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Baseball Club All Right.

St. Thomas is Getting Into Good Form.

Canada's Great Cricketer, Rev F. W. Ferry, Going to Montreal.

Wheelmen Reorganizing for the Opening Meets,

Marvelous Record Made by Jockey Sloane - Marcus Daly's 080,000 Colt Going to England.

BASEBALL.

PORT HURON IN TO STAY, Secretary Davis has received a wire from President D. McArron, of the Port Huron club, which stated that that club had succeeded in arranging its finances satisfactorily, and would go into the league to stay.

LEAMINGTON'S CLUB The Leamington baseball club has elected officers as follows: President,

Lewis Smith; first vice-president, R. Deming; second vice-president, N. Whaley; secretary, A. G. Baker; treasurer, G. M. Maxon; manager, Thos. Ashley; captain, J. A. Snider; honorary president, Dr. Hillier; honorary vice-president, H. McSween. A committee was appointed to draft agreements and get the players signed and make other arrangements.

ST. THOMAS CLUB.

The new St. Thomas club has signed the following men: Lyman Gordon, Toronto, catcher; W. H. Suffield, Chicago, pitcher; D. A. Hardy, St. Thomas, pitcher; John G. Hull, Chicago, pitcher; Hank Humphrey, St. Thomas, fielder; Wm. Rodden, St. Thomas, third base; Frank Regan, Scranton, pitcher; James E. Green, Baltimore, shortstop, and J. F. Shuster, Chicago, manager and second base. The directors of the St. Thomas Baseball Association met Monday night, when the following offi-cers were elected: President, B. F. Honsinger; vice-president, Joseph Rivard; treasurer, C. L. Robinson; secretary, Frank Nicol. It was decided to place ticket books on sale at once. Twenty admissions cost \$2 50, and 40 admissions \$5. The l sented at the gate, and anyone can use them or any number of admissions be torn from them at one time. Two tickets will be torn off for holiday games. There was some talk of having the uniforms red, but they will likely be blue, as previously decided

NEW MEN FOR TORONTO. Manager Irwin will have quite an army of players to look after during the spring. He has eighteen players under contract, most of whom report at Newark on April 5. It is his intention to try out a couple of catchers in addition to Andy Reid on the trial trip. He does not give out the names of the backstops, but says they are first-class players. Another twirler has been signed, making eight in all. His name is Kirtley Baker, and last year he pitched for Milwaukee in the Western League. Mr. Irwin thinks he should get five good men out of the

LONDON'S NEW CATCHER.

London has signed a new catcher-Victor Accorsini, an Italian, who is at present coaching the team of the Allegheny Institute, of Roanoke, Virginia. The new man is very highly recommend by Patsy Donovan and Brodie, of Pittsburg. He is 5 feet 11 inches in height, weighs 160 pounds, and played 106 games last season, 76 of which he caught, and in 30 he played various positions. He made last season 7 home runs, 12 three-base hits, and 42 two-president, F. W. Weidenhammer; secbaggers, having a batting average of .367 and a fielding average of .926. This



ON THE OCEAN WAVE.

What a life it is to some of ust what a life it is to some of ust A peculiar sickness and utter wretchedness and prostration ex-perienced by many when at sea and others when on compar-atively calm water. It comes first with a feeling that you are going to die. As it gets worse comes a fear that you will not die. The sensible traveller always. sensible traveller arm with him a supply of le traveller always carries

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Port Huron International makes the fourteenth man signed by London.

FLYS.

Harry Staley has caught on in one of the leagues in the south. It is the present intention of the Toronto management to reserve Cockman, of Guelph, as a general utility All the members of the Louisville team are learning the sign langauge, so that they can converse with Dum-

my Hoy. Frank Snyder has gone to Washington. He is quite satisfied with his Senatorial agreement. Pitcher Rettger, of Milwaukee, has

Manager Allen, of Indianapolis, has enough ball players signed to make two clubs. The Cincinnati infield is playing as well now as it did when the season closed. The combination of Beckley, McPhee, Corcoran and Irwin promises greater than ever. Lewee, the Milwaukee shortstop, has signed his contract, and Connie Mack's

team is practically complete. Connie will play first base and shift Stafford to third. If Myers comes to time, Connie may, however, remain on the bench. Harry Staley, the veteran pitcher, who was with Toronto part of last season, has signed with Newark. Arthur Irwin, of Toronto, has eighteen players under contract, eight of whom

> CRICKET REV. F. W. TERRY.

