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ashamed of it?" Isabelle asked, a trou-bled expression crossing her face. The should never be happy Miss Kavanagh threw up her hands in again, now that I know who Mr. Keith n agonized gesture, and cowered among the heart-broken letter which she had

why I should have been so sorely smit-ten. Oh, if my boy could have been spared, I believe I could have borne it better." darling," he had said. "I do not know

It seemed to Miss Kavanagh as if these words had been stamped upon her bra in letters of fire, and they tortured h now with tenfold intensity. The sight her suffering proved too much for the sensitive child by her bedside.
"What made you do it?" Oh, auntle, what made you do it?" she cried, break-

flood of tears.

Miss Kayanagh, in her proud beauty and dignity, with her fine educate n, many accomplishments and natural refinement, had been her ideal ever since she could remember, and now it was a terrible shock to have her idol shattered thus in a moment to discover that she had been guilty of wrong and falsehood, if not of crime. The child's question, asked in such an abandonment of grief, which be-trayed something of the contending emotions of her heart, aroused all the long dormant passions of the woman by youth —all her disappointed hopes, her wounded

Because I hated her-the girl who so artiully lured my brother from his proud position, and made him stoop to marry a beggarly seamstress," she cried, with exceeding bitterness. "Do you suppose she was more to

blame about it than my papa?" Isabelle sked gently, between her sobs. "She coudn't have marret him if he had not asked her, could she?"

Miss Kavanagh groaned aloud.
"But it was a terrible mesalliance."
she persisted, obstinately, in spite of her Isabelle sighed; it seemed a hopeless task to try to soften her hardened heart, to conquer her overmastering pride.

"But aren't you sorry now, auntie, about it all? You couldn't help the poor lady's dying, I suppose, but you might have been kinder to that dear little baby. Don't you wish you had never done such a—a cruel thing?" she pleaded, her voice tramplese, with smoother. to conquer her overmastering pride.

remulous with emotion. Miss Kavanagh preserved a stubborn mouth, the gloomy agony in her eyes, told that she was suffering keenly. The sharpest thrust of all was the fact that wickedness of her heart had been laid bare before this pure child who had been

am sure you do, dear Aunt Kate." the young girl went on, dropping her golden head upon the pillow, and laying her soft cheek against the almost rigid one resting there, "and I know you will

"Smells Very Good."

"Do you suppose that papa wanted to hide that baby if he had known that it did not die? Would he have been ashamed of it?" Isabelle asked, a trouis and all about him, if I did not tell him. I believe papa would say I was right if he could speak; don't you?" the heart-broken letter which she had he could speak; don't you?"

"If you persist in this," Miss Kavanagh one she had written, telling him that both wife and child had been buried in the same grave.

"My heart is broken over the loss of the fortune which your father left wow."

"I should not mind that one bit." Isabelle responded, eagerly. "It would be worth the half of a dozen fortunes to have a brother. Oh, just think what it would be to have a grown-up, handsome, abble brother like Kenneth Kelth," she concluded, with shining eyes. "Have you no thought for me?" cried her aunt, bitterly. "Do you know that he could have me arrested and imprisoned for having concealed his birth and kent him out of his arrested. kept him out of his name and fortune all

kept him out of his name and fortune all these years?"
Isabelle paled a little at this; then she said confidently:
"Oh, I am sure he would not do that, auntie; Kenneth is too good and noble to be unkind. Oh, let us tell him."
"I will never do it, Isabelle!" Miss Kavanagh cried, rebelliously, all her excitement reviving "Go: let me alone. Kavanagh cried, rebelliously, all her excitement reviving. "Go; let me alone—you are turning your back upon your best triend. Go! go! go!"

She sat up in bcd glaring upon the frightened child with almost frenzied eyes, and pointing with a trembling finger toward the door. Isabelle, discouraged and almost heart-broken, stole softly from the room. y from the room.

CHAPTER XLV. There was not much sleep for two of he inmates of Shannondale that night. he young Lady Isabelle was very unhappy on account of her aunt's anger against her, but more so over the ter-rible discovery of the sin of her early life. Besides this, she had firmly made life. Besides this, she had firmly made up her mind that justice must and should be done. She had determined that Kenneth should be told everything which she knew regarding his history; that he should be read to the should be read to the shear that she knew regarding his history; that he should have the proof of his mother's lawful marriage to her father, and whatever property might rightfully belong to him as her half-brother. All this, of course, wrought heavily upon her nerves course, wrought heavily upon ner never and banished sleep from her eyes.

