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DOWN TO THE SEMI-FINALS.

McCulloch Defeats Scott at Prospect Park in the Single Rink Competition—Finals on Friday

Messrs. McCulloch and Scott, the good skips of the Prospect Park Curling Club, played off their draw in the fourth round yesterday on their own ice. It was a well-contested game. Scott was 5 up on the ninth and on the fifteenth they were a tie. McCulloch scored 5 in the sixteenth, which settled the result.

This brings the Walker Cup contest down to the semi-final. R. Rennie of the Caledonians and O. F. Rice of the Granites play their semi-final on Granite ice this afternoon at 4 o'clock and Q. D. McCulloch, Prospect Park, and G. H. Bertram, Toronto, meet at the Granite rink to-morrow. The final will be played also at the Granite on Friday. The score:

Geo. Clapperton,	H. A. Haisley,
B. Brick,	W. F. Lewis,
R. B. Rennie,	R. Harrison,
Q. D. McCulloch, s..19	J. C. Scott, skip..14

Joe Gibson Scores Thirty Points.

Prospect Park's annual point competition took place last night, the best scores being: J. G. Gibson 30, Q. D. McCulloch 28, J. C. Scott 27, P. Freysent 23, H. A. Haisley 23, J. F. Rogers 23.

Stratford, Ont., Feb. 17.—The hockey match played here to-night between the Osgoode-T.A.C. combination and the Stratford team was a fine exhibition of the game. The ice was perfect, and the biting cold of ten degrees below zero was forgotten by the seven hundred spectators who saw their favorites win from the redoubtable Toronto team by a score of 9 to 4. Stratford scored the first two games in short order. The visitors then secured two and Stratford one more before half time. In the second half Stratford added three and Osgoode one. The teams were:

Osgoode-T.A.C. (4): McMaster, goal; Boys, point; Carruthers, cover-point; Paterson, Anderson, Macdonald, McClennan, forwards.

Stratford (6): Cassels, goal; Gibson, point; Ewing, cover-point; MacFadden, Downs, Miller, MacFarlane, forwards.

Referee: F. W. Tiffin.

Lacrosse on Ice.

Lacrosse on ice would be a novelty for Canadians, and so it was in New York last week. There were fully 5000 persons at the first game of lacrosse ever played on ice in that vicinity at the Harlem Ice Palace skating rink Saturday night. Two teams representing the Crescent Athletic Club of Brooklyn were the contestants. The interest displayed in the game by the spectators and the large delegations of rooters which accompanied the teams showed that the game will become a popular indoor pastime among the skating clubs of that city and Brooklyn. Capt. Moses' team pulled out a victory by the score of 5 goals to 4, after an exciting struggle. They had the game well in hand at the beginning, but great work by Miller and Curry enabled their opponents to tie the score by getting two goals in rapid succession. Just as time was called Post went through the field in grand style and scored the winning goal.

The New Racing Laws in New York.

Albany, Feb. 17.—The State Racing Committee, composed of August Belmont, Edwin D. Morgan and John Sanford, presented to the Legislature to-night its first annual report. It is an exhaustive document, dealing in detail with the practical operation of the Gray-Percy law, and concluding with such recommendations as experience has suggested for its perfection. A strong feature of the report is contained in the appended copies of judgments of the several courts in which the constutionality of the law has been upheld. The courts have decided that horse racing and stakes are not lotteries, and that the Gray-Percy bill is well within the constituton. The report winds up: "The safeguards thrown about racing have been found to work as well in practice as in theory. The racing itself has been of the highest order, and many persons prominent in the community who have not of late been in sympathy with racing have returned to or have for the first time become identified with the turf."

Stonewall Killed in England.

London, Feb. 17.—The 6-year-old horse Stonewall, formerly the property of Michael F. Dwyer, became frightened at a pack of foxhounds while exercising on the Lewes race course to-day and fell and broke his leg. The horse was immediately killed.

When Flyers are at Their Best.

Willis Troy, who knows Zimmerman as well as any man, said recently that he did not believe half that has been printed recently about the great racer's career in Australia. It has been said, among other things, that the "Skeeter" had lost his marvelous burst of speed, but Mr. Troy smiles at this, and says that he is only on the threshold of his prime, and that he has a long career ahead of him. Zimmy is 26. Peter Berlo is 32, and has been campaigning for years, yet at New Orleans a few weeks ago he rode a mile faster than any bicyclist ever covered the distance before. This is mentioned as showing that Zimmerman still has plenty of time to race, if he so desires. Medinger, at 38, was the fastest sprinter in France in 1894, while Dubois, another Frenchman, displayed great speed at 39. It is thought that Zimmerman will sign a three years' contract with a bicycle house in New York upon his return. This same house made him an offer of $10,000 a year for three years early last season, but the champion refused it.

