ANOTHER ONE-RUN DEFEAT

Providence Got Away With the Islanders to the Tune of Five to Four in a Good Game.

FIFTEEN SAFE HITS OFF HOOKER.

Visitors Worked in Double Plays to Good Effect—No Errors for Toronto.

Montreal and Syracuse went down with Toronto yesterday, and the Islanders are just as safe as ever in seventh place. Good crowds continue to turn out at the Island, and they see close enough games at that, if the result would only go the other way. Williams and Roy Evans will be the opposing pitchers to-day. Manager Barrow expects Wagner will be here in time to play. The record:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Providence	53	33	.616
Rochester	47	34	.581
Hartford	41	38	.519
Worcester	40	38	.515
Springfield	40	41	.494
Montreal	36	43	.455
Toronto	36	47	.434
Syracuse	32	51	.386

Games to-day: Providence at Toronto; Springfield at Montreal; Worcester at Rochester; Hartford at Syracuse.

Providence 5, Toronto 4.

Yesterday's defeat at the Island was Toronto's forty-seventh of the season, the twenty-second by one run, and the eighth out of nine by Providence. The leaders started to show up the occupants of seventh place at the outset, and then Toronto gradually drew level, thru fair hitting and the cleanest kind of fielding. Murray's men won by virtue of four double-plays, worked in at opportune moments.

The fans were treated to a splendid exhibition of hard hitting by both sides. Hooker and Dunkle had almost perfect control, only passing one each down to first. Providence was ahead on hitting, both in long drives and singles, but piled up five good old-time fielding errors. Davis led with the ash—two singles, a double and a triple. Connor had four singles out of five chances, while, on the other side, Grey cracked out a clean hit each of his four times up.

Umpire Rinn needed another day for repairs, and two players officiated, giving fair satisfaction.

After Walters batted a grounder to pitcher, Connor, Cassidy, Davis and Stafford hit safely, the second last being a double, all for three runs. Cassidy's single, a triple by Davis and Stafford's safe hit account for the pair in the eighth.

Parent's fumble, Clymer's single and a fly scored Toronto's first. Singles by Tom Bannon and Grey and Dunkle's overthrow to first tallied one in the third, and a single by Bemis, a force out, Clymer's steal, Leahy's centre-field throw, and Bruce's safe hit tied the score.

The Islanders had all four of the cleanest kind of singles, with two stolen bases and another throw to centre-field by Leahy in the eighth, but only one run, a double-play spoiling the prolific looking innings. Score:

Providence—	A.	B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Walters, c.f.	5	0	1	2	0	0	0
Connor, 2b.	5	1	4	4	3	1	0
Cassidy, 1b.	5	2	2	8	0	0	0
Davis, l.f.	5	2	2	3	1	0	0
Stafford, c.f.	4	0	2	1	0	0	0
Parent, s.s.	3	0	0	4	4	0	1
Smith, 3b.	4	0	0	2	0	0	0
Leahy, c.	4	0	0	1	2	1	2
Dunkle, p.	4	0	1	1	2	1	0
Totals	38	5	15	27	9	3	3

Toronto—	A.	B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
J. Bannon, c.f.	5	0	0	1	0	0	0
T. Bannon, r.f.	4	2	2	2	0	0	0
Grey, l.f.	4	0	4	3	0	0	0
Carr, 1b.	4	0	0	8	0	0	0
Lynch, 2b.	4	0	1	2	2	0	0
Bemis, c.	4	0	2	4	4	0	0
Clymer, s.s.	4	1	1	5	2	0	0
Bruce, 3b.	4	0	1	2	1	0	0
Hooker, p.	4	0	0	0	6	0	0
*Williams	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	4	11	27	13	0	0

*Batted for Hooker in ninth.

Providence	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	5
Toronto	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	4

Two-base hits—Davis, Leahy. Three-base hit—Davis. Stolen bases—Davis, Stafford 2. Tom Bannon, Bemis, Clymer. Double-plays—Parent to Connor to Cassidy (2); Connor to Cassidy; Parent to Cassidy. Left on bases—Providence 7, Toronto 6. Time—1.50. Umpires—Roach and Friend.