Rev. F. W. Terry, formerly of London, whose performances in international cricket matches have stamped him as one of the leading batsmen of the day, has decided to take up his residence in Montreal this coming season. He will play with McGill and the university club is being warmly congratulated upon such an important acquisition.

A. H. Hannivan, of Pittsburg, the holder of the quoit-pitching championship of Pennsylvania, is on his way to San Francisco, where he will meet P. Ginter. The two will then proceed to Sydney. Australia, where they will pitch a series of twelve games for the hampionship of the colony. Within the last decade Hannivan has won 26 medals and 92 money prizes. He has pitched 118 championship games and lost but one. In this instance he won second money. GOLF.

A GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP. Victoria, B. C., March 30.-At the men were golf tournament on Saturday the fea- PLUNGED INTO THE WATER. Vancouver, who also carried off the petition. The previous record was &5 and was reduced to 84

WHESI. ST. THOMAS BICYCLE CLUB. The St. Thomas Bicycle Club, which has not and never had any connection with the St. Thomas Bicycle Club (Limited), has reorganized for the year 1898-1899 in the usual way, by appointing the following officers: Honorary president, J. B. Davidson; president, S. Eby; vice-president, Dr. Burns; secretary-treasurer, C. E. Sanders; captain, W. Forsyth; delgates to Wheelman's Association, to be held Good Friday in Toronto, Messrs. Forsyth, Eby, Burns and Horton.

THE METEORS. The annual meeting of the Meteor Bicycle Club will be held on Monday,

April 11, when the election of officers for the year will take place. Messrs. Fred Dewar, George Wyatt, and Charles Abbott are mentioned for the presidency. The membership of the to be made to largely increase the number for 1898. LEAMINGTON CLUB.

The Leamington Bicycle Club had a meeting the other evening, and ap-pointed their officers as follows: Honorary president, Mayor Coulson; presretary, Albert Peart; treasurer, Villas Daugharty; captain, Chas. Gammage; lieutenant, Thos. Fuller; executive, A. T. Boles, L. Decow, Chas. Gammage, Albert Peart. The club will likely have club rooms this year.

TURF. SLOANE'S REMARKABLE RECORD Jockey Tod Sloane last week broke all records by piloting 18 winners out of 29 mounts at Ingleside. This is remarkable work, and is likely to stand as the record for many years. Sloane put up some wonderfully clever riding during the week. He won a big bet by his exploits, as he wagered \$200 to \$2,000 that he could land one-third of on Saturday night, and after consultaall the races run on the track.

AT NEW ORLEANS. New Orleans, La., March 30.-The rain put the track in bad condition yesterday. Halton, in the first race, was the only winning favorite. On account of the suspicious and unsatisfactory riding of the horse Albert S., Laird and Hand are suspended. Jockey L. Smith is also suspended. Winners: Halton, Swordsman, Corell, Albert S., Stanza and Cave Spring.

AT INGLESIDE. San Francisco, Cal., March 30 .- The track was very fast at Ingleside yesterday. Winners: Toluca, Leo Vertner, Geyser, Suscol and Free Lady. HAMBURG GOING TO ENGLAND. San Francisco, March 30 .- Marcus Daly, the copper king of Montana, has admitted that the sensational colt. Hamburg, for which \$60,000 is reported to have been paid, is soon to be seen on the English turf. Hamburg will be York. Mr. Daly said: "If he comes out of the races all right, he will be sent to England, where he will be raced in the colors of Sir Broderick

Closte, and then retired to the stud." A LONDON MAN'S STRING. The Toronto Globe says: J. J. Flaherty's colors will be seen at the Woodbine this year. He is proprietor of the Wellington Hotel, London, and has a string of twenty-one. Font d'Or is a fine five-year-old, by Fonso, dam Rena d'Or, by Rayon d'Or. He was second in the Campau stakes at Detroit, with 40 to 1 against him. Idle Wild is another five-year-old, by Fordham, and Reinstater is a fine twoyear-old, by Hanover. Freemore is by Fordham, dam Free Woman, and Ocean Wave is by Imp. Ocean, out of Wave. In the stable is a good-looking two-year-old, full brother to Sim W. and others by Sir Dixon and Hanover. The lot will be shipped here about

Madden's Plaudit continues to be the tavorite for the Kentucky derby, which

will be run at Louisville in five weeks. The Schorr money is backing Lieber Karl heavily.