A short road to health was opened to those suffering from chronic coughs, asthma, bronchitis, catarrh, lumbago, tumors, rheumatism, excoriated nipples or inflamed breasts, and kidney complaints, by the introduction of the inexpensive and effective remedy, Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil.

A Boom for the Prov.

One of the effects of the recent convention of wheelmen at Baltimore was the killing of class B. This class was inaugurated by Howard E. Raymond as a weak attempt to straddle the question of professionalism. The straddling business was disgusting to all honest-minded sporting men from the date of its conception, and the longer it lasted the more unpopular it grew. There will now be but two classes of racing men—amateurs and professionals. The former class B men have been given the privilege of going back to amateurism or joining the professional ranks. The majority of them will do the latter, as the restrictions on the amateurs will make it a very unprofitable class to race in to any but the purest amateur. To restrain himself to racing within 100 miles of his own home and to a prize of not over $35 in value would certainly not be tempting to the hardened circuit chaser. With all the old circuit racers in the cash prize ranks there is certain to be a great boom in professional bicycle racing in this country during the coming season. With the strict discipline that is now enforced by the Racing Board there is no doubt that bicycle racing will be one of the cleanest sports before the public.

Athletic and General Notes.

An adjourned monthly meeting of the Royal Toronto Sailing Skiff Club will be held to-night in their club-house to discuss the proposed amendments and make nominations.

A. W. Cleland of Albuquerque, New Mexico, was in the city yesterday. He is familiar with El Paso and the country thereabouts. He thinks in view of recent legislation that it will be impossible for Maher and Fitzsimmons to fight, and never heard of the sore eye complaint there before.

Severe Headache Cured.

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AT HIS OLD GAME.

Fitzsimmons Renews the Battle With His Jaws—May Fight Friday.

El Paso, Texas, Feb. 17.—Fitzsimmons opened his mouth on the fight subject today for the first time, and as the result of the conference declared that he would not fight Maher, and that he would go after that "stiff," Corbett. The interchange of opinion, which at times was decidedly warm, lasted twenty minutes. Julian led, asking Connelly if his man was here and ready to fight, and received a reply in the negative. Then the Pittsburg man made his proposition for the posting of an extra forfeit and a fight on Friday. Julian responded that time enough had been given, and that he now claimed the forfeit. It was a strange thing, he said, that Connelly would know to-day when Maher could get into the ring, and yet insist that he could do so an hour later.

Connelly called attention to the fact that 24 hours' notice of the battlefield had been guaranteed, and it had not been given, to which Stuart said "The ground is ready now. So is Fitz." "Yes, I am ready," replied the Australian, breaking the silence for the first time. From this on the war of words raged thick and fast. Connelly said Maher would go into the ring to-morrow, but to save forfeit, and not to fight. Fitzsimmons asked why, suppose he broke an arrangement, the other crowd would not take his money, and Connelly said he would not touch it. The latter continued to press the point of a meeting Friday, and Julian as strongly insisted that he wanted the forfeit money on this match, because they needed it, and then they would talk about another match on Friday. Finally Connelly said: "I will put my man in the ring as soon as I am notified. I now demand 24 hours' notice of location of battle ground. Stuart kept silent, and, after a pause, Fitz drew himself up and waved his arm in the air and shouted at the top of his voice, "Your man is not in condition to fight. He is another stiff like Corbett. You are putting up a bluff." "Not much," responded Connelly quickly. "Maher is not afraid to meet you in the ring or anywhere else." "You wan't to crawl out," suggested Julian. "Yes, they want to crawl," yelled Fitz. "They are a lot of —— curs." Then, turning to the throng on the other side of the railing, he yelled harder than ever, "This fight is off, gentlemen. I won't fight. They never intended to fight in the first place. Now, boys, I give notice that I will fight that stiff, Corbett, at any time, and with this the pugilist stalked through the doorway and pushed his way around the crowd to the street. Somebody shouted, "Three cheers for Fitz," but the response was feeble. Julian, who seemed charged with figures, remained behind. The wrangling over the question of saving the forfeit to Fitzsimmons was kept up for some time. It was decided that neither man was entitled to the forfeit. Julian agreed to have Fitzsimmons fight on Friday next. The $2000 additional forfeit by the Maher party is to be placed in Stuart's hands this evening.

