THE WHEELMEN IN SESSION

The Annual Convention of the C.W.A. Held at the Athletic Club Yesterday.

WILL TAKE UP RACING AGAIN.

A Fair Attendance—All Amendments Carried—A. E. Walton President.

Judging from the enthusiasm shown at the nineteenth annual meeting of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association, held at the Athletic Club yesterday, the days of cycling are by no means a dead letter. The attendance was not nearly as large as some of the old-time conventions. The reason of this was that for the past year the C.W.A. have had no control whatever over the racing game, and there was no championship meet to fight for. The meeting was on a purely business basis, and in a good many ways for the reorganizing of the association. Several amendments were added to the constitution, and it was almost a unanimous opinion that this association should again take over the control of the racing men in Canada. The meeting was called to order shortly after 10 o'clock by President Gauld of Hamilton, the following delegates and others being present: J F Affleck, Toronto; M Saunders, Toronto; H Hemming, Toronto; W J Krueger, Waterloo; L Rubenstein, Montreal; D J Kelly, Toronto; P E Doolittle, Toronto; A E Walton, Toronto; J Maxwell, Toronto; Sid Simpson, Toronto; H W Pengilly, Toronto; A J Schulte, Toronto; John Pearson, Toronto; J E Moore, British American, Toronto; Thomas Wright, Toronto; H Thompson, Toronto; W J Armstrong, Milton; Secretary H B Howson, H Davidson, H B Donly, G S Pearcey.

The minutes of the last meeting were taken as read, and the usual long list of reports was gone on with, the financial statement coming first, as follows:

Treasurer's Report.

— Receipts. —

Balance at audit	$ 121 36
Per cent. Vienna meet	67 75
Trans. Committee	34 12
Montreal I.C.A. meet	110 32
Per cent. Ottawa meet	41 67
79 members at 50 cents	39 50
1462 members at 75 cents	1,096 50
16 members at $1	16 00
124 members at $1.50	186 00
Club under section B	10 00
Interest allowed	20 00
	$1,762 55

— Expenditures. —

Canadian Wheelman Co.	$ 393 14
Ontario Accident Insurance Co.	320 00
Molsons Bank	57 65
Roads and Touring Committee	44 78
Transportation Committee	21 40
Chief Consuls	32 25
President traveling	64 15
Secretary traveling	78 00
Auditors	10 00
Telegrams, postage, etc.	74 78
I.C.A. sub.	10 21
Rent St. George's Hall	12 00
Com. on unattached	19 00
Printing	141 60
Clerk hire	192 00
Secretary's salary	267 00
Members' fees unpaid	16 00
Balance on hand	8 64
	$1,762 55

Simcoe, March 23, 1901.

Audited, compared with vouchers and found correct. (Signed) W. E. Tisdale, H. B. Howson, auditors.

Roads and Touring Committe.

In presenting the annual report of your committee having charge of this important feature in the constitution of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association, we are satisfied that we have done comparatively a good work for a large number of our members, and also for touring members of our sister organization, the League of American Wheelmen. True the fad of touring long distances has declined to a great extent in Canada, owing partially to the few stretches of our main highways which afford comfort to cyclists in day to day tours. Owing to the lack of interest displayed by wheelmen generally in beneficial organization, we have not taken advantage of the clause in the constitution calling for an annual good roads day, as instanced by the attempt of your committee in calling such a convention in St. George's Hall, Toronto, some time ago, when the best speakers on the subject kindly tendered their services to be greeted by a mere handful of people, altho it was extensively advertised and invitations sent all over Canada. Still, with this apathy existing amongst those interested, during the last session of the Ontario Legislature your committee, assisted by a great many enthusiastic good roads members, sent in a large number of petitions from the various constituencies asking the members of both political parties to support the $1,000,000 good roads bill before the House, and the result, that the hands of the members were strengthened greatly in the work, and there is every reason to believe that our work will bear good results.

Accident Insurance.—Your committee succeeded in closing a good contract with the Ontario Accident Insurance Company of Toronto, by which our members are covered against accident while riding their bicycles or tricycles, receiving five dollars per week for four weeks for injury, or in the event of death $125. This has been appreciated to a large extent by our members during the year. Nine claims were made, in sums varying from $5 to the limit of $20, which were promptly adjusted by the company and paid, no outstanding claims being current. We have renewed this contract for the season of 1901 and 1902, and anticipate a large increase in membership when this important benefit becomes more widely known.

Hotels and Sign Boards.—A great many hotel proprietors have not adhered to the terms of our contracts, but the large number on our list have been a great convenience to our members who still enjoy country touring. We have a number of the helping hand signs still to put up, and will be pleased to hear of writers who will procure this missionary labor in the rural districts. These handsome metal signs are furnished free by the association, including the lettering.