For more than half the night she lay thinking and planning, while the clock in the tower above her tolled forth in the tower above the waning hours. solemn tones the waning hours. To Katherine Kavanagh that never-to-bekatherine Kavanagh that never-to-be-forgotten night was even longer. All the eventful past came up in review before her, and it seemed as if never, until now, had she realized the full atrocity of the wrong perpetrated against her brother's

The last fourteen years of her life had been in the society of her pure-hearted little niece, in whom she had striven to inculcate the highest principles of nobility and honor. Her own spirit had grown whiter from constant contact with the innocent child, and in this purer atmosdo what is right. Just now you said I phere; and now, in spite of her invincible

pride and obstinacy, she shrank from the remembrance of her former wickedness with a sense of pain, almost of despair, that was indescribable. Not once did she close her eyes in slumber that long night threath and are the properties.

that was indescribable. Not once did she close her eyes in slumber that long night through, and when morning broke if seemed as if years had left their mark upon her. Still, her spirit was far from being subdued, and when Isabelle came in to inquire if she were better, and pressed a lingering, appealing kiss upon her forehead, she turned her face impatiently away from the contact of her pure lips, and would not answer her.

The young girl moved softly about the room, intent upon doing something for her comfort. She put misplaced articles in order, drew up the curtains to let in the bright sunlight, dusted the furniture in a housewifely manner, hoping all the time for some kind word in return. After rearranging a vase of flowers and bringing a glass of fresh water, which she set upon a table by the bed where Miss Kavanagh could reach it, she stole sadly out of the room again. A sob burst from the wretched woman as the door closed after her. after her.
"She will never love nor look up to

me again," she moaned; and still her proud spirit refused to de what she knew to be right and just—what she knew would give her back the love and trust she craved.

The day was perfect, and the sun streamed warm and bright in at the open windows of the library, through which the odor of roses, helictrope and mignonette was wafted, filling the room with fragrance, while the birds could be heard singing blithely in the trees without. Isabelle stood long at one of the windows, looking wistfully toward the village of Shannon, an unusual gravity on her face, a look of resolution growing in her eyes and settling about her mouth. All at once she moved toward a writing-desk and sat down.

"I am going to do it she said, in a tone of decision, "for I knew it is right." She took up a pen, and, drawing toward her a sheet of paper bearing the Langford crest, wrote:

her a sheet of paper ford crest, wrote: "Dear Mr. Keith,—Will you please come to Mannondale at two o'clock this af-ternoon. Your little friend, "ISABELLE." [To be Continued.]

TWO GREAT BOXING CONTESTS WILL BE HELD IN FEBRUARY

-The Big Race Meets-General.

By Way of Comment.

Hockey has certainly taken a firm hold upon the sporting tendencies of the smaller boys of London. Almost every district has its quota of players. In many places open-air rinks are built by the boys in their own yards, and the game is enthusiastically indulged in. It is from these back-yards and corner lots that recruits come from for the league matches.

American horsemen have been bidding high for the services of "Patsy" Gallagher, the Toronto steeplechase rider. They were outdone by "Mike" Maloney, the Canadian, however, whose chances for fame in the horse world are unusually bright.

Why not an ice race meeting among local horsemen? The Thames affords excellent opportunity, and the horse-men themselves can furnish enough material. There are many spaces along the old river that could be utilized in the absence of a speedway. Some gentlemen might win the esteem of a large and influential body by putting up a watch or some other trophy as a prize. Many a good match race could be made among the local nags, and it would be very little trouble to their owners. The cove furnishes several half-mile stretches, which could not be put to better use. Then all danger, if there is any, would be removed, and the boaster could be made to prove the claims that his horse is the best.

THE RING. FITZ AND RUHLIN MATCHED.

Chicago, Jan. 13 .- This city will witness the light between Fitzsimmons and Ruhlin, should the negotiations looking to the arrangement of a match be successful. Thus Philadelphia is out of the running, although she has considered the favorite in the talk about the expected contest. The Quakers offered a purse of \$3,000 for the fighters, through the Penn Art Club. Chicago, however, woke up, and doubled Philadelphia's offer. One offer of \$7,000 or 50 per cent of the receipts has been made by Windy City interests, provided the fighters can be made to meet here early next month. The latter offer has been telegraphed to Fitzsimmons and to Billy Madden, Ruhlin's mana-There is little doubt Madden will accept the offer on the percentage basis. He seems every anxious to Rublin fight the Cornishman. Barring Jeffries, Fitzsimmons has asserted irequency that he stands ready to meet any man in the world. It therefore seems likely he will not refuse the offer if the Akron Giant, as the latter was not named in connection with Jeffries, the only man excepted.

