MRS. LATIMER'S LOVE

"Mr. Orme, you have not been intro-duced to the parrot," said Miss Jones, as, rustling about in her capacity of host-ess, she endeavored to relieve the awk-wardness of that five minutes before dinner, during which English people who do not know each other seem to cherish such deadly enmity toward those with whom they are going to sit at meat. Now, the parrot was an invaluable aid on such occasions—his vocabulary was so exten-sive, comprising many professional ex-CHAPTER XII. occasions—his vocabulary was so extensive, comprising many professional exclamations picked up on his voyage home, and less startling "between decks" than in a London drawing-room—his musical attainments were so varied. He could sing "I'd be a Butterfly," part of "The Ratcatcher's Daughter," and the first bar of "Beautiful Venice," and his general accomplishments were so confirst bar of "Beautiful Venice," and his general accomplishments were so constantly on the increase—for he caught up any sound or expression often repeated—that he was a fund of conversation in himself. "Polly you must be civil to Mr. Orme."

"Aye, aye, sir!" answered the bird, in his goblin notes, and with a shrill whishis goblin notes, and with a shrill whistle dashed at once into the popular couplet. "She was not born in Westminster,"
and then stuck his head on one side and
looked up so knowingly, that Gilbert
could but laugh; and his subsequent introduction to Miss Bullingdon and Mrs.
Latimer, the latter of whom he recognibed directly he entered the room, lost
much of its formality, and placed the
three at once upon terms of easy politeness.

Miss Jones, meanwhile, walked off to do her duty by Mrs. Bullingdon. The alderman, ruddy and radiant, and thoroughly in his glory, rang for dinner; and Miss Blanche stole a good look upward at her new acquaintance and thought in her virgin heart that he might be a desirable conquest—at all events there was sirable conquest—at all events, there was no harm in trying.

Gilbert was the latest arrival. Truth compels me to confess he was so asham ed of his childish impatience that he had waited ten minutes after he was dressed before he permitted himself to get into his cab. Five of these he made up by over-driving his horse, and the other five brought him to the exact nick of time at which the alderman ordered dinner. He had not therefore, much leisure to improve his acquaintance with the two ladies who hung with him over the par-

rot's cage. Mrs. Latimer was no whit different from what he expected—neither plainer nor handsomer, nor more nor less be-comingly dressed. Before he had been three minutes in the room with her, it seemed as though in some previous stage seemed as though in some previous stage of being, or in some inexplicable manner, they must have known each other before. This Pythagorean introduction, however, did not appear to have placed him much at his ease. London man as he was, for the first time in his life he found himself dying to speak to a woman, and at a loss for something to

Miss Bullingdon, however, was resolved to lose no time, and commenced opera-tions on him fortwith: "Did he like parrots? Was he fond of birds? Had he a bullfinch of his own? She herself pos-sessed a canary and a pair of love-birds. Did Mr. Orme admire love-birds? The worst of them was that if one died the other was sure to pine away and die, too. Wasn't it pretty of them?—they always did so, or," as Miss Blanche touchingly remarked, "they wouldn't be lovebirds."

Mrs. Latimer smiled; Gilbert laughed outright, and at this pathetic juncture the butler entered with the welcome an-nouncement of "Dinner!"

So the party paired off, the alderman offering his arm to Mrs. Bullingdon, and finding even his own capacious doorways much too small for the passage of two such "first-raters" alongside; Bullingdon following with Mrs. Latimer, and thinking, we may be sure, much more of the good things in store for him than of the his arm; John Gordon coupled dy on his arm; John Gordon coupled th Blanche Bullingdon, somewhat to ella's disappointment; and that young lady, in her right of hostess, under the care of Gilbert, as being the principal person of the party. The rear was brought up by two stray men, city friends of their host-the one an innocuous young gentleman of no particular caliber, who always agreed with everybody; the other an old, wizened individual, in a black an old, wisehed individual, in a black stock, and one-eyed, bent, shrunk and faded, with the scar of a bullet-mark on his cheekbone. What a life had his been compared to any of the others! He had led three forlorn hopes, had been broken by court-martial; had married a West Indian heiress; been ruined, divorced; had been a slave-dealer, perhaps a pirate; commanded a free corns in South commanded a free corps in South America; and managed a mining company in Paraguay; had seen life in all its most thrilling phases and its most varied ups and downs. Now he lived in a lodging in Long Acre, and was glad to get a good dinner when he was invited to one, and a chop and pint of ale for a shilling when he was not

when he was not.
On entering the dining-room and taking Miss Jones to the farther end. Gilbert found that Fate had been propitious, and that the vacant chair for his occu-pation was between Mrs. Latimer and his young hostess. John Gordon, too, was on the other side of the latter, so that, when the turtle was handed round, at when the turtle was handed round, at least three of the guests were quite satisfied with the disposition of the party. Bella, with her high color, and black hair, looked very well in a deep pink dress, a little overdone with trimming, and "did the hands." as ladies call it. gracefully enough. Her slight touch of shyness was less awkward then one of shyness was less awkward then one of shyness was less awkward than engag-ing. The alderman, at the bottom of the table, actually shone with good-humor. The turtle was clear and excellent, its green fat glutinous and abundant. "The best sherbet sublimed with snow" had been but ditch-water compared with the ice-punch. When it gurgled over Bullingdon's organs of deglutition, wrapped as they were in an acre of starch and cambric, that worthy's whole countenance and demeanor softened to

es winked deliberately at his old "It's the same article, squire," said he: "not bad to take, if you only take enough of it. Have another glass."

