GOSSIP AND MEETINGS GALORE

A GREAT DAY IN THE SPHERE OF SPORTS.

The Toronto Rowing Club Alters its Constitution—Argonauts Enjoy a Jovial Time—Toronto Bicycle Club's Annual Meeting—Toronto Colt Cricketers in Annual Session—Trotting at The Humber—Spots of Sport.

Hurdle racing was initiated at the Guttenburg winter track Saturday. The Toronto horse, Winslow, won over the jumps. But the race was a farce. None of the horses entered could jump over two feet, so they just pushed and struggled over the hurdles as best they could. Winslow was the "good thing" and was allowed to win by the rider of Benefit. The latter's rider, Blakely, was in such deadly fear of falling off that he never let go of his horse's head. Judge Burke, not liking the "tight hold" that Blakely had on Benefit, called the Executive Committee together, who after taking evidence ruled the jockey off.

Betting on a horse race in Canada has seldom or never reached the amount that was at stake in the Carling-Hyman election, when over $40,000 was put up by the local Grits, much of it finding its way to Toronto to be covered. It is said the Hymanites will be down here for the Queen's Plate to get even on Mr. T. D. Hodgins' nominations for that classic event.

Lord and Lady Stanley have both signified their intention of being here for the May meeting of the O.J.C., and will be the guests of the club at the Queen's Hotel. On former occasions Lord Stanley has been alone and has preferred the privacy of his own car at the Union Station, thus involving the O.J.C. in a most undeserved charge of inhospitality.

The annual regatta of the C.A.A.O. is almost certain to be held on Toronto Bay the coming season. Success has attended these events the past two summers at Hamilton and Barrie, and Torontonians will this year show how a real amateur aquatic successful fete is conducted.

Toronto will strive for aquatic honors at the World's Fair. Already the Argonauts are laying plans to secure prominence at Chicago in the senior fours. Messrs. H. Small, Frank Moss, Ed and Harry Senkler will train as juniors this year and row in the C.A.A.O. regatta. They are a likely lot of oarsmen and bid fair to capture junior honors. Should they win it is the intention of the Argonauts to send this quartet to the Windy City exhibition.

The decided opinion among local cricketers is that the Toronto club is altogether too prominent in the Ontario Cricket Association. On the resignation of Rosedale's two representatives that club (Toronto) possesses 11 out of the 15 occupied offices. Vice-President R. H. Stinson, Hamilton, and Committee men A. Gillespie, Hamilton; A. F. R. Martin, Trinity, and D. L. McCarthy, Trinity, are the other four. One of these, Mr. McCarthy, is also a member of the Toronto club. This is the organization that is supposed to represent Canada and choose her international eleven. A wonderfully constituted body of men they would necessarily be did they not favor the Toronto Club. Their natural enthusiasm and admiration of their own men would warrant this. So it is no wonder that many local wielders of the willow have outspoken opinions on the subject. Some Toronto Club men say that the United States cricketers will negotiate with no association other than the O.C.A. If this be the case the T.C.C. should show a sportsmanlike spirit and endeavor to bring about the formation of the proposed new Canadian association, or a complete remodelling of the present institution.

The Horses That Won.

Gloucester: Landseer, Eddie M., Florinure, Barthena, Minnie J., Shakespeare.

Guttenburg: Naps II., Turk II., Smuggler, Dixie, Sir Rae, Innovation.

Trotting At the Humber.

The mile track was in good condition at the Humber yesterday afternoon. Four horses started in the sweepstakes race which was unfinished. Result:

Munshaw	1	2	1
Belle B.	2	1	2
Play Boy	3	3	3
Rylellow	4	4	4

The race will be finished this afternoon. There will also be another sweep for which 8 steppers are entered.

Gossip of The Race Track.

J. J. Burke and C. C. Riley will be the judges at Washington Park, Chicago, this year.

The Buffalo Driving Park Association have opened two $5000 stakes and one stake of $3000, which will be decided at their Grand Circuit meeting.

The $10,000 Merchants' and Manufacturers' Stakes, for horses eligible to the 2.24 trotting class, will again be the feature of the Detroit Blue Ribbon Meeting.