PROPOSED FITZ-JEFFRIES MATCH.

Toronto, Jan. 13. - Manager Herman, of the International A. C., rert Erie, will come to Toronto this week for the purpose of having another conference with Jim Corbett regarding a match with Jim Jeffries. Mr. Herman believes that the battle could be pulled off at Fort Erie withinterference. A substantial purse would be offered. Corbett says he will meet Jeffries anywhere. "Jefwould probably as soon meet me at Fort Erie as anywhere else if the inducements are right," said Gentleman Jim. "As far as I am concerned, I am willing to box for any purse that suts Jeff. My forfeit is up and

I'm waiting for him to cover it.' WANTS TO FIGHT EVERYONE. New York, Jan. 13. - Prof. Jimmy Kelly, manager of Andrew Tokell, the champion bantam of England, now in this country, has posted \$500 on behalf of his man. Accompanying the money Kelly issued a defi for Tokell to meet any man in America from 112 to 115 pounds for \$2,000 a side. After Kelly had deposited the money, he said: "Of course, we prefer a match with Harry Forbes, the American champion. A match with him and Tokell is practically ratified, but in order not to take any ances I put up \$500 to show that we mean business. We are willing to agree to anything that looks reasonable, as long as we can secure a match."

DEATHS FROM BOXING. St. Louis, Jan. 13. - There were five leaths during 1902 as the direct result of boxing bouts. Thomas Hornketh (Tommy White) died four days after he was knocked out by Thomas Markey at the Knickerbocker A. C., Philadelphia on March 29. Albert Terrill (Kid Albert) collapsed in the Golden Gate A. C. ring at Philadelphia, while boxing with Wm. Stokes on Sept. 1, and died four hours later. Frank J. Smith died at Allentown as the result of a bout with Hans Hartrant the night previous. James Cassidy (Tom Noonan) died the day after his bout with Eddie Dixon at Boston on May 22, while Chas. Gildy died at Detroit on Aug. 11 as the result of being knocked out by John Beaubien two weeks before.

HOCKEY.

LOST BOTH GAMES. The two St. John's A. C. Junior League teams were beaten in the second series of Junior League games played at the Jubilee Rink last night. The first game was well fought, and was full of clean plays. Dickson, of the Hortons, was cut over the eye. The result was 3 to 1 in favor of the Hertens. The lineup: Hortons-Carrothers, goal; Reynolds, point; Southcott coverpoint; Wilson, Loney, Dickson and Taggie, forwards. St. John's -Rogers, goal; Harley, point; Fleming, coverpoint; Bridgman, Wooley, Nichols and Spence, forwards.

The Watericos, who are possibly the speediest aggregation in the league, trimmed St. John's II. easily by a score of 4 to 0. Jack Towe scored two

Fitz and Ruhlin and Jeffries and of the four goals and played a clean-cut game. The lineup: St. John's II.—Spry, goal; Simmons, point; Gibson, coverpoint; Nash, Hiscox, Spittal and Hodges, forwards. Waterloos—Kennedy, goal; Marshall, point; Evans, coverpoint; Reid, Towe, Matthews and Williams, forwards.

RESIGNED PRESIDENCY. Mr. C. B. Edwards has resigned from the presidency of the Junior Hockey League. His resignation was handed in at noon yesterday. Another president will be elected at the next meeting. The outside rink is being put into good shape.

FINED FOR BEING LATE. Collingwood, Ont., Jan. 13.-Orillia played their return match in the intermediate series, O. H. A., here last night. The game was advertised to begin at 8:15, but the Orillias did not arrive till 10 o'clock, and Referee Hugh Rose promptly fined them \$10 for being late. The game was one of the best ever seen here, and Orillia played a strong game until ten minutes before time was up, when they seemed to go to pieces, and Collingwood quickly scored 3 goals, thus winning the game by a score of 5 to 4.

DUTTON DEFEATED.

Glencoe, Jan. 13.—The Glencoe Hockey Club Defeated Dutton at Glencoe on Monday night in a friendly game by a score of 11 to 3.