Finance.—Your committee has spent the sum of $44.73 in the work during the last twelve months, and cannot be accused of extravagance, expenses being reduced to the lowest possible minimum.

Vice-President John M. Barnes, with his usual energy, has the New Brunswick section well under way, and bids fair to be the first in the field with the valuable work.

In conclusion, your committee feel that the members of the association will appreciate their endeavor to carry out the clauses in the constitution which especially appertain to their department of the work, i.e., "to encourage and facilitate touring," and "to secure improvements in the condition of the public roads and highways of the Dominion."

Respectfully submitted. H. B. Howson.

The Membership Report.

The membership report of Chairman G. S. Pearcey was good, considering that the C.W.A. have not had racing men as members. The following are the number of members for each district.

District No. 1, 132 members; District No. 3, 29 members; District No. 4, 11 members; District No. 5, 11 members; No. 6, 19 members; No. 7, 2 members; No. 8, 58 members; No. 9, 41 members; No. 10, 56 members; No. 11, 15 members; No. 12, 670 members; No. 13, 8 members; No. 14, 14 members; No. 15, 50 members; No. 16, 30 members; No. 17, 115 members; No. 18, 1 member; No. 19, 328 members; No. 21, 37 members; No. 22, 55 members; No. 24, 1 member. Total club members, 1536; unattached members, 148; foreign members, 7.

There has been a falling off of club members, as compared with the previous year, mainly owing to the fact that the bicycle club, as a sporting organization, has almost entirely disappeared from view. The success of our association in future will depend entirely upon the individual efforts of its members.

The strongest clubs in our association today are the Maple Leaf of Toronto, C.W.A. of Montreal and C.W.A. of Toronto, the success of the former being due to the individual efforts of our worthy secretary, Mr. H. B. Howson; the C.W.A. of Montreal to our past president, Mr. Louis Rubenstein, and the latter to your humble servant. This goes to show what individual effort will accomplish if properly applied.

During the year 1899 the Membership Committee offered a wheel in each district to the member securing the most members to a given date; this created a friendly rivalry, and was instrumental in securing a great many members who would not otherwise have joined our association.

There are many wheelmen throughout the country who would join our association, if its aims and objects were properly laid before them. Your committee would recommend that a similar contest take place this year with a view to increasing our membership, and that the member bringing in the greatest number of members to the 1st July be given a bicycle, the winner to secure at least 200 members.

During the year a number of our members met with accidents, their claims for indemnity being promptly met by the company having the contract to supply us with insurance against accidents.

G. S. Pearcy, Chairman.

Racing Board Report.

Chairman A. E. Walton of the Dominion Racing Board explained that, as a number of the district chairmen had not reported to him, he could not give a full report. But he went on to say that he thought it advisable for the association to again take up racing. This report showed receipts of $50, expenditures of $43, leaving a balance of $6.50 on hand, and Mr. Walton said that when the different districts had been heard from there would likely be a balance of $75.

Amendments Put Thru.

These reports were all adopted, and the amendments were carried with little or no discussion. A junior branch, members not to exceed 18 years, will be added, and the fees for this to be one-half the regular fee. Members to have full privileges, except vote at annual meeting and hold office.

The annual convention will be held in Toronto each Good Friday, but may be held anywhere else on a two-thirds vote.

The amendment allowing the association to elect honorary life members was also carried, and the first two were put on the list as a mark of appreciation for their services to the association, they being Past Secretary Hal. B. Donly and Mr. R. H. McBride, who was the second president in the association.

In place of 26 districts, Canada now will be divided into seven, as follows:

1, Ontario East; 2, Ontario West; 3, Quebec; 4, Maritime Provinces; 5, Manitoba and the Northwest Territories; 6, British Columbia; 7, County of York.

At the annual meeting of the Board of Officers, the president shall appoint a Chief Consul for the management of the affairs of the association in each district. The Chief Consul shall appoint local consuls for each city, town or village in his district, and shall be responsible for all returns from such local consuls; for his expenses he shall retain a commission of 10 per cent. on all membership moneys forwarded to the secretary.

The question of the C.W.A. again assuming control of racing brought out many speakers. Mr. L. Rubenstein stated that he had seen the principal officers of the C.C.A. at Montreal, and that they were willing to hand over the racing to the mother association, as it was plain to see that there was not room for two bodies of this kind in Canada. Nearly everyone present favored the taking over of the racing, and the vote taken was almost unanimous. The matter of dealing with the C.C.A. was left to the newly-elected committee, giving them power to do as they pleased in the matter, and the C.W.A. will again control the racing.

