

Many Fine Horses 'Way

Down South.

IS MECCA OF TRAINERS

paign in Blue Grass.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 3.—A. K. Macomber, owner or probably the costlest stable in this country, arrived in this city yesterday, for the purpose of in-

Home, and the imported Grundy.







ELECT COMMITTEES All Ready for Ice at North End The Thistle Club curlers held a meeting on Monday evening, when they elected committees for the coming season. There was a fine turnout of members, and the club expects bet-

INTRODUCING THE CANADIAN GAME OF RUGBY

Canadian soldier teams playing this month at Seaford, Eng. Witley Camp beat Seaford Camp 12 to 1. A

MACOMBER NAGS THE SPORT-LIGHT WINTERING WELL AT LOUISVILLE

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No one ever considers golf attached to any warlike detail. Its general color Big American Owner Has heme is the green of the fairway and the grey and brown of the heather, not Yet golf's contribution to this war has been one of the big things of the times, for the old game has given both its men and its money in lavish pro-

GOLF'S FINANCIAL AID.

There is no set record yet available as to how many dollars golf has turned in for the Red Cross or other war relief funds. But a faint estimate is at least possible. Back in May, on Memorial Day, metropolitan clubs of New York alone turned in over \$90,000, single clubs contributing \$6,000 and \$7,000 to

Later on, at Fourth of July tournaments throughout the country, over \$80,-Here are two lone funds from golf that netted around \$175,000. In addition to this are all the exhibition matches played by Ouimet, Travers, Evans, Kirkby, Guilford, Sawyer, Anderson and others—dozens of these—which netted from

There was still another general contribution. Money collected back in April sp for prizes at more than a thousand clubs was, almost without exception, turned

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AS FOR MEN.

But golf has done something more than turn in an immense sum of money, undoubtedly a greater amount than any other sport has been able to raise. Its contribution in men has been just as complete. Here is a partial list of leading stars: Bob Gardner, Ouimet, Marston, Kerr, Carter, Ham Gardner, Blossom, Topping, and any number of others.

Since marching and the proper condition of legs and feet are a big part of war, golf has been a fire training for all the men it has sent to service.

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He thinks nothing of thirty-six holes a day, which means a twelve-mile walk up and down hills and across country, with no weariness attached. All in all, golf has made good in a big way, and will continue its big program, THE SAME FOR TENNIS.

The same holds good for tennis, a companion sport. The complete contribution that tennis has made in this war will be something to write about and something to talk about when the dove flies along the highway of the battle-plane.

The older horses in the division trained by Mr. Murphy are Hollister, Fruit Cake, Fell Swoop, William S. Culbertson, Narosla, Choirmaster, Sirocco, Orleans, Hoop Skirt, War God and Pactones. Those recently sent to H. P. Headley's farm to be turned out include among others Verdant, Myrtle-gale and Hesperus.

plane.

Tennis also has given its men and its money in vast profusion. Starting with Major George Adee, president of the Lawn Tennis Association, on down through the list of its ranking men, there has been a mighty contribution to the cause.

Miller Henderson, the Louisville horseman, has fourteen horses at Churchill Downs, ten of the number being yearlings, some being his own property, and the others being accounted.

NOTHING WARLIKE-BUT-

These two sports have never been considered as closely attached in their various processes to the game "over there." There was no warlike setting to their general make-up. Golf, especially, is a game of peaceful days, despite its mental and physical exasperations.

It is a game of pleasant exercise, of friendly intercourse, philosophical rather than physical, set out in the open, well apart from the grind and grip of the

But with the partial enumeration set forth above you have its answer to

ANGLICAN LEAGUE OPENS SEASON

Carpetballers Get Started for Winter-St. Johns vs. Redeemer Last Night.

The Anglican Carpetball League opened their season last night in the Church of St. John the Evangelist, when the St. John's rollers hooked up with the team from the Church of the Redeemer. The Redeemer players won the bout by 103 to 84. A. D. McLean, who has presented the league with a silver cup, was unable to be present to make the presentation himself, and in his absence, Dr. Grant officially opened the season by rolling the kitty down the season by forming the kirty down the carpet.

Addresses were made by President Reverse of the Angilcan Carpetball League, Rev. H. B. Ashby of the Church of the Redeemer, F. G. Hardy of St. John's, Rev. A. L. Beverly of St. Marys, Mr. Parker of All Saints, Stephen Grant and B. S. Murray.

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idence rule. Gave O. H. A. towns of under 5,000 population permission to use players from adjacent towns where there is no O. H. A. team. Adopted amendment in regard Adopted amendment in regard to off-side a goalkeeper increasing the distance from 10 to 20 feet, so as to speed up the game and prevent scrimmaging in front of goal.

