CLEVER LONDON ATHLETES

Harold Kerrigan, who will assist in

intermediates, who failed to finish, ow-

He has taken an active part in

rowing, cricket, tennis, football, la-

crosse and hockey. He will again be

seen chasing the pigskin this season.

for Fame at the Coming

Regatta on Aug. 9th.

Following are the four who will repre-

With Brown as stroke, the crew has

a cool and careful oarsman, who should

Every preparation is being made for

fort will be spared by the club offi-

cials to make the event a grand suc-

cess. Judging from the success of the

bowling tournament there will be no

lack of energy and good judgment dis-

played in the running of the regatta

VILLE.

New York, Aug. 2 .- J. F. Scholes, the

oarsman, returned from England

Thursday night on the steamship

ment abroad, and also of Titus, who

defeated him at Henley. Scholes says

he will go from here to Brockville,

Ont., to enter the Canadian champion-

ship regetta, but will not take part in

the first day's races on Saturday. He

will row Monday and Tuesday in the

senior singles and doubles. Then he will go to the Worcester races, and

follow the circuit, returning to New

York for the Harlem regatta on Labor

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Batteries—Eason, Curran and Moran; Williams and Kling.

At Philadelphia (first game)— Cincinnati' ...1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—3 10 0 Philadelphia ..0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—2 8 0

Batteries-Hahn and Bergen: Duggleby

At Philadelphia (second game)-

At New York (first game)-

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Batteries-Fraser and Dooin: Thielman

Batteries-Currie and Ryan; McGinnity

Batteries-Pearson and Ryan: Matthew-

Pittsburg1000020030-6 13 4 Brooklyn1001030010-6 12 0

Batteries-Leever and Smith; Hughes, Donovan and Farrell.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Batteries-Piatt and Sullivan; Wiltse

Batteries-Townsend and Clarke; Siever

EASTERN LEAGUE.

Batteries—Lee and Toft; Pappalau and Wrigley. Umpire, Cox.

At Rochester—
Rochester 0 0 3 1 0 0 5 1 • -10 10
Newark 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 - 2 10

Batteries-McAleese and Phelps; Moriarity and Jope. Umpire, McNamara.

Day.

At Boston-

and Maloney.

and Bresnahan.

At Brooklyn-

and Yeager.

Boston

At Cleveland-

At St. Louis-

At Detroit-

and McGuire.

At Toronto-

He speaks highly of his treat-

G. B.

Jack Brown (stroke).

Widmer Bland.

Art Mortimore.

William Southam.

ing to the protest by Peterboro.

Frank Hobbs, known familiarly in sport circles as "China," is one of Loncarrying the name of London to victory in the future as he has done in don's most popular athletes. He began his career in the line of athletics the past, is a well put-up young man. in 1895 with the London high school He has been connected with athletic hockey team, which he captained in affairs since 1896, during which period awarded a special prize for winning 1895-96-97, winning the city champion- he has won many admirers. He is 22 the greatest number of laps-14 out of ship. In the fail of 1897 he captained years old, weighs 168 pounds, stands the Ridley College football team, win-ning the inter-college championship. In London. His first venture in athletics cago; 2 Bald, Buffalo. Also entered— 1898 he played hockey with the St. was in 1896, with the London junior H. Lugger, Bill Martin and Beau-Catharines team, which won the southern district league championship. In the intermediate hockey club, this behalf team. In 1897 he played with the southern district league championship. In the intermediate hockey club, this behat—1 Wilson, Pittsburg; 2 Collett, the intermediate hockey club, this behat—1 Wilson, Pittsburg; 2 Collett, the southern district league championship. the fall of 1898 he captained the Loning the year London withdrew on acdon Juniors and won the championcount of the Guelph protest. In 1898

Kimble, Ivor Lawson and Jay Eaton.
Time, 0:37, 1:06%, 1:38, 2:06. Third
he captained the London South team
the London intermediate team, which was beaten out by the high the London intermediate team, which was beaten out by the high Chicago. Also entered—John Bedell, won not only the O. H. A. champion- school team for the city championship. Lynbrook; Jacobson, New Haven; Orship, but at Montreal, the O. R. F. U. In 1899 he again captained the London lando Stevens, Los Angeles, Cal. Time, championship as well. In the spring of South team, losing again to the high 1900 he captained the Jubilee hockey school by protest. In 1900 he played Schrieber, New York. Also entered—club, which won the city champion—with the St. John team, which lost to Saxon Williams, New Haven, Conn., which won the city champions with the St. John team, which lost to the Jubilee team. In 1901 he was again and George C. Campbell, Toronto. Time, 0.38%, 1:09½, 1:41%, 2:09%.