The New York State Trotting Horse Breeders' Association will hold its eighth annual meeting August 16 to 19 at the Hudson River Driving Park, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

Pierre Lorillard has refused to permit the presentation of his name with a view to his election to fill the vacancy in the Board of Control, caused by the death of D. D. Withers.

Potomac will not likely be seen in a race until the season is pretty well advanced. He is looking strong, but the question of his standing training will not be asked for some time yet. The same may be said ofRon, for he, like Potomac, has been fired.

C. W. Williams, secretary of the Independence Driving Park, has written to Budd Doble asking him if he is willing to trot Axtel against Allerton for $10,000 in August

TORONTO ROWING CLUB.

Annual Meeting of The Veteran Rowing Organization.

Canada's veteran rowing club, the Torontos, held their annual meeting last night in their commodious winter quarters, Victoria-street.

President David Roberts was in the chair and the reception room was completely filled with rowing and sculling stalwarts.

The motion, of which notice had been given, to alter the constitution by reducing the number of officers of the club from 15 to 7 members, these to select their own positions, was carried unanimously. Twenty names were balloted on. The seven gentlemen elected held a subsequent meeting and took their offices thusly:

President—D. Roberts.
1st Vice-President—G. S. Ewart.
2nd Vice-President—C. D. Lennox.
Chairman of Committee—T. J. Fitzhenry.
Secretary—F. G. Brown.
Treasurer—James Grandfield.
Captain—P. J. Smyth.

The reports were satisfactory. Mr. Joseph Wright's junior single victory at the N.A.A.O. regatta was eulogised. The junior fours' clever struggle, when they came in second at Barrie in a big field, was also favorably referred to. Votes of thanks were tendered the successful rowers and Messrs. Wright and Ewart happily responded. The returning officers also received a hearty vote of thanks.

The members will begin training in their old York-street quarters as soon as the weather permits, but they must vacate when the C.P.R. demand the location. Then the T.R.C. will begin building operations on the Island or in the Windmill line at the new Bayside Park.

The Argonauts Have a Good Time At Their Annual Dinner.

The Argonaut Rowing Club held their first annual dinner in Webb's last night. There was a large attendance of members, Mariano's band being on hand to discourse sweet music to the merry oarsmen.

The word to commence business was passed round about 8 p.m., and the rowers were speedily engaged in discussing the good things contained in the bill of fare. The menu was excellent and bore witness to the first-class catering of Mr. Webb. After the dinner cigars were lighted and a concert was inaugurated.

The only toast proposed was that of "The Queen," by Col. Sweny, which was received with acclamation. The club was convulsed by the recitations of H. Melville Boddy, whose peculiar style of diction has to be heard to be appreciated. The following gentlemen also contributed to the evening's entertainment: Mr. Lawrence Boyd, song; F. Anglin, song; P. Jarvis, recitation; J. F. Edgar, song. Col. Sweny presided over the festivities with Judge Morson on the right and Captain Sewell on the left. There were about 100 members of the club present and the evening passed off successfully, the jolly rowers appreciating the fun and good humor which pervaded the gathering.

THE TORONTO COLTS.

Their Annual Meeting Last Night—Records and Officers.

The Toronto Cricket Club Colts held their annual meeting last night at the Walker House with Mr. Duncan Cassels in the chair.

Mr. H. Wood, the secretary-treasurer, read his report, showing the club to be in a very satisfactory standing, playing 14 matches, winning seven, losing five and drawing two.

A lengthy and spirited discussion took place as to whether the club should re-enter the Intermediate Association and if so should they do so as "colts." It was finally decided to enter this way, and Messrs. Casey Wood, W. R. Wadsworth and P. A. Manning were appointed to look after the club's interests at the association meetings.

The election of officers for the coming season resulted in the selection of the following:

Hon. President, Mr. Robert Myles; president, Casey Wood; vice-president, A. E. McLaughlin; secretary-treasurer, W. R. Wadsworth, 502 Euclid-avenue; committee, P. A. Manning, Thomas Alison.

