys could not score and 'Varsity thus won by two to nothing. For the last fifteen minutes there was a regular fusillade on the visitors' goal and it was amusing to watch how calmly Goalkeeper McDonald relieved his charge. The teams were:

'Varsity—Goal, Johnston; backs, Dill, Currie; halves, Merrill, Forrester, McKay; forwards, Hammill, Govenlock, Strath, Buckingham, Odell.

Stanleys—C McDonald, H Hodgson, J Bremner, S Stammers, A Mitchell, W Milne, P Mc Whirter, Pearson, T Rodger, E Hauids, J Thompson.

'Varsity Second Smothers Deer Park.

The 'Varsity second fifteen demonstrated on Saturday how a team should roll up a big score. Deer Park was their opponents. Right early in the game the Collegians began to count when Cockburn beat the opposing backs and secured a try. Shortly afterwards the same player landed a goal from the field by a pretty flying kick. Two more tries, one of which crystallized to a goal, brought their total up to 19 in the first half. The University boys were even more rapacious in the second half time, carrying the ball behind for no less than five tries. Only one of these resulted in a goal, which shows that some one of the boys should practise place kicking. A rouge and touch in goal made their score 24 in this half. The play for the greater part of the game was in the Park's 25, but brilliant runs by Gibson and Mitchell threatened 'Varsity's stronghold at times. All the visitors played well. Thus the big university juniors were victorious by 43 points to nil. The teams were:

'Varsity Second—Back, Foring; halves, Cockburn, Williams, Isbister; quarter, McLaughlin; rushers, Weir, McOlive, McLaren, Vickers; forwards, Thompson, capt., Boultbee, White, Burson, Mallock, Fortune.

Deer Park—Back, Chadwick; halves, Freeman, Gibson; quarter, McPherson; rushers, Swinga, Wood, Hoskin, J. Stoll, W. Stoll; forwards, Ledyard, Marshall, Falls, Armstrong, Ramsay, capt., Mitchell.

Referee—J. D. Mackay.

The Scots Defeat Trinity Meds.

On Stark's grounds on Saturday weak teams of the Trinity Medical School and Toronto Scots opposed each other. The students were much too weak for their opponents and encumbered by four goals to nothing. Within five minutes of the start Alexander Gibson scored a goal for the Scots by a long shot from the right goal line. He banged a second through the crowd of Trinity defence men and the goal kicked from in front of the sticks. Smith scored the Scots' third by a long shot from the left. Their fourth came by a rush of the Scots' forward line shortly after the start of second half time. Trinity was unable to score and retired defeated by four to nil. E. F. Gordon was an impartial referee.

The Great Harvard-Princeton Game.

BOSTON, Nov. 16.—Never in the history of college athletics has such a vast assemblage attended a contest in Cambridge as that of today to witness the game between Harvard and Princeton. Every seat was taken long before play was called and a mass of struggling humanity from 15 to 20 deep entirely encircled the field outside of the ropes. It was a perfect football day. Fully 10,000 people were sitting or standing about the field when the two eleven appeared. In the first half Harvard's playing was far superior to that of Princeton. She seemed a sure winner, and when the first half closed with the score 15 to 10 in her favor, the adherents of the crimson shouted themselves hoarse. Princeton was the aggressor throughout, and gradually raised her own score by some brilliant plays. The final score was 41 to 15 in the visitors' favor, the game being finished in the dark. At the close of the game the victors were carried from the field upon the shoulders of their friends. The teams:

Harvard—Back, Trafford; halves, Sears, Lee; quarter, Dean; rushers, Cumnock, Upton, Cranston, Tilton, Trafford, Stickney, Crosby. Average weight, 165 lbs.

Princeton—Back, Ames; halves, Black, Channing; quarter, Pal; rushers, Warren, Cash, Riggs, George, Janeway, Cowan, Donnelly. Average weight, 164 lbs.

Michigan and Cornell Play at Buffalo.

BUFFALO, Nov. 16.—An Inter-Collegiate football game was played here to-day between the Universities of Michigan and Cornell. From the start Cornell played all around Michigan, and it was evidently no match. Not once during the game did the Michigan men get the leather within the 25-yard line of Cornell, while the playing was almost all confined to the Michigan field. The rush line of the Michigan University averaged eight pounds heavier than the Cornell rush line. Cornell's chief advantage seemed to lie in better team work and guarding. The game soon became monotonous, Cornell having matters all their own way and scoring touchdown after touch-down, and when the game was called the score stood 56 points to 0. The most remarkable feature of the game was that no man was carried off the field on a stretcher.