FAST GAME AT FOREST Mount Forest, Ont., Jan. 13 .- In the Northern Hockey League game tenight Listowel defeated Mount Forest in the fastest game played in the league this season by a score of 8 to 7. BERLIN BEATEN.

Waterloo, Ont., Jan. 13 .- The first W. O. H. A. hockey match between Waterloo and Berlin was played here tonight, and was won by a score of ? to 4 in favor of the home team.

THE TURF.

A London boy who promises to follow in the footsteps of Otto Wonderly is Billy Price. He went from here a couple of years ago, and has been do-ing good work. It is expected that he will ride his first big race in the THE 'FRISCO MEET.

Francisco, Jan. 13. - Oakland track fast; weather clear. Summary: First race, 1 mile, selling-Kitty Kel-

to 1, 3. Time, 1:42. Second race, 7 furlongs, selling -Maggie Felix, even, 1; Stoping Child, 8 to 1, 2; Jim Gore II., 40 to 1, 3. Time,

Third race, 1 mile and 100 yards, selling-Ignacio, 10 to 1, 1; Nigrette, 2 to 1, 2; St. Sever, 15 to 1, 3. Time, 1:47. Fourth race, 7 furlongs, selling-Ada , 8 to 5, 1; Golden Cottage. Mission, 40 to 1, 3. Time, 1;27½. Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling—The Major, 2½ to 1, 1; Jockey Club, 6 to 1, 2; Ballroom Belle, 10 to 1, 3. Time,

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling-Floriente. 15 to 1, 1; Sir Hampton, even, 2; Rasp, Time, 1:41. JOCKEY ERNE DISQUALIFIED. New Orleans, La., Jan. 13 .- Shrine

and L'Etrenne were the only winning favorites today. In the handicap Erne crossed the track in front of Major Tenny, shutting him off, and was disqualified, third place being given Major Tenny. Weather clear; track slow and lumpy. First race, 1 mile-Shrine, 103 (Gannon), 8 to 5, 1; Bourke Cockran, 99

(O'Neil), 7 to 1, 1; Blanco, 102 (Battiste), 8 to 1, 3. Time, 1:45 2-5. Second race, selling, mile-Alfred C., 130 (T. Walsh), 10 to 1, 1; El Rey, 118 (Robertson), 8 to 1, 2; Russellton, 120 (Fuller), 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1:45 4-5. Third race, 6 furlongs — Imp. L'Etrenne, 108 (Winkfield), 11 to 10, 1; Carl Kahler, 102 (Redfern), 3 to 1, 2; Philo, 91 (McIntyre), 40 to 1, 3. Time,

Fourth race, handicap, 1 1-8 miles Nettie Regent, 96 (Fuller), 12 to 1, 1; King Barleycorn, 93 (Scully), 20 to 1, 2; Erne, 991/2 (Munro), 13 to 1, finished third, but was disqualified; Major Tenny, 104 (Buchanan), 20 to 1, 3. Time,

Fifth race, 1 mile-Flint Lock, 100 (Lindsey), 9 to 1, 1; Hargis, 108 (Winslett). 9 to 2. 2; Emshee, 108 (Redfern), to 1, 3. Time, 1:43. Sixth race, 2 miles-Ginspray, 109

(R. Morphy), 8 to 5, 1; Compass, 94 (Fuller), 7 to 5, 2; Latson, 109 (Rice), 30 to 1, 3. Time, 3:39. THE ICE MEET AT WESTPORT.

Westport, Ont., Jan. 13. - A large gathering of people was on the ice here today to witness the first day's races. The ice was in splendid condition and everything points to a very successful three days' meeting. There are 20 horses here now to compete, and more are expected for tomorrow and next day's races. The following is a list of the horses that competed today, the first three being winners in consecutive order

Hazel Dean (J. Mullvill), Bant (Mullvill & Singleton), and Kitty Carver (W. Wood). Miss Stella (A. A. Moodie), Gussette (E. O. Whitmarsh).

