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THE ENGLISH DERBY.

Changed Conditions of the Classic Race.

Baseball Gossip and Sporting News in General.

THE TURF.

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THE DERBY OF 1890.

The 111th renewal of the Epsom Derby, to be run on June 4, will be under different conditions from any that have previously marked this classic race. The change may be trivial from a racing standpoint, but important in showing how the time-honored contests are being gradually crowded to the wall by new events of "guaranteed" value. Racing for honor alone is rapidly declining. It has become as much of a business in England as it is in America, the exceptions in both England and the United states being about as rare. The result is that the Epsom authorities found it to their interest to make the Derby an "event of value." Thus, instead of the Derby being an event made up simply of subscribers' stakes at £50 each for starters, half forfeit for non-starters, of which £300 goes to the second and £150 to the third, the new conditions are:

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The Derby stakes of £5,000 for the winner, £300 for the nominator of the winner, £300 for the owner of the second, and £200 for the owner of the third; for colts 126 pounds, and fillies 121 pounds; by subscription of £50 each, half forfeit, if declared by the first Tuesday in January, 1890, and £10 only if declared by the first Tuesday in January, 1889; any surplus to be paid to the winner; about a mile and a half.

half.
Under these conditions the stakes closed, with 237 subscribers, of which 63 have de-

Martin Bergen, the popular young jockey, had a great day of it at Guttenburg on Tuesday, piloting five winners past the post and riding second once. It was awonderful record, for only one of the horses ridden by him started favorite in the betting. A \$5\$ bill invested on the opening race on Howe would have been lost, but by placing \$5 on Folsom, the winner of the second race, and investing the proceeds together with the original investment in each case on Bergen's mounts, the result at each case on Bergen's mounts, the result at the end of the day would have been the sung sum of \$1,083.

Mr. Robert Bonner, the owner of Sunol,

gives the following in regard to thorough-breds: "I don't believe we shall live to see Total. \$482 00
DISPURSEMENTS. \$216 25
Mess in two minutes. That means keeping up a speed of 30½ seconds for four-quarters around a curved track. As Gov. Stanford modestly says, 'If any horse can lower Maud S.'s record, I believe Sunol can do it.' And he has good reason for his belief. Thoroughbred blood is essential, in my opinion, in any 2:10 or better trotter. Gov. Stanford has met with extraordinary success in breeding young trotters. Back in 1880 he raised Fred. Crocker, who reduced the 2-year-old record to 2:15½. The next year he put Wildilower on the track and cut the record to 2:21. He has been at it ever since, and has not been able to beat 2:16 until this year, when Palo Alto and Sunol did it in 2:12½ and 2:10½ respectively. But Gov. Stanford didn't succeed until he got an infusion of thoroughbred blood."

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Messrs. Dewar and Smith were appointed auditors for 1890, and Messrs. A. G. Smith and T. R. Parker scrutineers.

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BASEBALL.

A FATAL BLOW.

In a baseball game between boys in San Francisco on the 4th inst. a 16-year-old boy named George E. Smith was killed. Smith was catching for his side, and was somewhat reckless in getting to the batter. While a companion named Dennis McCarthy was at the bat Smith drew dangerously near, and just as he did so McCarthy stepped back to give the ball a good blow, when he accidentally struck Smith on the head over the right car and fractured his skull. The boy died

shortly afterwards.

GRAND RAPIDS WON'T COME IN.

Director Hine, of the Grand Rapids club, said to-night that he would like to have seen his team in the International League, but as Grand Rapids people did not seen inclined to put up the necessary amount of cash it was useless to talk about it. The Second City would stand by the State League.—[Detroit Free Press.

FIYS.

The Cincinnati ball club has issued 100 meason tickets at \$35 each. These tickets tree good for at least 80 games.

It has been decided that the university of all take place on April 1 at \$11.90.

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A farm journal asks: "Why do the young rush to the towns and cities?" The answer is easy enough. It is because they are anxious to get there. And the fact that there are no farms in the city may have something to do with it.

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Sullivan as saying he will not accept the California Athletic Club's offer to fight with Jackson for a purse of \$15,000. He wants the purse to be \$20,000. PROBS.—The Weather To-day will be colder with snow.

