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All that is required now to make the Bobby Kerr meet a success is fine weather.

The gold watches which will be presented to the Intermediate Tigers, inter-provincial champions, are on exhibition in the window of Norman Ellis' jewelry store. They will be presented at the club dinner, when the seniors will receive the diamond scarf pins.

As the Canadian National Exhibition is going to put on a Marathon race, it is at last officially acknowledged that the Marathon is one of Canada's national products.

Leave it to a Hamilton man whether Bobby Burns or Bobbie Kerr occupies the larger place in history, and you'll discover that no matter where the Ambitious City may be, it is not situated in Scotland.—Toronto Telegram.

I am convinced that James Jeffries could, with a single punch, make a stew of the big dingo who won the world's championship on a pair of sixes. All the experts who are now basking in the sunshine of his presence have said so, consequently it's a good line of reasoning to string with.

Some funny looking wrestling stunts have been pulled off in Toronto during the past season and the Toronto World wants the police to institute an investigation. It says this morning:

There is a difference of opinion about the latest wrestling stunt pulled off in this offensive burg. Some of the authorities say it was great, while others, equally reliable, declare the same old game. True, you cannot always tell.

One of the midnight specials that, to the tenderfoot, looked the goods, was the incident between Mahmoud and Yankee Rogers. This was the Turk who had the match on with Goch, who he lost, and to stay the hour with an alleged coming champion was a fine performance for the Yankee, who was boosted as most popular and likely to become a resident of this city.

The story goes that Rogers went on for the bout in question only when it was put in writing with the necessary guarantee that this Turk would let him stay the limit without two falls, and that was the result. If this is so, the police should take a hand in the wrestling game, and whoever is responsible for the frauds that have been pulled off on the public be made to suffer.

Information concerning the bout above mentioned, and evidences to the documents used, are easily available, and can be had by the authorities for the asking. These things may be pulled off with impunity in Montreal, but it's not likely they'll be tolerated here.

London Times.—The House of Commons yesterday Mr. Catherall, Wason asked the Chancellor of the Exchequer if he was aware of the revenue that might be secured to the country by the Government taking for national purposes one-half of the gate money taken at all cricket, hockey, football and horse dog race meetings, and if he would take the necessary steps to consider the same?

Mr. Hobbhouse.—My right hon. friend has doubtless taken the necessary steps to consider the hon. member's proposal. (Laughter.)

London Advertiser.—It looks as if Pat Powers and Tom Longboat had started a legal Marathon, with honors even, and both on the losing side. Pat was stung properly when he decided to be godfather to the aborigine, and has accumulated enough experience to last him several days. His suit for \$1,000 against the Indian may be a source of satisfaction to him, but all it will do will be to add to his store of headaches and cuss words. Ain't Tom some at breaking up happy combinations.

Run Over by Land Roller.
Tuxford, Sask., May 12.—A horrible accident happened on the farm of E. Eaton, near here, to-day, when his little daughter, who was riding with him on a land roller, was run over and killed by the roller, following the runaway of the team. The father was injured also, but not seriously. The horses were frightened by the whistle of a steam plow.

The trouble with the man who is always preaching economy is that he wants his wife to do all the practicing.

WITH THE GALLOPERS.

Work Outs at the Woodbine Yesterday.

Metropolitan Handicap This Afternoon.

Dunaa Driving Club's Matinee Races.

Toronto, May 13.—Horses were exercised on the Woodbine track yesterday from daylight until noon in preparation for the races in which they will start at the O. J. C. spring meeting. The track was dry except in some places close to the rail.

There was a lot of useful work done, but the performances of the King's Plate candidates alone made it interesting.

All the big stables, Seagram, Chinn, Walker, Mackenzie, Hendrie, Shields and Thomas, worked their horses. The best work of the King's Plate candidates was that of Shimonee, the four-year-old daughter of Martimas Lyddite, who will carry the colors of the Valley Farm stable in the Guinness as she did last year, when she finished behind Seismic, the winner. The filly negotiated the Plate distance in handy fashion in 2:16. She was accompanied by Ceremonious. The pair broke at the start. Ceremonious dropped back at the head of the stretch and Shimonee finished by herself. The fractional time was 13.26, 39.52 1-2, 1:19.45, 1:46.35.

Trainer Allie Gates was much pleased, and rightly so, with the work of his filly, Desert Star. The Ontario colt went alone a mile in 1:47, finishing a mile and a furlong in 2:02, and a mile and a quarter in 2:17.5. The colt was not extended, and probably has inherited one trait of his sire, who always raced alone his work. In fact, though he was a 1:40 horse, Desert Star never showed a mile better than 1:45 in training. Desert Star was not in the least distressed, and the work was of such a character as will do him a lot of good. His next word should be very interesting.