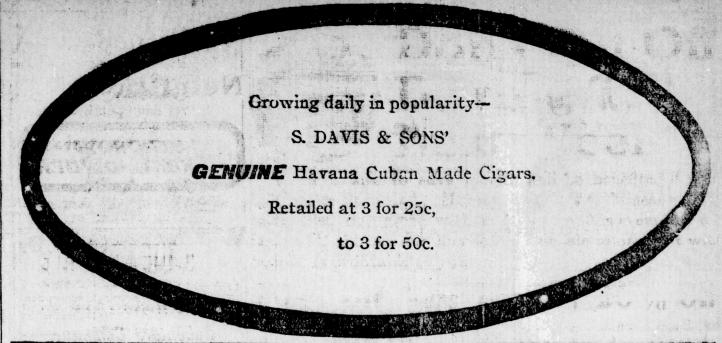
FOR THE OTTAWA MEET. Ottawa, Jan. 13.-H. Avery, of New York, is on his way to Ottawa to attend the big Cresceus meeting Feb. 10 to 21, and has Author, 2:19%, by Autograph, and Little Patsey, 2:1914, by Melrose, both trotters, and the pacer Geo. Wallace, 2:17¼, by Gambetta Wilkes, in his string. Mr. Avery will start at Redwood, Tupper Lake, anac Lake, Jan. 27, 28 and 29, and Lake Placid, Feb. 4, 5 and 6.

NEW CHICAGO STAKE. Chicago, Jan. 10.—Chicago is to have a \$10,000 stake event, one that will rival the Brooklyn and Suburban handicaps in the east, both in value and in point of class. It is to be called the Harlem National Handicap, and is for 3-year-olds and upward, distance one and three-sixteenth miles. It will be run at Harlem Park on the opening day of the spring meeting. The \$10,-600 Harlem National takes the place Swalm 7.

Swalm 7.

Twenty birds, guaranteed, sweepstakes -T.J. Brown, Brantford, 20; D. McMackon 16, E. C. Griffith 15, R. C. Root 15, J. Head 17, G. E. Swalm 14, H. Scane 14, J. McLaren 14.

Fitteen birds—F. Westbrook 12, J. Head 12, Thomas Duff 12, E. C. Griffith 12, R. in point of class. It is to be called the



of one of the feature fixtures of the Harlem Jockey Club, the Harlem stakes, which John Bright won last

WILL GOLD HEELS GET WELL? New York, Jan. 13.—The horse doctor who fired Gold Heels reports that he expects to see him all right again next season. Experienced horsemen, however, who examined him in the paddock, after winning the Brighton Cup, do not expect to see him face the starter again. They think that when it comes to a race he won't be able to stand the strain.

HORSES' EARNING CAPACITIES. Horse World: When Lord Derby, then with a record of 2:061/2, was sold for \$10,500, it was freely conceded that the price was far below his real value, and his subsequent earnings for Mr. E. E. Smathers of nearly \$60,000 prove that he was worth a far larger sum than the public valuation. Prince of Orange, 2:071/2, is the champion green trotter of 1902, as Lord Derby was in 1900, has as much speed, is as wellbred, is as high-class, as handsome and as attractive, while the wagon and driving qualities of Prince of Orange are not surpassed by any trotter in training. Not being handicapped with as fast a record by one second, as Lord Derby was when sold, and being younger by one year, the earning capacity of Prince of Orange is rela-

tively greater. YEAR'S TROTTING RECORDS.

Saratoga
One mile and an eighth, Bonnibert, Brighton One mile and a quarter, Gold Heels,

CURLING.

ANOTHER DEFEAT.

Montreal, Jan. 13 .- The Scotch curlers met the Montreal Heather team on the latter's rink yesterday, and were defeated by a total score of 92 to 65. Matches were played in the morning, afternoon and at night, but the Scotch curlers were apparently not in the best of form, and the local men had the best of it except in the afternoon games, when Cousins' and Sprains' rinks defeated the Heather rinks by a small margin.

INGERSOLL RINKS BEATEN. Woodstock, Ont., Jan. 13.-At Ingersoll two rinks of Woodstock curlers played off the first draw in Group No. 3 of the Ontario tankard. Woodstock won by one shot.

FOOTBALL.

MORE HARD WORDS. London, Jan. 13 .- The Leader, commenting on the football game at Mountain Ash, Wales, yesterday, says: The Canadians evidently profited but little from their experience with other Welsh teams, as they were honelessly The Western Daily Mail, referring to the game, says the Canadians have a deal to learn before they can beat the Welshmen. The passing of the home team puzzled the visitors. The Swansea player lent the latter gave them much valuable assistance.

BASKETBALL.

JUNIOR LEAGUE CHAMPIONS. On Monday afternoon the II. B team defeated II. C in an interesting game of basketball by the score of 4 to 0. The Form II. B team has won the championship of the junior series. Mr. Horton was referee.

THE TRIGGER. HAMILTON'S ANNUAL SHOOT.