Applications for reinstatement were read from Roy Miller of Hamilton, F. J. Dunbar and H. B. Brownley. These were also left to the Executive to deal with, while the meeting recommended that the Racing Board reinstate Roy Miller.

Officers Elected.

The following officers were then elected: President—A. E. Walton (acc.) Vice-President, E. B. Ryckman (acc.). Secretary-Treasurer (by the board)—H. B. Howson.

Chairman Rights and Privileges Committee—J. Dickson.

Chairman Rules and Regulations Committee—H. B. Donly, Simcoe.

Chairman Roads and Touring Committee—G. S. Pearcey, Toronto.

Chairman Transportation Committee—R. J. Wilson, Kingston.

Chairman Dominion Racing Board—D. J. Kelly, Toronto.

A vote of thanks to the retiring president and the directors of the City Athletic Club was put on record, and the meeting adjourned.

CANADIAN BASEBALL LEAGUE.

The Annual Meeting at Galt—Officers Elected—A Schedule Drawn Up.

Galt, Ont., April 5.—At a meeting of the Canadian Baseball Association, held at the Imperial Hotel here this afternoon, the following were in attendance: Bert Sheere, president, London; G. L. Higgins, secretary-treasurer, Guelph; Representatives Dillon, Berlin; F. Von NeuBraun, Berlin; George Ellier, Waterloo; William Hogg, Waterloo; A. M. Fisher, Guelph; E. B. Brown, Woodstock; G. A. Graham, Galt. A constitution of rules and regulations was adopted. It was decided to play under National League rules, excepting that pertaining to foul tips, being called strikes, and the rule regarding the pitcher hitting batsmen; also to have outside umpires at every game, and the president was empowered to disqualify any member guilty of rowdyism or unbecoming conduct.

Each club makes its own arrangements as to holiday games. Schedule of games: Guelph plays at London, May 18, July 13; Waterloo, June 15, August 24; at Berlin, June 1, Aug. 10; at Woodstock, June 29, Aug. 31; at Galt, July 20, Sept. 14. London plays at Guelph, June 8, July 31; at Waterloo, June 29, Sept. 7; at Berlin, June 22, Sept. 14; at Woodstock, May 11, Aug. 24; at Galt, May 25, July 27. Waterloo plays at Guelph, July 6, Sept. 21; at London, June 1, Aug. 10; at Berlin, July 20, Aug. 31; at Woodstock, May 18, Aug. 31; at Galt, June 22, Sept. 7. Berlin at Guelph, May 25, July 27; at London, June 15, Aug. 17; at Waterloo, May 11, June 8; at Woodstock, July 13, Sept. 7; at Galt, June 29, Aug. 24; Woodstock plays at Guelph, June 25, Aug. 17; at London, July 20, Sept. 21; at Waterloo, May 25, July 27; at Berlin, June 1, Aug. 6; at Galt, June 8, Aug. 10; Galt plays at Guelph, May 11, Sept. 7; at London, July 6, Aug. 3; at Waterloo, July 18, Aug. 17; at Berlin, May 18, Aug. 3; at Woodstock, June 1, June 15.

New England League Organized.

Lowell, Mass., April 5.—The New England League was organized in New York, with Lowell, Manchester, Nashua, Dover, Haverhill, Portland, Lewiston and Banger comprising the circuit. It was agreed that the New England League has a chance to prove successful this season.

Montreal Beat Columbia College.

At Chester, Pa.—	R.	H.	E.
Columbia	2	7	1
Montreal	4	9	1

Batteries—Guerine and Henriques; Felix and Shincli. Umpire—Whiting.

Willis Jumps Back to Boston.

Boston, April 5.—Pitcher Vic Willis, who jumped the Boston National League and signed with the Philadelphia National League Club, has followed in the footsteps of Pitcher Dineen, and signed Tuesday with the Boston National League Club. Mr. Billings, one of the Boston trimvirate, met Willis at his home in Newark Tuesday and got Willis to sign with him again. Willis will join his old club at Norfolk to-day.

Henley Meeting at New London.

New London, Conn., April 5.—As an outcome of a conference held here to-day between Mr. Henderson of Boston, chairman of the American Henley Committee, and F. B. Chappell, chairman of the Schuylkill Regatta Board, it seems probable that the American Henley will be an assured fact for the coming season, and that races will be held at New London for two days of the same week in which the University crews row here. Mr. Henderson's visit here was mainly to ascertain what the Board of Trade would do to further the plan, and he was told by Mr. Chappell that the local board would fix the course, have it properly polliced, and would give the Henley contestants practically the same concessions as the other crews usually obtain.