Representatives of Fitzsimmons and Maher met at one o'clock to-day and resolved to have their men in the ring next Friday, providing the rangers do not stop them. The old articles remain, and Maher has put up an extra forfeit.

Can This be True?

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 17.—The fight atmosphere is clearer to-night than it has been at any time since the carnival program was broken by the developments on Thursday afternoon, and it is now probable that the men will meet within the ropes early on the morning of the 21st.

Where Bull Fighting Flourishes.

On Sunday the party of prize fighters and friends now in El Paso attended a bull fight in Juarez, Mexico. Governor Ahumada was present, and enjoyed the pastime. Four bulls and eight horses were killed and one picadore nearly so. And so bull fighting flourishes, says the N. Y. Herald, yet boxing, which is forbidden by edict in Mexico, and which has clogged the great wheels of the American nation, is too brutal to be permitted.

Only Two Favorites.

New Orleans, Feb. 18.—First race, 7 furlongs—Dockstader, 7 to 2, 1; B. F. Fly Jr., 6 to 1, 2; Souvenir, 5 to 1, 3. Time 1.30¾.

Second race, 7½ furlongs—Rainmaker, 2 to 1, 1; Haeckel, 6 to 1, 2; Gleesome, 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.39.

Third race, 1 mile—Midstar, 4 to 1, 1; Lillian E., 8 to 5, 2; Ben Johnson, 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.42½.

Fourth race, mile 20 yards—Roosevelt, 8 to 1, 1; Peytonia, 40 to 1, 2; Blasco, 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.45¼.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Commissioner Frank, 5 to 1, 1; Twelve Fifty, 8 to 5, 2; J. W. Levy, 7 to 2, 3. Time not given.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Golddust, 30 to 1, 1; Dutch Arrow, 8 to 1, 2; My Hebe, 9 to 2, 3. Time 1.30½.

Entries for To-Day.

New Orleans, Feb. 17.—First race, 6 furlongs—Galley West, Trixie C., 106; Equinox, Pert, Air Tight, Ferryman II., Billy Kinney, Fiddler, 107; Don O'Donnell, War Song, 110; Eye Witness, 112.

Second race, ⅝ mile—Attie H., Russell A., Bonnie Belle, Clematis, 97; Voltaire, San Quire, Thomas Bayne, 100; Ox Eye, Masquerade, Fate, Ironstone, 102; Tom Brady, 105.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Kitty Bell, Ada M., Trixey, 97; Ring Master, Begue, 99; K. C., 102; Bart, Momus, Black Tiger, 104; Potsdam, King Elm, Dutch Arrow, 107.

Fourth race, mile—Hibernia Queen, Clarus, 103; George W., 108; G. B. Cox, 97; Queen Bess, 99; Rossmore, 92; Pulitzer, Ja Ja, 100; Bagpipe, 95; Jake Zimmerman, 113; La Belle France, Ethel W., 109.

Fifth race, 15-16 mile—Charley Daly, 92; Hawthorne Bell, 100; Eva L., Princess Rose, Flame, 102; Alamo, Willis, 104; Alto June, 105; The Sculptor, 107; Play or Pay, 110; Masonic Home, 111; Cass, 104.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Ethel Brown, Corinda, La Gallien, Patsy, Society, Minerva, 105; Royal Nettie, Peanuts, Loyal Princess, John Stewart, Little Cliff, 107.

This Time Logan Is Third.

San Francisco, Feb. 17.—First race, 7 furlongs—Minnie Cee 1, Hazard 2, Gov. Budd 3. Time 1.31.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Gold Bug 1, Veragua 2, Mollie R. 3. Time 1.17.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles—Star Ruby 1, Carbille 2, Logan 3. Time 1.48.

Fourth race, mile, hurdle—Three Forks 1, Arundel 2, Cicero 3. Time 1.57¼.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs—Yankee Doodle 1, Wheel of Fortune 2, Gratify 3. Time 1.29.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Tim Murphy 1, Boreas 2, Walter J. 3. Time 1.16¼.

The Australian Starter for Woodbine

It is just possible that the starter at the O.J.C.'s spring meeting will not be a resident of Canada or the United States, but may be the Australian article. At Ingleside, Cal., last week the machine was a success, and at Bay District this week it will get a final trial with every prospect of complete success.

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APPARENT STRENGTH OF THE SCHEMERS IN COUNCIL.