ATHLETICS.
Mike Boden, the Canuck, has become quite a wrestler, and with a little more practice he will become a good one. He stood twelve minutes before Ernest Roeber, the German champion, the other evening. New York Sun.

Prof. Eugene L. Richards, of Yale, is probably the best across, country pedestrian in Connecticut. Prof. Richards has a record of having walked clear across the State of Connecticut, about 55 miles, in a day.

day.

The belt won by G. Littlewood, of Sheffield, England, in the six days' walking match at the Madison Square Gardens, New York, which ended Dec. 1, 1888, has now become his personal property. It is a valuable diamond-studded belt, valued at \$\frac{2}{2}\$100.

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James Martin, an Englishman, who held the 50-mile running championship for several years, died a short time ago in poverty. He had served his country with distinction in the Crimea, and at Inkerman gained the Victoria Cross. He was also engaged fighting as a soldier during the Indian mutiny.

At a meeting of the Staten Island, N. Y., Athletic Club, held Saturday night, charges were presented against Malcolm W. Ford, the champion all-round athlete. Ford is a newspaper reporter, and the charges made against him are the outcome of certain articles he is alleged to have written, and which reflected upon the management of the Staten Island Athletic Club.

THE TRIGGER.

At a meeting of the Ontario Off-hand Bild-Assenting of Strathyry held on

At a meeting of the Ontario Off-hand Rifle Association of Strathroy, held on Tuesday last, the following officers were elected: W. Bishop, president; H. A. Anderson, vice-president; W. T. Galloway, secretary-treasurer; managing committee, W. Bishop, E. Grifith, W. Dawson, P. H. Matthews and H. A. Mee.

HORTICULTURISTS MEET.

Annual Report-Mr. Gibson Appointed Representative to the Agricultural and Arts Association-Old Directors Re-elected.

The annual meeting of the City of London Horticultural Society was held last night in the City Hall. Mr. W. Y. Brunton occupied the chair in the absence of the president, Mr. A. W. Porte. There were present: W. J. Reid, H. D. Long, T. Herbert Marsh, T. R. Parker, and about 30 other members. The directors' report for 1889 was presented as follows:

1889 was presented as follows:

Gentlemen,—Your directors herewith submit the annual report for the year 1889.

As no fair was held under the management of the Western Fair Association during the past year, and as the Horticultural Society's operations merge into and unite with those of the Western Fair, the report now presented must of necessity be brief.

The Agricultural and Arts Association did not deem it necessary to call upon this society for co-operation or assistance, as they are provided with a full board of officers and directors to manage their own exhibitions. For these reasons your directors have had a year's res from active service in exhibition work.

The names on the membership roll have not been as numerous as the preceding year, but were sufficient to secure the small annual grant from the Government.

The balance on hand after deducting necessary current expenses, has been paid over to the funds of the Western Fair Association. In the Western will be required in order that the Western will be required in order that the Western Fair and the committed in the Western Fair association in the Western Fair association in the western fair as the western fair specific in the development of the western fair as the western fair specific in the funds of the Western Fair association in the western fair as the western fair forder that it is considered with a renewal of your confidence, to devote their best efforts to accomplish this end.

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Mr. Parker moved, seconded by Mr. Reid, that the report be adopted. Carried. The financial statement was presented as follows:

RECEIPTS-Total. \$482 00

DISBURSEMENTS—
Salaries and other expenses. \$216 25

Membership tickets redeemed from the
Provincial Exhibition. 95 50

Balance paid to Western Fair Association. 170 25

Total. \$482 00

East Williams. T. Campbell Americal Wyatt Williams. S. McLeod. A. Augustine Strathow. John Phot. M. Scarrow Parkhill. Wm. Thompson Alisa Craig. Jos. Rosser Lucan. Wm. Elwood. Newbury. Archer. Wm. Elwood. Newbury. Archer. Wm. Elwood. Newbury. Archer. Wardsvilla.

Moved by Mr. Reid, seconded by Mr. Marsh, that the representative to the Western Fair be selected by the newly-elected Board from among themselves. Carried. Moved by Mr. Reid, seconded by Mr. Long, that the vote for representative to the Agricultural and Arts Association be an open one.

Mr. Denton, seconded by Mr. Smith, moved in amendment, that vote be taken by ballot. The amendment was lost.

