

No Babies On Bikes.

New York's Common Council Will Not Allow Them.

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Local Sparring Tournaments—Various Sporting Events.

THE WHEEL.

NO BABIES ON BIKES. New York, Nov. 27.—The common council has passed an ordinance providing a fine of \$10 for carrying a baby on a bicycle. The vote was 22 to 2.

BICYCLIST KILLED. New Orleans, La., Nov. 27.—Yesterday morning, just as the bicycle road race started off, two of the riders collided, and one of them, Robert Kennedy, died in a short time. The other party is A. Orr.

AT HAMILTON.

Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 27.—In the annual "Round the Bay" road race, for the Herald silver cup, run yesterday, Alex. J. Donald was the winner by about 12 minutes; Chas. Bates was second, and W. Vallende third. The distance is 18 miles 322 feet, and the best time made was 2 hours, 12 minutes, 55 1/4 seconds. The roads were fearfully heavy, being coated with mud. Several thousand dollars were bet on Donald, who is a well-known Scotchman and a member of the Y. M. C. A.

About fourteen sprinters started out through the mud to compete in the Dundas road race, from the town hall, Dundas, to the city hall, Hamilton, and return, for a valuable gold watch; distance about 11 miles. W. Nash was the winner, his time being 1 hour, 4 minutes, with Barnes second, Shearling a close third, Knowles fourth and Cochran fifth.

THE OAR.

GAUDAUR AND BARRY MATCHED. London, Nov. 27.—The Canadian Bar has signed articles for a match with Jake Gaudaur for the sculling championship of the world and \$250 a side, to take place on the Thames in April next. The agreement goes to Canada for Gaudaur's signature.

THE TURF.

SIM W. IN THIRD PLACE. Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 27.—Eight thousand people witnessed the six races which closed the fall meeting at Cumberland Park yesterday. Summaries:

First race, 5-1/4 furlongs, selling—Pat Gore 1, Lady Doleful 2, Clara 3. Time, 1:09. Victoria, Nellie Osborne, Derby Maid, Trilby and Keops also ran.

Second race, 3-4 mile, selling—Billy Fisher 1, Daisy Marie 2, Ella T. 3. Time, 1:15. Travellers Kiss, Chestnut and King Boleyn also ran.

Third race, 5 furlongs, selling—Gus Bureau 1, A. S. Flax 2, Cora 3. Time, 1:02 3/4. Ruth V., Bona Schoenfeld, Ed. Dandridge, Anna Sweland and Austin also ran.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs, selling—F. M. B. 1, Thornbush 2, Novot 3. Time, 1:36 1/2. Santa Cruz, Margaret Allen, Jennie Zack, Luby and Terrapin also ran.

Fifth race, 5-1/2 furlongs—Eaton Jacket 1, Mamie Callen 2, Sim W. 3. Time, 1:07 3/4. Lauretta D. also ran.

Sixth race, 1-1/4 miles, hurdle, handicap—Grenada 1, Earl of Montrose 2, Colonel 3. Time, 2:23. Tremor and Alboyer also ran.

FOOTBALL.

AT TORONTO. The picked team from the Western Football Association and the representatives of the Toronto Inter-College League played the semi-annual match for the Galedonia cup Thursday on the Varsity campus, before nearly 2,000 people. The game resulted in a tie, 1 to 1.

IN THE UNITED STATES. At Philadelphia—Pennsylvania 22, Cornell 10.

At New York—Brown 24, Carlisle 12.

At Chicago—University of Chicago 7, University of Michigan 6.

At Baltimore—Leland University 26, Maryland A. C. 0.

At Saratoga—Saratoga 12, Greenwich 4.

AT HAMILTON.

The Goreville Association football team, of Toronto, met the champions of Hamilton district on Thursday. The game resulted in a tie, each team scoring two goals. Darkness setting in, precluded the possibility of further play.

AT MONTREAL.

Montreal defeated the Toronto Athletic Club at football Thursday afternoon by the big score of 42 to 3. The grounds were in a wretched state, owing to the snow storm, and there was a very small attendance.

McGill II. won the intermediate championship from Hamilton by a business score of 20 to 14. The game was played in snow and rain.

QUOTING.

LOCAL CHAMPIONS. A friendly game was played yesterday on Forest City grounds between two new arrivals from the other country—Wm. Munro, who claims to be champion of Glasgow, and A. Jensen, who also claims to be champion of Devon, Eng. The English man won, hands down. Score, 41-21.

Another game took place between two local players—P. McVann, and J. Ward. Then the local players tackled the men from the Old Sol and held up Canada's reputation by walking away from them. Score, 31-10.

ATHLETICS.