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M'MILLAN C.L.A. PRESIDENT

The Annual Convention of the Canadian Lacrosse Association a Record One.

THE GAME IN FOUR QUARTERS.

Amateur Amendment Carried—A Memorial to Doctor Beers Suggested.

The annual meeting of the Canadian Lacrosse Association was held yesterday in the Temple Building, and was undoubtedly one of the most successful in the history of the association. The reports of the various committees showed the organization to be in a highly flourishing condition, and the prospects for the coming season show every indication of keen competition in all the various districts for championship honors.

President's Able Address.

President Clemes occupied the chair, and, after the Credential Committee had reported, delivered the following address to the meeting, which was warmly received:

On Good Friday of last year you did me the honor of electing me to the highest office within your gift, and I appear before you to-day to give you an account of my stewardship. In accepting the office, I stated that I would aim to discharge my duties without fear or favor. My record is now before you, and, while possibly I have not done my work as well as some of my predecessors, still I think you will agree with me that I did my work fearlessly and in an impartial manner.

At the annual meeting last year you made many changes in the rules and constitution of our association, and to-day you will reap the benefit of having the closing of nominations two weeks ahead of our annual meeting, and also the printed ballot. This will greatly facilitate our work. We also made an important change in the playing rules, that of doing away with unnecessary rests between each goal scored; and this, no doubt, has made the game more interesting from a spectator's point of view. In former years the association has referred its cases of violation of the amateur rule to the Central Amateur Athletic Union, but last year we took the matter in our own hands, notifying the secretaries of the different amateur bodies, as a matter of courtesy and reciprocity, and the Canadian Lacrosse Association worked in harmony, but not under the rule of any association.

Elevate the Game.

It has been my aim to elevate the standard of our national game, and on several occasions it became my duty to suspend from the association members who had been guilty of playing with other clubs during the season and in other ways violating the rules governing our game; and, let me say to the officers of the different clubs represented here that the action of officers and members of the C.L.A. very unfairly when you ask them to be honest in enforcing the rules, while you and your club will not co-operate with them and observe the rules. It is not always the player who is at fault, but the officers of the different clubs.

More Clubs Organizing.

Our national game is increasing, and I am glad to be able to draw your attention to the fact that more clubs are organizing in the last than ever before, and, from the enthusiasm shown, they should win at least one of our championships.

It is gratifying to know that during my term of office I was only compelled to call a Judicial Committee together three times, and from this we can only conclude that the clubs are imbued with the right spirit and that the past year was one of the most harmonious in the history of our association; and I might also say that a president can avoid protests to no small degree by giving a decided unreserved opinion when asked for his advice by the clubs, and, therefore, causing the matter to go no further.

I must congratulate the Orangeville Lacrosse Club on winning the senior championship; and last season they were given the opportunity of playing the Capital Lacrosse Club of Ottawa for the championship of the world, and, also their defeat was as well as we all had hoped for, still, I am of the opinion that the club who succeeds in winning our senior championship in 1901 will come very close to defeating, if they do not defeat, the champions of the National Amateur Lacrosse Association.

Congratulations Extended.

I also take this opportunity of congratulating the Shelburne Lacrosse Club on winning the intermediate championship, and also the St. Mary Lacrosse Club on winning the championship of the junior series. I am sure we all regret that the final game for the intermediate championship ended so unsatisfactorily, yet I think that no blame can be attached to the Shelburne Lacrosse Club, as the referee certainly acted in accordance with the rules. After this game the Shamrock Lacrosse Club of Toronto Junction requested me to order another game to be played, on the grounds that they were the champions of the senior series of the Toronto Lacrosse League. (title 12, section 16.) But, altho I would like to have seen another game played, I could not help disallowing their claim, as I believe it was never the intention of the C.L.A. constitution to allow any club to have two chances.

Cheaper Management.

This year the secretary-treasurer has distributed a printed report of the financial standing of our association for 1900, and I know that you all join with me in thanking him for putting these matters before us in such a clear and concise manner; and, if I may be allowed to say a word re our finances, I will draw your attention to the fact that the total cost of managing the affairs of the association this year was $155.80, which is $92.19 less than was expended the preceding year, and $39.20 less than the amount expended in 1898. I am also pleased to inform you that the association has a cash surplus of $142.31.

I am sure we are all glad to learn that Lord Minto has kindly donated a cup for representing the Canadian championship in lacrosse, and I confidently predict that the Canadian Lacrosse Association will be a factor in furnishing a team to compete for that trophy in the near future.

Chairman Good O. K.