Two mile professional handicap—
which won the championship of On
by he played center and inside wing First heat—1 Kegan, Lowell, 150 yards: tario and Canada as well. He has the for the London Juniors, the team win-

championship. He also won the 2-mile bicycle champlonship of the high school in 1897. Mr. Hobbs is an all-round athlete, and one of whom London has just cause to be proud. Unfortunately, however, circumstances will prevent him taking part in any more contests. Mr. Hobbs is about 5 feet, 7 inches in height, and weighs 140 pounds.

JACKSON LIKES LONDON FOUR PITCHER WATTS FOR BLENHEIM

proud distinction of having been cap- ning the Rugby championship both

ing the first and only year in the his- mediate team, playing second outside

tory of the college that they won a wing; that year the team won the On-

The Clever Young Ex-London Speedy Local Crew Will Strive Player Is Making Good in the Michigan League.

Al Watts, the clever London pitcher | The London Rowing Club are beginwho has played such grand ball for ning to show the proper sort of spirit 'he Aberdeens of the City League, and and enthusiasm by sending a good, sho recently signed with the Jackson strong club to the Blenheim regatta. team, which stands second in the Their work will be watched with eag-Michigan League race, is sure to make erness, as the four feel sure of securgood in his present company, as is ing the prize, although they will have shown by the following from a Jack- to clash with some very strong crews.

son paper Al Watts, the new pitcher for Jack- sent London at the Blenheim regatta son, was in the game that was for-feited. He showed some deceitful balls, Jack Brown (stroke). and barring a little nervousness pitch-ed winning ball. He struck two men out in three innings."

Then comes a letter from W. W. Todd, manager and owner of the team, in which he says: "I like the appearance of Watts very much, and think pull his men to victory. he will develop into a very valuable man for the team. I shall see that the annual regatta in this city in the he is given a fair show and will treat early part of September, and no ef-

him right. Another letter from N. H. Branch, treasurer of the team, says: "Watts pitched a fine game yesterday, and is sure to make good."

This all looks good for Watts and all the fans of London unite in wish- affairs. ing him the best success possible, and hope he will uphold the name of his SCHOLES WILL ROW AT BROCKbirthplae, London. He is 21 years old, stands 5 feet 101/2 inches and weighs 165 pounds. G. B.

THE BOSTON BLOOMERS.

People who have never seen the famous Boston Bloomers, who are to play at Tecumseh Park on Tuesday and Wednesday . ext. are wondering what sort of a game they will put up against a team of men. Can they hit the bail? Can by catch it? Can they coach? Can they run? These and many other questions are being asked every day, and they will all be finally answered when a picked team impresenting London, will meet the Bloomers. As a matter of fact, the Bloomers play fast, clean ball, and it will take the best team the city can produce to win out. And why should women not play ball? It provides the best open-air exercise and is not too strenuous. The conduct of this team both on and off the field is above reproach, and the games in which they have participated have been witnessed by thousands of women, all of whom speak in the highest terms of their conduct. At the game in Montreal last Sunday they had an attendance of 10,000, of whom 4,000 were ladies. This was their third game in Montreal this season. The names of the team which will play against the Bloomers will be published on Mon-

COMING GREAT BATTLE The city street car motormen and conductors will play the officials of the company a game of baseball at Springbank Park on Thursday, Aug. 7, the game to be called at 2:30 p.m. sharp. This should prove to be a very interesting game, and well worth witnessing, as the winners will be challenged by the policemen. Many very flattering offers are being made to outside players to join both teams, but their affidavits must be officially signed.

BRUSSELS 29, BLYTH 5. Brussels, Ont., Aug, 2 .- Brussels defeated Blyth in a game of baseball at Brussels y iterday. The score was 29 to 5. Riddell's pitching and Roache's throwing to second were the features of the game.

WATFORD 11. STRATHROY : Watford, Ont., Aug. 2 .- In the return came of baseball with Strathroy played here yesterday, Watford defeated Strathroy by a score of 11 to 2. Bat-teries—Strathroy, O'Dwyer and Butler; Watford, Hobbs and Tripp.

ESSEX 20. PIERCE TEAM 1. Essex, Ont., Aug. 2.-The Essex baseball team defeated the Pierce baseball team of Detroit here yesterday by a

PALMERSTON 11, ACTON 3. Acton, Ont., Aug. 2.—The Acton junior baseball team was defeated at Elora yesterday by Palmerston.