Hamilton Defeats Trinity College.

HAMILTON, Nov. 17.—The fifteen of Trinity College, Toronto, visited here yesterday and played a game with the city team. The game was very interesting and well played throughout. Although the visitors were defeated by 27 to 6, the play was more even than this would indicate. A try and two rouges gave the college their six points. The teams were:

Hamilton—Billings, back; Watson, McGiverin, half-backs; Briggs, quarter; Logie, Smart, Hopkins, Stewart, wings; Dewar, Harvey, Sutherland, Gillies, Simpson, Bruce and another, forwards.

Trinity—Grout, back; Hibbard, Beatty, Howden, halves; Martin, quarter; Patterson, Wallbridge, White, Carley, wings; Reed, Reid, Thompson, Irving, substitute.

Notes of the Kickers.

The University of Pennsylvania defeated Rutgers Saturday by 14 to 0.

The Trinity and Toronto Meds play their postponed game on the Lawn next Thursday.

Windsor beat Detroit at Association by ten goals to nothing on Saturday. They must be sharp-shooters.

A. E. Smith of the Toronto Scots had his ankle twisted on Saturday and will be unable to play any more this season.

Yale defeated Wesleyan Saturday at Springfield by 52 to 0. Yale secured 10 touch-downs of which McClung kicked six goals.

The year of '90 will play the year of '92 for the class championship of University College on the 'Varsity Lawn next Tuesday.

Barrie beat Alliston on Saturday by one to nil, thus giving Barrie the Association championship of the Northwestern district.

Secretary Forsyth of the Western Association was an interested spectator at the game in Galt. He says the 'Varsity fowards are daisies.

The Young Canadians played a Rugby game with the Oaklands on the Toronto grounds on Saturday and easily defeated them by 38 points to nothing.

For the Fourth Cup at Aylmer on Saturday, the High School team down defeated the Woodstock College by five goals to two. Aylmer played a strong combined game.

A telegram from Ottawa says that the College is prepared to return the cup to the union. The Toronto Club has decided to not challenge the cup. Secretary Hugh Smith has written President Hume Cronyn, and awaits an answer concerning the affair.

It is proposed to play an Association match between the city players and former residents of Waterloo County. The latter team would be chosen from the following: Thomson, Senkler, Doll, Gibson, Killer, Wight, F. Thibodo, H. Thibodo, Webster, Blake, Duncan, Fraser and Goldie.

Galt will play 'Varsity here next Saturday on the lawn the second of the series of two games for the Canadian championship. The club scoring the greater number of goals takes the title. Captain Peat of 'Varsity says that if the Easterners wish to play for the premier position in Canadian Association football they must come to Toronto, where they will be readily accommodated by the eleven of the big University.

SATURDAY AT THE TRAPS.

A Big Pigeon Shoot at McDowall's—Several Team Matches.

The shooting at McDowall's grounds on Saturday brought out a good number of shooters, amongst whom were several old timers, attracted no doubt by the announcement that a pigeon match was on the card. The day was bright and clear, the shoot commenced with several blackbird matches.

Team shoot No. 1:

C B Harrison	5	W Heatherington	3
F Emond	4	J Mitchell	2
J Dracey	4	J Turnbull	4
Total	12	Total	6

Team shoot No. 2:

Heatherington	4	Emond	4
Mitchell	3	Harrion	3
Sawden	3	Drasey	2
Total	10	Total	9

Team shoot No. 3:

Harrison	5	Sawdon	4
Drasey	3	Mitchell	4
Emond	3	Heatherington	3
Total	11	Total	11

Team shoot No. 4:

Harrison	5	Sawdon	4
Drasey	3	Mitchell	4
Emond	3	Heatherington	3
Total	11	Total	11

Team shoot No. 5:

Emond	5	Sawdon	4
Drasey	4	Mitchell	4
Harrison	1	Heatherington	5
Total	10	Total	13

After the artificial birds shoot a couple of pigeon matches between Messrs. W. Tracey and W. McDowall took place. The birds were a fine strong lot.

The score: 25 pigeons, 26 yards rise, Tonnesy Gun Club rules, for $20. Tracey, 18; McDowall, 17.

Second match, for $5. McDowall, 4; Tracey, 3.

See the Curling Here Comes It

The first curling match of the season was played on Saturday in the Moss Park Rink. The game was keenly contested and thoroughly enjoyed. The following are the players and scores:

W Gibson		N Malcolm	
J Gillespie		W Malcolm	
A Gibson		J Malcolm	
T Gibson, skip	17,	R Malcolm, skip	21.