I am glad to be able to tell you that, thru the kindness and liberality of the City Council of Toronto, we were able to entertain the delegates and friends of our association in a suitable manner, and I wish to thank the Reception Committee, of which Mr. H. J. Good is chairman, for their untiring work during the past two weeks.

I also desire to express my heartfelt thanks for the kindness and courtesy that has been shown to me during the past year. In taking my leave from you as president, I wish to convey my sincere gratitude to all those who so ably assisted me in my work, and to wish the association a prosperous year under the guidance of those who will be to-day elected to fill the places made vacant by the retiring officers.

Delegates From Clubs.

The various clubs were represented by delegates, as follows:

Dauntless, Shelburne—A. Twohey, F. Shepherd.

Dauntless II.—J. Rea, O. Melville, W. McLean.

Athletics, St. Catharines—F. Dixon, I. Johnston.

Talagous, Newmarket—A. M. Cameron. Talagous II.—L. Kay.

Credits, Glenwilliams—W. Beaumont, J. Thomson.

Manchester, Galt—J. Leys, A. L. Cardy.

Stouffville—J. G. Martin.

Stouffville II.—G. C. Button, J. D. Forsythe.

Thistle, Fergus—D. W. Richardson, A. C. Steele.

Thistle II.—W. Leys, J. H. Morrow.

Toronto—A. F. Rutter, L. Yorke.

Young Toronto—C. A. Tobin, B. Moore.

Aetna, Georgetown—R. Gibson, S. H. McGibbon.

Brants, Paris—D. Adams, G. Gayden.

Clarksburg—P. M. Geddes, F. C. Foster.

Huntsville—E. C. Tisdale, R. A. Stewart.

Bradford—R. A. Burchard, J. Kelly.

Tecumseh—F. Rose, G. Taylor.

Tecumseh II.—F. C. Waghorne, J. Munro.

Tecumseh III.—F. Angus, B. Davis.

Dufferins, Orangeville—H. Gillespie, W. G. Kearns.

Dufferins II.—T. H. Henry, C. R. McKeown.

Dufferins III.—E. A. Menary, B. McGuire.

Ontarios, Port Hope—G. R. Renwick, T. E. Burt.

Bracebridge—K. Davidson.

Coldwater—A. E. Cameron, W. J. Chinn.

Midland—H. S. Cameron, C. Querrie.

Checkers, Beaverton—A. W. Talbot.

Checkers II.—J. Overend.

Lornes, Mount Forest—W. Theobold.

Cookstown—H. Leadlay, J. A. Brown.

Cookstown II.—W. H. Somers, R. S. Scott.

Owen Sound—R. J. Brebner, J. Ramsay.

Shamrocks, Toronto Junction—H. Logan, A. Macdonnell.

Erin—A. E. Graham.

Richmond Hill—H. Glover.

Collingwood—J. H. Collins.

Arthur—J. H. Martin, S. Ogden.

Varsity—J. F. McFadden, H. D. Graham.

Aberdeens, Markdale—A. W. Sproule, S. N. McCandlie.

Garnets, Wiarton—Dr. Hough, F. Atkinson.

London—C. A. Fleming, Ed. Smith.

Victors, Grand Valley—W. M. McIntyre, W. L. Craig.

Excelsiors, Brampton—M. E. Mitchell, C. Irvine.

Excelsiors, Mitchell—W. D. Davidson, R. M. Kay.

Iroquois, Stratford—H. Jack, R. E. Edmonds.

Orillia—E. Brandon.

Orillia II.—J. Burchard.

Barrie—J. B. Gould.

Barrie II.—P. M. Johnson.

Uxbridge—F. E. Rainey, G. R. H. Campbell.

Cannington—N. V. Pipher.

Gravenhurst—W. J. Hickey.

St. Mary's—G. M. McIntyre, G. Clark.

Beavers, Seaforth—J. A. Case, J. H. Broadfoot.

Maitlandmen—G. W. Wilson, F. C. Scott.

Markham II.—A. H. Wilson.

Penetang—J. F. McMillan.

Beavers, Woodstock—B. Stewart, W. L. McWhinney.

Length of Playing Time.

The convention then settled down to business on the several amendments to the constitution, these were all of minor importance, with the exception of one proposed by Mr. F. C. Waghorne, with regard to the length of playing time for championship matches, which was as follows:

"That all games consist of four quarters of 10 minutes' actual playing time each, with a rest of five minutes between each quarter, goals to be changed at the end of each period, thus making the duration of a match 95 minutes.

After considerable discussion, in which the advantages of the change were ably advocated by several of the delegates, the motion was carried.

Another amendment, of Mr. McFadden's, to the effect that the association recognize the action of other amateur associations in expulsions for professionalism, was also carried.