Acton 2... 3 Palmerston 11 10 Batteries-Ryder and Fvfe; Herberts

WHEEL. THE N. C. A. MEET. Ottawa, Aug. 2.—The three days

Ottawa, Aug. 2.—The three days' circuit meet under the auspices of the National Cycling Association opened here yesterday. Results:

10 miles, Canadian amateur championship—1 W. Morton, Toronto; 2 W. Jones, Ottawa; 3 J. Smith, Toronto. Time, 27:11. Morton also was averaged a special prize for winning

mile, circuit championship, first Also entered—Owen Haven. 0:35½, 1:05½, 1:37%, 2:05. Fourth heat -1 Kramer, East Orange, N. J.; 2

2 Lawson, Salt Lake City, 30 yards; 3 Kimble, Louisville, 90 yards; 4 Martin, 120 yards; 5 M. Bedell, 150 yards; tain of the Ridley football team dur- years. In 1900 he was with the inter-6 Newkirk, 150 yards. Time, 2:10, 4:38. Second heat—1 Jacobson, New Haven, 120 yards; 2 Bowles, Chicago, 90 yards; 3 Bald, 120 yards; 4 Williams, 150 yards; 5 Grady, Boston, 150 yards; 6 tario and Canadian championships. In 1901 he was again a member of the Beauchamp, Australia, 180 yards. Time, 2:03, 4:12%. Final—1 Beauchamp, 180 yards; 2 Kimble, 90 yards; 3 Bowles, 90 yards; 4 Newkirk, 150 yards; 5 Jacobson, 120 yards. Time, 2:12, 4:18% (Beauchamp), 4:37½ (Kimble).

Half mile motor-A. Martineau, Ottawa, to break track record, 49 seconds. Martineau's time, 0:481/6. Half mile consolation, amateur—1 J. Willett, Toronto; 2 W. Smith, Toronto, 3 H. Ryms, Toronto. Time, 0:36½, 1:08½. Half mile consolation, professional—

1 Stevens, 2 Kegan, 3 Fisher, 4 Eaton. rime, 1:04. Motor cycle race-1 A. Martineau, Ottawa; 2 B. Leclaire, Montreal. Time, ma, 2:07, has been posted, the final installment of \$10,000 each having been Quarter mile, Ontario championship
—First heat—1 Morton, Toronto; 2 W. Smith Toronto. Robitaille, Penman, Ottawa, and Rennie, Toronto, also entered. Time, 0:35. Second heat—1 W. Jones, Ottawa; 2 J. Smith, Toronto. Andrews, Ryms, Toronto, and O. Ore-gan also entered. Time, 0:33%. Final

Smith. Time, 0:34. LACROSSE.

-1 Jones, 2 Morton, 3 J. Smith, 4 W.

GREAT GAME ON MONDAY. Monday's game at Tecumseh Park is attracting a great deal of outside attention, and inquiries for tickets have been received from several of the neighboring towns. Brantford's all-star twelve is a big attraction for many, while the confidence of the local management that they can pull out a victory assures a warm contest. London defense will be in good shape, as Mooney will once more be able to take his place on the team, and although this department of the Brantford twelve is supposed to be the best in the C. L. A., it will have its troubles and get all that is coming to it. The London home has been strengthened by the addition of young Jackson, who is the first real outside home player the local team has had. Although young he seems to know the position in- Highland Park: and he has greatly im stinctively. proved London's scoring department.
There may be yet another change in the line-up as it is not quite satisfactory to the management, who are determined to present the strongest possible front and defeat Brantford if

it is at all possible. Already some few bets have been made on the result. The supporters of the local team the holding out for odds and there is no doubt that if they get them there will be plenty of money to back the old gold and purple. George Black is putting the finishing touches on the training and expects to have his bunch ready to go at top speed the whole distance Monday afternoon. They realize the ask they have before them to defeat the most-talked-of team in Canada. but are more than confident of the

LORNES WON. Mount Forest, Ont., Aug. 2.-The Lornes, of Mount Forest, defeated Durham here yesterday in an intermediate series of C. L. A. game by 6 to 2. OWEN SOUND CINCHES LEAD. Owen Sound, Ont., Aug. 2.-Hanover and Owen Sound played lacrosse here yesterday in the intermediate C. L. A. series. Owen Sound winning by a score of 16 to 5. This places the Owen Sound team very much in the lead in this district.

BRADFORD ON TOP. Bradford, Ont., Aug. 2.-A clean and Tottenham, resulting in victory for tually gives the district to Bradford. as they have only two more games to play, and they are sure of winning them. Mr. Gillespie, of Orangeville, gave great satisfaction as referee.

THE TURF.

