



SNAPSHOTS AT VARIOUS SPORTS

Becoming imbued with the notion that there was something unusual moving in local lawn bowling circles, the writer drifted into Mr. Jas. Tytler's office yesterday afternoon on a still hunt for news. As everybody knows, Mr. Tytler is a red-hot bowling enthusiast, besides being secretary of the Western Ontario Lawn Bowling Association.

When the scribe entered the office no party answering Mr. Tytler's description could be seen, but the clickety-click of a rapidly-working typewriter proclaimed the fact that somebody in the place was very busy. Over in one corner of the room, from where the noise appeared to be coming, was seen what looked like a mass of moving paper from which two hands were protruding and striking the keys of the aforesaid machine with remarkable precision and rapidity. Later it was discovered that what appeared to be a small mountain of manuscript was none other than the genial secretary buried to his neck in letters, prize lists and bowling statistics.

Busy? Of course he was busy—very much so. Scattered about the desk were lawn bowls, maps and plans of greens and almost every other old thing which a secretary of such a large organization should have—or at least generally does have—about him.

"I'm so busy," admitted Mr. Tytler, "that I don't know whether my name is Tytler or James—and I haven't time to figure it out, either."

It seems that the prize committee of the great bowling association has been busy for some time past in delving into the stock of the various mercantile and jewelry establishments in this city on still-hunt for prizes to be given out at the famous annual tournament of the association, to be held in this city, beginning Monday, July 15. And Mr. Tytler was busy making up the list of prizes and trophies on hand, and to be procured. Incidentally, it might be mentioned, that outside of one trophy cup, the prizes to be given are not donated, but are purchased outright by the association.

How many bowlers did Mr. Tytler expect would be entered in the tournament?

Well, last year there had been 49 rinks entered, and as each rink included four players, the list approximated 400 men.

On the local grounds there are 24 greens, allowing 192 players to get into action at one time.

At the last tournament there were 35 clubs represented, and of these three were local organizations.

It is expected that the programmes for the coming big event will be out within ten days, and these will include the prize lists.

Mr. Tytler is in receipt of communications from Stratford and Ottawa in reference to tournaments to be held in those places within a short time. Addresses of local clubs will be furnished, and efforts made to have London bowlers enter one or both of the events. The Stratford tournament will begin on June 25, while the Ottawa affair will probably be held sometime after the London tournament.

The prize committee of the W. O. B. A. is composed of Messrs. Harley Brown, Jas. Tytler and Dr. J. W. Wood.

What bothers the officials of the association most is the matter of accommodation for the expected host of outside bowlers in July.

"We couldn't have handled another rink last year," declared Mr. Tytler, "and if the entry list this year is larger than that of last season, new arrangements for their accommodation must be made."

It is predicted that the coming tournament will be the most successful yet held in this city, and if good, hard, earnest labor counts for anything, there will be nothing lacking in the matter of arrangements, for all connected with that end of the event are hustling about like bees in a hive—and busy bees make honey.

With the justly celebrated "Rufus" Kerr on the rubber for the McClarys and little Tommy Hyttenrauch on the opposing firing line, the battle this afternoon for premier honors between the Rockets and McClarys should be a hummer of the first water. The winner? Can't you guess?

The Toronto Telegram is getting "real" playful. Cite this little poke: "Alone in London" brings tears to many's eye. But it's a merry place compared to the one to be put on next week entitled "Dead Broke in Hamilton."

The Eastern League slugging list is led by Thoney, of Toronto, while Joe Kelly, pilot of the same team, is second, and Murray, of Buffalo, third. Thoney up to date has corralled 6 two-base hits, 3 three-sackers, and has scored one home run. Gentlemen, of Buffalo, who is fourth on the list, has made five 2-base-hits, 1 three-bagger and two home runs.

SOUTHPAW.

PLAYS ITS FOURTH TIE OF THE SEASON

Woodstock Couldn't Get Lead Over Ingersoll in W. F. A. —Rough at Berlin.

Woodstock, May 31. — In the cleanest game of football ever played on the local grounds, Woodstock played its fourth tie game of the season in the Intermediate W. F. A. series with Ingersoll.