These were the only changes in the constitution from last year.

Dr. Johnson of Buffalo addressed the meeting on behalf of the Pan-American Exposition Athletic Committee, in regard to arranging a series of games, which was referred to the incoming Council.

Father of Lacrosse.

Mr. McNaught also made a brief address in regard to a memorial to the late Dr. Beers, the "father" of lacrosse. On motion of Mr. H. J. P. Good, this was also referred to the incoming Council, with a strong recommendation that some fitting action be taken to bring the matter to a successful issue.

A delegation from the C.W.A., headed by President Walton, was here admitted, to convey fraternal greetings from that body, and Mr. Lennox replied in a neat speech, in which he gave them a warm welcome.

The election of officers took up little time, as the nominations were all in and the ballots were in printed form. The following officers were elected: Honorary President—P. McMillan, Beaverton. Vice-President—P. Nelson, Toronto. Second Vice-President—John F. Lennox, Newmarket. Treasurer—W. H. Hall. Council—A. H. Wilson, Markham; A. C. Steele, Fergus; L. Allen, Mount Forest; W. L. Craig, Grand Valley; J. Munro, Tecumseh; F. Taylor, Brampton; F. Williams, Mitchell; W. J. Hanley, Midland; T. G. Campbell, Markdale.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

The Annual Meeting of the Western Association Held at Berlin Yesterday.

Berlin, Ont., April 5.—The Western Football Association's annual meeting was held at Berlin to-day. The members present were: President R C Cheswright, Walkerton; Secretary D Forsyth, Berlin; J Bate, Riversides, Toronto; F H Gentle, Toronto, league and district; J A Jackson, Intercollegiate Association; H Travers, Stratford Classics; J A Stuart, Listowel; H M Jackson, Hurons and Seaforth Collegiate Institute; H A Jaque, Berlin Intermediate; T A Aiken, Galt and Galt Y.M.C.A.; H F Boehmer, Berlin; A Rudell, Berlin Rangers; Ira Gerry, Brussels.

The meeting was called to order at 11 o'clock. The reports of the secretary and the auditors were received and adopted.

The correspondence re Pan-American series of games was referred to the International Committee.

The formation of an Ontario Executive was favorably received. Two delegates, J A Jackson and D Forsyth, were appointed to confer with the other associations and leagues.

The proposal for an Old Country trip was also referred to the International Committee for action.

The officers elected were the same Executive as in 1900, except Hon. President J. A. Jackson, B.A., Toronto; Vice-President-Huron District, H M Jackson, Seaforth; Ferguson League, J C Stuart, Detroit; Central district, T A Aiken, Galt.

The standing throw-in rule was provisionally adopted for one year.

The Berlin players having failed to carry out their financial agreements of last year, were suspended until their accounts have been settled to the satisfaction of the Riverside City.

Clough Cup Entries: Clinton C.I., Seaforth C.I., Goderich C.I. to defend. Intermediate points to decide.

Intermediate schedule points to decide: Listowel v. Stratford, May 11; Berlin v. Galt, May 11; Stratford v. Berlin, May 18; Galt v. Listowel, May 18; Stratford v. Galt, May 24; Listowel v. Berlin, May 24; Galt v. Stratford, June 1; Listowel v. Galt, June 1; Galt v. Stratford, June 8; Berlin v. Listowel, June 8; Stratford v. Listowel, June 15; Galt v. Berlin, June 15. Games to be played on the grounds of the first mentioned team. In case of a tie in points, home and home games, goals to decide.

Senior series: Berlin v. Riversides, at Toronto, May 18; Riversides at Galt, May 24; Galt at Berlin, May 31; Galt v. Riversides at Toronto, June 8; Berlin at Galt, June 15; Riversides at Berlin, June 22; Seaforth at Brussels, June 7; Brussels at Seaforth, June 14. Winners of above series to be arranged later.

Marlboro Football Club.

A meeting of the Marlboro Football Club will be held at 39 Cameron-street at 8 o'clock to-night. Members of the Marlboro Athletic Club and all wishing to play football are requested to attend. As the Marlboro Athletic Club is undoubtedly the strongest junior organization in Toronto, they will have a strong team. Manager Latimer is to be congratulated on his success in the Junior League.

Toronto Canoe Club Smoker.

The Canoe Club's smoker begins at 8.15 sharp to-night. The entertainment will be held at the clubhouse, foot of York-street bridge. The following is the program:

Boxing bout (3 rounds) ..... J. L. Scholes v. A. Goode

Wrestling bout .. H. Colby v. Oliver Brown (3 Falls Catch-as-Catch-Can).