Columbus, Ohio, Aug. 2.-The judges at the Grand Circuit races yesterday unearthed a job in the \$5,000 stake for :20 pacers, and by prompt action saved innocent speculators who had backed be taken out of the horse's share Chamber of Commerce at Detroit and | zon, 118 (Wonderly), 2 to 1 and 2 to

again at Cleveland. He had great 5, 2; Oclawha, 101 (L. Jackson), 8 to speed today and should have beaten Greenline. The 2:10 trot went to Waubun, after seven hard heats. The gray gelding was favorite at \$100 to \$70. Bad breaks put him out of the first two heats, but he stayed long enough to land first money. The two short races were won by Klondike and Chase in straight heats. The feature of the closing day of the meeting will be the attempt of Dan Patch, 2:03%, to beat 2:014, the record of his sire, Joe Pat-

Waubun, g.g., by Pilot-Medium, dam Althea

Summaries:

2:10 class trotting, purse \$1,500:

chen.

2:20 class pace, purse \$5,000: 2:14 class trotting, purse \$1,200; 2 in 3:

2:21 class trotting: Chase, b.g., by Keeler, dam by Ax-telle (Hudson) telle (Hudson) 1
William Tell, b.g. (Wilson) 2
Oneonta, s.m. (Olney) 3
Jim Fenton, br.g. (Patterson) 4
The Money Maker, b.h. (Wallace) 6
Maud Carlisle, b.m. (Murphy) 5
Regretful, b.m. (Curt) 7

TODAY'S GREAT RACE. New York, Aug. 2.—The entire side bet of \$40,000 for the match trotting race today at Hartford between Lord Derby, 2:061/2, owned by E. E. Smathers, and Thomas W. Lawson's Boralstallment of \$10,000 each having been placed in the hands of the stakeholder in this city yesterday afternoon. Both racers, which are stabled at the Charter Oak Park in Hartford, are said to be in the pink of condition for the great contest, which practically will be for

POOLROOM LOST HEAVILY. Louisville, Ky., Aug. 2.-As the result of a mistake made in posting orders the Kingston poolroom yesterday lost about \$12,500. On account of a similarity of names the board market confused Talala, a 2 to 5 favorite, and Duella, a 30 to 1 shot, entered in the first race at Highland Park, and reversed the odds on the board. The form players immediately noticed the false price and a large sum was bet before the mistake was discovered.

resterday at the Big Race Tracks.

AT HIGHLAND PARK. Detroit, Mich., Aug. 1.-Following

and up—Talala, 107 (Gormley), 3 to 5, of the active players, but other citizens national League, and who was looked won by two lengths; Vouch, 102 (Irwin), 15 to 1, 2; Emma C. L., (Kelly), 2 to 1, 3. Time, 1:351/4. Second race, 5 furlongs, for 2-yearolds, colts and geldings-Her Letter, It is an old and manly game, one lengths; St. Daniel, 109 (Hayden), 11 to which arouses enthusiasm among its 5, 2; Sir Gallant, 107 (McClusky), 5 to

1, 3. Time, 1:01%.
Third race, 1 mile, for 3-year-olds and up-Mint Bed, 94 (Louden), 2 to 1, won by three lengths; Chopin, 104 (Alarie), 10 to 1, 2; Irish Jewel, 109 (Robertson), 2 to 1, 3. Time, 1:431/2. Fourth race, 6 furlongs, for 2-yearolds-Laura F. M., 100 (C. Kelly), 7 to 10, won by three lengths; Hallucination, 89 (Preston), 6 to 1, 2; Spinet, 103 (Irwin), 5 to 1, 3. Time, 1:15. Fifth race, 6 furlongs, for 3-yearolds, selling-Siphon, 105 (R. Steel), 4 to 1, won by a nose; Aden, 112 (L. Thompson), 6 to 1, 2; Illowaho, 112 (Minder), 31/2 to 1, 3. Time, 1:15.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles, for 3-yearolds and up, selling-Secundas, 102 (Minder), 5 to 1, won by three parts of a length; Lady of the West, 102 (Alarie), 7 to 5, 2; Filibuster, 93 (C. Kelly), 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:481/2.

AT BRIGHTON BEACH.

New York, Aug. 2.-W. R. Condon, Rose Tint, Anak and Belle of Lexingscientific game in the intermediate Brighton Beach yesterday, the other L. A. was played here this events going to long shots. The fourth afternoon between the home team and race, a handicap, for three-year-olds and up, at one mile and a quarter, was Bradford by 7 goals to 3. This vir- the feature of the card. Ethics, the favorite, won, but was disqualified for foul. Arden jumped away in front, and showed the way for half a mile, where Himself took command, closely together to the stretch. Burns on the favorite was working hard. In the stretch he was third, and closing very and in doing so bumped Tom Kenny, who in turn knocked against Numeral, throwing these two horses out of the race. Ethics won by two lengths, with Himself second and Tom Kenny third. Bullman, who rode Tom Kenny, claimed the foul, and the winner was one year. The 2:20 pace was the feadisqualified. Summary: ture of a good card. There were six First race, for 3-year-olds and up,

selling, 1 1-16 miles-Stevedore, 97 (L. Smith), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, 1; Soroaster, 103 (Redfern), 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, 2; Satire, 104 (Wonderly), 40 to 1 and 8 to