Hamilton, Ont., Jan. 13.-The annual cournament of the Hamilton Gun Club began today with a large attendance of shooters from all over Canada and the United States, but bad weather. The day was intensely cold and a gale of wind blew. Some very good scores, howver were made.

Among the contestants is the Grand Handicap winner, E. C. Griffith, of Pas-coag, R. I., and the former winner, H. D. Bates, of Ridegtown. The Grand Canadian Hadicap will begin tomorrow. One eleven live bird event was completed and

another begun today. George Stroud, jun., Hamilton, McMackon, of Highgate, Ont., and H. T. Westbrook, of Bratford, did the best live bird shooting, getting straight shots in the \$100 guaranteed event. At the targets, C. J. Mitchell and H. T. Westbrook, of Brantford, T. Upton, of Hamilton, and E. J. Brown did the less cheeting. best shooting.

In the completed live bird shoot, 10

In the completed live bird shoot, 10 birds, the scores were: George Stroud, jun., Hamilton, 10; D. McMackon, Highgate, 10; H. T. Westbrook, Brantford, 10; S. Fairbairn, Minnedosa, 9; Toil, Detroit, 9; F. Westbrook, Toronto, 9; M. Fletcher, Hamilton, 8; Dr. Wilson, Hamilton, 8; A. D. Bates, Hamilton, 8; J. McLaren, Highgate, 8; C. J. Mitchell, Brantford, 8; J. L. Head, Peru, Ind., 8; James Crook, Hamilton, 8; M. Reardon, Hamilton, 7; John Stroud, Hamilton, 7; M. J. Miller, Brantford, 7; T. Upton, Hamilton, 7; H. C. Scane, Ridgetown, 7; H. S. Swalm, Collingwood, 6; G. E. Swalm, Collingwood, 6; G. E. Swalm, Collingwood, 6; G. E. T. Armstrong, Flint, Mich., 6; H. Dynes, Hamilton, 6; W. Phillips, Toronto, 6; Dr. Hunt, Hamilton, 6; R. C. Root, Providence, R. L., 5; A. C. Eddy. 6: H. Dynes, Hamilton, 6; W. Phillips, Toronto, 6; Dr. Hunt, Hamilton, 6; R. C. Root, Providence, R. I., 5; A. C. Eddy, Scotland, 5; George Gooch, Toronto, 4.

Half of the \$200 purse, live birds, was completed. Of the men who shot eleven killed all their birds. They were: H. Scane, Ridgetown; J. E. Cantelon, Clinton; A. Toll, Detroit; George Gooch, Toronto; T. Upton, Hamilton; A. Bates, Hamilton; E. C. Griffith, Pascoag, R. I.; R. C. Root, Providence, R. I.; Dr. Wilson, Hamilton; M. J. Miller, Brantford, and W. Fitch, Hamilton.

The target winners were:

and W. Fitch, Hamilton.

The target winners were:
Ten birds, sweepstakes—F. W. Westbrook 8, H. Scane 8, T. Upton 8, C. J.
Mitchell 8, S. Fairbairn 8, R. C. Root 7,
J. Head 7, Thomas Duff 7, M. J. Miller
7, A. Toll 7, D. McMackon 7, H. S.
Swalm 7.

Twenty birds guaranteed sweepstakes

C. Root 16, M. Toll 12, J. E. Cantelon 12, G. E. Heweman 12.

Twenty birds, guaranteed purse—C. J. Mitchell 19, C. E. Swalm 16, J. H. Simonds 16, H. Dynes 16, E. C. Griffith 15, T. Upton 15, E. J. Brown 15, Dr. Wilson 14, J. Head 14, S. Fairbairn 14, L. Norris 14, M. J. Miller 14, R. J. Mitchell 14.

Twenty birds, guaranteed, purse E. J. Miller 14, R. J. Mitchell 14.

Twenty birds, guaranteed purse—E. J.
Brown 18, H. Scane 15, J. Head 17, E. G.
Griffith, 17, J. Brown 17, T. Upton 16, M.
J. Miller 15, F. Westbrook 15.

Fifteen birds, sweepstakes—C. J. Mitchell 14, F. Westbrook 14, R. C. Root 12.

Twenty birds, guaranteed, purse—W. H.
Hill, Toronto, 18; H. Scane 17, D. J. Head
15, T. Upton 15, M. J. Miller 14, F. Westbrook 14.

YACHTING.