Will anybody tell me why his intimates almost always dub a Hertfordshire proprietor with the general title of "Squire"?

Red mullet packs very easily above turtle. Sweet and dry champagne taste turtle. Sweet and dry champagne taste none the worse that they have been preceded by cold punch. The alderman prided himself on his dinners. Ere he had entered his own walk in the haunch, everybody's tongue seemed loosened, and the ladies began to show more of their faces and less of their shoulders to their immediate neighbors. Mrs. Bullingdon, a person of limited views, took advantage of her host's operations on the venison to engage the indefinite youth on such topics as she was capable or originating: son to engage the indefinite youth on such topics as she was capable or originating: "How nice it was to get out into the country! And was not the Regent's Park a delightful locality?"

He agreed with Mrs. Bullingdon most

was wrong, though, to allow the Zoological to be open to anyone on Sundays. The society were very much to blame. In all other respects they managed it admirably. Did he not think so?" Mrs. Bullingden's opinions and his own coincided in every particular.

"She was there only last Monday with B. It was very sweet about sunset, after the heasts were fed."

Again he agreed with her, though I do not, wondering feebly, as he was ignorant of her name, what B. was, and inclining to think it must be a pet of some description—possibly a poodle.

B., in the meantime, albeit attending earnestly to the main phear of the party. earnestly to the main object of the enter-tainment, found leisure to relate to his neighbor with one eye the particulars of

his last battue at Bullingdon Butts, where he resided; and the battered old adventurer, who had seen blood flow like water, and whose game, for many a year of his strange life, had been the unfeathered biped, listened with the utmost deference and attention. He respected Bullingdon because he looked "the sort of man that would give you a good dinner."

"Bella, dear, how are you getting on up there?" quant the alderman as a payse "Bella, dear, now are you getting on up there?" quoth the alderman, as a pause in his labors, and the placing of something en tortue before his daughter, enabled him to take breath and look about him; "I hope you take care of Mr. Gilbert, It's your deal you know. I daresay John Gordon will cut for you. John, a glass of wine. Squire, will you join

STRATFORD PLAYED ROWDY, LONDON PLAYED LACROSSE

guinary Mix-Up.

Woodstock Had No Trouble in Defeating Paris.

Opening of the Windsor Race Meeting-Double-Header in City Baseball League.

vincibility of the Iroquois on their own they may be pardoned some display of pride. After the overwhelming defeat of the Stratford Indians at Tecumseh Park on June 21, the Stratford papers consoled the natives of the Classic City with the reflection that ground? Shame on you, Stratford! the home team would win in their The national game of Canada is a own back-yard. Just how they were to accomplish the task no one seemed to know, though the fact caused no uneasiness. There was the legend, and legends are to be respected, even if there be some difficulty in verifying Saturday's game forever settled Stratford's legend.

Believers in the Baconian theory may find a hopeful omen in the result of the match. Since the ingenious jured. His face and head were badly theory of the late Ignatius Donnelly first found favor, the worthy people of Stratford have been much perturbed over the awful thought that per- doctor yesterday. haps their town was mis-named. If Lord Bacon really wrote the plays popularly attributed to Shakespeare. then the immortal bard of Avon was, in sporting parlance, a wretched fourflusher; and to think of their town having been named after a four-flusher was about the limit of endurance of good Stratford sports. But if Stratfordites pin their faith to legends they must not overlook omens. Bacon, if his biographers tell the truth, was a Cockney; and, in the light of recent events it seems only just that Stratford should go and change its name.

Even ignoring the lesson of the Dominion Day game here, a comparison of the London-Stratford and Woodstock-Paris matches of Saturday, indicate that the local team is much the superior of the Woodstock

with whom, it seems, they must clash in the district finals. Legends aside, the Stratford outfit are no doubt much more formidable on their own ground than on foreign ground, and the team that can trim them 8 to 1 under such conditions is the team that can do the turn quite as handily in Woodstock. It is true the Baby City stick handlers | urday's exhibition match, and then scored 11 goals to 1 against the Brants on Saturday, but they did it in Wood-stock and against the weakest team in the C. L. A. The Cockneys have struck their gait. They are doing exactly as their admirers predicted they would do after they had been hammered into shape; and if they fail to reach the winners of the other district series, it will only be because of a reversal from their present form.

"Brantford is to be congratulated on the class of people who are behind her lacrosse team, and on the truly Canadian sporting spirit of her citizens generally. Men of wealth and position like Messrs, Lloyd Morger and Harris, who are satisfied to be Canadian in their tastes, are but too seldom to be the fashion or fad of people of means to shun Canadian sports and give their languid attention to dear old cricket or some other such re-creation that has received the stamp of distinguished favor across the It is seldom that the people think they can afford to be Canadians. Brantford's best can, and their course must command the spect of all classes of their countrymen."-Toronto Telegram.