Third race, 2-year-olds, selling, 5 furlongs-W. R. Condon, 102 (L. Smith),

Knight, 105 (T. Burns), 7 to 2 and 6 to 5, 3. Time, 1:00 1-5. Fourth race, handicap, 3-year-olds and up, 114 miles-Himself, 114 (Odom). 7 to 1 and 2 to 1, 1; Tom Kenny, 117 (Bullman), 3 to 1 and even, 2; Numeral, 104 (Wonderly), 10 to 1 and 1 to 4, 3. Fifth race, 2 year-olds, 5 furlongs-Rose Tint, 114 (T. Burns), 1 to 8 and out, 1; Dark Planet, 112 (Odom), 15 to

miles, to be ridden by apprentice boys
—Annak, 101 (Hyland), 9 to 10 and 1 to 3, 1; Justice, 101 (Barbe), 12 to 1 and 4 to 1, 2; Loone, 108 (Barbier), 10 to 1 and 3 to 1, 8. Time, 1:48 2-5. Seventh race, 3-year-olds, selling, 6 furlongs—Belle of Lexington, 111 (Odom), 6 to 5 and 1 to 2, 1; The Ama-

AT ST. LOUIS.

track fast. First race, 6½ furlongs, selling—Palmette 1, Anything 2, Faithward 3. Time, 1:221/2. Second race, 51/2 furlongs, selling Flash of Night 1, Pour Quoi Pas 2, Jack Young 3. Time, 1:094. Third race, 61/2 furlongs, selling Fugurtha 1, Joe Lesser 2, Delsarte 3.

Fourth race, 7 furlongs, purse—Jim Clarke 1, Prosper Lai Go 2, Groix d'Or Time, 1:28. Fifth race, mile and 20 yards, selling
-Tickful 1, Ciales 2, Van Hoorebeke 3.

is Volmer 1, Flop 2, Randazzo 3. Time,

Chicago, Aug. 2. — Autumn Leaves furnished a decided surprise at Harlem yesterday by winning the fourth race, in which she was the extreme outsider at 50 to 1. Three favorites and two outsiders won the other five events.

Time, 1:291/5. Fifth race, 1½ miles—Major Mansir, 101 (Hicks), 8 to 1, 1; Ravensbury, 94

(Meade), 7 to 5, 2; Leonewell, 103 (Ransch), 6 to 5, 3. Time, 2:41½. Sixth race, 1 mile—Fitzkanet, 107 (Ransch), 6 to 5, 1; John Bright, 104 (Troxler), 3 to 1, 2; Fairbury, 99 (Beauchamp), 25 to 1, 3. Time, 1:44%.

BRUSSELS WON GAME. Brussels, Ont., Aug. 2.-Brussels deeated Blyth in a game of football at

ENGLISHMEN PLAY GREAT GAME

St. Louis, Aug. 2.-Weather clear,

Sixth race, 61/2 furlongs, selling-Mor-

AT HARLEM.

Weather perfect. Track slow, but drying out fast.
First race, 6 furlongs—Huachuca,113
(J. Woods), 3 to 2, 1; Della Ostrand, 103 (Nutt), 8 to 1, 2; Judicious, 98 (Birkenruth), 9 to 1, 3. Time, 1:06%.
Second race, mile and 50 yards—Col-

Reed), 30 to 1, 3. Time, 1:17%.
Fourth race, 7 furlongs — Autumn
Leaves, 95 (Fitzmaurice), 50 to 1, 1; Ethel Wheat, 100 (Donnelly), 15 to 2, 2; Vulcain, 104 (Buchanan), 18 to 5, 3.

FOOTBALL.

LAWN TENNIS.