NEW YORK BOAT ENTERED. New York, Jan. 13. - The Hudson River Ice Yacht Club, which holds the championship of the east, has entered one of its crack boats to compete with the western and Canadian yachts for the international yachts on Gull Lake, Mich., Jan. 20 to 25.

BASEBALL.

REACH WILL NOT INVEST. New York, Jan. 12 .- Al Reach, one of the owners of the Philadelphia National League Club, has this to say regarding the rumor that he is to invest \$50,000 in the proposed American League club in this city: "I cannot understand how such a statement could be made, and I feel very sorry that it was ever published. I am entirely satisfied with my investment at Broad street and Lehigh avenue, and under the new condition of affairs which I hope will be brought about I consider it as good as any in the country.'

PHILADELPHIA CLUB SOLD. Philadelphia, Jan. 11.-Within a few reeks the control of the Philadelphia National League Easeball Club will be transferred to a syndicate of Phila-delphia capitalists for probably \$200,-000. This sale is one of the many changes expected as a result of the practical settlement of the troubles in the baseball world. It is important as affecting several prominent in the baseball field.

NATIONAL STATISTICS. New York, Jan. 12.-According to the official averages of the National League as compiled by Secretary N. E. Young, there were 139 batsmen who participated in fifteen games or over during the championship season of 1902. Beaumont, of Pittsburg, leads with an average of .357 in 131 games. Seymour, of Cincinnati, ranks second with .349, and Capt. Keeler, of Brook-New York's leader is McGann, who

is 22nd on the list, with an average of .301. Doyle follows with .300. Among the first ten men Cincinnati is credited with five and Pittsburg four. standing of the local players follows: New York-22, McGann, .301; 23, Doyle, .\$00; 27, Bresnahan, .292; Browne, Philadelphia and New York, .287; 41, Brodie, .281; 61, Bowerman, .253; 67, Van Haltren, .250; 68, G. Smith, .248; 74, Lander, .239; 77, J. Jones, .236; 78, Bean, .235; 89, McGraw, .226 (34 games); 95, C. Wagner, .214; 97, Dunn, .211; 102, Mathewson, .200; 105, Evans, New York and Brooklyn, .195; 108, Jackson, .193; 123, Cronin, O'Hagan, Chicago and New York, .166; 127, Sparks, .154; 131, Clark, .139; 134. McGinnity, .123; 136, Thielman, York and Cincinnati, .115; 138, L. Tay-

Brooklyn-3, Keeler, .342; 39, Dolan .283; 40, Ahearn, .281; 49, Irwin, .273, and Sheckard, .273; 56, Dahlen, .267; 58. Kitson, 266; 66. Ritter. .250; 69. Mc-Creery, .246; 76 C. Farrell, .237; 86, Flood, .228; 100, Hughes, .202; 119, Newton, .174; 122, W. Donovan, .169; 133, Wheeler, .128.

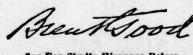
Wagner, of Pittsburg, made the most runs, 105; Clarke, of Pittsburg, was second, 104, and Beaumont, of Pittsburg, third, 101. In sacrifice hits, Tanney, of Boston, leads with 29; De Montreville, of Boston, and Dobbs, of Cincinnati and Chicago, were second with 26 each, and Keeler third with 25. I. Wagner, of Pittsburg, is credited with the greatest number of stolen bases, 43, with Slagle, of Chicago, and P. Donovan, of St. Louis, second, with 41 each.

SUICIDE OF PITCHER. San Francisco, Jan. 13.-Winnie D.

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Root 10, A. Toll 12, J. E. Cantelon 12, Mercer, a pitcher of the Detroit American League baseball team, was found today asphyxiated in his room at the Occidental Hotel. He had inhaled gas through a rubber tube. Mercer was a sufferer from pulmonary trouble, and became despondent.

RAILROAD Time Tables.

GRAND TRUNK.

CORRECTED TO DATE. Trains arrive and depart from Grand Trunk station, Richmond street, near York street. Up-town ticket office, corner Dundas and Richmond streets, E. De la Hooke, city passenger and ticket agent.

MAIN LINE EAST. Leave London-12:35 A.M.—* New York Express. 3:32 A.M.—*Lehigh Express. 10 A.M.-Express. 10:25 A.M.-*Atlantic Express. 2:10 P.M.-Express.

4:35 P.M.-*New York Express. 6:40 P.M.—*Eastern Flyer. MAIN LINE WEST, VIA SARNIA. 3:05 A.M.—*Chicago Express. 7:40 A.M.-Sarnia Accommodation 11:05 A.M.-*Lehigh Express.