There's a sample of rot for you. "It is seldom that the best people think they can afford to be Canadians." The man who wrote that shouldn't be permitted to live in Canada. And when did cricket become a game requiring only "languid attention"? The thousands of cricketers, if they could see it, would doubtless feel flattered at this 100 (O'Neil); 3 to 1, won; Deer Hunter, reference to their silly sport. But, of 105 (Prince), 15 to 1, second; course, all Britishers are notoriously poor sportsmen, and have been so for many generations. That's why they adopted this child's play as their national game.

LACROSSE. C. L. A. SENIOR STANDING. District No. 1-

Clubs.	Won. Lost. play.		
Brantford	4	1	7
Tecumseh		2	8
St. Catharines		8	7
Orangeville		3	8
Games on Saturday	: Tecun	nsehs	at St.
Catharines: Brantford	at Ora	angevil	le.
District No. 2-			
			To
Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	play.
Woodstock	Б	1	. 6
London		2	6
Stratford		3	7
Paris	9	5	7
Game on Wednesd	av: W	codsto	ck at
Stratford. Saturday:			

LONDONS WON SANGUINARY BATTLE.

The London senior C. L. A. twelve won a sanguinary battle at Stratford on Saturday, the wearers of the old gold and purple, shooting 8 goals to the Iroquois' 1. The match was literally a sanguinary battle, and it is a miracle the London players escaped serious injury. The Stratford men started roughing it early in the game. The Iroquois scored their only goal in the first quarter, and from that mo-ment until time was called the match looked more like a free fight than an exhibition of the national game. In the third period Dunn threw down his stick and rushed at a London player with his fists. Excitement had by this time reached fever heat in the stands, and Dunn's action was the signal for time the situation looked nasty, a howling mob surrounding the excited players. Order was finally restored, and the game proceeded, but, try as they might, the Stratford stick-handlers could not get past London's splendid defense. The entire team played like clockwork, and although the contemptible tactics of the Iroquois prevented

a good exhibition of the game the

The Cockneys Won in a San-Cockneys did most creditable work.

London's goals were scored as follows:

1, Graham; 2, Douse; 3, Graham; 4, Ladrewe; 5, Graham; 6, Douse; 7, Graham; 8, O'Brien. Wilson scored Stratford's only goal in the first period. Final score: London 8, Stratford 1. The teams' line-up was as follows:

London-West, goal; Mooney, point; Leddy, cover point; Ladrewe, first de-Leddy, cover point; Ladrewe, first defense; Bretz, second defense; Kelly, third defense; Douse, center; Taylor, third home; Bond, second home; O'Brien, first home; Graham, outside home; Buckley, inside home.

Stratford—C. Rankin, goal; Clewes, point; Forbes, cover point; R. Easson, defense; Clerke, second defense;

first defense; Clarke, second defense; Gifford, third defense; Wilson, center; J. Rankin, third home; Smith, second If there is a measure of truth in home; J. Easson, first home; Dunn, all that has been said about the in-

Referee, Wm. Davidson, Mitchell; heath, the Cockneys' victory on Sat-urday is an achievement over which dale (Stratford). Field captain, Jerrett (London), A. Bushfield (Stratford). timekeepers, W. Smith (London), C. Welsh (Stratford). AFTER THE FRAY.

So this is why Stratford boasted they could not be beaten on their own game for manly men, not for cowards and bullys. The Classic City roughs!

sounds funny, but it pretty nearly expresses the thought. Graham, whose position and aggres-

sive work exposed him particularly to the cowardly assaults of the Strat- lant, 107 (McClusky), 6 to 1, second; ford players, was very painfully incut and a great gash in his lip required the attention of a surgeon, who put several stitches in it. His condition necessitated another visit to a

Kelly was also cut and had one of his hands badly injured. All the other players were more or less painfully

After all, what can you expect of uncivilized Indians-and Iroquois Indians at that.

Let's see! Stratford has another game to play in London this month.

It must please the shade of the immortal Wm. Shakespeare to know that these rowdy villagers named their

WOODSTOCK, 11; PARIS, 1. Woodstock, Ont., July 7 .- The C. L. A. Senior match here Saturday reresulted in a vietory for Woodstock over Paris by 11 goals to 1. GUELPH BEAT BERLIN.

Guelph, July 7 .- The C. L. A. junior match here Saturday, resulted as follows: Guelph, 14; Berlin, 4.

CAPITALS BEAT BRANTFORD. Ottawa, July 7.-The Capitals indulged Brantford in an early lead in Satran away with the game, scoring 5 goals to Brantford's 3.

TORONTOS, 5; NATIONALS, 4. Montreal, July 7 .- The Torontos won the senior lacrosse match here Sat-urday from the Nationals owing to their superior staying powers. There was a good crowd present and the grounds were in first-class condition. ST. KITS LOST AT ORANGEVILLE. Orangeville, July 7.-The St. Catharines Athletics were beaten here Saturday by 9 goals to 2, leaving the field to catch the train when there was still twenty minutes to play.

THE TURF.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING. Rochester, N. Y., July 7 .- Two valuable horses belonging to Dr. George P. French, were struck and instantly killed by lightning during a storm Saturday. American Queen, valued ae \$5,000, possessed quite a racing record and had a famous pedigree. The other was known as Babe, valued at \$1,000.

Saturday at the

Big Race Tracks.

First race, 6 furlongs-Fred Hessig. 104 (Battiste), 7 to 1, one; Bennett's Walkaway, 104 (O'Neil), 15 to 1, second; Kate Freeman, 105 (Dale), 7 to 1,

Trade, 100 (J. O'Connor), 7 to 1, third. Time, :571/4.
Third race, 6 furlongs-Weird, 106 (J.

