THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

Yesterday's Results In the Big Leagues

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati, 3; Philadelphia, 2.
At Cincinnati:
Philadelphia .. ..0000001100—2 11 1
Cincinnati .. ...0000020001—3 11 1
Rixey and Witherow; Luque and Allen.

Brooklyn, 3; Chicago, 2.
At Chicago—First game:
Brooklyn ... .000003000—3 9 0
Chicago ....000002000—2 6 1
Mamaux, Grimes and Krueger; Tyler and Killifer, Daly.

Brooklyn, 4; Chicago, 1.
Second game:
Brooklyn ....101002000—4 11 1
Chicago ....010000000—1 5 1
Pfeffer and Elliott; Carter, Bailey and Daly.

Pittsburgh, 4; Boston, 3.
At Pittsburgh:
Boston ....100001100—3 9 2
Pittsburgh ....30000001x—4 10 2
Oeschger and O'Neill; Cooper and Haeffner.

New York, 7; St. Louis, 1.
At St. Louis:
New York .....000110410—7 12 0
St. Louis .....000000010—1 7 6
Nehf and King; Snyder, Goodwin, North and Dilhoefer.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland, 5; Philadelphia, 3.
At Philadelphia:
Cleveland ....001010111—5 9 0
Philadelphia ....300000000—3 8 1
Coveleskie and O'Neill; Moore and Perkins.

St. Louis, 7; New York, 3.
At St. Louis:
St. Louis .....000000520—7 9 1
New York .....010000020—3 5 1
Davis and Severeid; Quinn, Shore and Ruel.

Washington, 6; Chicago, 4.
At Washington:
Chicago ....202000000—4 11 0
Washington .. ...00003003x—6 10 1
Williams and Schalk; Courtney, Shaw and Gharrity, Picinich.

Boston, 6; Detroit, 5.
At Boston—First game:
Detroit ....100000004—5 4 1
Boston ....001000203—6 8 3
Ayers, Okrie, Ehmke and Ainsmith, Manion, Stanage; Bush, Pennock and Schang.

Boston, 4; Detroit, 0.
Second game:
Detroit ....000000000—0 4 2
Boston ....01002001x—4 11 1
Oldham, Okrie and Stanage; Pennock and Walters.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Buffalo, 6; Baltimore, 3.
At Buffalo:
Buffalo .....10003101x—6 10 2
Baltimore ....210000000—3 6 3
Martin and Bruggy; Frank and Egan.

Toronto, 7; Reading, 5.
At Toronto:
Toronto ....04020001x—7 9 0
Reading ....300000002—5 14 2
Shea and Devine; Brown; Bareiss and Konnick.

Akron, 8; Jersey City, 2.
At Akron (five innings):
Jersey City .....00002—2 7 1
Akron ....23120—8 13 1
Grevell, Donovan and Freitag; Flaherty and Walker, Smith.

Local Athletes Leave For Montreal

Local Boy Scout Endeavoring to Win Community Badge Has Done Well in Collecting Expenses for Those Going to Olympic Trials.

The Boy Scout who asked Mayor Schofield for something to do to earn his community badge, and who was given the task of collecting three hundred dollars for expenses in sending the St. John athletes to the Olympic trials is making good. The youngster was right on the job yesterday and the fact of attending the circus in the afternoon did not take him from the duty for he was out hustling all morning and afternoon. He arrived at the Mayor's office about 3.30 o'clock with thirty-two additional dollars having collected sixty dollars more in the morning. He reported that some excellent prospects were not at their places of business when he called but he would go after them later in the day. After he had checked up it was found that the Scout had collected $212 up to the time mentioned above and no doubt the full amount required would have been received by the Mayor later in the day.

Atwood Bridges, Ted Coster and A. Miller, the athletes for the trials leave for Montreal today.

RUTH MAKES IT TWENTY-EIGHT

New York July 14—On he first pitched ball in the second inning today, Ruth hit his 28th home run of the season and was passed on his next three trips to the plate. He needs one more home run to equal his record of last season.