Among those present were the following: H. Wood, A. E. McLaughlin, T. H. Alison, Price, Brough, Cassels, Falls, Wadsworth, C. Wood and H. Jones. After a vote of thanks to the retiring officers and to Mr. Wright of the Walker the meeting broke up.

East Toronto Cricket Club.

The East Toronto Cricket Club is about to be canvassed for the necessary amount to obtain the services of a first-class pro. If there is such a man in the country he should apply to Mr. Chandler, 326 Wellesley-street, Toronto.

The annual meeting of this club will be held at 26 Victoria-street on Friday evening next, at 8 o'clock.

THE GRANITES AT PETERBORO.

Beaten by 9 Shots in a 5-Rink Match—The Score Was 89 to 98.

PETERBORO, March 14.—The following is the result in the curling match here to-day between the Granites of Toronto and the Peterboros:

GRANITES:		PETERBORO.	
T. M. Scott.		J. Burnham.	
Hon. A. M. Ross.		W. Salisbury.	
G. H. Gooderham.		T. C. Blackburn.	
T. G. Williamson, skip.	17	R. M. Dennistoun, skip.	22
F. L. Robinson.		R. B. McKee.	
R. C. McIlarrie.		D. Bellegham.	
W. O. Thornton.		J. B. Penland.	
Dr. A. H. Wright, skip.	17	C. McGill, skip.	21
A. Sawers.		L. B. Edwards.	
James Boomer.		J. Connell.	
C. Dempsey.		R. S. Davidson.	
C. H. Edwards, skip.	21	W. G. Ferguson, skip.	15
C. P. Smith.		J. McClelland.	
W. J. McCormick.		W. H. Badden.	
D. L. Van Vlack.		George Brown.	
E. A. Badenach, skip.	17	Sam Ray, skip.	23
James Hedley.		George Edmison.	
G. T. Alexander.		A. McNeil.	
H. W. Williamson.		Sam Clegg.	
W. C. Matthews, skip.	17	T. Rutherford, skip.	17
Total	89	Total	98

Majority for Peterboro', 9 shots.

Coming Curling Matches.

The Caledonians' annual match, President v. Vice-President, takes place next Friday, starting at 7.30.

The Caledonians and Torontos play a four-rink friendly match to-morrow evening, two rinks at Victoria Rink and two in Mutual-street.

DON'T WANT THE CAPITALS.

Ottawa is With Toronto and Montreal in the Lacrosse League.

OTTAWA, March 14.—The Ottawa Lacrosse Club have again leased the Metropolitan grounds from the Ottawa Amateur Athletic Association for next summer.

This is the first and only important public move made in the lacrosse arena as yet.

Just what the directors of the club intend doing at the league convention cannot be ascertained at present, although the opinion prevails that in case of any obstruction to the admission of the Capitals by Montreal and Toronto the club will vote with the latter. Be this as it may the Capitals will be on deck to make a strong fight, and with the assistance of the Cornwalls and Shamrocks they expect to have no difficulty in getting into the league. A member of the executive of the Capitals said that they had made arrangements for the use of the college grounds for another season.

T.B.C.'S ANNUAL.

Officers of the Big Bicycle Club That is Located in Jarvis-street.

The annual meeting of the Toronto Bicycle Club was held last evening in the handsome clubrooms, Jarvis-street, President Lalley in the chair. There was a splendid attendance, showing that the sturdy cyclists have not allowed their enthusiasm to wane in their favorite sport. It was election night and competition in several cases was very keen. The results were:

Secretary, S. J. Schulte; statistical secretary, J. Stanbury; captain, J. Milne; first lieut. ordinaries, C. W. Hurndall; first lieut. safeties, E. A. Scott; second ordinaries, J. Sinclair; second lieut. safeties, Harry Lowe; bugler, E. J. P. Smith; reporter, H. C. Pease; surgeon, Dr. Doolittle; musical director, Harry English; pianist, A. J. Burns; house committee, H. C. Pease, C. T. Coats, J. Wright.

The surgeon, musical director and pianist were returned by acclamation.

A Handsome Bicycle Trophy.