Longwood, Mass., Aug. 2.-The great match of the tennis tournament yes-terday was that in doubles on the exhibition court, and a big crowd was there to see it. The first and third sets brought out the fastest and best tennis nine of the 20 games running to deuce. The Englishmen soon found that Ware was the soft spot in the American team, and made him the target of nearly all the shots. Ware's weakness was nearly made good by the brilliancy of Larned's play, and this proved considerable solace to the experts, who believe that he at least will be successful in his matches next week with the Englishmen for the international trophy. The Americans' best play today against the Dohertys seemed to be deep lobs, which the Englishmen had to handle carefully. and could therefore put little speed into the return. But the placing of the Dohertys won many points, while Ware's tendency to drive into the net or outside kept them nearly always followers of the game as if the Englishmen skipped up a bit in the third set and allowed their opponents to capture it, but in the last one the elder Doherty volleyed and smashed until the set and the match were safe. The 6-4, 6-1, 4-6, 6-3. match was between the Wrenns and Wright and Clothier, which the former won by good generalship and head-

work. INTERPROVINCIAL TOURNEY. Montreal, Aug. 2.-The third day of the interprovincial tournament spoiled by rain. In the morning the Grant won from Ross by default. In the afternoon a start was made in the final for the Montreal cup by Ross and Suckling. Only one set was played, which stood 5-4 in favor of Ross.

BOXING.

OUT IN THE NINTH. Baltimore, Md., Aug. 2.-John Leckner was counted out in the ninth "Tommy" Love, of Philadelphia, be-fore the Eutau A. C. last night. Love had all the better of the contest and made a chopping block of the local

TOMMY COPE WILL RETURN

Forest City Club in Strong and Former Cockney Third Baseman Will Return This Winter-Giese's Hard Luck.

W. D. McGregor has pust returned from the Nebraska University, which which Londoners indulge, for many he has attended for the past three and a half years, and where he played left field for the university ball team. While in Nebraska he played against ity have developed in the total ranks. Tommy Cope. He says he will re-London's old favorite third baseman, turn to London for the winter.

In his travels he also met another ing it now, remain its ardent admirers. for any team he can catch on with. He is simply down and out, as many other good men before him have been.

GERMAN EMPEROR HAS SOME DECIDED VIEWS

Frowns Upon Extravagance, Drunkenness and Other Vices.

the German Kaiser has very decided opinions on the liquor question and has made efforts to promote temperance in the country. The present agitation against the undue use of intoxicants had its origin in wishes expressed by his majesty in court and

army circles. The other day when dining with a crack regiment of hussars he expressed his astonishment at the table groaning under a load of wine of different vintages and from various lands. He called the colonel side and rated him soundly about this extravagance.

"I wish," said the kaiser, "to drink am at home nothing gives me greater pleasure than a glass of beer, and beer I shall drink here. Tell them to get me a glass of Pilsner."

About ten days ago he visited a general of division in Potsdam, and while talking to the ladies in the drawingnegligently turned room leaves of an album in which were reproductions of a number of famous modern pictures in which the female figure was portrayed in somewhat undress form. The kaiser did not hesitate to express his astonishment at seeing these pictures in a general's house and hoped that young people and children had not access to them. He is reported afterward to have said that he will leave no stone unturned first to abolish extravagance among his officers and secondly to abolish

The kaiserin is also interested in reforms. She, however, is chiefly distressed at the neglect of their churches by the people. At a recent conference of eminent German clergymen a message from her majesty was read in which she deplored the growing tendency of the people to stay away from church. Not two people in every hundred attended church. Since then the decline has been steady, and the tendency is toward a still greater decline. Her majesty insists that more churches must be built.

Cutting Out Cigarettes.

That New York is smoking more cigars and fewer cigarettes, and thus following the up-to-date health hints, is proved by the just published statistics of the fiscal year ending June 30. In the year closed the consumption was as follows in comparison with 1901: Cigars, 954,099,077; increase, 183,-196,476; little cigars, 158,738,517; crease, 7,159,798; cigarettes, 1,133,199,885; decrease, 74,246,052; manufactured to-bacco, 7,369,009 pounds; decrease, 814,-565 pounds.

Eight samples of lemonade analyzed at Leeds, England, have been found to contain lead poison. Russia has placed orders in England motor trucks, which are to be used at

RUIN CAME BY LITTLE THINGS

Nail Tear in Trousers Ruined Rich Stockbroker.

Overturning of an Ink Pot Mean Disaster for a Big Engineering Firm.

An ordinary penny postage stami brought ruin to Hobart, the "great British iron king." During the Whit worth period, when the big crisis it the iron trade occurred, he had agents in all parts of the world who kept him in the lead. It looked to some of the posted. Sometimes they telegraphed the news in cipher, but those in England were always instructed to write At that time his principal agent, whe was also his partner, was in Sheffield, and wrote him from there, warning him to sell out of all iron interests for the time on account of the Whitworth

Hobart had frequent fits of irritability and he had been receiving a lot of understamped letters of no importance, on which he had to pay double postage. One morning in anger he gave orders that such letters were to be returned to the carriers. The very best play was seen so far in the all be returned to the carriers. The very comers' final Harding beating Suckling 3-6, 2-6, 7-5, 6-4. In handicap jected as soon as it arrived.