Montreal Stays With Toronto.

Montreal, July 31.—Two errors by Johnson and a single filled the bases in the eighth inning. Then Tucker hit for three bags, scoring himself on Toft's single. Montreal bunched hits on Bannon in the second, but after that could do but little with him. Score:

Springfield—	A.	B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Cargo, ss.	4	0	1	2	3	1	
Knoll, cf.	5	1	1	2	0	0	
Eustace, 3b.	5	0	0	1	1	1	
Dolan, rf.	5	1	1	2	0	0	
Schoch, lf.	4	1	0	3	0	0	
Curley, 2b.	3	0	2	0	2	0	
Tucker, 1b.	4	1	1	1	0	0	
Toft, c.	4	0	1	11	1	0	
Bannon, p.	3	0	1	0	2	0	
Totals	37	4	8	27	9	2	

Montreal—	A.	B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Odwell, cf.	5	0	2	4	0	0	
Henry, 3b.	4	0	0	1	3	0	
Delehanty, 2b.	3	0	0	4	1	0	
Lessphere, 1b.	4	0	0	2	0	0	
Dooley, lb.	4	2	2	8	2	0	
Moran, rf.	4	0	2	1	0	0	
Johnson, ss.	4	1	1	2	2	2	
Phelps, c.	4	0	1	3	0	0	
Souders, p.	3	0	0	2	2	0	
*Raub	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	36	3	8	27	10	2	

*Batted for Souders in ninth.

Springfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	
Montreal	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	

Two-base hits—Odwell, Moran. Three-base hits—Tucker, Phelps. Bases on balls—Off Bannon 1 off Souders 2. Struck out—By Bannon 5, by Souders 2. Hit by pitcher—Curley. Left on bases—Montreal 7, Springfield 6. Time—2.10. Umpire—O'Neil.

London's Time to Win.

Hamilton, July 31.—(Special.)—Hamilton played poor ball to-day, and London won handily. The base-running of the locals was wretched and the fielding poor. The London team made three runs in the second inning without making a hit. The score:

London—	A.	B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Radcliffe, s.s.	4	1	2	0	6	0	
Mohler, 2b.	3	0	0	5	2	0	
Hemphill, r.f.	4	2	1	1	1	0	
Hart, 1b.	4	0	2	13	1	0	
Jones, l.f.	4	0	1	1	0	0	
Reid, c.f.	5	1	2	4	0	0	
Lohman, c.	3	1	1	3	1	0	
Cope, 3b.	3	0	0	0	3	1	
Thompson, p.	4	1	2	0	0	1	
Totals	34	6	11	27	17	1	

Hamilton—	A.	B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Sheehan, s.s.	4	0	1	2	5	0	
Cockman, 2b.	4	2	2	3	2	2	
McKevitt, r.f.	3	1	1	0	0	0	
McAndrews, 3b.	3	0	2	2	2	0	
Doran, 1b.	4	0	0	9	0	0	
Buege, c.f.	3	0	1	2	1	0	
Bradford, l.f.	4	0	0	3	0	1	
Conwell, c.	4	0	1	5	0	3	
Freeland, p.	4	0	0	2	1	0	
Totals	33	2	8	27	12	6	

London	1	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	6
Hamilton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2

Two-base hits—Lohman, McKevitt, Conwell. Sacrifice hits—Radcliffe, Mohler, Jones, McKevitt. Stolen bases—Mohler, Hemphill 2, Hart, Jones 2, Thompson. First on balls—By Thompson 2, by Freeland 3. Hit by pitcher—By Freeland 2. Struck out—By Thompson 1, by Freeland 2. Double-play—Hart to Lohman. Left on bases—London 10, Hamilton 7. Umpire—F. W. Popkay. Time—1.35.

Hartford and Rochester.

At Syracuse—									R.	H.	E.
Syracuse	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	6	3
Hartford	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	3	6	9	3

Batteries—Bishop and Messitt; Donovan and Steelman. Umpire—Hunt.