Both halves were very fast and the play close, so close that no score was made. In the first half Ingersoll were even, but in the second the locals had the ball constantly in Ingersoll's territory. The stellar work of Woolson in goal for Ingersoll was assisted by bad shooting, responsible for no score in this half. W. M. Govenlock, of London, refereed satisfactorily. The lineup:

Ingersoll—Woolson, goal; Lands, D. Hutt, backs; Warren, Budd, H. Hutt, halves; Milne, Cook, McLennan, Reid, Pooie, forwards.

Woodstock—Stone, goal; Karm and Prout, backs; Gilliam, Kuhn, McLean, halves; Richardson, Cameron, Dean, Dow and Ashmore, forwards.

ROUGH GAME AT BERLIN.

Berlin, Ont., May 31. — Seaford Hurons defeated the senior Rangers in a league game of football by a score of 1 to 0 here tonight. The game was very rough throughout, which the referee seemed to overlook, and several players dropped, being short of wind. The visitors scored in the first half, and while both teams made several good tries, they were unable to score.

The line-up: Seaford—Goal, Roberts; backs, Hancock, F. Sills; halves, C. Sills, J. Robertson, C. Stuart; left wing, Chettie, Bowles; right wing, Morrow, Darned. Berlin—Goal, Brown; backs, Shearer, Krueger; half backs, Hymmen, Stachler, Rickerman; center, Boettger; left wing, Bitzer, Pequegnat; right wings, Janzen, Emery.

Referee—Otto Vogelsang.

GOLF.

BALL AGAIN CHAMPION. St. Andrew's, May 31.—John Ball, five times winner of the amateur golf championship, again captured the title today defeating C. A. Palmer by six up and four to play.

BURNS-SQUIRES MATCH ASSURED

The Forfeit Money Posted by Canuck, and Fight Will Take Place July 4.

San Francisco, May 31.—All the clouds that lowered upon the Bill Squires-Tommy Burns match have rolled away, and, unless further complications arise, the two heavyweights will surely meet for the championship in the green fields of Ocean View on July 4. Tommy Burns has arrived from Los Angeles to complete arrangements for the fight, and a conference was held. Everything went along smoothly. Burns was reminded that he was over due with his forfeit money, and he replied that he was ready to post the required \$5,000.

Tommy asked Coffroth if he would place the \$5,000 guarantee that Burns is to receive, "win, lose or draw," in the hands of Jim Jeffries on the day of the match, and Coffroth readily agreed to do so.

Burns then made out a check for \$5,000, and the forfeit money was posted, together with another check for \$1,000, which the articles of agreement required to be put up by Coffroth. This completed the details of the match.

FOOTBALL.

SCOTS TAKE GROUP.

Guelph, May 31.—Stratford was defeated here tonight by the Guelph Scots in a well-contested game by the score of 2 to 1. By their victory the Scots have pretty well clinched the leadership in this group. They have won four games and lost one. The Scots scored both their goals in the first half. Stratford put their one between the posts in the second half. Harry Brown, of Berlin, as usual, proved an efficient referee. The lineup was:

Guelph—Goal, Field; backs, Leach and Johnston; halves, McLaughlan, Fyfe and Patterson; center, Gemmell; right, Walker and Carter; left, Steep and Campbell.

Stratford—Goal, Carr; backs, Hughes and Clark; halves, Keatings, McDonagh and Orrick; center, Reid; right, Hart and Barrie; left, Brunyes and McLean.



LOUDEN KERR.

Of the McClary Team.

The subject of the cartoonist's pen today is familiarly known as "Loudy," but was recently christened "Rufus" at Tecumseh Park. "Rufus" is undoubtedly one of the best of the local rubber artists, and having a tendency to wildness when "jollied" by the fans, need back-pedal for none of them in this locality. He has a world of speed, is good with the stick, and can talk and run with any of them. Last season Kerr divided his services with the Orions, of East End League repute, and the famous McClarys, and always showed good form.

Today the big twirler will dish up benders for his team at Tecumseh Park, and owing to the fact that his picture is being run today he promises to let his opponents down without a bingle.

GIANTS AND CUBS ON LOSING END

Strong Ones of National Went Down Before Brooklyn and Pirates.