Farmers' Typists.
(London Daily Mail.)
Girl typists should be installed in every village of France, declares M. Henri Girard, a well-known writer on agricultural subjects. She would help the mayor of the commune and his ever-increasing administrative work, and she would also take down letters from dictation for all the farmers.

Resume of Old Country Sports

Much Speculation Indulged in as to Selection of Team for Australia — Good Athletic Performances Encourage British Hopes for Coming Olympiad.

London, July 13.—Real summer weather has prevailed lately, and as is usual under such conditions, the cricket has been of a high order. Jack Hobbs, England's most famous batsman, was a bit slow in getting into his best form this season, but he has been busy recently. He came into his own by making four centuries in succession which carried him to the top of the batting averages with a rush. His fourth three-figure-innings was made against the Yorkshire bowlers at Sheffield, and his admirers were in hopes that he might go on and equal the record of C. B. Fry, who once made six centuries in succession. Hobbs failed, however, as his effort stopped at 70 in the second innings, leaving him just 27 runs short of the 1,000 for the season.

At the close of last week he headed the averages with figures of 60.84, and then come Lee (H. W.), 59.54, Hendren, 59.41; Hearne, 56.41, and Holmes, 53.28. With Middlesex furnishing three batsmen in the first four, the Metropolitan county is going strong, indeed.

Rhodes still shows the way among bowlers with 46 wickets at an average cost of 10.15; Cook, 61 wickets, average, 12.01 and J. F. Bridges, 25, Dickets average, 12.06, follow.

With the season so well advanced it is now possible to weigh up the chances of the players to gain a place in the M. C. C. team for Australia. Hobbs, Hendren, Holmes and Hearne are almost sure to be included. Hendren also plays football, which may possibly prove some handicap to his going. Holmes is now one of the safest bets in the Yorkshire team, and Australians will probably have the chance of seeing him. Earlier on it was expected that Rhodes would give place to younger men, but he is bowling so well and is such a valuable batsman when required, that the writer fully expects him to be another of the tourists.

Speculation goes on as to the probable captain. If Capt. P. F. Warner were not so liable to break down through ill-health, he would be first choice, but under existing conditions, another will probably be asked. If the writetr had to make the decision he would select the Hon. L. H. Tennyson, the captain of the Hampshire team. He is a good batsman, has had experience of a tour with a test team, and is of the right character to give the best out of the players.

How Yorkshire Went Under.

It fell to the lot of Surrey to stop Yorkshire's winning career and alter the look of the county championship table. When the southern county opened up with an innings of 305 and then got Yorkshire out for 199, it was clear that the latter were in danger of losing an unbeaten record. Surrey declared at 266 for 9 in the second innings after some lively batting had been seen. P. G. H. Fender scored 50 runs in 20 minutes and hit 21 runs off one over from Rhodes. There were two sixes, one hit sending the ball out of the ground into a street.

When Yorkshire went in again there was just five hours for play, whilst 373 runs were required for victory. Matters went badly for the home side, as six wickets fell for only 37 runs, and though the other batsmen did better, the total stopped at 168, so that Surrey won by 204 runs. The win enabled Surrey to go to the head of the championship table, with a percentage of 84.00, Yorkshire, 82.22, and Kent, 80.00, coming next, each having lost one match so far.

Tommy Burns Talks.

Some fluttering in boxing circles has been caused by Tommy Burns telling a gathering of pressmen that he thought Joe Beckett would be lucky if he lasted ten rounds against him (Burns) when they come together next month. Confidence is a great thing and it is certain that Burns is not lacking in this respect. There may be a hitch in the match, as C. B. Cockran says that he wants an assurance that Beckett will undertake to meet Frank Moran in September, as arranged. Meanwhile Burns offers to take on Moran himself should Beckett fail to keep to his engagement.

Beckett is one of the silent sort and we are not likely to hear much from him. He will probably be all there, however, when his match with Burns comes along, nor is he the kind to miss when the Moran engagement is due. All the same, it is rather hard on Mr. Cockran that, after agreeing to the postponement of the Beckett-Moran match in response to a request by the former that the Southampton man makes another match with Burns.