O'Connor), 10 to 1, won; Kiss Quick, 99 (C. Bonner), 15 to 1, second; Ladas, 100 (Dale), 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:16. Fourth race, mile and 20 yards-Orris, 101 (O'Neil), 2 to 1, won; Kitty Clyde, 104 (T. Walsh), 7 to 1, second; Herodes, 83 (Houbre), 9 to 2, third. Time, 1:44%.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs-Miss Golightly, 97 (R. Murphy), 5 to 2, won; Buccleuth, 90 (O'Neil), 6 to 5, second; Amigari, 80 (M. Thompson), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:1414. Sixth race, 7 furlongs-Eva's Darling, 90 (Scully), 4 to 1, won; Verify, 103 (Golden), 10 to 1, second; Sweet Dream, 105 (Dale), 6 to 5, third. Time,

Seventh race, 11/2 miles-Tickful, 109 (T. Walsh), 11 to 5, won; Terra Incognita, 105 (Dale), 8 to 5, second; Kunja, 107 (C. Bonner), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:58%.
AT BRIGHTON.

First race-The Auteuil stakes, 1% miles over seven flights of hurdles-McGrathiana Prince, 151 (Barry), 12 to 1 and 5 to 2, won; Charawind, 154 (Monahan), 7 to 10 and out, second; Star Chamber, 164 (Mara), 8 to 1 and to 1, third. Time, 3:20.

Second race, for 3-year-olds and upwards, mile and a furlong-Bonnibert. 116 (J. Martin), 3 to 5 and out, won; Keynote 101 (H. Cochran), 8 to 5 and out, second; Swamplands, 111 (Odom). 40 to 1 and 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:32 2-5. Third race, for 2-year-olds, selling, five furlongs-Ahumada, 101 (King),20 to 1 and 8 to 1, won; Cinquevalli, 106 (O'Connor), 3 to 1 and even, second; Warte Nicht, 100 (Wonderly), 13 to 5 and even, third. Time, 0:59 4-5. Fourth race, the Brighton handicap, mile and a quarter—Gold Heels, 126 (Odom), 13 to 10 and 3 to 5, won: Blues. 126 (J. Martin), 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, second; Argregor, 119 (Bullman), 15 to and 5 to 1, third. Time, 2:03 4-5. Fifth race, for 2-year-olds, six fur-longs—Decoration, 107 (Smith), 7 to 2 and 7 to 10, won; Monte Carlo, 122 (Odom), 7 to 10 and 1 to 5, second; Birchbroom, 104 (Shaw), 16 to 5 and 7 to 10, third. Time, 1:41 1-5.
Sixth race, selling, mile and a six-

2 to 1, won; Early Eve, 89 (Redfern), 15 to 1 and 5 to 1, second; Criterion, 106 (Wonderly), 3 to 5 and out, third-

Time, 1:50. AT WASHINGTON PARK. First race, 5 furlongs-Lemco, 105 (Lyne), 11 to 5, won; Capt. Arnold, 168 (Woods), 16 to 5, second; Flash of Lightning, 113 (Otis), 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:03 4-5. Second race, 1 1-16 miles—Vincennes,

107 (Blake), 15 to 5, won; Ravensbury, 93 (Sheehan), 100 to 1, second; Cherished, 103 (Lyne), 3 to 1, third. Time, Third race, the Great Western

handicap, \$3,000 added, 1½ miles—Six Shooter, 116 (Knight), 11 to 10, won; Flying Torpedo, 112 (Mathews), 8 to 1, second; Nitrate, 103 (Meade), 4 to 1, third. Time, 2:39 2-5. Fourth race, mile—Bragg, 104 (J. Ransch), 8 to 1, won; Glenwater, 106½ (Coburn), 5 to 1, second; Federal, 116 (Birkenruth), 1 to 2, third. Time, 1:44. Fifth race, 71/2 furlongs-South Trim-

ble, 100 (J. Ransch), 11 to 5, won; Waswift, 103 (Prior), 5 to 1, second; Prowl, 113 (Coburn), 9 to 1, third.

Time, 1:37. Sixth race, 6 furlongs-Jack Ratlin, 101 (Dade), 9 to 2, won; Wain-a-Moinen, 97 (Beauchamp), 4 to 5, se-cond; Zibia, 95 (Helgeson), 29 to 1, third. Time, 1:16%.

AT FORT ERIE. Fort Erie, July 7 .- The first disqualification at the meeting came out of the Owners' handicap, for 2-year-olds, at Fort Erie Saturday. Her Letter, the favorite, at odds around even money, bumped Special Tax and carried the latter from the middle of the track to the inside rail. Her Letter was disqualified. Special Tax was given the first money. George Perry second and Stunts, which finished fourth, got third money. The track was soft, but the weather warm and the heavy rain which fell in town skipped the race track. Summaries: First race, selling, 1 mile-Gray Dally, 99 (Kelly), 6 to 1, won; Tip Gal

