

THE PEOPLE'S PASTIMES.

WHAT IS GOING ON IN SPORTING CIRCLES THE WORLD OVER.

The Fencing Club's Boxing Championship - Rating at Montreal and in England - Baseball Games.

A bicycle club will be formed in Nanapanee this week.

Wild geese are very plenty about Loughborough lake, near Nanapanee.

Peterboro wheelmen have organized and elected ten new members.

The American lacrosse team beat Harvard at Boston Saturday by three straight games.

High Gaffney, a noted American jockey, has just died at the City of Mexico. He belonged to Baltimore.

J. P. Wiser of Prescott has sold the station Kynok to J. E. Case, the owner of Jay-Eye-See, for \$30,000.

The Kingston lacrosse club has sixty-three members. E. J. Pense is president and C. U. Greiza secretary.

Ingersoll, Canadian society will hold their annual games on May 24, under the management of A. G. Hodges of this city.

Woodville and Cannington checker clubs had a match Wednesday at Cannington, when the former club came out 12 ahead.

The annual regatta of the United States National association of amateur oarsmen will be held at Watkins, N. Y., August 12 and 13.

Matsuda Sorakichi and Duncan Ross engaged in another wrestling hippodrome at Washington Saturday night. Each won two bouts.

David Bennett writes from Toronto to the Kingston News that he would like very much to run Capt. Fages of B battery a mile race for \$100 a side.

The annual athletic contest between Oxford and Cambridge at Lillie Bridge was this year won by the dark blues by six events to three. Last year Cambridge won by exactly the same odds.

James A. Ten Eyck of Peekskill, N. Y., anticipates a lively season in the aquatic arena. He will take part in all the principal regattas and to make some matches. As a beginning he has challenged Riley.

The billiard tournament at Cincinnati for the championship of Ohio closed Saturday night. The contestants were Bussey, Furst, Honing, West, De-Long, Snyder and Thatcher. Thatcher won the championship, winning six games.

For twenty-one years, 51 min. 26 sec., the time alleged to have been made by Luke Bennett, the American Indian, better known as Deerfoot, has stood as the best on record for ten miles running, but at last it has been eclipsed. W. G. George, the celebrated amateur, having won the ten miles handicap at the Leamington athletic club's spring meeting in six 1/2 seconds less.

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place at the head of my table. "Certainly," said the unabashed U. P. "Come; I'll give you a thousand of the handsomest women in London to choose from."

"Just indicate your preference," said W. W., as the two walked arm in arm along the seemingly interminable corridors among the pretty lady clerks, for W. W. never had a girl behind his counters who was not handsome. All were dressed in dazzling costumes of black silk. The gentleman soon found one that suited him and Mr. Whately said to the girl: "Miss -- this is Mr. Edwards-Pond, he is rich and has no friends or acquaintances. He has an elegant house in Bayswater and he wants a wife. Will you marry him?" She married him.

No Land in Sight. From the Arkansas Transfer. "I expected to find the Arkansas to be a much wider stream," remarked the newly arrived visitor.

"It's low now," replied a bystander, "but I have been out in a boat when I couldn't see land on either side."

"Below here in the bottom, I suppose."

"No, here."

"Why this town is on a bluff. You don't mean to say that you saw it over-looked?"

"Oh, no."

"Then, hang it, you could see land on one side at least."

"No, I couldn't, for it was night, you know."

"I've been looking for a fool. Come, let's take a drink."

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Where Does Martin J. Come In? From the Rochester Democrat and Chronicle. Banting is the editor of the Toronto Mail.

"Bugs these days," remarked a street urchin, as he picked up the stub of a cigar and puffed away at it, "begin where grown people leave off."

"Within the past ten years not a dollar has been lost in purchases here in Toronto or its suburbs. On the contrary every dollar so invested has doubled itself in five years, some in three. West Toronto Junction is the rising suburb of the city and a few dollars invested in a lot there will soon double itself. Geo. Clarke of the Queen Ice Co. is offering a few terms that are acceptable to all: An entrance fee of \$10, and \$2 a week for 182 weeks will purchase a fine lot 50x150 at the junction, including interest and taxes.

The Trapper's Sweetheart. John Vance Cleary, in the Mandatorian. You've seen creatures studding lame. Git 'em near 'em an' they're game! He'll run over; such a runner - Up and off is Nancy dear.

"Yes, she's a beauty," says she. "Laws sakes!" says she. "Just when I'm a-lookin' for a beauty. That's it perfectly, that's my Nancy."

"O, a gal's a cunning thing! You must take 'em on the wing - I'll be gone; for, ye see, Nancy, she's expectin' me."

"I'll hit or miss her."

"It's quite or kiah her; I'm a-lookin' for a beauty; That's us directly, me and Nancy."

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TORONTO RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

Grand Trunk Railway. Trains Leave Toronto Under EASTERN STANDARDS.

(a) For Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Portland, and Boston, 7:15 a.m. - Fast express, 9 a.m., 1:20 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m. - Express for Kingston and intermediate stations.