Another Discussion Which, Like Its Predecessors, Amounted to Nothing and the Matter Went Back to the Works Committee—$200,000 to be Raised to Complete the Court House.

The City Council devoted most of its time yesterday to discussing the aqueduct question. Among the spectators occupying the side benches were the well-known promoters and capitalists, ex-Ald. Bates, Capt. Smith, W. F. Sexton, Horatio C. Hocken, P. G. Close and W. H. Wallbridge. The result of the meeting is that the whole question goes back to the Board of Works, where the same old battle will be fought over again. The meeting showed that there are only six out-and-out "aqueduct" aldermen in the council, who are prepared to swallow any old thing. They are Ald. Small, Macdonald, Leslie, Preston, Jolliffe and Gowanlock.

The People's Views Not Wanted.

In committee, with Ald. Bell in the chair, the various reports were considered.

The question of submitting the by-law to the ratepayers to raise $250,000 for the purpose of completing the new civic buildings was brought up by Ald. R. H. Graham, who argued that the people should be given an opportunity to express their opinion.

Ald. McMurrich pointed out that the money had to be raised, and that it was only an unnecessary expense to submit the question to a vote of the people.

Ald. Leslie asked if it were true that the buildings were costing more than they would have done if the contractors had not been ousted.

Ald. Burns explained that a portion of the moneys had been used for law and other expenses which would be returned to the city.

On motion of Ald. Preston the sum to be raised was fixed at $200,000. The question will not be submitted to the people. This is the vote: To go to the people—Ald. R. H. Graham, J.J. Graham, Small, Spence, Macdonald, Rowe, Preston, Gowanlock, Crane, Hubbard, Hallam—11; nays—Ald. McMurrich, Lamb, Dunn, Allen, Bell, Saunders, Davies, Scott, Leslie, Jolliffe, Boustead, Sheppard, Burns—13.

The Aqueduct Squabble.

When report No. 1 of the special committee re Georgian Bay Ship Canal was reached, Ald. Boustead argued that the report was not in order, as the company had withdrawn all offers. Chairman Bell ruled that the report was in order. Ald. Boustead moved to strike out the whole report, as the question should be considered by the Board of Works before coming to the council.

In answer to Ald. McMurrich, Ald. Preston, chairman of the special committee, whose report was under consideration, said the City Solicitor had not been consulted in drawing up the draft agreement.

Ald. Boustead said he was prepared to make a fair agreement with the city.

Ald. Leslie maintained that Ald. Boustead was doing all in his power to prevent any agreement being made.

Ald. Boustead stated that his sole opposition to an agreement being made was that the city did not know with whom it was dealing. He claimed the aldermen had not been told who composed the company, or who the directors were.

Ald. Hallam said the whole thing was a humbug. He was surprised at the audacity of the aldermen who were engineering the rotten scheme through the council. He challenged the "aqueduct" aldermen to name their company, and stated that there was not $25,000 back of the company.

Ald. Preston said Mr. W. H. Comstock Brockville, was the president of the company. In answer to Ald. Boustead's enquiry, Ald. Preston admitted that he did not really know whether Mr. Comstock was the president of the company or not. He had been informed that Mr. Comstock was the president.

Ald. Preston said if he did not think there was capital at the back of the promoters of the aqueduct he would have nothing to do with it.

Ald. Macdonald said it was ill becoming the Aldermen to rail at the unfortunate shareholders of the company, who were, perhaps, not as well off as they might be.

Ald. Preston moved that the report be not now adopted, but that it be referred to the Board of Works, with instructions to draw up an agreement, with proper legal protective recitals, between the corporation and the company on the lines of the proposed agreement in the said report, conferring with the City Engineer and City Solicitor, to suggest such legislation, if necessary, as may be required to ratify any agreement that may be made with the company and report to the Council at an early date.

This carried, as there was nothing else to do with it.

Chief Grasett on the Island License.

A communication was received from the Chief Constable, stating that the illegal sale of liquor on the Island had been greatly decreased since the license was issued, that the rowdy element has not the same opportunity of making itself objectionable by drunkenness and disorderly conduct, and that the Island is patronized by more citizens and of a better class than previously. From his own observations, Chief Grasett says he can come to no other conclusion than that the moral effect of issuing a limited liquor license at the west point of the Island has been beneficial to the community, and is an argument to support the opinion that the sale of liquor there under a licnese is preferable to the methods heretofore resorted to by those who would sell and drink in the face of all laws to the contrary and the measures taken to enforce compliance therewith. The chief states that the licensees have loyally endeavored to conform strictly to the law.