Bellcourt, 106 (Thompson), 6 to third. Time, 1:451/4. Sprung, St. David, Ringleader, Pretty Rosie, Ghetto, Nannie J., Lady Silver also ran. Second race, % mile—Springbrook, 107 (Curtis), 7 to 1, 1; Len Dorsey, 103 (Gormley), 8 to 1, second; Spinet, 105 (J. Jones), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:04\(\frac{1}{4}\). Jakke, Blanco, Flora Willoughby, Harold Keeling, Boittle, Onyx, Lee Ridley also ran. Third race, selling, 1 1-16 miles-Ob-

stinate Simon, 96 (Kelly), 6 to 1, won; Baffled, 105 (Irvin), 6 to 1, second; Col. Anderson, 81 (Johnston), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:50. Lucassa, Lutes, Fonso, Remp, The Way also ran. Fourth race, selling, 6½ furlongs— Concertina, 104 (J. Jones), 4 to 1, won; Insolence, 96 (Loudon), 15 to 1, second; Julia Junkin, 102 (Gormley), 8 to 1,

third. Time, 1:231/4. Drummond, Ran After, Binehclio, Little Emmy, Commena, Brissac also ran. Fifth race, handicap, % mile-Special Tax, 105 (McQuade), 4 to 1, won; Geo. Perry, 105 (Kelly), 4 to 1, second; Staunton, 105 (McClusky), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:02%. Dusky Secret, Quality Street, Her Letter also ran. Her Letter finished first, but was disquali-

Sixth race, selling, % mile-Lithium, 109 (Hayden,) 5 to 2, 1; Oconee, 109 (McQuade), 8 to 1, second; Iridescent, 103 (Dangman), 6 to 1, third. Sir Kingston, Andrattus, Blonde Grayson, Maria, Bolton, Arachue, Ethel Davis, J. Patrick, Cubanite, Floret, Siphon, Frivol also ran.

The Windsor trotting meeting begins today and will whet the appetite for the grand circuit, whose season opens one week later at Grosse Pointe. 7, off Gibson 3. Two-base hits—Carroll 2, Stein, Tierney. Double plays—Bell (unassisted), Stein to Sippi to McFadden; R. gins today and will whet the appetite for the grand circuit, whose season Windsor has a card of races that takes it out of the class of secondary events, and will doubtless present sport not a whit inferior to that at Pointe, although the glamor of the grand circuit prestige does not surround it. The match race between Harold H., 2:04, the great Canadian pacer, and Dan Patch, 2:04½, is, in its way, as interesting as the bigger event that will be decided when the grand circuit horses get down east. There is not so much at stake, but it is by no means certain that the contest will not be fully as exciting. Both local meetings promise well. Grosse Pointe events are all well filled, and the stables already at the track predict a brilliant meeting. Windsor will give the critics a chance to get a line on a Penwarden, c. f.... lot of the grand circuit contenders. The handsome pacing mare Flora Hunter, by Capt. Hunter, took a new record of 2:24¼, at the Listowel, Ont., races the past week. She is owned and driven by Mr. H. Rice, of Welland, but formerly of Fort Erie. Before the season is far advanced you will hear of Flora stepping well down in the 'teens, says the Horse World.

The Great Western handicap, over the Derby route, at Washington Park, Chicago, for the season of 1902 is now a matter of record, with Six Shooter's name tabbed among the winners of the event. Backed from 8 to 5 to a shade better than even, Six Shooter on Saturday took command about a sixteenth from home and won by two and half lengths, with Flying Torpedo and Nitrate in the money behind him. The race was truly run, the only interferences, which did not change the result, were Flying Torpedo's bumping into Six Shooter at the head of the stretch, and his cutting across Nitrate near the infield gate. Dwyer sent the field of seven away to a splendid start.

On a track that was lightning fast and before a crowd of 25,000 persons, F. C. McLewee & Co.'s Gold Heels, favorite in the betting at 13 to 10, galloped home an easy winner in the Brighton handicap at the Brighton race track Saturday. He not only lowered Jack Point's record of 2:04%, made in 1900, but established a new world's record for a circular track. Cincinnati14000100*-6 10 4
The time was 2:03%, less than % of Philadelphia101100010-4 9 6 a second slower than the world's re-cord (2:03%) made by Banquet in 1890 with 108 pounds up, on the straight course at the Monmouth Park track. The performance of Gold Heels was really wonderfu, considering that he was carrying 126 pounds. There is no telling how fast this great horse could have run if Odom had ridden him out. The field that made up the handicap was small and select. Heels was always a consistent favorite for the race at 13 to 10, with Morningside second choice at 4 to 1 and the Keene entry, Port Royal, next in demand at 6 to 1. The start was prompt and good. Blues was first to go, with Gold Heels second, Star third and Herbert fourth. As they came past the stand the first time Northern Star was leading by two lengths, Blues second, Port Royal third. Turning into the back stretch Northern Star still had daylight between him and his field with Blues still in second position. Herbert raced up to third place. This order was maintained down the back stretch. At the six furlong pole Herbert had his nose in front with the favorite following, and Ten Candles, who was slow to begin, in third place. Turning into the stretch Odom got the favorite in the lead, and from there to the wire he was never in trouble, winning easily by half a

front of Argregor, who closed very gamely under a terrific drive. The first Brighton handicap was run in 1895. The race this year was worth \$8,000 to the winner.