Naturally one wonders why he feels his bad hand will stand the Burns fight when he had doubts of it serving his purpose against Moran. It looks as if he did not think the match with Burns would trouble him much.

Anglo-French Match.

The first, of what is to be an annual meeting between service teams from France and England in a series of eleven matches, was held on Tuesday. A very representative attendance witnessed the boxing, Prince Henry, Viscount Jellicoe, Earl Haigh and Lord Desborough being among those who were present. The winners received medals and the Desborough trophy will be held by the nation winning most of the competitions.

The home boxers were successful on Tuesday, securing eight wins to three by the Frenchmen. The superiority of the English boxers in the three bouts for officers was very marked, two of the bouts being stopped in the second round, whilst Capt. Lilly of the Dorset Regiment beat Lieut. Thibault in the Heavyweights with two punches.

The advance of boxing in France has been so rapid that it is safe to predict that our near neighbors will soon improve on their first showing, and future meetings will probably be much more closely contested.

The Golf Rule.

Very satisfactory progress has been made as a result of the conference between American and British golfers to consider certain modifications in the rules. Although the unfair stymie has not been abolished, the Royal and Ancient Club is prepared to sanction the introduction of altered conditions by another country. Later on one may hope that the British authorities will fall into line with America in this matter. As it is, A may set B a stymie, which deprives the second player from making a record. Moreover, B may knock A's ball in the hole in trying to beat the stymie, with the result that A gets credit for doing a score he never actually accomplished.

Even better progress was made regarding the lost ball rule and it is to be recommended that the penalty be a stroke and the lost distance, which is far better than losing the hole.

As to a standard ball, whilst some regret will be felt that "a ball which will float" was not accepted as a standard, we now know that no more innovations to make longer driving are likely to be introduced. There may be some difficulty in determining what is a 30 dwt ball (the agreed standard) but at any rate it is something to have a fixed limit.

Athletics.

Recent events have shown that Basil Rudd, the South African Rhodes Scholar, to be in grand form. His 48 3-5 seconds at Oxford on Monday, when he defeated H. Dufel, of South Africa, by four yards, suggests that he may beat the British record before long. He will probably have G. M. Butler as another great rival in the championship. The latter won the quarter last year in 49 4-5 seconds, and the pair dead-heated for the same distance at the inter-Varsity sports when the time was 49 2-5 seconds. The British record stands at 48 2-5 seconds, by the late Capt. Wyndham Halswelle, at Glasgow, in 1908, and it is quite possible that with three such runners as Butler and Rudd, of England, and Dafel, of South Africa, in opposition, new figures will be created.

Albert Hill, the English half and mile champion, is getting into form as he showed when running a mile in four minutes, 23 2-5 seconds at the Civil Service meeting. This is promising and he may yet touch his 1919 form and make a race of it with the best of the Americans at the Olympic games. Mention of this festival is a reminder that France will have a great middle distance runner at the festival in J. Guillemot, winner of the English cross-country championship. At Lyons last Sunday he ran 1,500 metres in four minutes 2 2-5 seconds, which is equal to a mile in 4 minutes 22 seconds. This suggests that he is another Jean Bouin and E. Backman, of Sweden, and Joie Ray, of America, will have to do some tall running to defeat him.

Another great runner in Hannes Kohlemainen is likely to be prominent in the marathon race at the Olympic games. He was the outstanding runner at Stockholm in 1912 and now that he has won a marathon trial in New York, the wonderful Finn will have to be considered. Whether he will represent the United States or his native country is not yet known, but he will be a tower of strength to his side.

Halifax, N. S., July 14—Ard stmr American Star, Las Palmas; yacht Josephine, Boston.

Halifax, N. S. July 14—Sld str Kanawha, London.

FIRST BIG YACHT RACE FOR AMERICA'S CUP AT NOON TODAY

The Challenger Shamrock IV. Has to Allow the Resolute Seven Minutes and One Second — Lipton Craft Has Much Larger Sail Area—Moderate Westerly Winds is Forecast for Today.