Next day Hobart pledged himself for more iron deals than even his mighty credit was good for. The great drop in prices came two days later and Hobart, once a millionaire, was involved in a hopeless bankruptcy, from which he never recovered.

Geoffry Pask, once prince of London's Stock Exchange, was famous for being most punctual, never arround of his 20-round bout with riving a minute late, though he walked to the city from his home every morning. One day he tore his trousers on a nail that was sticking out of a fence. That tear ruined him. In-stead of going home, he went into the nearest tailor's to get a new pair of trousers. They had none he could wear, but they mended the tear for him and were so long about it that he was an hour late. That very morning was the one of the Australian slump, which broke fourteen firms in almost as many minutes; and though Pask could easily have saved himself had he been there to control his affairs, the delay at the tailor's carried them beyond hope, and he arrived to find himself a beggar. He committed suicide a week later.

The mere moving of a hand ruined Cobbett & Co., one of the largest and wealthiest engineering firms ever known. They and a rival American firm tendered for the building of the great Kaura Bridge for the Russian Government. Jacob Cobbett, who was the head of the business, spent six months in the designing and contract. ing and had all his plains ready. His bid was accepted, and material was bought in enormous quantities, men engaged and engines built. A time limit had been set for the commence-ment and the finish and Cobbett was perfecting his plant and making sure of the smallest details, with all the formula spread out before him, when held tournaments here, they have been old-timer in Giese, who pitched here he stretched out his hand, overturned an ink pot and drowned the most in

portant paper in a black sea. Cobbett had a poor memory. In fever of anxiety he tried to reconstruc his plans from stray notes. It was impossible, and he called to the Russian Government for more time. This was refused, and Russia repudiated the contract, on the ground of delay as the agreement allowed. Cobett could not get his work through in time and the American firm, who now advanced a cheaper tender with all plans prepared secured the contract. drove Cobbett & Co. into bankruptcy and the great Kaura Bridge in Russia

is American built. Somewhat similar, but more romantic, was the moment of forgetfulness that wrecked the career of the great railway contractor, Purbeck Jones, He had undertaken the contract to build the Maiwar line in Central India, and staked all he had. Security was necessary, however, and he was bound to deliver by May 9, 1891, a sufficient quantity of negotiable bonds, etc., to cover loss by the railway syndicate. This sum amounted to over £2,000,000, and even Purbeck Jones found it hard to raise such a sum, but his credit obtained it for him, and he deposited his securities in a great safe

at his office, preferring that to a safe

deposit. It was not until the morning that special guard to India. When he arrived to dispatch the securities under special guard to ndia. When Ihe arrived, to his utter dismay, he found he had left the keys of the safe behind. They were in his country place what you all drink every day. I do and to get them in time to catch the not wish all this lavishness. When I mail was impossible. If he missed mail was impossible. If he missed the mail, his time limit for the deposit would lapse. He sent to the safemakers for expert workmen and offered large rewards to them if they could break the safe open within two hours. They could not do it, and Purbeck Jones was ruined, for the syndicate refused an extension of time and the loss of the contract made him hopelessly bankrupt. He died in an insane asylum last year.

Vesuvius in Sympathy.

From Mount Vesuvius there recenty came a great quantity of vapor which was saturated with chlorohydric acid, and now all the farmers in the neighborhood are complaining that their vineyards and other crops have been seriously damaged thereby. The vapor, it appears, became condensed and fell in the form of acid rain, which speedily burned all the vegetation on which it fell. The farmers evidently think that the government is responsible for whatever Vesuvius does, for they have formally demanded full compensation for their losses. The government has replied by sending a commission to study the situation and to find a remedy, if possible. Vesuvius, however, is still threating, and the vineyards show no signs of life.

Rise of an Actor-Manager.

Otis Skinner, who has been coming into renewed prominence lately as an actor-manager of serious and elevated purposes, is one of the many actors who received their training in classic comedy from Augustin Daly. He was a member of Mr. Daly's company in 1886-when, says F. E. Fyles, in an article on Mr. Skinner Monthly for August, he began that brilliant series of Shakespearean revivals with "The Merry Windsor." Mr. Skinner played page in that comedy and Lucentio in "The Taming of the Shrew" that followed. Mr. Daly then staged the prologue for the first time in this country, bringing William Collier from the position of call boy to actor, as the page who is disguised as Christopher Sly's lady for two powerful motor cars and six fair. Mr. Skinner's best work, however, was in his Lysander in "A Midsummer Night's Dream."