Brighton Beach race course, at which the summer meeting commenced Saturday, has been greatly improved since last year. Public accommodation has been increased, a new club house built, a new paddock arranged, a new cooling-off shade erected and a new field stand put up. All at a cost of upwards of \$100,000. unique feature on the ground floor of the club house is a dozen rooms for the jockeys, with lockers and baths, something that no other similar institution can boast.

Three hundred and twenty-one horses are entered for the various trotting and pacing stakes and purses that will be given by the Detroit Driving Club at the Blue Ribbon trotting meeting at Grosse Pointe track, July 14 to 18. The entries, which closed July 1, were given out Saturday night. The meeting, which opens the Grand Circuit trotting events, promises to be one of the most successful ever given by the club. The entries average over 15 to each class. For the historic Merchants' and Manufacturers' \$10,000 stake, for 2:24 class trotters, there are 13 entries. The Chamber of Commerce \$5,000 stake, for 2:24 class trotters, has 19 entries. This promises to be one of the best races of the meeting, for each of the entries except one has already stepped a mile in 2:10 or better. The entries in the 2:07 trot and 2:04 pace guarantee that both of these events will be splendid hard-fought races.

BASEBALL.

CITY LEAGUE. Two interesting games of ball were played by the teams of the City League to a fair-sized crowd at Tecumseh Park on Saturday. In the first game the Londons played all around the Struthers team, and beat them by 12 runs to 2. Bert Sheere pitched great ball for London, allowing only three hits, and the fielding was exceptionally good, the work of Bell and Carroll for London being more especially noticeable.

After ten innings of hard work the Aberdeens were defeated by the Rockets in the second game. Watts pitched half the game and Early the other half. Watts had a lame arm, and when he felt himself weakening left the box. Griffin, the catcher, was removed when Watts went out, although the need of this was not apparent. Jackson pitched fairly for the Rockets. The scores:

FIRST GAME. A.B. R. B.H. P.O. A. E. Londons. Carroll, c. 5 Sippi, 2 b. 4 Bell, 3 b. 5 H. Stein, s. s. McFadden, 1 b. ... Smith, r. f. Wanless, c. f. Power, l. f. Sheere, p. 4 Totals..... Struthers. A.B. R. B.H. P.O Graham, c. H Struthers r. f... 2 R. Gibson, p. 3 Struthers ... Summary: Bases on balls-Off Sheere

Gibson to Fitzmaurice to G. Gibson. Hit by pitched ball—Smith. Struck out—By Sheere 2, by Gibson 5. Passed ball—Gra-ham 1. Umpire, W. A. Reid. Time, 1:30. SECOND GAME. A.B. R. B.H. P.O. A. E. Jackson, p. Gillett, l. f. Waud, r. f. C. Stein, 3 b. 3 5 10 30 Aberdeens. A.B. R. B.H. P.O. 3. Arthurs, 3 b..... 5 1 1 1 G. Arthurs, Watts, p. Taylor, 3 b. Dewan, r. f. Fleming, s. s.Delaney, l. f.Rhoder, 2 b.W. Taylor, c. 30 19 R. H. E. Rockets0001002011

Rockets0001002011-5 10 2
Aberdeens1000000030-4 12 4
Summary: Bases on balls-Off Jackson 2, off Watts 3. Hit by pitcher-By Early 1. Two-base hits-Odell, Early. Double plays-Watts to Rhoder to J. Taylor; Watts to Stein. Struck out-By Jackson 4 by Watts 2 by Early 3. Stalen become 4 by Watts 3, by Early 3. Stolen bases—Howell, Waud, Wilson, Stein 2, Arthurs, Penwarden, Dewan, Delaney. Umpire, W. A. Reid. Time, 2 hours. CANADIAN LEAGUE GAMES.

At New Hamburg- R. H. E. At Waterloo-NATIONAL LEAGUE. Batteries-Leever and Smith; Donovan At Chicago-Chicago0000001800000-4 13 2 Boston0100000030001-5 11 2

Batteries-Williams and Kling; Pittinger and Moran. At Cincinnati-Batteries-Phillips and Peitz; Duggleby At St. Louis-Batteries-M. O'Neill and J. O'Neill; Matthewson and Yeager. Sunday Games. At Cincinnati-Cincinnati001100010-3 9 Brooklyn103352000-14 19

At Chicago-Batteries-Taylor and Kling; Phillippi and O'Connor AMERICAN LEAGUE. At Philadelphia— R. H. E. Washington 100071000-9 15 1 Philadelphia 000031001-5 8

Batteries-Currie and Peitz; Hughes

Batteries-Carrick and Clarke; Wiltse, Husting and Schreckengost. At Boston-Boston 013000000-4 10 2 Baltimore 0000111161-5 11 5 Batteries-Dineen and Warner; McGinnity and Robinson.

At Detroit-Batteries-Mercer and Buelow; Sudhoff and Donohue.

Cleveland000100001-2 9 1 Batteries-Piatt and Sullivan; Joss and Sunday Games. At Chicago—

Batteries-Callahan and McFarland; Moore and Wood. At St. Louis-Batteries-Powell and Donohue; Mullin and Buelow. EASTERN LEAGUE.

Batteries-Gray and Bevier; Horton and Phelps. Umpire, Kelly. At Worcester-Toronto .. Batteries-McFall and Steelman; Esper and Toft. Umpire, Egan. At New York-

Newark000000010-1 7 3 Jersey City20211100*-7 11 2 Batteries-Hemming and Jope: McCann and Butler. Montreal000000111000-2 10 2
Batteries-Sullivan and Smith; Souders and Raub. Umpire, Snyder.