Three races were won in the record made on the track last winter by the Chinn stable, which is now at the Woodbine. The stable numbers seventeen horses, and they are certain to get their share of the purses at the O. J. C. meeting. Mr. P. T. Chinn, the owner and trainer, is a well-known citizen of Lexington, Ky. Although he has a breeding farm near that city, Joe Gaitens is the only horse he has in training that he bred. Mr. Chinn does not waste time in selecting names for his horses. He names them after his friends. The stable lost a couple of two-year-olds in races on the coast last winter. One was named after A. J. Small, the Toronto theatrical man, and the other after Thos. K. Lynch, the New York Morning Telegraph correspondent, who has been doing the Canadian circuit for some paper for years. A. J. Small was insured for \$10,000, but Mr. Chinn says the colt was worth a much larger sum. The Kentucky has handled many horses since he took up the racing game and he has been successful in the best of thoroughbred he ever owned. After showing his worth, Mr. Chinn decided to have the colt insured, and as subsequent events proved, it was a wise move.

Jockey Preston, who will do the riding for the stable, is in Louisville, and will be here for the opening day. This boy can ride at 105 pounds and is anxious to have a mount in the King's Plate.

Bryan & Bedingfield have again secured the programme privileges. For two years past Crooks Bros. of Hamilton have issued and sold the programmes. Prior to that time the Toronto men had the privilege.

WINDSOR STAKES WELL FILLED.

The entries for the Windsor Stakes have exceeded all anticipations, and all the horses there. In fact the average Canadian season must be credited to the mile handicap, which has received 93 nominations. The entries by events and numbers are:

Frontier Handicap, three-year-olds	75
Ontario Handicap, two-year-old fillies	42
Ponchartraine Stakes, selling, three-year-olds and up	86
Essex Handicap, two-year-olds	67
Detroit Stakes, two-year-olds	61
Windsor Stakes, selling, three-year-olds and up	86
Ferry Company Handicap, three-year-olds and up	93

BELMONT PARK OPENING.

New York, May 13.—Horse racing on its merits, bookmaking eliminated, will have its tryout on the Metropolitan circuit to-day with the opening of the 1909 turf season at Belmont Park, Long Island, under the auspices of the Westchester Racing Association. While the anti-betting laws were in effect part of last season, this was insufficient to prove whether racing can survive under the new conditions. There will at least be oral betting, as its legality has been sustained by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court. The old admission fee of \$3 has been restored.

Indications are nevertheless that with fair weather the opening will be inaugurated before 20,000 people.

As in former years, the Metropolitan Handicap will be the chief feature. Although worth but \$5,000 instead of \$10,000, as formerly, it has attracted thirteen entries, ranking well with former lists.

Heretofore the season has opened a month earlier, but, with other retrenchments, was postponed this year, with the additional abridgment of racing on but three days of the week—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

OWNERS MUST NOT MAKE BOOK.

The recent announcement that bookmakers in the future will not be permitted to own racehorses and pursue their operations in the betting ring has met with approval. This is a move in the right direction, to segregate betting from racing. Too long for the good of the sport have the bookmakers owned and raced horses. They controlled both ends, the betting and the running.

This new rule, which was formulated by the Jockey Club stewards, will go into effect immediately. It will not only prevent the bookmaker-owner from following his calling personally, but will prevent him from "backing" another man. This subterfuge will not be permitted. The line will be sharply and distinctly drawn—a bookmaker or an owner. Any relationship between the ring and the paddock must end.

Harvey Schreier, David Johnson, Albert Stokes and Jack Sturgis will be most directly interested in the enforcement of this new rule. The first-named owns a big stable of racers, among the lot being last season's Metropolitan and Carter Handicap winner, Jack Atkin. He is a breeder as well as a bookmaker. He will not be affected. The other three are setting about founding a state stud in Mongolia for the supply of army horses.

China is going to set us an example in the matter of the provision of mounts for military purposes, which other Governments will probably follow. It is reported that the Chinese are setting about founding a state stud in Mongolia for the supply of army horses.

The Racing Calendar displays the conditions of the Grand Prix de Paris of 1911, which closes on September 14 next, and is to have a value of 300,000 francs, approximately \$60,000 guaranteed. It is as usual, at one and three-quarter miles, for entire colts and fillies foaled in 1908, of all breeds and all countries.

The London Sportsman, in discussing Tod Sloan's chances for an English riding license, which he does not appear to have applied for, says: "Sloan was warned off in advance, though only for a technical offense of riding a filly on a gallop which was not open. 'The English stewards, therefore, are in a position to give him a jockey's license, even if they wished to do so, the first move.'"