DOINGS AT COLUMBUS.

the field a large sum of money. Severe punishment was meted out to the guilty party, Driver Smart and the horse Elder One being suspended for starters, but Greenline and Elder One were conceded to have the race between them. Greenline won first heat with ease in 2:091/2, slow time over the track, which was lightning fast. The 5, 3. Time, 1:46 1-5. Reveland30000111. -6 12 4 Boston00200001-3 8 1 original betting had been, Greenline \$100 and the field \$30. Elder One's showing in the second heat produced the large results of the second heat produced the large results of the second heat produced the large results of the large results second heat was won by Elder One, who paced a beautiful mile in 2:0514, Batteries-Joss. Bernhard and Bemis; Batteries-Powell and Kahoe; Wilson sired result on the odds, which now Time, 1:01 1-5. switched to \$30 on Greenline and \$50 on the field. The third heat went to Greenline in 2:01¼, Stuart making 8 to 5 and 3 to 5, 1; Right and True, no effort with Elder One. When the 97 (McFadden), 6 to 1 and 5 to 2, 2; Red horses came out for the fourth heat, the judges ordered Stuart out of the sulky, and put Valentine, a local trainer and driver, up behind Elder One.

Elder One took the fourth heat in 2:061/4, outpacing Greenline in the stretch. In the first heat Elder One went to a break in the first turn and could not be set to pacing again. He finished behind the flag with a broken hopple, which, investigation showed, had been cut nearly through before the heat started. The judges declared all bets off, placed Elder One fourth instead of distanced in the last heat, sus-miles, to be ridden by apprentice boys Batteries-Amole, Gray and Bevier; Mc-Cann and Butler. Umpire, Egan. pended Stuart and the horse Elder One for one year and fined Hudson \$100 for nat trying to win the last heat with Tertimen. Valentine was awarded \$200 for driving Elder One, the amount to Business is like a clock. It is wound up after it runs down. And it isn't like a clock, for after it is wound up it the purse. Elder One is the pacer who finished second to Direct Hal in the

onial Girl, 107 (Goodyear), 11 to 10, 1; Lou Woods, 109 (Ransch), 4 to 1, 2; Water Edge, 100 (J. Hicks), 12 to 1, 3. Time, 1:48%. Third race, 6 furlongs—Lampoon, 101 (Ransch), 5 to 1, 1; Goody Two Shoes, 93 (Helgeson), 20 to 1, 2; Almaric, 95 (C.

Brussels yesterday. The score was 5 boy.

QUOITING STANDS IN HIGH FAVOR

Healthy Condition-Tournament in September.

Quoiting has held a more or less prominent place among the sports in years, but of recent years it has been more distinctly in the public eye, probably because some players of high abil-The Forest City Quoit Club is a sound, are the results of yesterday's races at healthy organization. When it has First race, 71/2 furlongs, 4-year-olds attended by large numbers, not only during the existence of the old Inter-100 as well-men who in the past have upon as one of the coming ball-tossers played the game, and, while not play- of the country. Today he is pitching followers, as every game combining tests of endurance, skill and good

judgment always does. The Forest City Quoit Club will hold their grand tournament on Sept. 23, 24 and 25. Their grounds are on York street, opposite the G. T. R. station, and the grounds committee promise that they will be in excellent condition for the tournament. The rules of the tournament say that all entries must be in by half past one on the first day of the tournament. Play will start on that day at 1 o'clock, and on the two following days at 9 o'clock. The rules say also that winners in the first series cannot compete in the second, nor can winners in the second compete in the third. The outlook for the tournament is very fine; in fact, even if no more enter than are known now to be coming, success is assured. ton were the winning favorites at The places that will be represented outside of London are Toronto, Woodstock, Sarnia, Belleville, Elmira, Ayr, Galt, Blyth, Port Bruce, Aylmer and others. Mr. James Bell, of this city, holder of the Canadian championship for some years, will be London's best representative. He will make an atfollowed by Numeral. Those two raced tempt to regain championship honors, and Londoners all wish him the attainment of his ambition, but whether fast on the outside. Opposite the field he wins it or not he will be the same stands Burns cut across to the rail, popular Jimmy Bell that he has been in all the time that he has been identi-

> fied with this and other good sports. The club is putting up a fine array of prizes, all of which will be well worth competing for and winning, if possible. In addition the medal donated by the Dominion Quoiting Association will be played for, which will give the tournament an added importance.

> The officers of the Forest City Club are:

> P. Mulhall, president; Wm. Wiley, first vice-president; John Robinson, second vice-president: Wm. Baskerville, treasurer; D. Wiley, secretary; grounds committee, R. Errington, M. Brown, John Talbot, H. Storie, Scott Murray; auditors, P. F. Boyle, Joseph Pevler, Wm. Murray.

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