New York, July 14—Time allowance, a vital factor to any yachtsman, assumed added importance tonight, on the eve of the first America's Cup race of 1920, when it was learned that, in the event of a close finish tomorrow the winner might not be known before Friday.

Announcement by the race committee that Shamrock IV., Sir Thomas Lipton's "mystery sloop" must give Resolute, the defender, a handicap of seven minutes and one second because of the challenger's greater spread of canvas was coupled with another announcement that the committee had granted a request by the Irish yachtsman's forces for re-measurement of certain of the Shamrock's sails.

As it was impossible to put her canvas under tape today, and the yachts will be racing off Sandy Hook tomorrow, the work may not be done before Friday a day of rest for the yachting tars.

Therefore, should the result of tomorrow's contest hang on seconds, the rival crews must remain in suspense until Friday at least, for any change in sail figures would be reflected in time allowance. This change, however, would be only a few seconds, according to H. DeB. Parsons, chairman of the rface committee, who added that the possibility of a reversal in the judge's decision was almost negligible.

Tonight's announcement of the time allowance was made as soon as final figures on the measurements of the two yachts were reported to the committee by official surveyors. The tentative handicap was an upset to experts who had predicted that six minutes or six minutes and a half will be about the figure.

The reason for the handicap in favor of the Resolute is that Shamrock carries approximately 1,600 square feet more canvas than her rival which gives her a decided advantage in a boat for boat comparison. The official measurements of the two vessels are:

Shamrock		Resolute
10,459 sq. ft.	Sail area	8,775 sq. ft.
110.38 ft.	Length overall	106.34 ft.
75 ft.	Length on water	74.97 ft.
3.97 ft.	Quarter beam length penalty	1.23 ft.
78.97 ft.	L (racing length)	76.20 ft.
3,879 cu. ft.	Displacement	3,650 cu. ft.
0.58 ft.	Draught penalty	.0 ft.
94.4 ft.	Rating measurements	83.5 ft.

Both challenger and defender rode at anchor today in the horseshoe at Sandy Hook, very light winds, causing the rival skippers to abandon plans for a final test spin.

First race is scheduled to begin at 12 o'clock Thursday eastern time (daylight saving time) to be considered a race, each must be concluded within six hours of the firing of the starting gun. Shamrock's handicap as announced tonight will be 7 minutes and 1 second.

With three out of five races needed to win the cup, the race committee announced tonight that tomorrow's, Saturday's and Tuesday's races would be held as scheduled, but that after that date the yachts would race every day. This rule, however, will be subject to modification at the request of either skipper, who will have the privilege of requesting a day of rest between races. Final decision will lay with the committee.

Moderate westerly winds possibly a little fresh, were forecast by the weather bureau for the race tomorrow The weathr will be unsettled, with showers and possibly a thunder squall.

Canada Third In The Bisley Shoot

South Africa Won the Kolapore Cup, Mother Country Second—Winners Are Veterans — How the Teams Scored Yesterday.

Bisley Camp, England, July 14—(Canadian Associated Press)—The South African team today won the historic Kolapore Cup, presented by the Rajah of Kolapore in 1871. The mother country was second and Canada third. The South African team established a lead at the first two hundred yards and though the Canadians did the second range in the same number of shots—the South Africans increased their lead at the third range—six hundred yards—and finally won by 15 points from the Mother Country team. The Canadian tea mdid not shoot as well as the Mother Country at the last range. The South African team consisted entirely of veteran shots all of whom have been frequent visitors to Bisley. Its victory was, however, thoroughly well deserved. This is the first time South Africa has won the Kolapore Cup.

The team scores at the third range—600 yards an dtotals were:

South Africa 362, aggregate 1111.
Mother Country, 354, aggregate 1093.
Canada, 345, aggregate 1086.
India, 336, aggregate 1009.
Guernsey, 326, aggregate 998.

At six hundred yards the South African team maintained their remarkable scoring, the blackboard being a spectacle of centrals and when four had fired they were nine points ahead of the Mother Country team.