MATINEE AT DUNDAS.

The first open matinee of the Dundas Club took place at the Dundas track yesterday afternoon. A fairly large crowd was present, many being from this city, to see the sport. Despite the recent rains the track was in good shape, there being only two or three soft spots. Charlie Poag, Hamilton, won one race and got second in the other. Following is the summary:

Class A—	
Billy A. Poag	1 2 2
Dolly, Powell	2 3 1
Dan D. Brown	3 1 3
Time—1:17, 1:20.34, 1:18.	
Class B—	
Johnny R. Simpson	1 1 3
Little Boy, Poag	2 2 2
Billy H. Healey	3 3 1
Time—1:23.12, 1:18.34, 1:18.	

Mr. Frank Collins is president of the club and Dr. Jacques is secretary. Another matinee will be held next Wednesday.

ENTRIES FOR THE BOBBY KERR MEET.

Following is a complete list of entries for the Bobby Kerr athletic meet at Britannia Park on Saturday afternoon: Running broad jump—Mason Wilson, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; John R. Maas, Y. M. C. A. Harriers, Hamilton; Horace Weston, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; G. J. Gibson, Beamsville Social Club, Beamsville; M. P. Langstaff, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Norman White, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Dr. C. Bricker, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Frank Lukeman, Montreal A. A.

Eight entries.
Pole vault, handicap—M. P. Langstaff, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; A. Elliott, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; R. W. Frank, Toronto University A. A., Errol; C. J. Eccles, Y. M. C. A., Hamilton; Alex. Cameron, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Dr. C. Bricker, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Montreal A. A.

Six entries.
Half-mile bicycle race, handicap—Harry Bawden, Diamond B. C., Hamilton; George R. Young, Queen City Bicycle Club, Toronto; Geo. Rogers, Queen City Bicycle Club, Toronto; H. MacDonald, Q. C. B. C., Toronto; C. Green, D. B. C., Hamilton; M. Jones, D. B. C., Hamilton; F. Klingbeil, D. B. C., Hamilton; T. Richardson, D. B. C., Hamilton; B. Cornell, D. B. C., Hamilton; J. Golden, I. C. A. C., Toronto.

Two-mile bicycle race, handicap—A. E. Farney, unattached, Toronto; Geo. Rogers, Queen City B. C., Toronto; Geo. Young, Queen City B. C., Toronto; Harry Bawden, Diamond B. C., Hamilton; E. G. Hanson, Q. C. B. C., Toronto; H. MacDonald, Q. C. B. C., Toronto; Chas. Green, D. B. C., Hamilton; M. Jones, D. B. C., Hamilton; F. Klingbeil, D. B. C., Hamilton; T. Richardson, D. B. C., Hamilton; B. Cornell, D. B. C., Hamilton; N. Garrold, D. B. C., Hamilton; J. Golden, I. C. A. C., Toronto.

Fourteen entries.

100 yards dash, open—Fred Dent, Millonaire Club, Woodstock; Wm. White, Hamilton Tigers, Hamilton; Stanley Reuter, Star A. C., Preston; Harry H. Fraser, 91st A. C., Toronto; E. P. Farrell, St. Pat's B. A., Hamilton; G. J. Gibson, Beamsville Social Club, Beamsville; Leo J. Crofton, St. Pat's B. A., Hamilton; George Barber, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; T. Murphy, St. West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Lou Kyle, Irish-Canadian A. C., Toronto; Chum Wells, Irish-Canadian A. C., Toronto; C. Ogilvie, Army Medical Corps, Hamilton; Lou Marsh, I. C. A. C., Toronto; T. Hitchin, I. C. A. C., Toronto; Gordon Sadler, St. Andrew's Club, Niagara Falls; Dr. C. Bricker, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Frank Lukeman, Montreal A. A. A., Montreal; C. Kinsela, Ottawa College A. A., Ottawa.

Nineteen entries.

220 yards, open—Cal. Ogilvie, A. M. C., Hamilton; J. V. Clarke, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; T. Murphy, St. Pat's B. A., Hamilton; Geo. H. Barber, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Harry Fraser, 91st A. C., Toronto; Lou Kyle, Irish-Canadian A. C., Toronto; Edward Maloney, Star A. C., Preston; Wm. White, Tigers A. A., Hamilton; Fred S. Dent, Millonaire Club, Woodstock; Lou Marsh, I. C. A. C., Toronto; T. Hitchin, I. C. A. C., Toronto; W. McMurray, I. C. A. C., Toronto; Gordon Sadler, St. Andrew's Club, Niagara Falls; Dr. C. Bricker, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Frank Lukeman, Montreal A. A. A., Montreal; C. Kinsela, Ottawa College A. A., Ottawa.