(b) 1 p.m. - Express for Kingston and intermediate stations.

GOING WEST. (a) 7:45 a.m. - Local for points west to Detroit. (c) 12:15 p.m. - Express for Port Huron, Detroit, Chicago and beyond. (d) 1:40 p.m. - Local for points north of Quebec. (e) 3:30 p.m. - Mixed for Stratford and intermediate points. (f) 11:00 p.m. - Express for Port Huron, Detroit, all points in Michigan, Chicago and the west.

ARRIVE FROM THE EAST. (a) 6:10 p.m. - Mixed from Kingston. 10:30 p.m. - Express from Montreal. 1:10 a.m. - Local from Cobourg. 11:30 p.m. - Express from Montreal.

ARRIVE FROM THE WEST. (a) 8:10 a.m. - Express from Detroit. 11:30 a.m. - Accommodation from Stratford. 7:30 p.m. - Express from Chicago, Detroit, etc. 11:10 p.m. - Passenger from London. 7:40 a.m. - Mixed from Stratford.

Great Western Division. (a) 7:30 a.m. - For Niagara Falls, Buffalo and local stations between Niagara Falls and Windsor. (b) 9:15 a.m. - For Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and points West to Chicago. (c) 11:30 p.m. - For Detroit, Chicago and points West to Chicago. (d) 8:30 p.m. - Local stations between Toronto and Niagara Falls. (e) 11 p.m. - For Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York, Boston, Detroit, Chicago and all points East and West.

ARRIVE. 8:40 a.m. - Express from Chicago, Detroit and Hamilton. 10:30 a.m. - Express from London, St. Catharines and Hamilton. 12:30 p.m. - Express from New York, Boston, Buffalo and all points East. 7:30 p.m. - Local stations between Toronto and Niagara Falls. 7:30 p.m. - Mail from Buffalo, Detroit, London, Hamilton and intermediate stations. 7:35 p.m. - Express from Detroit. 11:10 p.m. - Express from London.

Daily except Sundays. (a) Daily, Sundays included. (b) On Sundays leaves Toronto at 12:30 p.m. (c) On Sundays leaves Detroit at 10:30 a.m. (d) Runs through to Detroit daily, except Sundays, with Pullman attached. (e) VICTORIA IS FOLLOWING. (f) 10:30 a.m., and 2:30, 5:30 and 6:55 p.m. Return. For-Leave Toronto 8:15 and 11:30 a.m., 2:45, 5:35 and 7:30 p.m., calling at Queen's Park and High Park and the Home bar, both going and returning. Trains leaving from Hamilton at 4:05 p.m. will run on Sundays, but will not stop at intermediate stations.

Credit Valley Railway. Trains Leave Toronto, Union Depot, as follows: St. Louis Express, 7 a.m., for all stations on main line and branches, and for Detroit, Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City. Pacific Express, 1:30 p.m., for Galt, Woodstock, Ingersoll, St. Thomas, Detroit, Chicago, and all points west and northwest. Local Express, 8:10 p.m., for all points on main line, Orangeville and Elora branches.

ARRIVE. 8:40 a.m. - Express from all stations on main line and branches. 12:30 p.m. - Atlantic Express from Chicago and all points west and stations on main line. 7:30 a.m. - Montreal Express - All stations on main line and branches.

Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway. Trains Leave Toronto as follows: 7:30 A.M. MAIL - 4:30 P.M. EXPRESS. For Orangeville, Mississauga, Hamilton, Teeswater and Owen Sound. Express connecting with Owen Sound Steamship Line for all ports in Georgian Bay, Lake Superior and the Canadian Northwest. Trains depart from Union Depot at 7:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Train leaves Parkdale for Owen Sound direct.

ARRIVE AS FOLLOWS: 10:45 a.m. - Express from Owen Sound and intermediate stations. 8:40 p.m. - Mail from Owen Sound and intermediate stations. 7:30 a.m. - Mixed - Arrives at Parkdale.

The Midland Railway of Canada. Trains Leave Toronto as follows: 7 a.m. - Mail - St. Catharines, Hamilton, Cobourg, Haliburton, Lindsay, Port Perry, Whitby, Peterboro, Port Hope and all points on the line. 11:30 a.m. - Mail - St. Catharines, Hamilton, Cobourg, Port Perry, Whitby, Peterboro, Port Hope and intermediate stations. 8:40 p.m. - Arrive at Toronto. 11:30 a.m. - Mail. 8:45 p.m. - Mail. 6:55 p.m. - Mail.

Northern and Northwestern Railways. Trains Leave Toronto as follows: 7:55 a.m. - Mail for Gravenhurst, Orillia, Midland, Collingwood, and all points on the line. 11:45 a.m. - Accommodation for Meaford, Gravenhurst and intermediate stations. 3:30 p.m. - Express for Collingwood, Parry Sound, Orillia and Barrie. Trains are due to arrive at 10:05 a.m., 7 p.m. and 9:25 p.m.

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