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THE PEOPLE'S PASTIMES,

WHAT IS GOING ON IN SPORTING CIRCLES THE WORLD OVER.

Wallace Ross' Backer Talks-Omemee Races-General Notes and Events. The Milwaukee baseball club has purchased grounds at a cost of \$11,000.

The late President Garfield was quite fond of pool, and was somewhat skillful with the cue.

Robinson, the pugilist, has been expelled from the Olympic club for his conduct in the Sullivan match.

McLaughlin won \$400 in a catch-as-catch-an wrestling match at Streator, Ill., with R. Prescott.

Wm. La Chappelle, a Frenchman of splendid physique, has announced his in-tention of joining in the Rowell-Fitzgerald six-days' race. There will be a big field of

The directors of the Missouri sporting they t scent." tournament of six days at Kansas City, beginning 19th May. The contests with two exceptions are open to the world. The premiums offered at the national orse show to be held at New York May 27 to 31 foot up to \$17,450, as against the \$10.470 of last year's show, and the trotters are well provided for this time, a grand prize of \$500 being offered for the best stallion over 15 years of age, the speed of his get, their number and records being considered in deciding the prize.

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The Omemee races were held Tuesday and Wednesday. The following is the result: Green race—W. Clarke's Dick Moore, 1st; W. McNickle's Sir Walter Scott, 2nd; J. Sanderson's Fannie, 3rd. Colt's race—J. Bradley's Orphan Girl. 1st; W. Clarke's Honest Billy, 2nd; J. McGinty's Honest Nellie, 3rd. Time, 3 min. 5 sec. on heavy track. Third race—W. Clarke's John Buck, 1st; W. Clarke's Omemee Maid, 2nd; W. McNickle's Sir Walter Scott, 3rd.

Six horse shows are appually held in

Six horse shows are annually held in France under the auspices of the Societe Hippique, of which the Marquis de Mornay is president. Within ten years this society has distributed in Bordeaux alone \$70,000. There was a large attendance at the recent exhibition, in which many of the horses shown were from the training or breaking schools at Bordeaux and Rochefort. The

The encounter, which lasted five or six minutes, was a confused struggle, the wrestlers hugging, grappling and tumbling about in every conceivable posture, and this was varied occasionally by the girl be-the male wrestler did his best not to nur-his fair antagonist, and in the end she came off victorious, as had no doubt been arranged beforehand. Yet, in order to keep up the delusion, the woman got con-

siderably hurt. Wallace Ross's Backer Talks. James Pilkington, Wallace Ross's backer says: "I have great confidence in Ross. With the exception of Edward Hanlan, he is, in my opinion, the greatest carsman we have. Last year Courtney's backers were anxious to match the Union Springs sculler anxious to match the Union Springs sculler against Ross, but they wanted the face to be rowed near Troy. Ross would not agree to row there, and offered Courtney \$200 to row either on the Harlem river or against Ross, but they wanted the face to be rowed near Troy. Ross would not agree to row there, and offered Courtney \$200 to row either on the Harlem river or at Pittsburg, and I offered to bet \$1,200 against \$1,000 that Ross would win. When it became too late in the season to row, Courtney was anxious to race, and then I bet his backer that Courtney as a prefet sure. So that those who against \$1,000 that Ross would win. When it became too late in the season to row, Courtney was anxious to race, and then I bet his backer that Courtney would not dare to arrange a race before the 1st of next June Now, since Ross has arrived in England and Hanlan has sailed for Australia, Courtney comes out and wants to row either of them. Ross will return about May I and will row Courtney a three-mile race at any place the latter may select. I have a place and the season to row, immense sale of it without any advertising, we have-concluded to place it extens sively on the market, so that those who suiter may have a perfect cure. Go to F. T. Burgess' drug store, 364 King street east, and get a trial bottle free, or the regular size at fifty cents and one dollar, and the season to row, in green without any advertising, we have-concluded to place it extens is very long, we have-concluded to place it extens is very long, we have-concluded to place it extens in green without any advertising, we have-concluded to place it extens is very long, we have-concluded to pla place the latter may select. I have a place in Westchester on the sound, and the sound front will give an excellent course of three miles with one turn, and the men can row there. If Courtney wishes to I will bet him \$1200 against \$1000 that Ross will beat him, or if he cannot get backing, and to show that I ween levie. to show that I mean business, I will offer a purse of \$2500 for the men to row for. They can row there decoration day, and the winner can take the purse. That will give Courtney all the chance he wants to

ow the public he can row, and he won't have any cause to weaken, as none of his own money will be at stake." What is Catarrh?