Seventeen entries.

440 yards, open—Cal. Ogilvie, A. M. C., Hamilton; Harry Fraser, 91st Highlanders' A. A., Hamilton; Edward Maloney, Star A. C., Preston; W. McMurray, I. C. A. C., Toronto; G. Flint, I. C. A. C., Toronto; Dr. C. Bricker, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Don Buddo, Mount-Rose-A. A., Montreal; Jack Tait, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; C. Thorley, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; J. S. Brydon, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Geo. Lester, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; C. Dolly, Powell, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; F. Lukeman, M. A. A., Montreal.

Thirteen entries.

880 yards, open—Arthur Agent, East End Y. M. C. A., Hamilton; J. S. Brydon, unattached, Hamilton; J. S. Brydon, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Cal. Ogilvie, A. M. C., Hamilton; A. M. Knox, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Chuck Skene, Irish-Canadian A. C., Toronto; Dr. C. Bricker, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Don Buddo, Montreal A. A., A.



BOBBY KERR.

Montreal: Mel Brook, Y. M. C. A., London; C. Holtrum, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto.

One entries.

One mile open—Chuck Skene, Irish-Canadian A. C., Toronto; A. M. Knox, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; H. A. Foster, unattached, Hamilton; G. H. Lister, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; C. Decker, Y. M. C. A., Hamilton; Gordon F. Goyette, St. Pat's B. A., Hamilton; R. C. Sandwell, National A. C., Hamilton; W. Powell, unattached, Hamilton; Michael Schermer, International Harvester Co. A. C., Hamilton; Jas. Miller, unattached, Hamilton; Thos. Neilson, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; M. J. Allen, St. Andrew's Club, Niagara Falls; Mel Brook, Y. M. C. A., London.

Thirteen entries.
Five miles open—John Wade, International Harvester Co. A. C., Hamilton; Grant C. Furry, Int. Harvester Co. A. C., Hamilton; Walter Flower, unattached, Caledonia; Walter Philin, 91st Highlanders' A. A., Hamilton; Harry H. Garr, unattached, Grimsby; J. Smith, 91st Highlanders' A. A., Hamilton; Harry W. McFarren, Irish-Canadian A. C., Copper Cliff; Stanley H. Roberts, unattached, Winona; Gus G. Gressell, Standard Wheeling Club, Buffalo; Sam Wade, unattached, Hamilton; E. Barclay, W. M. C. A. Harriers, Hamilton; John G. Near, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; F. C. Schofield, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; W. R. Lewis, unattached, Hamilton; Dinny Bennett, St. Pat's A. C., Hamilton; Wm. Howell, unattached, Hespeler; K. O. Kerr, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; John R. Roe, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Arthur R. Holden, Toronto West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Nat. Dymont, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; George A. Magee, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; H. Lister, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Harry Lawson, Irish-Canadian A. C., Toronto; W. Black, Irish-Canadian A. C., Toronto; Jim Corkery, Irish-Canadian A. C., Toronto; E. Woods, Irish-Canadian A. C., Toronto; G. E. Hunt, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; W. Smith, unattached, Hamilton; W. Davidson, unattached, Hamilton; G. L. Nelson, unattached, Hamilton; H. Green, unattached, Hamilton.

Thirty-three entries.

100 yards, boys under 17—Geo. Irwin, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; E. Carroll, Irish-Canadian A. C., Toronto; Earl Hyslop, unattached, Hamilton; Archie Small, unattached, Hamilton; Geo. White, East End Y. M. C. A., Hamilton; Chas. O'Donnell, St. Pat's A. C., Hamilton; F. S. Phillips, Y. M. C. A., Hamilton; H. Graham, Y. M. C. A., Hamilton; L. McKinnon, St. Pat's B. A., Hamilton; Beverly Wilson, unattached, Woodstock; Allan McKay, Millionaire Club, Woodstock.

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BOWLING CHAMPIONS.

Records Made at U. S. Tourneys.

Wood-Vallance Team Won in Class B.

Scores Made at H. B. & A. C. Last Night.