Majority for Messrs. Malcolm, 4 shots.

When the game was concluded the jolly curlers gave three cheers for the Queen, three for the noble game of curling and three times three for Captain Wilson. The ice was good during the whole day.

THE BROTHERHOOD IN TORONTO.

President McConnell Says he is Willing to Lease His Grounds.

President McConnell told The World on Saturday that he was ready and willing to lease his grounds to the Brotherhood to establish a club here, or to any other association that would make him a suitable offer. In the meantime the genial president will say nothing as to his plans until after the meeting this week in Detroit. A Canadian league will scarcely be formed. The only possible chance of one is in case the International goes under, which is not at all probable. There is not much chance of Toronto joining the American Association, nor has she even made an application. As yet there is merely conjecture as regards baseball here. The only sure thing is that there will be a team here in 1890.

Syracuse Deserts the International.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—The American Baseball Association met at the Fifth Avenue Hotel this morning to consider applications for membership and amendments to the constitution. The application of Syracuse was approved, and a rumor prevailed that Rochester, Buffalo, and possibly Detroit, would be admitted to the Association. The Association adjourned without admitting any other club but Syracuse. The next meeting will be held Dec. 9, at Columbus. The Finance Committee were instructed to proceed to Rochester and Toledo on their way home and consult with the clubs of those cities as to their joining the Association. The members of the Association seemed to think they had made the best of a bad bargain. They agreed that if Toledo and Buffalo joined the Association, and there does not seem to be much doubt about either, with Louisville, St. Louis, Toledo and Columbus in the West and the Athletics, Baltimore, Buffalo and Syracuse in the East, they have a very strong 25-cent circuit.

The Hostilities Are Continued.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—The National League of baseball clubs completed its work yesterday, and before an adjournment was taken the plan of action against the revolting Brotherhood players was adopted. Messrs. Byrne, Young and Reach, the committee on negotiations, which was appointed in accordance with resolutions adopted at the suggestion of A. G. Spalding, will work hard for the next few weeks so as to be able to present an encouraging report at the reconvened meeting on January 26. They say that there will be no difficulty in getting all the players necessary for the success of the game.

Baseball in the Mountains.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 17.—Five thousand people witnessed the ball game between the St. Louis Browns and the Bostons to-day. It was work from the beginning to the finish. The Bostons did their best, but they were not equal to the wonderful playing of the Browns. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	2 0 0 1 1 2 1 1 0	8	12	1
Boston	0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	2	8	4

Batteries—King and Boyle; Radbourne, Clarkson and Ganzell. Umpire—Abner Dalrymple.

Dust from the Diamond.

Toledo is red hot to get into the American Association.

The Boston Baseball Club has signed Matt Kilroy, pitcher of the Baltimores, for next year.

The Detroit Journal says that indications point to the absence of a club in Detroit in 1890.

The Brotherhood has spoken, and the public will now wait to see the weakest go to the wall.—Illustrated News.

Von der Ahe sold Latham to Cincinnati Tuesday for $5250. Cincinnati sent its new man, Tom Loftus, to Denver to sign Latham.

It is probable that Jersey City will have a club in the Atlantic Association next season. Either Troy or Providence is likely to be the eighth club.

Tucker and Brouthers, the leading batsmen of the Association and the League respectively, are both first basemen, they both bat left handed and both throw with the right arm.

The Kansas City club is desirous of selling some of its players and has filed a schedule with President Young of the League, giving the prices at which it is willing to sell. Hamilton and Long are each down as $6000.

It is probable that Ed Swartwood will be a member of the Players' National League team of this city. He intends to go to Hot Springs early in the spring to get into condition.—Pittsburg Commercial Gazette.

The International Association will hold its annual meeting in Detroit this week Tuesday and Wednesday. The Toronto contingent will leave for that city to-day, and will consist of President McConnell and Director McPherson.

Ed Williamson has made up his mind to cast his lot with the Brotherhood. He says the thing that has decided him is the fact that the Chicago club deducted part of his salary for last season and he is sore in consequence.

Manager Leadley has returned to Detroit from the N. Y. meeting. He says that his club can go into the American Association if it desires and all Detroit people need do now is to hustle a little bit. He thinks the Brotherhood scheme will be short lived.

Charles A. Mason, an old campaigner on the diamond and manager of the Athletics in 1883, passed through Buffalo Saturday even ing on his way to Boston. He gives it out as his opinion that the Brotherhood has come to stay and does not doubt that it will prove a paying venture.