European horsemen are trying to buy Stamboul, 2:07%, the former champion of trotting stallions. 'Umbrella Bill' McGuigan has been offered \$15,000 for Bannockburn, his good 3-year-old, which is now being prepared for the Tennessee derby. Bannockburn cost \$150 as a yearling, and won over \$10,000 for his owners

> ATHLETICS. GIANT JEFFRIES.

Jeffries, who whipped Peter Jackson, is a giant in strength, and has ver touched liquor or tobacco. He is not a ring general, but he is as quick as a cat, despite his 215 pounds, and he has muscles that compare well with Sharkey's. Like Fitzsimmons, he formed these muscles in the blacksmith shop.

SHARKEY AND JEFFRIES New York, March 30.-Tom O'Rourke sent word to Tom Sharkey asking if would sign articles to box Peter Maher at Syracuse some time in May. O'Rourke received a reply that Sharkey had been matched to fight Jim Jeffries before the Olympic Club, San Francisco, the latter part of next month. The pair will engage in a twenty-round contest. Sharkey says that if he wins he will come east and meet Maher.

Sealer Crushed In an Ice Floe.

are pitchers. They will all report at Steamer Mastiff Wrecked in a Newark on April 5. Terrific Gale.

> Terrible Suffering of the Survivors Who Escaped to the Floating Ice. St. Johns, Nfld., March 30 .- The steamer Mastiff was crushed in an ice floe on the night of March 15 during a terrible gale, and sank within an hour. The crew took to the ice floe with boats and provisions, and remained

Neptune and Walrus hove in sight and rescued them. The steamer Algerine, which reports the loss, says that no lives were lost, but that most of the men are badly frost-bitten. THREE SCHOONERS LOST.

Terrible storms have been raging the whole of the past two weeks. Three schooners have been lost, and it is feared that many other disasters will be chronicled by arriving steamers during the next few days. The crew of the Mastiff spent 48 hours on the ice floe. The ice broke George was regent and king. But did up the first night, and a large party of

ture was the breaking of Oak Bay All escaped with their lives, but their link's record by Dr. Carruthers, of misery was greatly increased by misery was greatly increased by championship of British Columbia in twelve men went insane; but by great vowing that he would keep it as a preand the officers, these unfortunates were kept under control and employed fact that he happened to sit on it. in various tasks. Shelters were made under the upturned boats for those who were most seriously frost-bitten; but many lives would have been lost if they had not been rescued before the third night.

OVERCOME BY JOY. When rescued many fainted from joy. Others became crazed and began to rave. It is feared that many must lose their limbs. Arrangements are now being made to provide hospital

WESTWARD, HO!

An Army of Prospective Settlers Leaving Michigan.

Toronto, March 30 .- Several trainloads of prospective settlers for the club last year was 90, but an effort is largest party coming in from Michigan, which included 125 people, while a second party of 75 Michiganders followed. The Canadian Pacific took about 450 people west, 70 being bound for the roast. The train consisted of 112 cars, including two filled with settlers from Wingham and Owen Sound. A third ident, Rev. Mr. Patterson; first vice- party of 100 Michiganders will be added at Sault Ste. Marie. The Grand Trunk sent out a couple of trains with an almost equal number aboard, bound chiefly for Manitoba and the Northwest.

PEAR REARRESTED.

Scribner Said to Have Been Courting the Prisoner's Sister.

Brockville, Ont., March 30 .- As a result of the preliminary hearing of Wm. Scribner, near North Augusta, on Mon-day last, Justices Joynt and Bellamy tion with Crown Attorney Brown, swore out a warrant for Pear's arrest, which was executed, and the prisoner was lodged in jail. The defense waived examination, and asked for a commitment until the June sessions, which was granted. Bail was accepted. Since the first hearing of the case the authorities have learned that deceased was a native of the United States. He secured a divorce about eighteen years ago, and on coming to this side married a widow named Campbell, at Sunder-

THE SURGEON FOILED.

Wanted to Perform an Operation.

DR. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS RENDERED IT UNNECESSARY.

Too many doctors are too ready to use the knife. Many a one is sacrificed on the altar of a surgeon's ambition to operate who could be saved by the use of Dr. Chase's K.-L. Pills The case of MRS. W B. AIKEN, of Zephyr, Ont., is one in point. Her husband says that she had een doctoring with several doctors for Inflammation of the Bladder for over a

"The last bottle I got from the doctor he said if that did her no good she would be compelled to have an operation performed. I luckily picked up a sample of Dr. Chase's K.-L. Pills in Mr. Dafoe's store, and my wife took one pill that night and one in the morning, and she has never felt the least sign of pain since. I will always keep Dr. Chase's Pills in my house for all our family com

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land, near Port Perry, by whom he had one son. He left this woman some ten years ago, and she is still a resident of Sunderland. She visited North Augusta since the shooting, and claimed the body, which was refused her. Scribner, it is said, also had matri-monial intentions towards Mrs. Mc-Intosh, a sister of Pear, which accounts for his visit at Pear's that night,

Burns' Greatest Sin

Views That Stirred Mankind to Love of Independence.