From the Mail (Canada) Dec. 15.

Catarrh is a muco-purulent discharge caused by the presence and development of the vegetable parasite ameds in the internal lining membrane of the nose. This parasite is only developed under favorable circumstances, and these are: Morbid state of the blood, as the blighted corpuscle of tubercle, the germ poison of sightlis, mercury, toxomea, from the retention of the effeted matter of the skin, suppressed perspiration, badly ventilated sleeping apartments, and other poisons that are germinated in the blood. These poisons keep the internal lining membrane of the nose in a constant state of irritation, ever ready for the deposit of the seeds of these germs, which spread up the nostrils and down the fauces or back of the throat, up the custachian tubes, causing deafness, burrowing in the vocal cords, causing hoarseness; usurping the proper structure of the broneinal tubes, ending in pulmonary consumption and death.

Many attempts have been made to discover a care for this distressing disease by the use of initialants and other ingenious devices, but none of these treatments can do a particle of good until the parasites are either destroyed or removed from the mucous tissue.

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A Shrewd Scientist. What is Catarrh?

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TORONTO RAILWAY TIME 'TABLE.

READABLE PARAGRAPHS. —Dyspepsia, liver complaint and kindred affections. For treatise giving successful self treatment address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N.Y. 1-4

A society journal in printing advice to roung couples about to be married, advises hem to have the house furnished so that they can commence housekeeping right after the wedding. Now let us also whis-The improvement of the Sheepshead bay race course Coney island will cost \$70,000.

Larry Foley, the Australian, is coming to New York to box Mitchell for \$5,000 a side,

of the year to purify the blood, invigorate the system, excite the fiver to action, and restore the healthy tone and vigor of the whole physical mechanism.

When one sees a pretty society belle showering impassioned kisses upon the nose of her pet poodle it does make one ready to howl for a \$500 tax on dogs, and ne mistake. W. R. Moore, of Caledon township, was

A foot race at Pittsburg, Saturday, 120 attacked by highway robbers one night last week. The men stabbed him in the back and were just about to rifle his pockets when an approaching sleigh put

Hough, for \$500 a side, was by four feet.

London Free Press: William Stevens expresses his willingness to fight Robert Reid of this city, to a finish, with hard glove, for from \$10 upwards.

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From the way some young women spread perfumery over themselves when their beaux are around one would judge that they thought "Love went where it was a state of the state of t

The Halifax Chronicle cooly says, in re Ross that Ontario was entitled to better terms if they were granted to Quebec and the other provinces: If Ontario as well as the rest is going in for a new deal the increase on dominion taxation may more than counterbalance to the people any gair to Nova Scotia local treasury. —The extraordinary popularity of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the natural result of its

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"It is easier to recognize a lie than a act." That's what they told us at the

schools at Bordeaux and Rochefort. The prevailing type of carriage horses continues a mixture of Arab blood and a dash of the thoroughbred. Many of them are used for coachers.

A wrestling match between a woman and a man is described by the San Francisco journals. The woman was less than 19.

The encounter, which lasted five or six minutes, was a confused struggle the practicable by the use of ordinary remembers.

The Indians around Calgarry are becoming civilized, and last week a dentist wa busy extracting decayed teeth, which wer unknown among the natives before the day of the white man, when they lived on but falo meat alone. Braves who have stoo conceivable torture at the sun dans

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There used to be a voter in a town near Boston whose name appeared year after year as Hieronymus Popp. And in a mur-der trial at Morrisville, N.Y., one of the witnesses bears the name of Encyclopedia Dewey. She is a maiden lady.

Peter Mitchell was long noted at Charlestown, Ind., for keeping his expenditure rigidly within fifty cents a day. He has

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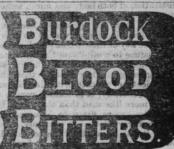
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