EASTERN STANDING.			
Team	Won.	Lost.	P. O.
Toronto	17	13	.560
Jersey City	17	15	.529
Rochester	16	15	.516
Newark	15	12	.556
Baltimore	14	15	.483
Buffalo	14	14	.500
Montreal	12	14	.461
Providence	9	19	.321

IN THE EASTERN.			
Team	Won.	Lost.	P. O.
At Providence	4	4	.500
At Buffalo	4	4	.500
At Jersey City	5	5	.500
At Baltimore	5	5	.500
At Rochester	7	7	.500

IN THE NATIONAL.			
Team	Won.	Lost.	P. O.
At New York	0	1	.000
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IN THE AMERICAN.			
Team	Won.	Lost.	P. O.
At Chicago	0	1	.000
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Chicago	29	9	.763
New York	28	10	.737
Philadelphia	21	15	.583
Pittsburgh	19	15	.559
Boston	16	21	.435
Cincinnati	15	22	.405
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BASEBALL.

SAINTS PLAY.

Strathroy, May 31.—The baseball season was opened here today with a game between St. Andrew's and St. John's teams. The former won by a narrow margin, the score being 6 to 5.

In the seven innings played, Avery, for St. John's, struck out eleven men.

The score: St. Andrew's, 6; St. John's, 5.

Batteries—Kerr and Pifer; Avery and Satham. Umpire, W. J. Whyte.

MONKTON DEFEATS MITCHELL.

Mitchell, May 31.—In a friendly game of baseball between Mitchell and Monkton, the visitors won by 13 to 3. The citizens turned out in large numbers. Neither team scored until the fourth inning.

During the next three innings the visitors scored 13 runs, while the home team only made three.

CLOSED BIG GAP IN THE STRETCH

Ellison's Yankee Girl Made Great Finish in Feature Event at Gravesend.

The ladies' stakes for 3-year-olds at Gravesend yesterday was won by Yankee Girl, owned by C. R. Ellison. The mare was backed from 6 to 1 to 13 to 5, and showed wonderful form. On the back stretch she was led by some eleven or twelve lengths, but came up by degrees and won out handily. Court Dress, the favorite, finished third.

Summary:

First race, 7 furlongs—Grimaldi, 111 (Miller), 15 to 20, 1; Klamesha, 122 (Lowe), 17 to 10, 2; Marster, 120 (Mountain), 8 to 1, 3. Time, 1:26. Little Don, and Standover also ran.

Second race, selling, 4 1/2 furlongs, straight—Marbles, 99 (J. Hennessy), 4 to 1, 1; Glorious Betsy, 98 (Booker), 20 to 1, 2; Fordello, 104 (Swain), 7 to 2, 3. Time, :52 1/5. The Dane, Scallop, Ferry Landing, Herbie, Lord Filgrane, Joe Newton, Valley Stream, Tiekkins and Okitau also ran.

Third race, 1 1/16 miles — Ironsides, 113 (Koerner), 12 to 1, 1; Tokalon, 124 (Booker), 9 to 5, 2; Philander, 110 (Miller), 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:47. Wexford, Welbourne and Dan Bulro also ran.

Fourth race, Ladies' stakes, mile—Yankee Girl, 121 (Radtke), 13 to 5, 1; Adoration, 121 (Koerner), 14 to 5, 2; Court Dress, 121 (Miller), 6 to 5, 3. Time, 1:40 3/5. Missgivings, Estimate, and Miss Spooner also ran.

Fifth race, selling, mile — St. Valentine, 105 (G. Burns), 7 to 1, 1; Royal Ben, 85 (Henry), 15 to 1, 2; Water Tank, 107 (Miller), 7 to 5, 3. Time, 1:39 2/5. Wetson, Robador, John Smuiski, Topsy Robinson, Chief Hayes and De Reszke also ran.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Seventh race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Eighth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Ninth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Tenth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Eleventh race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Twelfth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Thirteenth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Fourteenth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Fifteenth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Sixteenth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Seventeenth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Eighteenth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Nineteenth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Twentieth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Twenty-first race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Twenty-second race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Twenty-third race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Twenty-fourth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Twenty-fifth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Twenty-sixth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Twenty-seventh race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Twenty-eighth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

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Thirtieth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Thirty-first race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Thirty-second race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Thirty-third race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

Thirty-fourth race, 7 furlongs — Minolta, 103 (Notter), 9 to 10, 1; Cabochon, 103 (Miller), 20 to 1, 2; The Brightest Ever, 100 (Scoville), 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:25 3/5. Only three starters.

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