The vote resulted as follows: Mr. R. Gibson, 20; Mr. Simmons, 10; Mr. Brock, 0.

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Hamilton Newspapers.

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To the Editor of the Advertiser:
What are the names of the leading newspapers of Hamilton and where are their offices?

AN OLD SUBSCRIBER.
The Times (Liberal), Spectator (Conser-

Negligent School Trustees.

To the Editor of the Advertiser:
Kindly inform me through the columns of your valuable paper what the law is regarding school trustees who neglect to attend to their duties after being elected by the people? I understand there has been great neglect in our village, no business great neglect in our village, no business being done since October on account of the continued absence of two members of the Board? Can they all or any of them be punished for neglect of attending to their duties?

ANTI-FOOLERY.
London West, Jan. 14.

NOTE — Every trustee who refuses of

[Note.-Every trustee who refuses or neglects to perform his duties is liable to a penalty of \$20, under section 251 of the Public School Act.—Editor Advertiser.]

To the Editor of the Advertises:

I see that No. 2 Committee has been duly installed in office for 1890. Perhaps a suggestion from one of the people whom it is that No. 2 of 1890 continue the good work of the same committee of 1889 in the keeping the City Hall a credit to the city and themselves. With the handsome offices which are now contained in it, why should the hall itself be left out? Have any of the members inspected the floor, which has done duty for 30 years? Why, it is an utter disgrace to the whole building. What with nails, knot holes and traps, it is a wonder that accidents don't more often take place in it, and as it is the only hall in the city where dancing parties can be held, and for which it is used by so many of the workingmen's clubs, the city fathers would bring more votes at the polls by having a new floor laid. It may be argued that it is unnecessary, as no one suffers from the present condition. I would only ask any lady who has ever had to spend the evening there how much it cost to repair her dress after a dance? Why, about one-half the cost of the original, is the answer. I would also ask who has to pay this? Why, the father or husband, who can ill afford it. The cost of the original, is the answer. I would also ask who has to pay this? Why, the father or husband, who can ill afford it. The cost of the original, is the answer. I would also ask who has to pay this? Why, the father or husband, who can ill afford it. The cost of the original, is the answer. I would also ask who has to pay this? Why, the father or husband, who can ill afford it. The cost of the original, is the answer. I would also ask who has been the foor the cost of the original, is the answer. I would strongly suggest that a new floor be laid this year, and the good wishes of many hundreds would go forth for No. 2, who so kindly think of their wives and daughters. I am. One of the County Coun To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:
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COUNTY COUNCIL.

The Reeves and Deputy Reeves of

deputy reeves who will represent the county in the next Middlesex County Council: Reeves. Deputy Reeves.

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THE OAR.

It has been decided that the university boat race between Oxford and Cambridge shall take place on April 1 at 11:30.

THE RING.

The glove fight between Myer, of Streator, all, and Harry Gilmore, of Toronto, was stopped by the Chicago police Wednesday night.

The New York World reports John L.

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Weston, at the residence of her son-in-law, and the fact that the carry may have something to do with it.

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Cross-examining Counsel—Now, Mr. Jenkinson—Yes. Counsel—What relation is he? Mr. Jenkinson—My brother. Counsel—But you have told us that he was a distant relative of yours? Mr. Jenkinson—So he is. At present he is in China.

Don't be too late sitting for your Xmas cards, or reserve an hour by telephone, 571. Yet Tafford Campbell and D. P. McEwan, East Williams; John Barrett, West Williams; John Barrett, Copposite McCormick's factory.

TO BE HANGED.

Kane Found Guilty of Murde

TORONTO, Jan. 16.—At the Criminal Assizes yesterday, the trial of Thomas Kane, charged with the murder of his wife in November last, was finished, and Cane was sentenced to be hanged on Feb. 12.

Kane's crime was committed Saturday night, Nov. 16, when he killed his wife while under the influence of liquor. Kane k.cked and beat his wife to death on the Saturday night, and then lay down on a lounge beside the dead body and slept away his debauch, waking up on Sunday to discover the terrible result of his drunken madness. Then he spent the day in drinking. Investigation, first by the neighbors and then by the police, led to the discovery of the deed. Kane meanwhile had fied, but was soon captured.

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