Sir Charles Cameron's Address.

Perhaps the freshest and most original address delivered on the occasion of the great Burns anniversary demonstration in Scotland was that by Sir Charles Cameron, M.P., before the Carlton Burns Club, Glasgow. Sir Charles, in the course of his speech, said that the federation of Burns clubs had done good work in elucidating the story of the poet's life and refuting various scandalous legends while thanks to the credulity begotten of his unpardonable sin, have become engrafted on his biography. Thanks to their research, we now know that Burns' death did not result from exposure while lying drunk after an orgie at the Globe tavern; that he was never reprimanded by the excise; that if he sent the carronades of a captured smuggler to the French revolutionists there is not the smallest record or proof of the transaction; and that the worst that can be laid to his charge is to be found in his own too frank confessions.

HIS UNPARDONABLE SIN. Well, what was the poet's unpardonable sin? Not his weakness for drink and boon companions, for everyone drank in those days, and he alone was despised who could not drink. (Laughter.) Judges and advocates sat up all night drinking or slept off their liquor under the table. At ordination and other clerical dinners ministers got drunk like the rest. (Laughter.) Bos-QUOITING

ADRIFT ALL NIGHT.

whom Thackeray tells an amusing story founded on the fact of his having been found lying drunk on the pavement-even he feels bound to denounce the exceptionally drunken manners of his countrymen. (Laughter.) It was certainly not drink which made the respectable nobodies of Dumfries cut the poet in his latter days. Nor his amours. Read Thackeray's description of English society in the days of George III., a society of aristocrats Poet Laureate Austin's Poem on the sal and open. "Its dissoluteness was

And worse it was when the next Scottish society censure or avoid him? We know Edinburgh groveled before What is the voice I hear him when George IV. came northhow Sir Walter Scott, who as sheriff ff to his ship to welcome him, seized the glass which he had emptied, put it carefully in his pocket, exertions on the part of the captain cious relic-and how he was only saved of the ignominy of doing so by the

"MARSEILLAISE OF HUMANITY." What, then, was this unpardonable sin at which I have hinted? Burns' views of the rights of mankind were so far in advance of his age and surroundings that, although nowadays they are universally accepted, in his time they were considered as doctrines altogether outside the sphere of politics, and monopolized by madmen, traitors and revolutionists. Having accommodations for the survivors studied and understood the true sigwhen a boy learned French, Burns had nificance of the French revolution. He had hymned the Tree of Liberty.

Apostrophizing his native land, he had asked, "Where is the soul of Freedom fled?" He had indited what had been justly termed the Marseillaise of Humanity-"The Man's the Man for a' That," and told the world how "Man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn." (Applause.) No great crimes, these, you will say. Aye, but not so thought the respectable in

those days. HOW MUIR WAS TREATED. I don't know whether any of you have read of the trial in 1793 of Thos. Muir, an accomplished young advocate-to whom Burns alludes in his Epistle from Aeopus to Maria-for advocating reforms, every one of which is now on the statute book. charge against Muir was that he had "harangued multitudes at Glasgow, Paisley, Kirkintilloch, and other places

in favor of reform." "The panel," said the Lord Justice Clerk in charging the packed jury-"the panel might have known that no attention could be paid to the peti-tion of such rabbles. What right had they to representation? The panel should have told them that parliament would never listen to their petitions. (Hear, hear.) A government Pear, charged with shooting J. M. in every country must be like a corporation, and in this country it is discharged the prisoner. Elmer Scribner, of Neversink, N. J., arrived in town As to the rabble who have nothing made up of the landed interest, who but personal property, what hold has the nation on them?" Muir was found guilty of sedition and sentenced to fourteen years' transportation.

SCOTLAND IN BURNS' DAY. And serve him right, said all the respectable people, and while they admired and were proud of Burns as a genius-as their action showed as soon as he was dead and past further mischief-they felt constrained so long as he lived, to cut him as a danger-ous man. (Applause.) Lucky that they did not prosecute him or de-prive him of his post, though the board of excise warned him that whatever might be men and measures it was for him to be silent and obedient." Why, we nowadays can hardly conceive the state of matters which existed in Scotland in Burns' day, or appreciate the courage which underlay his most stirring songs. In the kirk alone was there any semblance of representative seif-government to be found. Bailies and justices and members of parliament there were, but they were all nominated or self-elected.