Sunday Games. Montreal ... Batteries-Washer and Smith; Lee and Raub. Umpire, Snyder. At Newark-City000001000—1 6 1 k00001010*—2 6 0

Batteries.—Ferry and Bevier; McAleese and Holcomb and Phelps. Umpire, Kelly. Time, 1:55.

With the Amateurs.

ANOTHER WIN FOR ST. JOHN'S A. C. JUNIORS. On Saturday afternoon the St. John's A. C. Juniors again defeated

the London South Juniors by the score of 14 to 5. The features of the game were Gibson's pitching, he striking out 10 men, and Bridgman's one-hand R. H. E.

J.2 0 0 2 0 1 2 1 6-14 17 4 L. S. J. 200003000-538 Batteries-Gibson and Webb; Weston and Nettleship.

BOLT MAKERS vs. SOLDIERS. Teams representing the London Bolt Works and Wolseley Barracks will meet on the Carling's Heights diamond

Facts to Tickle

the Fans' Fancy Skopec, the ex-Canadian player, is

League. Pittsburg's record of 41 victories and

only 14 defeats, has never been equal-The nearest approach to it was in 1897, when the Bostons at the end of June had a record of 40 victories and 14 defeats, a percentage of .741. Lefty Davis is the leading baserunner in the National League, hav-

Rube Waddell, who pitched such a one of the best all-round athletes record-breaking game for the Athlet- America has ever produced ics the other day, was uncovered by the Detroit club in 1897. He has had They were: Adam B. Gunn, Buffalo; a meteoric career since then.

H. H. Merrill, Milwaukee; Ellery H. Washington has scored 314 runs this season, and leads all the other clubs Knickerbocker A. C.; William Beckin this particular. Detroit is last in man, New West Side A. C.; Meyer the list, having scored but 227. The Prinstein, Philadelphia.

base running. The Torontos made a great record last month, winning 23 games and losing 5. Of the 5 defeats chronicled, 3 were by second division teams; Montreal, Jersey City and Newark got 1 apiece. On the other hand, Toronto beat Buffalo 6 times, Rochester vidence 2 apiece.

Many days will pass ere the pitching feat of Rube Waddell, at Philadelphia last Tuesday, will be dupliteam, will play at short for Buffalo. cated. The exhibition may stand alone for the season. It is seldom that an absolutely perfect game of ball is pitched. That is what this one was.
Waddell pitched nine full innings
without giving a base on balls, hitting a man or indulging in a wild pitch. In addition, he allowed no runs. But two hits were made of his delivery, and neither of the men who 1891 A. A. Jordan, N. Y. A. C... 6,189 secured these reached second base, 1892 M. O'Sullivan, Xavier A. C.4,464 both being thrown out en route, so to 1893 E. W. Goff, New Jersey A. est possible number, faced the erratic nitcher. Thirteen men were formed 1894 E. W. Goff, New Jersey A. pitcher. Thirteen men were fanned, and in three innings there were three 1895 J. Cosgrave, Albany N. Y. 4,4064 consecutive strike-outs. It was a most 1896 L. P. Sheldon, Yale Universremarkable record.

THE TRIGGER.

SHOOT AT HYDE PARK. The friendly shoot on July 1 between Hyde Park and Glenmore Gun Clubs, at 15 blue rocks, resulted as follows: Glenmore. Hyde Park.

Bowman Rockett Herbert ... K. Routledge... 3 G. Gaffney..... W. Routledge... 2 Bryce Challoner... 3 Drew Total......57 TRAP-SHOOTERS' TOURNAMENT.

Toronto, June 7.-The executive committee of the Dominion of Canada Trap Shooters and Game Protective Asso ciation held a meeting in Toronto to arrange the different events of their programme for the second annual tournament, to be held on the grounds of the Hamilton Gun Club on Aug. 14, 15 and 16, and without doubt as fine a lot of trophies and prizes have been distributed in the various events ex-tending over the three days, as were offered at any shoot previously held

in Canada.

The following list of trophies will be on exhibition in Hamilton previously to the opening day, Aug. 14: Trophy, value \$25; donated by Col. Tilton, Ottawa, chairman of the executive com-mittee of the Dominion Rifle Associa-Trophy, value \$35; donated by the Brewers' and Maltsters' Association of Toronto. Gold medal, donated by Fred Westbrooke, Brantford. Handsome cup, value \$75, donated by Bros., Limited, London, England. One thousand shells, 10-pound cans and 201/2-pound cans of Robin Hood powder; donated by the Robin Hood Pow-der Company. Silver cup, value \$20; donated by the Silver Plate Company, Toronto. Gold medal, donated by Mr. Thomas Upton, president of the Hamilton Gun Club. Three trophies, donated by the lady friends of the association; to be known as the Ladies' tro-phy. Gold medal, donated by Klein & Binkley, Hamilton. L. C. Smith gun, Brantford, Br Value \$100. donated by the Hunter Arms be the contest