At Rochester—									R.	H.	E.
Worcester	1	0	0	2	3	0	1	0	7	9	0
Rochester	3	0	0	2	1	0	0	*	8	9	6

Batteries—Klobedanz and Kittridge; Murphy and Dixon. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

National League Scores.

At Boston—										R.	H.	E.
Boston	0	1	5	1	1	2	1	0	*	11	12	5
Cincinnati	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	3	—	7	10	1

Batteries—Lewis and Cuppy; Breitenstein, Hahn and Kahoe.

At Brooklyn—										R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	5	1	4	2	0	2	0	3	0	17	26	1
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—	1	5	5

Batteries—Tannehill and Zimmer; Kennedy, Nops, Howell and McGuire.

At Philadelphia—									R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	1	0	5	0	0	0	4	1	—	11	16	1
Philadelphia	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	4	7	8

Batteries—Jones and Criger; Donahue, Fraser and McFarland.

At New York—										R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0—	4	11	2
New York	0	0	4	0	3	1	1	0	*—	9	18	4

Batteries—Garvin and Chance; Mercer, Warner and Bowerman.

American League Scores.

At Kansas City—Kansas City 6, Cleveland 5.

At Milwaukee—Milwaukee 5, Detroit 7.

At Minneapolis—Minneapolis 10, Buffalo 0.

At Chicago—Chicago 1, Indianapolis 0.

Baseball Brevities.

Springfield has signed George Bannon of Oswego and released McBride.

The Lansdowne Stars would like to arrange a game with any juvenile baseball club, average age 14 years. Address Geo. Sheitz, 1326 West Bloor-street.

The Young Columbians would like to arrange a game with any team in the city, average age 13 years, Osgoodes preferred. Address J. O'Hearn, 3 D'Arcy-street.

Flick of Philadelphia has secured a long lead in batting. He now leads the National League with the good average of .418, his nearest rival, Lajoie, also of Philadelphia, having only .386.

Manager Burns of Springfield is playing Cargo of Oswego at short in place of Frankie Shannon, who is laid up. Cargo has been the star shortstop of the State League for three years.

There are more amateur baseball teams in Toronto this year than ever before, which goes to show that the popularity of the game is on the increase. The Toronto Senior League is meeting with pronounced success, and well deserves the large crowd attending the games. The class of ball put up by the five teams in the league is of the highest order, and every win is a hard-earned victory. The cream of amateur ball-tossers has been gathered in by the various teams, and are so distributed as to make the games close and exciting.

The Gore Vales would like to arrange a game with the Dundas Stars or Parkdale Willows for July 4, average age 14 years. W. Ney, 55 Claremont-street.

McFADDEN AFTER CHAMPION ERNE.

Defeat of O'Brien Was Most Decisive and a Most Vicious Battle All the Way.

George McFadden earned the right last night to meet Frank Erne for the lightweight championship. McFadden fairly vanquished Jack O'Brien in the Madison Square Garden before a big crowd, the end coming just as the men came to the centre of the ring for the 13th round, says the Sun. Expert of The N.Y. Sun. In the twelfth O'Brien was knocked down by a terrific right-hand swing over the heart. The blow fractured a rib and made O'Brien so completely helpless that it would have been folly for him to continue. Up to that point it was a fast, gruelling battle, in which both men had a chance.

Barring McFadden's rough tactics, for which he was repeatedly warned by Referee Charley White, he put up a better fight than at any previous time in his ring career. He was stronger physically than O'Brien, forced the fight incessantly and whenever he landed a blow it had power enough to hurt. O'Brien handled his men with cleverness, but he was not his match when it came to ruggedness and roughing. He did not begin to fight in his usual style until the battle was well under way, and when he cut loose he did not have steam enough in his blows to seriously affect his muscular antagonist.

McFadden got in the blows that helped to do the trick with perfect fairness. It was a round-armed right-hander that got under O'Brien's guard and landed with remarkable force on the left side. It was such a hard smash that O'Brien sank down immediately. Jack got up with gameness, but he was hopelessly beaten. Twice more McFadden put him down with smashes in the same place, and when the round closed O'Brien was unable to walk.