Voted for the suspension of the annual meeting of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, and the retention of the present officers, and the con-

officers, and the connance of the Allan Cup com-

HARRIERS' BASKETBALL

The Tigers defeated the Cubs and the White Sex won from the Maroons in the Harriers' League hasketbal; games at the Y. M. C. A. on Monday evening. The Tigers-Cubs game was a close one, and the striped variety won by one point, the score being 20—19. Logan and Jackson did nice work for the Tigers, while Mascari collected the greatest number of points for the Cubs. The White Sox had an easier time putting the Maroons back one, cellecting their game by 38 to 22. Thomas of the Sox starred, gatting 20 points by his lonesome. The teams and scores:
Tigers.

Cobs.
Logan, f. 8 Gillies, f. 2
Henderson, f. 3 Mascari, f. 7
Jackson, c. 7 Ginsberg, c. 00
Mills, d. 2 McLean, d. 2
McGeogh, d. 2 Cline, d. 4
Young, f. 0 Henderson, f. 4
Total 20 Total 19

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LEAGUE IS PLANNED BY SOLDIERS HERE Units Training in London Will

Stage Many Games This Winter.

MAY ENTER TEAM IN O.H.A.

Likely Material Among Boys in Khaki-Will Have Use of Curling Club's Rink.

Henderson has intended transferring the entire stable to Hot Springs, Ark, but the difficulty in securing cars may cause him to alter his plans and compel him to remain here all winter.

The older horses in his stable include Beaverkill, Cousin O'Mine, Home Sweet Home, and the imported Grundy.

At a meeting held on Monday night in the Military Y. M. C. A. at Queen's Park an Interunit Hockey League was formed between the units in training here. A committee will meet Wedness, and the imported Grundy. It is hoped to get the games going as F. L. Pierce has reached Churchill Downs from Lexington with ten yearlings, which will be broken and trained at the local track. Half of the number are owned by Frank J. Kelley of Chicago, and but one of these is American bred. This one is a colt by Trap Rock, out of Linda Stone. The others were all bred in France by August Belmont, from whom Mr. Kelley purchased them during the past summer. Three of the lot are by Flint Rock, while the remaining one is by Ethelbert, out of Sandwich. F. L. Pierce has reached Churchill soon as the ice is hard enough.

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Others represented in the stable are T. W. "Chicago" O'Brien, who has three fillies by Approval, and Jesse Spencer of Lexington, who has a filly by Transvaal, and a colt by Duke of Ormonde. The Transvaal filly is a full sister to Blackie Daw.

George C. Love and Ed Luce, which had been turned out at Waldeck farm, near this city, all summer, have been sent to the Downs to enter again upon active training. They are being handled by Harry Glover for Joe Umensetter, who is now in Havana. Trainer Glover also has in charge for T. M. Murphy, proprietor of Waldeck farm, a fine looking yearling by Golden Maxim. Four other yearlings by this site and also the property of Mr. Murphy will be placed in Glover's charge about January 1.

The veteran trainer, C. S. Hughes, who has acted as manager-trainer for the Beverwyck stable for two years, severed his connection with that establishment about a week ago, his contract with F. J. Nolan, owner of the stable, having expired. Before quitting he sent the horses Fizer and All Aglow, which had been campaigned in Kentucky this fall, to Idle Hour farm to be turned out.

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games from the Electrics in the Canadian League fixtures at the National Alleys on Monday night. The Empire Brass had it on the Electrics every game, and topped their scores well. No individually high totals were made during the evening. The teams and scores: Empire Brass.

Hawkins 181 137 182 - 500

Joyes 138 118 142 - 398

Crawford 136 191 147 - 398

Gibson 184 155 176 - 515 Totals 639 601 647-1887

Totals 567 494 414-1465

NO SENIOR SERIES LIKELY THIS WINTER

Only One Team in Sight for Senior O.H.A. Round-Due to Statement of Military.

TORONTO, Dec. 3.—Owing to the threat of the exemption board at Ottawa to keep a close check upon all hockey players, there is little likelihood that the O. H. A. will have a senior series this year. The Dental club, holders of the Allan cup, is the only team at present in sight, now that the St. Patricks have announced their retirement.

RIDERS ARE FAR BEHIND RECORD

Interest Keen in the Madison Square Bike Race—Lots of Sprints.

New York, Dec. 4.—Pedalling nearly ne hundred miles behind the record for he thirty-second hour, twelve teams in he six-day blevele race in Madison NATIONAL HCCKEY

LEAGUE SCHEDULE

MONTREAL, Dec. 3.—The playing schedule for the National Hockey League has been arranged as follows:
Dec. 9—Canadiens at Ottawa; Toronto at Wanderers.
Dec. 22—Wanderers at Canadiens; Ottory and the thirty-second hour, twelve teams in the six-day bleycle race in Madison Square Gardens had covered 606 miles. Square Gardens had covered 606 miles, one of the club owners, left here last night to try and straighten out the situation.

AFTER HOOSIERS

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 3.—A syndicate of local men has taken an option on the Indianapolis club of the American Association, and has obtained a price from J. C. McGill, who, with his 22-Wanderers at Canadiens; Ot- both day and night sessions.