Assault at Arms—Bayonet v. Bayonet. Quarterstaff v. Quarterstaff. Sabre v. Sabre ..... G. Stewart v. G. Williams

Ventriloquism ..... Henry Simpson

Humorist ..... Harry W. Fay

Cake Walk .. George Dill and Chas. Lyons

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1. Ed Wildey defeated Billy Smith in third round of 5-round contest at 135 lbs.

2. Jimmy Smith knocked out Jack Roach in fifth round of 10-round contest at catch weights.

3. Jack McClelland, Pittsburg, knocked out Ole Olson of Chicago in 16th round of 20-round contest at 126 lbs.

Referee, John R. Bennett. Timekeepers, F. A. Passmore and W. Armstrong.

These were the results of the boxing exhibitions held in the Rink last night under the auspices of the Crescent Athletic Club. The affair was most successful in every respect, and the large crowd present thoroughly enjoyed the excellent program provided.

The wind-up was one of the best contests ever pulled off in Toronto. The ring entered the ring sharp on scheduled time at 10 o'clock, and both wore bandages. McClelland was attended by his manager, Billy Corcoran, and Harry Bethune, the famous sprinter. Harry Gilmore and Jack Moriarity were in Olson's corner. Both men were in excellent condition. McClelland's splendid fighting figure, lithe and graceful, caught the fancy of the crowd, while Olson, who is built on an entirely different plan—stocky and thick-legged—did not lack for supporters. There was not a moment in which there wasn't something doing, and as a result the spectators were kept on the keen edge of excitement from the drop of the hat. The knock-out came quite unexpectedly. Olson was holding his own, and if anything, appeared to be fresher and stronger than his opponent. With a minute to go in the sixteenth round McClelland crossed the right to the jaw—a quick short-arm swing—and Olson toppled over on the floor, completely out. He got up before the full count, and was again knocked down, but not without being punched considerably. The bell saved him for the third time, and McClelland then put on the finishing touches.

Up to the 16th the boxing was very even. McClelland was the more aggressive, but Olson did not refuse to meet all advances. The result was that the contest was of the very fastest variety. McClelland showed himself to be clever in all departments of the game, and was much the better puncher of the two. Olson gave a remarkable exhibition of scientific blocking and parrying, but his leads were chiefly shoves and scrapes, rather than blows. In clinches he beaten a few times. Besides, the players never take the chances or interest in an exhibition game that they do in a championship affair.

To-morrow the players will be divided up into two teams, with the addition of a couple of local players, and a game will be played during the afternoon. The teams will be called the Regulars and the Phenoms. Louis Bruce will captain the Phenoms, and says he will win out.

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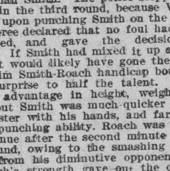

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AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIPS.

National Meeting of Athletes to Be Held at Buffalo June 13, 14 and 15.

New York, April 5.—The announcement of the National Handicap meeting and the Junior and Senior Championship meetings of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States has been issued by the National Championships Committee, of which J. E. Sullivan, Metropolitan Association, is chairman.

All the meetings will be held on the Athletic field in the Stadium at the Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo. The program will be the same for each, comprising the following events:

100 yards run, 200 yards run, 440 yards run, 880 yards run, 1 mile run, 5-mile run, 120 yards hurdle race (10 flights, 3 feet 6 inches high), 220 yards hurdle race (10 flights, 2 feet 6 inches high), pole vault, running high jump, running broad jump, throwing 56-pound weight, throwing 16-pound hammer, putting 16-pound shot, throwing discus.

The National Handicap will be held on June 13, and will be open to all registered athletes. A gold medal will be given to the winner in each event, a silver medal to the second, and a bronze medal to the third.

The Junior National championships will be decided on June 14, and will be open to all registered athletes who have not won a senior championship. The winner of any event in the junior championship will be ineligible for further competition in the junior class. A gold medal emblematic of the junior championship of the United States will be given to the winner in each event, a silver medal to the second and a bronze medal to the third.

The senior championships will be held on June 15, and will be open only to registered athletes. The regular Amateur Athletic Union die medal, emblematic of the championship of the United States, will be given to the winners in each event, a silver medal to the second and a bronze medal to the third.

Amateur Entries Close To-Day.

The entries for the C.A.A.U. boxing and wrestling championships will close with the secretary, Mr. George H. Doherty, to-day. The complete list will be published on Monday. The Argonauts say that it will be the best bill ever presented in Canada. The tournament will commence on Thursday night next in the Mutual-street Rink.

Peterboro Baseball Club.