The final game in class B was played last night at the H. B. & A. C. between the Wood, Vallance No. 1 and the Knight Hawks, Wood, Vallance team, captained by Harold Worth, being the winner in the first half of the season, and the Knight Hawks, captained by Gordon Nelson, the winner in the last half. The final three games were hummers, and as it was total pins to count, interest never waned until the last frame was rolled. Wood, Vallance team had their routers out in full force, and they cheered every time Percy Acheson rolled a ball down the alleys, and he put up the good score of 280. The team put up the good score of 2,080, winning by 144 pins. G. L. Nelson was high for the Knight Hawks with 566. The scores:

Knight Hawks—	
R. Johnston	201 152 202 555
W. Smith	202 147 147 496
W. Davidson	126 107 101 434
G. L. Nelson	167 237 102 566
H. Green	173 154 108 435
	869 857 810 2536

Wood, Vallance & Co. No. 1—

T. Cook	191 107 213 511
H. Brown	166 214 170 550
F. Potter	156 133 144 433
P. Aitchison	202 201 186 589
H. Worth	169 163 192 524
	884 891 905 2680

In class C last night the Pirates won two games from the Scoundrels, and these teams are now tie for the championship of No. 2 division of class C. A. Patterson was high for the Scoundrels with 526, while Capt. Murray was there with 523 for his team. The scores:

Scoundrels—	
Murray	158 202 163 523
Muldron	164 153 197 514
Smitten	155 162 131 448
R. Green	136 149 134 419
R. Bolton	167 153 174 494
	780 819 799 2308

Pirates—

E. Sage	150 200 148 507
S. Mellon	179 145 188 512
A. Patterson	181 166 179 526
H. Andres	153 141 95 389
Buckingham	141 171 149 461
	804 832 759 2395

For the first time in many years, a list of national and world's bowling records have been compiled. Since the organization of the National Bowling Association in April, 1906, new records have been made both in and out of competition. As the third annual tournament of the National Association is only a week away, it is therefore fit and proper that as authentic a list as possible should be gotten up. This has been the aim of the compiler, and it is possibly the most correct compilation that has ever been made. Following are the records:

National Tourney World's Records.

High individual score—George Dagner, New York, 279, in N. B. A. tournament, Rochester, New York, 1908.

High individual total for three games—Arthur Wengler, Chicago, Ill., 699, in A. B. C. tournament, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1909.

High two-men single game—John Mc-

Guirk and John Grady, Paterson, N. J., in N. B. A. tournament, Rochester, N. Y., 1908, 523.

High two-men three-game total—McGuirk and Grady, same time and place, 1,318.

High five-men single game—Bonds, Columbus, Ohio, in A. B. C. tournament, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1,066, 1908.

High five-men three-game total—Lipmans, Chicago, Ill., 2,962, in A. B. C. tournament, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1900.

High individual average in all events—John J. Voorheis, Brooklyn, 1,966 for nine games, 218.4.9 average, in N. B. A. tournament, Atlantic City, N. J., 1907.

National Champions of the N. B. A.—

Individual—Frederick Schwartz, Brooklyn, 697.

Two-men—John McGuirk and John Grady, Paterson, N. J., 1,318.

Five-men—Brunswicks, New York, 2,893.

All around—John J. Voorheis, Brooklyn, 1,956, nine games.

Individual—

Open, 3 games—William E. Roach, Academy alleys, Wilmington, Del., 800, 300, 289, Total, 899.

6 games—Maurice C. Wyman, Columbia alleys, New York, 245, 278, 257, 288, 257, 226, Total, 1,543.

Head-pin—Oscar Steinquest, Riverside alleys, New York, 118 (1909).

Tournament—3 games—Charles Schader, Amphion alleys, Brooklyn, 267, 270, 278, 278.

6 games—Charles Schader, Amphion alleys, Brooklyn, 236, 245, 267, 270, 268, 232, Total, 1,537.

75 games—Fred B. Egelhoff, Palace alleys, Brooklyn, Average, 230.29 (1906).

Greatest number of 300 scores—John Koster, of New York, 12.

Highest women's score—Mrs. Nellie Lester, Lenox alleys, New York, 277 (1909).

Two-men.

Open—M. C. Wyman and F. L. Diederick, Columbia alleys, New York, 535 (1904).

Tournament—McGuirk and Grady, of Paterson, N. J., in N. B. A. tournament, Rochester, N. Y., 523 (1908).

3 games—McGuirk and Grady, same place and time, 1,318.

Three-men.

Open—Mortimer Lindsay, Glenn Rid dell, Alex. Dunbar, Columbia alleys, New York, 757 (1908).

Tournament—Harlem Circle trio, Harlem Circle alleys, New York, 735 (1906).

Five Men.

Open, all wooden balls—Algonquins, New York; Columbia Alleys, N. Y., 1,175 (1906).

Three games—Brooklyn Interstate Team, Grand Central alleys, Brooklyn, ave. 1,126 (1906).

Four