Bribery was rampant and open, and as for justice, I think the sample given will show that one of the many epitaphs on Lord Justice Clark Whytlaw, although written in the earlier half of the eighteenth century, most aptly fits itself to the state of things which that century drew to a close.

Old Nick was in want of a lawyer in hell To preside over his Court of Ses-So old Whytlaw he took, for he suited him well, For tyranny, lust and oppression.

Twixt the Devil and Whytlaw, the poor wretches damned
Will be sore put about in that hot For now since the Justice-Clerk's got the command.
They could hardly be worse off in

Scotland. IN ADVANCE OF HIS TIME. Burns may have been what the most (with a

Elbow-grease

little soap) used to be the thing to clean house with. Now-a-days it's Pearline. Pearline is easier and quicker and better than elbow-grease. One reason why millions of women prefer Pearline, rather than anything else, in cleaning house, is that it saves the paint and woodwork. But the principal reason,

of course, is that it saves so much work. 548 Peddlers and some unscrupulous grocers will tell you, "this is as good as" or "the same as Pearline." IT's FALSE—Pearline is never peddled; if your grocer sends and it back.

JAMES PYLE, New York.

respectable and courted men were in his day-what we would call drunken and dissolute. He was what many of them were not-independent, honest, outspoken and courageous. (Applause.) He had been blamed for impiety because he attacked the kirk. He warred against its hypocrisies and superstitions, but he embalmed its religion in his noblest verse, and I doubt f you will find in all his writings sufficient heterodoxy to qualify him for a chair of Biblical criticism or a Gifford lectureship. (Great laughter and applause.) And as to his views on the rights of man-the sedition which in his day sent Thomas Muir to Botany Bay-these have long since passed from the range of party politics into the common domain cepted political platitudes. The fact is that although the genius of Burns was acknowledged and honored during his life, some of the most precious and enduring emanations were a century or a half century in advance of the age in which he lived.

TRUE TILL DEATH

Margaret Mears Laid Beside Her Lover

or 60 Years Ago. Windsor, March 30.-The burial of Miss Margaret Mears, who died at the residence of her nephew in Detroit on Sunday, took place yesterday afternoon at St. John's cemetery, Sandwich. Her remains were laid beside those of Adam Hogarth, to whom she was en gaged to be married 60 years ago, but who died on the eve of the wedding. She remained faithful to the end, and always wore the engagement ring he had aiver her.

JOHN AND JONATHAN.

Anglo American Entente. The full text of the latest poem by Alfred Austin, the poet laureate, is as

On the wind of the western sea? Sentinel, listen from out Cape Clear And say what the voice may be.

'Tis a proud, free people calling loud to a people proud and free, And it says to them, "Kinsmen, hail, we severed have been too long. Now let us have done with a worn-

The tale of an ancient wrong; And our friendship last long as love doth last, And be stronger than death is strong."

Answer them, sons of the selfsame race, And blood of the selfsame clan, Let us speak with each other face to And answer as man to man; And loyally love and trust each other

Now flung out to the breeze, Shamrock, thistle and rose; And the star-spangled banner unfurl

with these-A message to friends and foes, Wherever the sails of peace are seen and wherever the wind blows.

as none but free men can.

No A message to bond and thrall to wake, For wherever we come, we twain, The throne of the tyrant shall rock and quake, And his menace be void and vain:

For you are lords of a strong young main.

Yes, this is the voice on the bluff March gale, We severed have been too long, But now we have done with a wornout tale-

The tale of an ancient wrong; And our friendship last long as love doth last, and be stronger than death is strong.

THE REDCOATS CHEERED. Berlin Record: Mr. J. E. Skidmore, who was in Uncle Sam's domain for the last few days, said that he was at a last few days, said that he was at a large public gathering, where soldiers in British uniform made their appearance, and were loudly cheered. The sentiments of the Americans towards Canada are of the very friendliest, and Canadians are cordially treated.

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"Change your doctor." - London Punch PAT'S WIT.

One day an Irishman was taking a walk in a small town near Glasgow when he met an old friend. After walking along the road together, Pat's friend said to him:

"Have you heard the latest news?" Pat-No, what is it? "There's a penny off the loaf." Pat-Bedad, and I hope it is off the penny ones.'

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