With twelve teams-men already certain and one attached member to shoot off tonight, Canada has a creditable representation for the second stage of the King's prize. Last year eighteen Canadians entered the second stage but the team then was exactly double.

In the Duke of Cambridge prize, Lieut. John Chandler, Woodstock, N. B., came eighth; ;Sergeant A. McCabe, Charlottetown, came 21st.

St. George's Challenge Vase

In entries in the St. George's challenge Vase Competition shot for today, were 737 against 1047 last year. The shooting in the first stage 300 yards was generally of a high level. Rifleman Ashworth, of thre Rifle Brigade, scored a fifty, which included eight centrals. Five competitors made 49, fourteen 48, thirteen 47, including Lieut. Nix, Major Northover, Major Richardson, Captain W. J. Sangster, Falmouth, N. S. and Major Utton, 32, 46 and 60, 45, including Captain Crowe, Private Edmund, Private W. J. Irvine of Ottawa, and Captain Vincent. Other Canadian scores in the first stage of the St. George's were: Lieut. John Chandler, Woodstock, N. B.; Sergeant A. McCabe, Charlottetown.

St. George Lost To St. John Vets

Snappy and Well Played Ball Game Caused Lonesome Feeling in St. George.

Special to The Standard.

St. George, N. B., July 14—Local baseball enthusiasm more or less inspired by the St. George team's recent winning streak was slightly dampened here on July 12th when the G. W. V. A. of the St. John City League defeated the St. George team by a score of 4 to 2. Dow kept the Vets from reaching second until the first of the fourth, when Garnett walked, then Gorman clipped a three-bagger to right field and, by the accurate throwing of Gordon, he was caught off the third sack by Johnston in the attempt to squeeze a home run, Garnett scoring. The Vets managed to squeeze in another run in this inning and two in the next. No veteran reached third base after the fifth inning.

St. George scored two runs in the last of the fifth, when Campbell tapped Beatty for a two-bagger to left field. Dow then came to the rescue by walloping the horsehide over the left field fence for a safe three-bagger, scoring Campbell Dow then scored on a single to right field by Spear. This ended the run getting for the rest of the game.

The feature of the game was the remarkable twirling of both mound artists. Beatty was tapped for 9 hits and 2 walks and credited with 9 strikeouts, while Dow, for the locals, was tapped for 4 hits, walked one and had 7 strikeouts.

Other features of the game were the sensational catches of Johnston and Campbell, Johnston capturing Kilpatrick's hot liner about three feet over his head. Campbell made a sensational catch of a breast-high liner. The game was clean throughout and the teams were well matched.

The return game is looked for with very keen interest both by the players and fans.

The line-up is as follows: G. W. V. A., O'Keefe, s.s.; Gill, l.f.; Garnett, c.f.; Gorman, 3rd b.; Nicholls, 2nd b.; Kirkpatrick 1st b; Beatty p.; Henderson, r.f.; Craft, c.

St. George: Gray, c.f.; Doyle 1st b; Dewar, 2nd b; Campbell s.s.; Johnston, 3rd b; Gordon, rf.; Cawley, l.f.; Spear, c; Dow, p.

Umpires: Rev. Fr. Holland, box; E. J O'Neill, bases. Attendance 1,200. Time 1 hour 50 minutes.

SHAMROCKS AGAIN WINNERS

In a close and interesting game played last evening on the Government grounds the Shamrocks defeated the Young Missions by a score of 6-5. The Shamrocks have only lost one game so far out of eleven that they have played. The batteries were: Shamrocks: Colohan and Patterson; Young Missions: Ricketts and Lee.

Four-Oared Race Next Saturday

Belyea Crew Accepts Challenge from the Stackhouse Four — Standard Sporting Department Donates Four Prizse for the Event.