MURPHY DEFINITELY REFUSES TO MANAGE TORONTO HOCKEY CLUB

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Jan. 2—Toronto at Ottawa; Canadiens at Wanderers.
Jan. 5—Ottawa at Canadiens; Wanderers at Toronto.
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Lightweight Champion Ready for Bout With Erne On Friday at Hamilton.

TORONTO, Dec. 3.—Clonie Talt, of Winnipeg, who claims the lightweight championship of Canada, arrived in Toronto today, and will have his first bout in the east on Friday night at Hamilton with Young Erne, of Buffalon Tait is a likely-locking, rangy boy, and is heralded as a good one and a legitimate lightweight. He was born in Edmonton, and has a good claim to the Canadian championship.

Should be shot in the county just across the road from the club grounds.

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Feb. 13—Toronto at Ottawa; Canadiens; Wanderers at Toronto.

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March 2—Canadiens at Toronto; Ottawa at Canadiens; Wanderers at Ottawa.

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BAN B. JOHNSON AND HERMANN DISCUSS

Problems Confronting Major Leagues Talked Over at Chicago Meeting.

MAY HOLD JOINT MEETING

Joint Meeting of Leagues Might Do Much to Solve Difficulties.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 4. — Problems which confront the two major leagues were under discussion at a conference here today between B. B. Johnson, president of the American League, and August Herrmann, chairman of the national commission.

The length of the schedules for next season, the limit of players to be carried by each team, methods of dealing with players' contracts made during the baseball war, the handling of the war tax on admission tickets, and the addition of military features to be addition of military features to be all games, were some of the subjects which it was expected would come up for discussion before the conference ends.

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A joint meeting between the two leagues has been suggested after their annual meetings in New York and Chicago next week, but Mr. Johnson and Mr. Herrmann said they hoped to be able to present prospective candidates in such shape to their respective leagues as to obviate the necessity of a joint meeting. They believe by comparing notes on the sentiment of their leagues they may be able to agree upon the important points under consideration and bring about uniform legislation at the coming sessions of the rival leagues.

Mr. Herrmann is an advocate of the old schedule of 154 games, while Mr. Johnson believes the best interests of the game will be conserved by a card of 140 games.

TORONTO CLUB OWNERS WANT JIMMY MURPHY TO REMAIN IN CHARGE

Montreal, Dec. 4 .- The owners of the Toronto hockey club have notified rd for Jimmy Murphy, who is ill and wants to resign the management of the team,

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 3.—A syndicate of local men has taken an option on the Indianapolis club of the American Association, and has obtained a price from J. C. McGill, who, with his uncle, Wm. C. Smith of New York, owns 85 per cent of the stock, it became known here today. The option and price were obtained by Jack Hendricks, manager of the club.



CANADA'S GREATEST ST. THOMAS MONDAY

Grand International Tournament of the St. Thomas Gun Club Under Way.

2ND BIGGEST IN AMERICA

G. N. Fish of Buffalo Is High Man in 20-Target Event-Attendance Good.

ST. THOMAS, Dec. 3.-The big fiveday shoot of the St. Thomas Gun Club To Port Stanley, single, 35c; re-N. Fish of Buffalo was high gun the 20-target event. S. G. Vance N. Fish of Bullalo was high gui in the 20-target event. S. G. Vance of Tillsonburg and F. G. Wright were tied for second money. Thuseman of Rochester, was high man for professionals, breaking 99 bluerocks out of a possible 100. The weather was cloudy and not good for shooting, however, some splendid scores were made. Huseman of LONDON AND PORT STAN-

BASEBALL SITUATION Box ...

son. There was a fine turnout of members, and the club expects better sport than ever this winter. O. C. Barrie was chosen secretary, and the committees elected were: Games committee—R. D. McDonald, William Turnbull, A. K. McCallum. Executive committee—A. M. Heaman, George English, F. N. Allen, Grant Backus and R. W. Glover. Membership committee—A. Talbott chairman; Cy Edy, A. Connors, George English, George Gibson, S. D. Swift. W. T. Strong, G. F. Rogers, Israel Taylor, N. H. Keene, George McCormick, F. G. Brown and Gordon Granger. District cup competition skips—P. B. Fetterly and J. H. Cameron. Three members were nominated for skips of the rinks representing the Thistles in the Ontario tankard competition. The two skips will be selected at a later date. The three curlers nominated were A. M. Heaman, Grant Backus and F. N. Allen. The directors of the Thistle Club, Limited, held a meeting a few days ago, when the following officers were elected—Honorary president, J. G. Lind; president, W. T. Strong; first vice, John Purdom; second vice, James Gray; secretary-treasurer C. S. Smallman. man. The property committee for 1918 will consist of George Gibson, John Puddicombe, C. B. Laur, O. C. Barrie and A. Barbour.

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