Though the fight was really finished when the twelfth round ended, it was not over technically until O'Brien declined to go on after the bell had started the thirteenth round.

McFadden will fight Erne or anybody for the lightweight championship, or if McGovern challenges him under certain conditions he will take Terry on. O'Brien's star has not set by any means. But in this case he met his master.

Dixon Again Beaten.

New York, July 31.—George Dixon, in a fight with Tommy Sullivan, before the Seaside Sporting Club, at Coney Island, tonight, was obliged to quit at the seventh round, having sustained a compound fracture of the left arm. The men fought at 122 pounds. The betting was 2 to 1 on Dixon, and on his defeat considerable money changed hands. Dixon began to suffer from the middle of the fifth round. Sullivan repeatedly dealt his punishing blows on the body. The contest was a fast one, and was marked by much infighting. By the end of the sixth round Dixon was not a little weakened, and it was the general opinion that he was beaten. Sullivan's victory was greeted with much cheering.

Corbett and Kid McCoy.

New York, July 31.—Jim Corbett and Kid McCoy are matched to fight a 25-round bout at Madison Square Garden on the evening of Aug. 30. Charley White will be the referee, straight Marquis of Queensberry rules will govern the fight and the men will be allowed to use bandages if they wish. They will contest for 60 per cent. of the gross receipts, of which 70 per cent. will go to the winner's. The match was soon agreed upon at a meeting of the fighters and their managers this afternoon. The only hitch was in regard to bandages, McCoy complying with Corbett's wish that their use be allowed. McCoy started to-night for Saratoga, where he will train. Corbett will probably go into training at Asbury Park.

TORONTO EXPERTS AT MONTREAL

Opening Day of Province of Quebec Lawn Tennis Tournament—Results.

Montreal, July 31.—The Province of Quebec lawn tennis tournament opened here to-day on the lawn tennis courts. The tournament is being participated in by Toronto and Montreal cracks. The results of the first day's play were as follows:

Singles—W. A. Boys, Barrie, beat Redford, Montreal, 6—0, 6—2; Meldrum, Toronto, beat Porter, Montreal, 4—6, 6—3, 6—4; Hackstaff, Montreal, beat Paterson, Toronto, 6—2, 4—6, 9—7; MacMaster, Toronto, beat Ross, Montreal, 8—6, 6—2; Mackenzie, Montreal, beat Smythe, Montreal, 6—2, 6—1.

Handicap—Paterson, Toronto, beat Carter Montreal, 6—4, 6—4; Fisher, Montreal, beat Meldrum, Toronto, 8—6, 1—6, 8—6, 6—2; Boys, Barrie, beat Fisher, Montreal, 6—0, 6—3; Foster, Montreal, beat MacMaster, Toronto, 6—4, 6—4.

Berlin in the Second Round.

The final match in the Ontario Lawn Tennis League series between Berlin and Waterloo was played Monday, resulting in a victory for the Berlin team, which places Berlin in the second round in the contest for the championship of Ontario. The score was as follows:

Singles—Bowlby (Berlin) beat Saunders (Waterloo), 6—0, 4—6, 6—0; Sims (Berlin), beat Ruby (Waterloo), 6—1, 6—1; Gower (Berlin), beat Krentziger (Waterloo), 7—5, 3—6, 6—4; Hendry (Waterloo), beat Bell (Berlin), 6—1, 6—2.

Doubles—Bowlby and Sims (B), beat Saunders and Ruby (W), 6—3, 6—4; Hendry and Krentziger (W), beat Bell and Gower (B.), 8—10, 9—7, 6—1.

Granites Won by 15 Shots.