Toronto bicyclists have just received their banner, won in last year's track race with the Wanderers. It is a handsome piece of artistic workmanship of royal blue and gold, suitably lettered. It tells how the Wanderers were conquered and the names of Toronto's victorious five: W. Hyslop, E. J. P. Smith, W. G. McClelland, D. Nasmith and J. H. Palin.

Mitchell and Sullivan.

NEW YORK, March 14.—According to the opinions of several sporting men who know Charlie Mitchell pretty well, he could not be drawn into a prize ring with John L. Sullivan by a locomotive. A card from Mitchell was printed yesterday in The Toronto World, but it was considered here the same old story. James Wakely, one of Sullivan's backers, laughed at it last night.

"Sullivan's money is in the hands of the sporting editor of The World," said he. "Let Mitchell cover it."

Wakely's observation was eloquent.

Probably Sullivan's backers would sacrifice $1000 to get on a match with the Englishman, but they say the case is hopeless and will go right ahead with the Corbett match without wasting time on Mitchell.

Western Y.M.C.A. Kickers.

The Western Y.M.C.A. Football Club has reorganized for the season with the following officers:

President, Mr. C. Charters; captain, J. Read; vice-captain, T. Reid; secretary-treasurer, W. Post, western Y.M.C.A. The secretary would like to hear from intermediate clubs in and about the city.

What the "Boys" Are Doing.

Every man who reads the sporting colums of The World knows whether he is one of the "boys" or not. If you are one of them you must fall in line and ride a bicycle. They are all adopting the wheel for sport, for a business convenience or as a vehicle to carry them from the house to business. The expense will not be great if you get the right machine at the start. Therefore select the "Rudge," imported by H. P. Davies & Co., 81 Yonge-street. 246

Sporting Miscellany.

There will be a meeting of the Varsity Baseball Club executive to-day in the Y.M.C.A. at 4 p.m.

Brango, the wrestling demon of Bremen, Germany, has arrived in New York. He called at The Police Gazette office and issued a challenge to wrestle Ernest Roeber or Sebastian Miller, Graeco-Roman style, for $500 a side. Brango stands 5 feet 11 inches in height and weighs 200 pounds. He has won many matches in France and Germany.

During the practice game of baseball by Capt. Anson's league club at Hot Springs Friday Gumbert, the pitcher, was knocked senseless by a swift ball, which struck him on the head, and for many hours his life was despaired of. He is slowly improving.

MRS. JONES' TRAMP.

The Poor Woman Had a Dreadful Time and Received no Sympathy.

Mr. Jones frequently boasted among his friends that his wife was a woman without nerves, and never had hysterics like some people he could name.

And he was right. Mrs. Jones, as everybody knows, is a sensible, healthy, well-balanced woman with no nonsense about her. She isn't afraid to sit up all night when Jeptha is at the club, and she makes it lively for him when he gets home in the morning. A man who wouldn't appreciate a woman like that isn't a little bit of good.

But Mrs. Jones began to think that perhaps she was a little too self-reliant and helpful, and that Mr. Jones was inclined to shrink those lover-like attentions which had once been the sunshine of her life.

"Too bad about that poor little Mrs. Simson," said Jones the other night as he ate his supper.

"What's the matter with her?" asked Maria coldly.

"Didn't you hear about it? She was alone in the house when a tramp walked in and demanded money, frightening her almost to death."

"Hasn't she sense enough to lock the doors when she's alone?" inquired Mrs. Jones.

"She gave him all the money in the house, and then screamed until the neighbors heard her."

"Why didn't she do her screaming first? I've no patience with such women," continued Mrs. Jones.

"Maria, you must remember that you are different from other women. You can take care of yourself. Mrs. Simson is one of those timid, clinging little creatures who are afraid of their own shadows. When her husband went home he found all the neighbors at the house and his wife in hysterics."

"H'm; a nice kind of a wife that for a man to have."

"Maria, you have no sympathy. You think because you have no nerves that no other woman has any. The majority of women are clinging, timid things, and such an experience frightens them out of all self-control."

Then Mr. Jones took his hat and went down to the office, where he had some work to do, telling his wife to ring him up if anyone dropped in for a game of whist.