Peterboro, April 5.—The annual meeting of the Peterboro Baseball Club was held in the Oriental Hotel here last evening, when the following officers were elected: Patrons and Patroneses—Hon. S. H. and Mrs. Stratton, James Kendry, M.P., and Mrs. Kendry, and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McGill. Hon. President—G. W. Hatton. Hon. Vice-President—R. B. McKee. President—H. J. H. Kenner. First Vice-President—M. H. Halpin. Second Vice-President—Wm. Robinson. Secretary-Treasurer—R. A. W. Hay. Executive Committee—Messrs. Ernest S. Clarry, S. S. Moore, Ed. Desantel, A. J. McClellan and W. R. Rickey. Representatives to Midland Baseball League—Messrs. Ernest S. Clarry and R. A. W. Hay.

Notty Lee at Gananoque.

Gananoque, April 4.—A meeting was called yesterday for the purpose of organizing a baseball club for the season of 1901. Notty Lee is Manager, and the following officers were elected: W. C. McCarney, president; T. H. Pitelifs, vice-president; W. Bates, secretary-treasurer; C. Shiels, W. Battams, M. J. McDonald, Executive.

Manager Lee has secured the following players: Catcher, Bill O'Brien of last year's Crescents; Infielders, Dinny Burke from Guelph, Bill Rodden of last year's Guelph team, Curley Ross of last year's Crescents, W. Lockheed of Bay City, Mich., F. Brennan of Toronto, Tom Boucher, W. Pearce and Charlie Doorie of Gananoque, and expects to open the season with the fastest independent team in Canada.

Toronto Pedro League.

The deciding game for the championship of the Toronto Pedro League was played Thursday night at the N.O.C. rooms; the Swankey Club defeated the N.O.C. in a hotly contested game, 13 to 12. It was a heart-breaking finish, the game being always in doubt until the last card had been played. The winners have gone the fastest the championship trophy to the Swaikey Club, they having won 10 and lost 4 games during the season just closed, which has been a most successful one.

Markham Players Won.

A checker match was played at Markham on Thursday between the four noted experts of Barrie and four representatives of Markham Draughts Club. The following is the score:

Markham—	W.	Barrie—	W.	Dr
Wm. Young, jr.	3	E. B. Reid	0	0
Wm. Young, sr.	2	W. T. Dodds	1	2
Wm. Fleming	1	J. G. Keenan	0	5
W. A. R. Milne	0	M. E. Gray	3	3
Total	7	Totals	4	13

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St. Malachi's Prophecies.

One of the English magazines has been explaining once more the oft-quoted prophecies of St. Malachi, which have found astonishing backing in history. St. Malachi was, it appears, an Irishman. He distinguished himself in battle against the King of Ulster in the twelfth century and was so handy with the sword that they made him Archbishop of Armagh.

Then he went to Rome and received high honors, going back to Ireland as the Pope's legate. On a second pilgrimage to Rome he died in the arms of Bernard Clairvaux. It is prophesies all concerned the future of the Papacy and were handed down orally until the sixteenth century, when they were written. The Papal succession has in many instances corroborated these sayings of the Irish saint.

Clement XIII. was indicated by the phrase, "Rosa Umbria." He came from Venetia, which is the home of this flower. The place of Pius VI. in the prophesied line was filled by the description, "An Apostolic Pilgrim." No words could better have described the man who was driven from Rome and borne from prison to prison until he died in exile.

Next after Pius VI., said Malachi, would come a Pope whose fate lay in the words "Aquila Rapax." Pius VII. certainly fulfilled that prophecy, being but wax in the hands of Napoleon of the Imperial Eagle.

Pius IX., who saw the white cross of the House of Savoy wave above the crossed keys of the Papal flag in Rome, was described in the prophecies as he who would "bear the cross from the cross," and the present Pope was to come "as a light in the heavens." The Pope bears the arms of his family, silver star on an azure field.

Six more Popes are foretold by Malachi's prophecy, their mottoes being, "A Burning Fire," "Religion Laid Waste," "Intrepid Faith," "Pastor and Pilot," "From the Work of the Sun" and "The Fame of the Olive," and those who believe in the Irish saint's foresight trust that the six Popes will be long lived; for, said the archbishop, "In the last persecution the Pontiff of Rome shall feed his flock amid sore persecution, and at the appointed time the City of the Seven Hills shall fall, and the Judge shall judge the nations."

Russia Still at Her Tricks.

Tien Tsin, April 5.—It is reported here that the Russians have been endeavoring to force a purchase of the disputed railway siding from the original Chinese owners.

The Ophir Leaves Aden.

Aden, April 5.—The Ophir sailed this evening.

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