A friendly match was played between the Victorias and Granites yesterday afternoon on the lawn of the former. The following is the score:

Granite—		Victoria—	
W H Lowe,		C Elliott,	
A B Lee,		J Stevens,	
M Morris,		A Webster,	
H W Flitton, skip.	16	E C Hill, skip.	15
W Gooderham,		E P Beatty,	
W H Halford,		E A Taylor,	
W J McMurtry,		T Edmonds,	
G R Hargraft, sk.	17	J B O'Brian, sk.	25
F Simpson,		W T Blackwell,	
H C Webster,		W F Davidson,	
W H Ricksdall,		F J Gluckmeyer,	
R W Spence, skip.	23	Dr Millman, skip.	11
J H Hedley,		W W Wood,	
A Smith,		John Bain,	
G Henry,		J Mathewson,	
Wm Ross, skip.	14	W B Smith, skip.	19
Dr Richardson,		A J Taylor,	
Spencer Love,		H A Drummond,	
L A Williams,		W A Hargreaves,	
J Baird, skip.	23	Dr Gordon, skip.	17
A G F Lawrence,		H J Coleman,	
A R Creelman,		A J Williams,	
T M Scott,		W Worthington,	
C C Dalton, skip.	26	C Swabey, skip.	20
Total	119	Total	104

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SARATOGA OPENING TO-DAY

Congress Hall Stake Feature of the Card and Commando Should Land the Coin.

KILMARNOCK'S WONDERFUL TRIAL.

Big Crowd Attracted by Open Betting Ring at Detroit—Results and Entries.

Saratoga, July 31.—The Saratoga meeting will begin to-morrow, and the feature of the card on the opening day is the Congress Hall Stake. With Commando a probable starter it is hardly worth while looking elsewhere for the winner. The Grand Union Hotel Stake, value $12,000, is set for Saturday.

On Monday there was a wonderful trial at the track here, when Kilmarnock worked off two and a quarter miles in 3.55¼, with 112 pounds in the saddle, George Odom rider. In an interview with J. E. Madden, he said that he thought the Brighton Cup, to be run for Saturday at Brighton, a moral certainty for Kilmarnock, Sidney Lucas being the most dangerous.

Saratoga entries: First race, ⅝ mile—Kinnikinnic 117, Lieber Karl, Maximo Gomez, Gibraltar 116, Prince Florist 113, Mayor Gilroy, Rush, H. R. Highness, Mr. Jersey 111, MacFlecknoe 108, Cupidity, Sweet Tooth 98.

Second race, 1 mile, selling—Villa V. 103, Carbuncle 109, Peaceful 107, Fleuron, Unsightly 103, Candia 89, The Provost 110.

Third race, ⅝ mile, Congress Hall Stakes—Bonnibert 129, Elkhorn, Dublin 126, Alard Scheck 122, Fay Rockaway 114, Hardvice, Lansman, Idleways, Beau Ormonde, Margraviate, Termless 104, Mingate 101.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Bannockburn 126, Maximo Gomez 123, First Whip 116, MacLeod of Dare 112, Laverock 107, Peaceful 101, Montanic 99.

Fifth race, ⅝ mile—Salary, Ondurdis 109, Miss Daniels 103, Sweepstakes, Goddess of Night, Juniper, Amorita 99.

Big Crowd at Detroit.

Detroit, July 31.—The attendance at Highland Park this afternoon was the largest since the opening day. The track was at its best. Favorites and second choices won all but the first race. John Yerkes won the feature race at a mile. He was much the best, and after being cut off a couple of times came with a rush when he found an opening in the final furlong, and won cleverly by a length.

First race, 7 furlongs—Tortugas, 107 (A. Weber), 8 to 1, 1; Mouzeltoff, 105 (Laudry), 3 to 1, 2; Salvado, 113 (Powers), 2 to 1, 3. Time 1.29¾. Mark Hanna, Silence, Viola K., Mound Builder, Zellmore and Minch also ran.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Donna Sean, 116 (Postel), 5 to 2, 1; Compass, 105 (Laundry), 3 to 1, 2; Annie Chamberlain, 105 (Hoss), 9 to 2, 3. Time 1.02. Gray Dolly, Bard of Avon, Quebo, Reluctant and Badge Bell also ran.

Third race, 1⅛ miles—Kitty Regent, 93 (A. Weber), 3 to 1, 1; Captive, 113 (Powers), 8 to 1, 2; Erwin, 100 (J. Martin), 4 to 5, 3. Time 1.55. A Winner, Poorinate, Martland II, and George Krats also ran.