Hilton Belyea, speaking for the Belyea four-oared crew of which he is stroke, stated to the Standard yesterday that he and his fellow oarsmen were quite willing to accept the challenge of the Stackhouse crew for a race on Saturday next. It will be remembered that the Stackhouse crew did not race Tuesday evening owing to a misunderstanding, they having been informed by some person that the race had been called off. Speaking on this matter yesterday Hilton Belyea said, that the citizens must not look on the Stackhouse crew as having quit from the event, but they were perfectly right in not going in for the race when it was called on as they had rowed the course and were not in as good condition when they were called from Sand Point as was the other crews. He further stated that the Stackhouse oarsmen were good men and a good race could be expected on Saturday.

The Standard Sporting Department has donated four prizes for the winning crew and full arrangements regarding officials will be completed today as the Stackhouse crew are ready as well as the Belyea crew for the contest. It may be possible that the race will be rowed on Courtenay Bay, but the course will be decided on by the members of the two crews.

Burns Created An Impression

Burns Shows Daily Improvement in Work for Bout.

London, July 14.—The public after some demur due to a doubt whether Burns could get into condition, is beginning to take a real interest in his fight with Joe Beckett next Friday. Canada has something at stake in the bout which will decide whether the Canadian ex-world's champion heavyweight can prove an exception to the rule which says champions cannot come back. The showing made by Burns during his workouts has opened the eyes of the British sporting fraternity. Although still somewhat on the fleshy side, his general condition is excellent and his tireless activity and excellent footwork have made a good impression. Burns is apparently as good as he was ten years ago in speed, ringcraft, and ability to hit hard. Whether he has his old endurance will be decided on Friday.

THE GREAT IMPERSONATION.

"As a mystery writer, Oppenheim stands at the head of his class, and in this, his latest book, he has outdone himself in his exploitation of the hitherto unsuspected." — Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Rainfall Postpones Grand Circuit Races

Toledo, July 14—A heavy rainfall early today caused the postponement of the Grand Circuit races and today's programme went over until tomorrow necessitating racing on Saturday to finish the week's programme.

A heavy rain late today makes it doubtful if the track will be in any shape for the third day's racing tomorrow although Secretary John Jackman was confident that if there was no more rainfall the track would be ready.

Four races are on the programme, the 2.05 pace with seven starters, the Fort Miami $3,000 trotting stake, 2.08 class with nine starters, the 2.13 trot with six starters and the free-for-all pace with only three starters, Single G., Grace Direct and Samardo.

ST. PETER'S JUNIORS TRIM PIRATES

A baseball game of seven innings was played last evening on the St. Peter's diamond between the St. Peter's Juniors and the Junior Pirates of the South End League. St. Peter's won 10-5 after an exciting contest. The battery for St. Peter's Juniors was McCardy and Kennedy. For the Junior Pirates, Lawson and Burtt. Features of the games were a home run by McCarty of St. Peter's and a triple by Crary. Joe O'Connor was the umpire.

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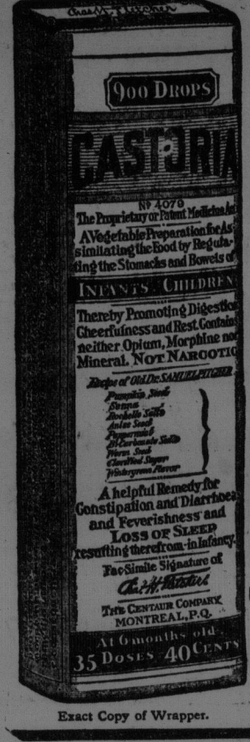

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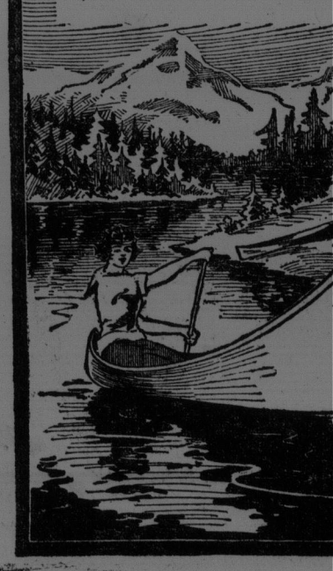
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