Mrs. Jones gave the girl permission to go out; then she locked up the house and sat down to her sewing. She wasn't afraid, nor lonely, nor nervous, but she was thinking.

"Clinging, timid creatures? H'm! I'd like to know what some of them find to cling to. 'Poor little Mrs. Simson.' Endearing diminutives. Evidently Mrs. Simson isn't anybody's fool. I wish I'd clung more. If I were going to be born again, I'd be a clinger next time, and scream if I saw my shadow. What's that?"

It was a sharp, distinct noise in the kitchen. Mrs. Jones did not stand on the order of her going, but went at once. She took her table lamp with her, and as she stepped across the threshold confronted the intruder. Her heart went down into her boots.

"Wretch!" she exclaimed; "how did you get in? You must have been hidden in the house. Oh! m-m-e-r-c-y s-a-v-e-me! help!"

Mr. Jones was sitting in his office hard at work smoking like a factory chimney, when his telephone rung.

"Hello," he called, "who wants me?"

There was a faint and ghostly whisper of "Jeptha."

He rung up and rung up, and at last he made out that Mrs. Jones was in mortal peril and needed his immediate return.

This was something so unusual that it bothered Jones a good deal.

"It can't be the grip," he thought; it wouldn't dare to attack Maria."

He hurried to his house and let himself in with a latch key. Mrs. Jones was in violent hysterics.

"What has happened?" he gasped. "Are you hurt, Maria?"

"No, o-n-l-y frightened," gasped Mrs. Jones, swooning at sight of him.

He ran for the camphor, but found a bottle of alcohol instead and applied it liberally. In a few moments Maria began to scream, all the time clinging convulsively to Mr. Jones.

"Don't claw me so," he said, jerking his coat from her hands. "I thought you had more sense than to go into fits over anything. What was it, anyhow—the tramp?"

"Mercy, no! Worse, a thousand times worse," said Mrs. Jones, feebly resuming the perpendicular.

"Burglars?"

"Worse than burglars."

"It wasn't a ghost, was it?" asked Jones, looking behind him.

"Oh, no, Mr. Jones, you don't think a ghost would have frightened me. No, it was a great, awful m-o-u-s-e!"

In view of what followed, Mrs. Jones thinks she will never try the clinging act again. She says she never listened to such language in her life.

Louis Hermsdorf.

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DUEL OF THE GIRAFFES.

VIVID DESCRIPTION OF A DESPERATE BATTLE FOR LEADERSHIP.

A Scene That Almost Baffles Telling—Two Mature Bulls Fight Open-Mouthed, Roaring Viciously, and Neck and Neck—The Pathetic End.

To the south and eastward of Lobengula's capital is situated Macalaca Land. It was conquered by that doughty monarch's father, Mosilikatze, and still remains subservient to the Matabeles. The approximate position of my camp at the time I witnessed the scene I will endeavor to describe was latitude 21° south, longitude 32° east.

The country surrounding me was marvelously attractive, although only sand very sparsely covered with bush, therefore totally useless for agricultural or pastoral purposes, but through the flat veldt's surface, at irregular intervals, rose copjes of immense blocks of stone, piled one upon the other, that resembled the debris that might have been left after Titans had built a gigantic city or mammoth fortification. These eruptions from beneath the earth's surface were covered with parasitic plants, decorated with most attractive fruit or gorgeous blossoms. A species of aloe, too, was numerous, the upright stem which bears its flower having a very striking resemblance to civilization's unsightly telegraph poles.

This country is not destitute of water, as is attested by the numbers of baboons, monkeys, and leopards that frequent the copjes, and the antelopes, zebras, and guinea fowl that wander over the flats. Possibly the indigenous Bushmen know where to find this necessity of life, but these astute savages carefully concealed their secret from me and my people. I was riding slowly along admiring the beautiful colors of this distant landscape. In close attendance was my Massara guide. My reverie was broken by an unknown sound, which echoed and re-echoed from the surrounding crags. It was not the honest bark of the baboon, or the reverberating voice of the lion, or the hyena's discordant laugh, but a combination of all of them, uttered in quick, successive gasps. On inquiry from my follower, he informed me that kameels (giraffes) were the originators of the unknown sound. The Masara begged me to follow him. This I did, and so became witness of one of the most extraordinary sights in wild life that I had ever seen. Those who have dwelt in the distant East have doubtlessly seen male camels fight and noted with what obstinacy, power, and viciousness they try to maim or disable one another; how they shriek with rage over each advantage that they obtain, and yell with pain when they are severely hurt. A giraffe duel much resembles a camel's, as will be seen from what I proceed to state.