Fourth race, mile—John Yerkes, 109 (Hoss), 3 to 5, 1; The Heretic, 86 (L. Daly), 4 to 1, 2; Handicapper, 97 (J. Martin), 3 to 1, 3. Time 1.41. Free Lance also ran.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs—Clipsetta, 96 (Thompson), 2 to 1, 1; Our Lizzie, 101 (E. Wilson), 7 to 5, 2; Left Rower, 105 (J. Daly), 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.30. Sir Florian, Redmond, Cable Cliff, In the Push and Bonnivard also ran.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs—McGrathiana Prince 109 (McQuade), even, 1; Jucoma, 103 (Irwin), 6 to 1, 2; Stites, 105, 3 to 1, 3. Time 1.29¾. Belfield, Lottie Sheville, Allowan and Lizzie McCarthy also ran.

Jack Carey Fell at Windsor.

Windsor, July 31.—Weather fine; track fair; attendance fair. Results:

First race, 7 furlongs—The Lady, 109 (Bergen), 10 to 4, 1; Master Mariner, 109 (Henderson), 8 to 1, 2; Expelled, 104 (Hilton), 10 to 2, 3. Time 1.28. Olive Order, Rathlin, Northumberland, Utopia also ran.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Golden Harvest, 110 (Robertson), 7 to 1, 1; Queen Victoria, 95 (C. Murphy), 20 to 1, 2; Little Harry, 110 (Hennessy), 5 to 1, 3. Time 1.02¾. Lena Benton, Maggie Young, Regina Lee, Sympated, Sandy, Xerxes Belle also ran.

Third race, 1 mile, selling—Millie M., 109 (J. Lynch), 20 to 1, 1; Prince Zeno, 111 (M. Kelly), 8 to 1, 2; Cousin Lotty, 107 (Linn), 11 to 5, 3. Time 1.42¼. Albert R., Outburst, Royal Poinciana, Helen H. II., Rotha, Marion Sanson, Covington, Ky., Mongolina, Title, B. G. Fox, George B. Cox also ran. Jack Carey fell.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles, handicap—Clara Wooley 94 (Hicks), 2 to 1, 1; Earl Fonso, 90 (L. Hall), 7 to 1, 2; Regulie, 114 (Hilton), 11 to 5, 3. Time 1.47½. Thomas Carey, Beau Ideal also ran.

Fifth race, steeplechase, short course—Tolstoi, 135 (Wilson), 5 to 1, 1; Lord Dreadnode, 144 (C. Brown), 3 to 1, 2; Last Fellow, 153 (Ellison), 15 to 1, 3. Time 3.01. Nicholas also ran. Jack Carey fell.

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—King Elkwood, 111 (Robertson), 3 to 1, 1; Ollie Donnelly, 111 (Hilton), 6 to 1, 2; Prince of India, 114 (W. Valentine), 6 to 1, 3. Time 1.43. Miss Patron, Al Caskey, Old Fox, Allie Belle, Tony Honing, Miss Hudson, Violent also ran.

Good Sport at Brighton Beach.

New York, July 31.—Everything was conducive to good sport at Brighton Beach today. An unusually good card was decided, which included two fixtures. In the Distaff Stakes for 2-year-old fillies at 5½ furlongs, Alice Orienta and Cherries alternated in the lead to the head of the stretch, never being more than necks apart, while Janice was fourth, two lengths back. Bullman closed with her when straightened for home, and, coming on, won cleverly by a length and a half. All Saints and Agnes D. also sprurted past the three pacesetters and fought it out for the place, finishing as named, heads apart.

First race, 5 furlongs, selling—The Brother (Ross), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, 1; Cogswell, 102 (Howell), 3 to 1 and 6 to 5, 2; Edgefield, 102 (McIoyne), 3 to 1 and 6 to 5, 3. Time 1.03 2-5. Frank Hall, Dangerfield, Glinki, Jennie Knight, Kaseed, Favoritette and The Irish Boy also ran.