2:20 P.M .- Sarnia Accommodation. 7:52 P.M.-*Pacific Express. LONDON AND WINDSOR. Leave London-6:30 A.M.—Accommodation. 11:15 A.M.—*Express. 2:30 P.M.-Accommodation.

7:45 P.M.-*International Limited ARRIVE FROM EAST-*3:00 a.m., *11:00 a.m., 11:35 a.m., *6:15 p.m., *7:40 p.m., 9:50 p.m. ARRIVE FROM SARNIA— *12:32 a.m., *3:27 a.m., *10:10 a.m., 1:55 p.m., *4:30 p.m., 7:20 p.m.

ARRIVE FROM WINDSOR-*10:20 a.m., 4:20 p.m., *6:35 p.m.

* Daily, Sundays included. ST. MARYS AND STRATFORD BRANCH. Depart-7:10 a.m., 11:20 a.m., 3:00

.m., 5:00 p.m. Arrive—10:55 a.m., 1:10 p.m., 5:45 p.m., 10:40 p.m. LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE. Depart-8:15 a.m., 4:50 p.m.

Arrive-9:45 a.m., 6:20 p.m. CANADIAN PACIFIC.

Trains arrive and depart from Can-adian Pacific Depot, Richmond street

north. Uptown ticket office, corner Dundas and Richmond streets. William Fulton, city passenger and ticket agent. TORONTO, OTTAWA AND MON-

TREAL— Leave—*4:30 a.m., *5:25 p.m. Arrive-*11:30 p.m., *11:30 a.m.
WINNIPEG AND PACIFIC COAST
(VIA NORTH BAY)-

Leave-**8:40 a.m. Arrive-**8:00 p.m. CHATHAM, DETROIT, CHICAGO, ETC.— Leave—*11:35 p.m., *11:35 a.m. Arrive—*4:25 a.m., *5:20 p.m.

ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS. DU. LUTH-Leave-**8:40 a.m. Arrive-**8:00 p.m. LOCAL TRAINS.

WOODSTOCK, ST. THOMAS, TO. RONTO-Leave-**8:40 a.m. Arrive-**8:00 p.m. *Daily. **Week days.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL.

Trains arrive and depart from Michigan Central depot, corner Clarence and Bathurst streets. Up-town ticket office, 395 Richmond street. John Paul, city passenger and ticket agent. 9:10 A.M.-For St. Thomas, Dutton,

Bismarck, Rodney, Ridgetown, Tilbury, Comber, Essex, Windsor and west. Connects at St. Thomas for east. 2:20 P.M.—Through train all stations to Detroit. Connects at

St. Thomas with mail train for all stations east.
7:15 P.M.—Connects at St. Thomas with fast Eastern express for Buffalo, New York and eastern points; also with Pacific express

for west. Arrive at London as follows: 7:45 A.M.—Local from St. Thomas. 10:55 A.M.—Mail train from Detroit, and intermediate stations: also from Buffalo and intermediate points. 6:05 P.M.-From St. Thomas, local

LAKE ERIE and DETROIT RIVER RY.

Trains arrive and depart from Grand Trunk depot, Richmond street. Up-town ticket office, Masonic Temple, Richmond street. C. C. Young, local

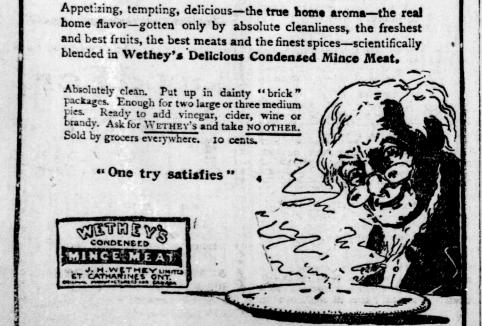
DEPARTURES FROM LONDON. 6:00 A.M.—For St. Thomas, Port Stanley and Walkerville. 9:45 A.M.—For St. Thomas. 2:30 P.M.—For St. Thomas, Port

Stanley and Walkerville.
6:30 P.M.—For St. Thomas and ARRIVALS AT LONDON. 8:40 A.M.-From Port Stanley and

St. Thomas. 10:20 A.M.—From Chatham and St. Thomas.

1:40 P.M.—From Walkerville and

St. Thomas. 5:40 P.M.-From Port Stanley and St. Thomas. 10:05 P.M.-From Walkerville and St.



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