The Detroit directors met on Saturday and resolved that it was inadvisable to enter the American Association until 1000 season books are disposed of. Unless these books are sold Free Press says the club will be sold out bag and baggage and Detroiters must content themselves with such games as croquet, etc.

Mike Kelly was asked Saturday whether he was going to sign with the Boston League Club. He replied: "Do you want me to die? Do you think I want to be caught in Boston some dark night by some of the Knights of Labor fellows and disappear suddenly? Oh no, I'll have no Dr. Cronin in mine. I have signed a Brotherhood agreement and with the Brotherhood I'll stand, win or lose."

PALO ALTO'S TRIAL.

He Fails to Beat the Stallion Record by Breaking in the Stretch.

NAPA CITY, Cal., Nov. 16.—Palo Alto started this afternoon to beat the stallion record of 2.12, but made a bad break on the home stretch and failed. His time was 2.12¼. The quarters were made in 32½, 1.05, 1.39, and 2.12¼. Sunol trotted an exhibition mile in 2.15. Stamboul again lowered his record this afternoon and trotted a mile in 2.12¼. A private wager of $10,000 that Stamboul would make 2.12 before the year is out is still undecided. His time at the quarters to-day was 33, 1.05¼, 1.39¾, 2.12¼.

A Slight Accident at the Hunt.

The Hunt met on Saturday at the Newmarket race track. The weather was grand and the going good. There were about 20 in the saddle. The run was about three miles east, half a mile north and then back to the track. Jack Malone, the whipper-in, who was mounted on a nice chestnut, had a fall but escaped uninjured. Dr. Moorehouse rode a good looking chestnut horse that took the jumps well.

The Sale of McClelland & Roche.

ELIZABETH, N.J., Nov. 16.—The racing stables of McClelland & Roche, who have dissolved partnership, and A. M. Hunter were sold at auction here to-day. Bradford was sold to E. Walbaum for $3100, Badge to the same for $9600, the Lioness to R. Roche for $1550, Lord Peyton to Ed Brown for $1000, Fredrick to Matt Sharpe for $1025, Mr. Pelham to F. Eshner for $1950.

Gossip of the Turf.

Butterfly, 2.19¾, by Young Jim, dam Tansey, by George Wilkes, second dam by Daniel Lambert, has been booked to Axtell (2.12) for next season.

Jessie Pepper, the famous brood mare which died last week, was the last surviving daughter of Mambrino Chief that has ever achieved any distinction.

Chauncey M. Depew of New York, during the Chicago Horse Show, bought from Moortouse & Pepper of this city the roan mare Duchess and the chestnut gelding Kamloops.

A matched race for the sum of $45 has been agreed upon between D. Williamson's Lady Mason, A. Mitchell's Limber Jim and T. H. Campbell's Baby, to take place on Steen's line, near Streetsville, on Thursday afternoon next.

The death of the famous thoroughbred stallion Whisner is reported. He was bred by the late Hunt Reynolds and died the property of L. P. Tarlton. Whisper was foaled in 1870 and was by Planet, out of Mattie Gross, she by Lexington.

The trotting brood mare Nell is dead on the farm of her owner, William R. Brooks, near Washingtonville, Orange county, N.Y., of old age. She was bred by F. Beekman Brooks in 1858, her sire being Brady's Hambletonian and her dam being the Welling mare.

The death of the famous trotting stallion Belmont is announced. He was bred and died at Woodburn. He was a bay horse, foaled in 1864, by Abdallah, dam Belle, by Mambrino Chief. Belmont was the sire of nineteen trotters and two pacers in the "thirty" list.

C. W. Williams, former owner of Axtell (2.12), has purchased the stallion Patronage for $5100. Patronage is by Pancoast (2.21¾), dam Beatrice, by Cuyler. He is full brother to the great Patron, 2.14¼ as five years old, and sire of the fast yearling Stamina (2.26¾), winner of the Ashland Stakes for yearlings at Lexington this year.

Sutherland & Benjamin, horse breeders of East Saginaw, Mich., refused last week an offer of $40,000 for Sphinx, record 2.28. The owners ask $50,000 and as the request of those who made the first offer held the proposition for the last named sum open for one week. Sphinx was sired by Electioneer. He made a record of 2.29 as a 2-year-old, 2.24¼ as a 3-year-old and 2.23 as a 4-year-old.

Director (2.17), by Dictator, has been awarded the gold medal given by the State of California to any trotting horse whose colts win the greatest number of stake races each year. Director was bred by P. West of Lexington, Ky., and, after passing through a number of hands, was finally purchased by M. Salisbury of Pleasanton, Cal., where he promises to become one of the sensations of the Pacific Slope.