Second race, 6 furlongs, selling—Mercer, 103 (Mitchell), 7 to 2 and 6 to 5, 1; Harry Monroe, 105 (McIoyne), 8 to 5 and 3 to 1, 2; Fluke, 106 (Bullman), 9 to 5 and 7 to 10, 3. Time 1.15. Hansborough, Eileen Daly, Tourney, Quindonia, Ceylon, Dick Furber and Dan Regan also ran.

Third race, The Distaff Stakes, 5½ furlongs—Janice, 109 (Bullman), 2 to 1 and 1 to 2, 1; All Saints, 100 (Spencer), 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, 2; Agnes D., 100 (Jenkins), 2 to 1 and 6 to 5, 3. Time 1.08 4-5. Helen O'C., Orienta and Cherries also ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile, selling—Bettie Gray, 108 (Henry), 1 to 2 and out, 1; Brigade, 111 (T. Burns), 11 to 5 and 2 to 5, 2; Exit, 103 (Mitchell), 15 to 1 and 2 to 1, 3. Time 1.42. Decimal and Tip Gallant also ran.

Fifth race, The Flight Handicap, 6 furlongs—Meehanus, 106 (Henry), 13 to 5 and 2 to 5, 1; Helloba, 127 (Jenkins), 13 to 5 and 9 to 10, 2; Lady Uncas, 88 (Rausch), 10 to 1 and 3 to 1, 3. Time 1.13 4-5. Firearm, Modrine and Kitchener also ran.

Sixth race, 1⅛ miles—Decanter, 110 (Turner), 1 to 4 and out, 1; Blue Away, 110 (Bullman), 3 to 1 and out, 2. Time 1.54. Two starters.

Chicago's Sensational Finish.

Chicago, July 31.—Limelight, Lomond and Guess Me furnished a sensational finish in the fourth race at Hawthorne to-day, and it required the closest scrutiny on the part of the judges to separate them. They were finally placed in the order named.

First race, 6 furlongs—Bugaboo, 103 (Walsh), 9 to 2, 1; Woodstick, 100 (Rose), 20 to 1, 2; Fondo, 106 (Winfield), 11 to 2, 3. Time 1.16¾. Grandon, Omdurman, Hurly, Al Brown, Janewood and Simmonswald also ran.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Marsara, 107 (Matthews), 10 to 1, 1; Goebel, 95 (Dupee), 5 to 1, 2; Gnomastus, 112 (Knight), 8 to 5, 3. Time 1.14½. Mountebank, Gold Ore, Algaretta and Little Jack Horner also ran.

Third race, 5 furlongs—Fancywood, 115 (Winkfield), 3 to 2, 1; Barbara M., 112 (Rose), 6 to 1, 2; Regea, 112 (Bradford), 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.01¾. Bounie Lissak, Fairy Day, Miniera, Wallie Water, Alone, Form, Lemnos and Cast Anchor also ran.

Fourth race, 7 furlongs—Limelight, 100 (Knight), 3 to 1, 1; Lomond, 105 (Kiley), 10 to 1, 2; Guess Me, 103 (J. Carter), 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.28¼. Barney F., Repay, Talma, Brown Veil, Sir Kenneth, Bettie R., Loyaletta, Miss Ross also ran. Balk Line left at post.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—Alcedo, 115 (Winkfield), 9 to 10, 1; The Unknown, 105 (Walsh), 7 to 1, 2; Scarlet Lily, 100 (Knight), 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.46½. Florizar, Greenock and Satan also ran.

Sixth race, 1⅛ miles—Cogmoosie, 100 (Knight), 13 to 5, 1; Vincennes, 95 (Waldo), the Acmes by 4 goals to 1. The team for the winners was: Newby, Cliff, Wickens, Mason, Madill, Selby, Watson, Stollery, Adamson, London, Dayman, Cowan. This team will likely land the pennant at Rosedale.

Weston Wins at Niagara.

A friendly match of two rinks was played at the Queen's Royal on Monday between the Niagara Bowling Club and the Heathers of Weston, resulting in a victory for the latter by eight shots.