Company, Fulton, New York. Handsome cup, donated by Geo. H. Briggs, Toronto. Handsome cup, donated by Charley Ayres, Toronto. Hazard Powder Company, trophy, value \$40; donated by Rice, Lewis & Sons, Limited, Toronto. Handsome trophy, value \$75; do-nated by the Dominion of Canada Trap Shooters' and Game Protective Association, Three cups, value \$75; donated by the Dominion Cartridge Company, Montreal. Winchester standard repeating shotgun, value \$27; donated by the Winchester Repeating Gun and Arms Company, New Haven, Conn. The Beresford Cigar cup, value \$75; donated by Stirton & Dyer, London, Ont.
The Mail trophy, value \$300; given to
the association for competition by the
St. Hubert's Gun Club of Ottawa (they having won it three times in succession), formerly donated by the Toronto Mail; also silk banner, value \$35, donated by Mr. Thomas A. Duff, president of the association, to be given to the winner of the Mail trophy, and five gold medals donated by the following five: J. Crooks, Wm. Langhorn, G. Nickolson, Hamilton; W. Galbralth, of Montreal, and Ketchum & Co., Ottawa: to be given to the team winning the Mail trophy. Shooting-jacket, donat-

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cups and trophies, it ought to be the

neans of bringing every amateur in

Canada to Hamilton during this com-

ing tournament.

AMATEUR ATHLETICS IN ENG-LAND.

London, July 7 .- The amateur chamionships meeting at Stamford Bridge Saturday was of unusual interest, owing to the international flavor imparted to it by a number of American entries. The weather and ground were all that could be wished, and a big crowd was present. The results were as follows:

Putting the weight-William Coe (American), 42 feet 10½ inches; R. W. Edgron (American), 38 feet 8 inches. There were no English competitors, although Coe entered as a representa-

tive of Oxford. 100 yards dash-A. F. Duffy (American), first; R. W. Wadsley, second; Dennis Murray, third. Duffy won by a yard and a half. Time, 10 seconds. Mile run—Binks, Unity Athletic Club, first; Hawtrey, second; Barker, third. Binks won by two yards. Time, 4 minutes 164-5 seconds. This broke the British amateur record.

120 yards hurdles-G. W. Smith (New Zealand), first; Trafford, second; Phillips, third. Time, 16 seconds. High jump—S. S. Jones, New York A. C., 6 feet 3 inches, 1; P. O Connor, 6 feet 2 inches, 2; C. Leahy, 6 feet 1

Hammer throw—T. F. Kiely, 142 feet 9 inches; May, 130 feet 2 inches; Edgren, 121 feet 1 inch. A. A. U. CHAMPIONSHIPS.

New York, July 7 .-- Adam B. Gunn, of the Y. M. C. A., of Buffalo, again won the all-round championship of the pitching a great game for the Little won the all-round championship of the Rock, Ark., team, of the Southern Amateur Athletic Union Saturday afternoon at the games held under the auspices of the Greater New York Athletic Association at Celtic Park, Laurel Hill, Long Island. He scored 6,260 1-8 points. Edward S. Merrill, of the Milwaukee Athletic Association, was second with 5,5321/2 points, and Meyer Prinstein, of Syracuse, third, ing purloined 20 sacks. Demont and with 4,079 points. Gunn's performances Donovan are tied for second place, were truly remarkable, his versatility with 15 each to their credit.

Eight men competed in the games. Clark, Boston A. A.; J. E. Peters,

The principle of the rules now in Senators make the poorest showing in force is as follows: In each event the world's best amateur record is taken as a maximum, for which 1,000 points are allowed. Then a standard or limit is established, and performances equal to or worse than these standards score nothing. For performances between times, Montreal 4 times, and Wor- the maximum and the limit, points are cester, Newark, Jersey City and Pro- allowed in accordance with graded scales, which we print below. Manager Stallings, of the Buffalo Athletes have competed for the indi-Eastern League team, Saturday releas- vidual championship of the Amateur ed Shortstop Connaughton and "rink" Athletic Union every year since 1884. Hawley, a pitcher. Wm. Nattress, of The names of the former all-round the Columbus American Association champions, with their clubs and number of points won, are as follows:

1898 E. C. White, Cornell Uni-

1901 Adam Gunn, Buffalo 5,738

*1900 H.

*The record.

CRICKET.

CAMBRIDGE THE WINNER. London, July 7 .- The Oxford players, in the annual cricket match with Cambridge, which began Thursday, were all out Saturday for 251 runs in their second innings. Cambi Cambridge won

THE OAR.

WISE AND GAUDAUR MATCHED. Orillia, July 7.—Charlie Gaudaur informed a News-Letter representative that he and Charlie Wise, of Toronto were going to race, probably at Barrie on Monday, Aug. 4, if a suitable purse was hung up, and the contest will also call for \$500 a side. It is likely the Barrie firemen will hold a big demon stration that day. There will b water sports and Caledonian games to be contested by the best athletics in the land. Aug. 4 is Toronto's civic holiday, and a large crowd will ev up to Barrie from Toronto.

FOOTBALL.

WINNIPEG KICKERS TIE AT GALT Galt, July 7.-The football match played here Saturday afternoon, between the Winnipeg touring team and Galt resulted in a tie, neither team scoring. Galt scored once, but it was declared off-side. The game was well played on both sides, considering the very warm weather. The attendance was unusually good. FINALS AT BERLIN.

Berlin will see some pretty football there today when the W. F. A. inter-mediate finals will be played off. Galt, Brantford, Brussels and Listowel will