Report on the City Buildings

Architect Lennox wrote that it would take $250,000 to complete the new civic buildings, made up as follows: To complete Elliott & Neelon's contract, $110,000; electric plant, $15,000; laying out grounds, $5000; furnishing building, $30,000; contingencies, $10,000; expense of issuing debentures, $80,000.

To Encourage Industry.

Ald. Burns gave notice of motion that he would move that the city give a bonus of $50,000, to be spread over a term of years, and 50 acres of marsh, to anyone who will spend $400,000 in plant and buildings in the establishment of smelting works or any other business.

Proposed Steel Conduit.

The recommendation of the Board of Administration that the tender of Geo. H. Bertram for the new steel pipe to replace the wooden conduit, to cost $31,260, was referred to the Executive Committee. This was done on account of it having been understood that the tenders were not to be opened until the arrival of the Mansergh report, and that funds had not been reported for the payment of the pipe.

Ald. Scott and Rowe left for Ottawa last night to assist in procuring a proper crossing at Lansdowne avenue.

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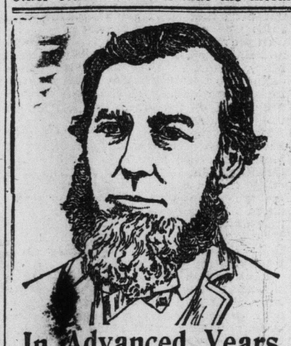

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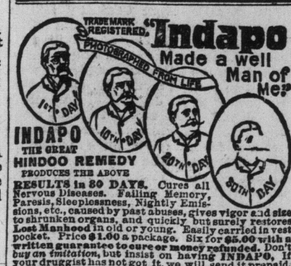

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WORSE THAN WASTED is money spent in poor Bird Seed, for it is not only a waste of money, but it injures your little songster. If you want to have the cleanest, best, and most nutritious Bird Seed in the market use only
BROCK'S BIRD SEED.
In each 10c 1-lb. pkt. there is a 5c cake of
BIRD TREAT
to be placed between the wires of the cage, which is the best Bird Tonic and Song Restorer, and is an absolute necessity to the health and comfort of canaries. Sold by all leading grocers, druggists and flour and feed men.
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Iron Work for Reel Oven
Second hand Very Cheap.
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—AT—
THE BON MARCHE.

Before we commenced we turned out Remnants—6000 of them—but stock-taking has added More Remnants, Better Remnants, Cheaper Remnants from each and every department.

About 1000 Remnants were left after last week's selling. We've put several thousand more out and NOW THE REMNANT COUNTER PRESENTS A VARIETY that is easy to buy from.

WE'LL BE HONEST ABOUT IT

They're not new spring goods, but they are equal to the new goods in every particular, and in point of price surpass anything you'll see this spring.

You know what a choice stock we started the season with. The quality of the goods hasn't altered any, but the greater part has been sold, and we've altered the prices on what's left so much that they bear no resemblance at all to former figures. We needn't have done so—goods are worth as much as ever—but we'll soon have a spring stock to offer you and want room to show it.

Lose no time in getting to the Bon Marche for

Remnants of Plain and Fancy Silk at Cotton Prices.
Ends of Black and Colored Dress Goods
some of the richest of the season's styles. You can get a length now for little more than the price of a yard.
Odd Lengths of Velvets and Velveteens
at prices that can't fail to sell them.
Useful Pieces of Table Linens, Sheetings, Cottons
and other Staple Goods that you're sure to want. You'll never get them again at such reductions.
FRAGMENTS OF OUR GLOVE AND HOSIERY STOCK
so low in price you'll be tempted to buy for future use.
BLOUSES, SKIRTS, WRAPPERS.

Only one or two of a kind, but there're ever so many kinds, from the ordinary Flannelette to the prettiest, daintiest and most attractive silk garments, at prices that are positively matchless.

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81—CASES AND BALES—81
will be opened out at end of this week and will be shown next week.

F. X. COUSINEAU & CO.

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Never before have you had a better opportunity to save money in the purchase of a First-class Overcoat than we now offer. This is positively the last week of our

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and in order to clear our entire stock we have placed all the

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$18, $20 and $22 English Beaver Cloth Overcoats, cut long, with deep silk velvet collar, lined throughout with all-wool tweed or satin, mohair sleeve linings, our own make, for..... $9.99

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