Weston—		Niagara—	
T J Maguire,		W Hosteller,	
D F Maguire,		J Bernard,	
L H Mercer,		H Anderson,	
E J May, skip	23	D Moore, skip	19
J S James,		F G Garrett,	
Joe Barker,		G Gibson,	
R H Leighton		W Lansing,	
T E Elliott, skip	21	P Burns, skip	17
Total	44	Total	36

Venezuela's New Cabinet.

Caracas, via Haytien cable, July 31.—The following is the constitution of the new Cabinet officially gazetted to-day:

Minister of the Interior, Cabrera Malo; Minister of War, Gen. J. Pulido; Minister of Foreign Affairs, Eduardo Blanch; Minister of Finance, Tello Mendoza; Minister of Public Works, Senhor Otanes; Minister of Commerce, Senhor Ayala; Minister of Public Instruction, Felix Quintero.

Mail Service to Blame.

Ottawa, July 31.—Relatives of members of the Canadian contingents in Africa having made anxious inquiries as to why letters have not been received, the officer commanding the militia cabled to Col. Otter, asking the cause of delay. Col. Otter replies that he can only attribute it to failure of the mail service.

Increased Customs Revenue.

Ottawa, July 31.—The customs revenue for July amounted to $2,414,771, an increase of $461,098 over the same month last year.

TOURING CRICKETERS WIN AND LOSE

Orillia Badly Beaten at Rosedale, While Uxbridge Won From St. Cyprian's.

The touring Orillia cricketers played their opening game in the city yesterday at Rosedale, losing to the combination eleven by 113 runs. For Toronto-Rosedale the majority went well into double figures. Score:

—Orillia—First Inning.—

Short, b Forrester	2
Doolittle, lbw Baldwin	7
Thompson, c and b Forrester	2
Grant, b W. H. Cooper	17
Westcott, not out	15
Harvie, b W. H. Cooper	3
Leacock, b W. H. Cooper	3
Cole, b W. H. Cooper	0
Corbould, c Beatty, b Forrester	3
Toogood, b W. H. Cooper	0
Snelgrove, b W. H. Cooper	1
Extras	10
Total	61

—Second Inning.—

Short, b Livingston	10
Doolittle, not out	22
Thompson, did not bat	0
Grant, b Livingston	2
Westcott, did not bat	0
Harvie, b Livingston	6
Leacock, not out	4
Cole, b Pullen	0
Corbould, c and b Pullen	1
Toogood, did not bat	0
Snelgrove, c Baldwin, b Pullen	4
Extras	5
Total for 7 wickets	54

—Toronto-Rosedale.—

R. Griffith, c Doolittle, b Westcott	20
E. J. Livingston, b Westcott	22
J. H. Forrester, c Corbould, b Cole	49
H. B. Kingsmill, b Toogood	36
S. H. Cooper, c Doolittle, b Cole	10
H. E. Beatty, c Corbould, b Cole	1
F. W. Baldwin, lbw Cole	2
W. H. Cooper, b Harvie	4
H. D. Gooderham, c Grant, b Harvie	0
H. H. Petman, b Cole	4
Pullen, not out	14
Extras	12
Total	174

Orillia has an off day to-day, and will play at Mimico Asylum to-morrow.

Uxbridge Beat St. Cyprian's.

The touring Uxbridge Cricket Club played and won their first match with St. Cyprian's yesterday, with the following score:

—Uxbridge.—

A Graham, run out	5
W Hamilton, c Smith, b Prince	2
W P Mustard, b Prince	1
A Coombe, c Smith, b Warr	39
D Clark, c and b Prince	0
S S Sharpe, b Wilkinson	6
William Langley, not out	26
C Smith, c and b Colbourne	0
V Hare, b Colbourne	2
B Vicars and Geo Campbell did not bat.	
Extras	16
Total	116

—St. Cyprian's.—

P Smith, b Smith	2
H Ash, b Hare	1
J Pearson, lbw	1
Prince, lbw, b Smith	5
J Colbourne, b Hare	0
C Warr, c Campbell, b Hare	6
H Wilkinson, c