The rivals were not well matched—the taller was out of condition and very old; the other was in splendid form and in the prime of life. I concluded that a fight was imminent, and had no difficulty in deciding which would be the victor. They roared in unison, as if each were trying to drown the other's voice; sometimes this would cease for a few moments and then begin again with renewed strength.

Presently the belligerents came within a few yards of each other. Then commenced a scene that baffles all description. Some people might call it ludicrous; it was far more, it was side splitting, and, but for my desire to see the end, I must have given way to convulsions of laughter. Although the giraffe possesses a certain beauty when at rest, it loses its grace when in motion, and the greater its speed the more ungainly does it appear. But when two mature bulls begin to waltz and dance violently around each other, each endeavoring to outdo the other in agility, at the same time mumbling their jaws and emitting fearfully discordant roars, it is certainly one of the most absurd sights human eye ever looked upon. I have often seen a crane dance—a function common enough north of the Vaal River; it is more than funny—it is ridiculous—but cannot for an instant be compared to the antics of these two mammoth brutes. Their great height added to the grotesqueness of their behavior; but even if the beasts had been no bigger than goats or sheep, the absurd manner in which they swung about their feet, contorted their bodies, and swayed their heads must have moved the most phlegmatic.

We lay hidden and quiet while the rivals were getting closer and closer to each other; at length, when they were nearly within striking distance, simultaneously each dropped upon his knees and commenced to twist and twine his long neck about that of the other, with the evident purpose of seizing his adversary's throat. This lasted several minutes, but both were "skilled of fence," and ultimately relinquished this style of fighting and adopted other tactics. They began rearing as if to bear each other down, their mouths all the time open to grip if opportunity occurred. At length the violent exercise began to tell upon the elder beast; he made some mistake in a parry, and the younger seized with his teeth the foot of the veteran, who in return laid hold of his opponent's ear. For some moments there was a pause. It was very brief, and then the struggle was renewed. With a gigantic effort the younger giraffe threw the old hero upon his haunches. He looked very much as if he had played his last card, but there was pluck in his aged heart yet, though the battle was not for him; years told against him, and victory lay with the youngster, who celebrated it by trying to drag the vanquished after him. This operation must have been painful, for the shrieks that the defeated warrior uttered were heartrending.

After a final worry the hero of the hour walked off, mobbed the two harems of ladies together, and, willingly followed by all, took the lead. Not one of the zenana of the fallen chief turned the head for an instant to see what had become of him. I fear it is much the same among our own race as it is among the inferior animals.

The veteran tried finally to pull himself together, but he was dreadfully knocked about, as well as very lame. With anxious eyes he gazed in the direction the herd had taken, possibly wishing to follow, or with a hope that one of his wives at least would return to him. Not so; the poor old fellow was doomed to disappointment and appeared to realize that he was deserted. The life before him I knew would be one of misery, therefore what better could I do but raise my rifle, glance along my sight, and send a bullet through his heart? It was a sad alternative, but after all I think it was humane.—London Graphic.

Snow Balls.

India has a priest who is drawing a pension and is in his 152nd year.

They probably call the sea treacherous because it beats the banks.

AMUSEMENTS.

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MEETINGS.

A. O. U. W.—EMERGENCY MEETING the above lodge are requested to meet at their lodge room, corner Queen and Dundas-street, on Wednesday, the 16th inst., at 1.30 p.m. sharp, to attend the funeral of our late Brother Alexander Summers, from 112 Bellevue-avenue. Members of sister lodges are cordially invited to attend. By order, Thomas Wilson, M.W.; M. W. Devane, P.M., recorder.

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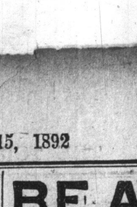

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