Sparks Beaten in Buffalo.

BUFFALO, Nov. 16.—A small crowd of sports assembled at the Driving Park yesterday afternoon to witness the 220 yard foot race between Sid Clark of Buffalo and Robert Sparks of Toronto. The race was for $600 a side and big money changed hands on the result. Clark won by one yard in 22 2-5 seconds.

The 'Varsity Cross Country Race.

'Varsity cross country race on Friday was a most successful affair. The course was from the lacrosse grounds to Eglinton, about six miles, being a mile more circuitous than the Canadian course. There was a field of twenty at the start and most of these walked home. The first six were as follows:

Name	Time	Name	Time
W C Michell	37.35½	T H Langley	41.05
J A Patterson	40.30	Peter White, jr.	41.35
F McAllister	40.35	A A Macdonald	42.00

Messrs. Montgomery and Freeman walked in arm in arm bringing up the rear, and won the pie annually offered for the last man. After the race a company of about 25 sat down to a splendid spread at Ontock's. President Frank Moss of the Athletic Association was in the chair. Songs were sung, speeches given and toasts drunk only as students can and a successful day's sport was admirably brought to a close.

Spots of Sport.

Jake Kilrain arrived in the city from the East on Saturday and spent Sunday with Mr. Scholes.

The sporting man who backed Beach has offered to back Teemer and defray his expenses in crossing the water if he will meet Searle.

The dates of the International wheelmen's dancing parties at Niagara Falls, N.Y., are: Nov. 22, Dec. 31, Jan. 24, Feb. 14 and April 11.

The 72-hour walking match closed at Jackson, Mich., last night, the score standing as follows: Davis, 365 miles; Cox, 360 miles 10 laps; Storan, 325 miles; Mackey, 268 miles; Morse, 250 miles 13 laps.

Elias B. Fraiman of the Genesee Bicycle Club died in Rochester Friday, his death being the direct result of overexertion in a bicycle contest. The race was from Buffalo to Rochester, and was run on October 22.

It will pain the literary world to learn that John L. Sullivan has been "fired" from his position as sporting editor of The New York Illustrated News. He wasn't allowed to "serve his connection," but was unfeelingly bounced.—Detroit Free Press.

Peter Jackson, in reply to Frank Slavin, says he does not want to make a match to box him in four months or a year's time. Slavin knows the conditions under which Jackson is bound. If Slavin objects to 10 rounds, Jackson will box him eight rounds, for $100 a side, in four weeks' time.

President Fulda of the California Athletic Club received an answer last night from Capt. Cook representing John L. Sullivan, in response to a despatch asking if Sullivan was willing to fight Jackson at the Athletic Club rooms and if so to state his terms. This is the reply: "Sullivan says white men $10,000 a piece, colored men double price." The matter will be discussed by the club.

Thomas Warren, the pugilist, has brought suit against the California Athletic Club for $900, one half of the purse offered in the recent Warren-Murphy fight. He claims the fight was stopped by the club and declared a draw, and under the agreement he is entitled to the amount sued for. The club refuses to give either of the combatants any proportion of the purse on the ground that the fight was "faked."

There will be two contests in the great billiard tournament, one in New York and one in Chicago. The first is to be a handicap in lines and will be played in New York the latter part of January. The second is to be a handicap in points and take place in Chicago about thirty days after the first tournament. Each player to pay an entrance fee of $250 for each contest he wishes to participate in both. In the New York tournament Slosson and Vignaux are to play four ten-inch balk lines and the other players eight-inch balk line. Games are to consist of 500 points each.

THE CHURCH ON FIRE.

The Germans Could Not Worship in their Bond-street Sanctuary Yesterday.

The German Church in Bond-street received a baptism of fire yesterday morning. The caretaker started the fire in the furnace at 7 a.m., when everything seemed all right. At 8.10 a.m. he smelt smoke in the building, and on investigating he found the woodwork around the furnace in flames. He immediately gave the alarm, and although the firemen were soon on the spot the fire gained considerable headway, working up between the roughcast walls and making it difficult to get at. Fortunately the fire was almost entirely confined to the basement. The flooring around the pulpit in the body of the church was burnt through, but the principal damage above was caused by water. It was nearly 10 o'clock before the firemen left, when damage had been done to the extent of $500. No services were held morning or evening.

Rev. Dr. Wild referred during his services to the loss sustained by the church across the way and generously offered the German congregation the use of his schoolro