A SEPTUAGENARIAN SAMPSON. Peterboro, Nov. 27.—Mr. John King, aged 70 years, in the employ of Messrs. Meldrum & McAlister, carried 280 pounds of peas in a bag up two flights of stairs on a vagrant. He claims to be the strongest man of his age in Peterboro, and is open for a contest.

JONES DONE UP AGAIN. Lennon's Boxing Academy was crowded last night to witness the six-round go between Dick Jones and Geo. Dealey. No one from the look of the two men would have supposed that the fight would turn out the way it did. Jack Stewart was chosen referee. As soon as time was called, young Dealey rushed for business, while Jones did his best to keep him back. No sooner had they started than Jones began to bleed from the nose. Dealey planted right and left-handers from Jones' shoulder and head without difficulty and with regularity, compelling Jones to clinch to avoid punishment. In the first of the second round Jones saw that his task was a hopeless one, and threw up the sponge; and George Dealey (McLeod, of Hamilton) was declared the winner. It took four minutes to do the business. Arthur Hill and Chas. Carwell were the seconds.

C. Raisin and Chas. Moore punched each other too hard and too often for

much comfort. "Bob" Garratt and Harry Thompson made probably the best match of the evening. It was hard and fast from start to finish. Another good bout was that between George Munro and John Robinson. Jack Stewart was master of ceremonies.

Thanksgiving.

A Note of Praise Sounded in the City Churches.

Sermons and Music Appropriate to the Day.

Methodists, Presbyterians, Baptists and Anglicans Worship—Rev. Mr. Johnston on the Events of the Year—Mr. Clark Praises the Mayor and Council—The Bishop and Others.

The Methodist Churches of the city, excepting Aikin Street, held a union Thanksgiving service yesterday morning in the magnificent First Methodist Church. The congregation was large. On the platform were Rev. Dr. Daniel, the pastor; Rev. George Jackson, Coburn Street, president of the London Conference; Rev. A. L. Russell, Wellington Street; Rev. John Ferguson, Hamilton Road; Rev. Eli Middleton, King Street; Rev. A. G. Harris, Centennial; Rev. B. Clement, London West; and Rev. Dr. Sanderson, and Rev. J. G. Reid, supernumerary. The sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Jackson, from the text, "In everything give thanks." He enumerated the causes for thanksgiving, and admonished all to return thanks for the many blessings of God.

Special music was rendered by the choir, under Mr. Fetherston's direction.

Rev. R. Hobbs conducted the services at the Aikin Street Methodist Church in the morning.

AT ST. ANDREW'S. A service of praise at St. Andrew's Church last evening was largely attended. The pastor was detained by a wedding, and Aid. Armstrong opened the service, which was under the direction of Mr. Charles E. Wheeler.

The choir rendered four anthems in a manner highly creditable. The soloists were: Mrs. Wheeler, "The King of Love My Shepherd Is"; Mrs. Sagar, "Consider the Lilies"; Mr. H. R. McDonald, "The Master's Call"; and Mr. Morrison, "In Excelsis." All were excellent.

A quartet by Messrs. Morrison and Mart was an agreeable feature.

The pastor, Rev. Robert Johnston, spoke briefly at the close, and made a running commentary on the events of the past year. He referred to the threatened war between Great Britain and the United States, and rejoiced in the power of the pulpit as it was seen in the change of public opinion after the voice of the church was heard.

On the Sabbath following President Cleveland's proclamation. The general character of last evening's service showed the awakening of the public conscience in condemnation of corruption that had made Canada notorious.

He alluded to the movements in commercial circles toward the formation of the great monopoly, and dealt at length with the Armenian question. He spoke of the days when Great Britain stood alone, and the ocean and facing the united powers of Europe, and said that he regarded this as a crisis in Britain's history, in which, if she failed to stand as she had stood in the past—the defender of the oppressed and helpless—her future would be one of decline and retrogression.

If a Cromwell or a Gladstone had held the reins of power, Armenia would not have cried in vain. He believed that in Britain's strength, but in the strength and faithfulness of the God of nations and battles, who had strengthened Britain in the past, and would still be her ally and strength. In all countries, Mr. Johnston said, it was more and more necessary to recognize God and to feel national, as well as individual responsibility.

The congregation contributed \$100 to the poor fund of the church, at the pastor's request.

LONDON'S ADVANTAGES. Before a large congregation at the First Presbyterian Church yesterday morning, Rev. W. J. Clark spoke entertainingly and instructively from the subject, "Advantages of Living in London." The pastor claimed that the day being for national thanksgiving, we could not better reach a national frame of mind than by contemplation of the privileges enjoyed as citizens of London. These were enumerated as follows: A happy medium of population, which while giving advantages of home and places of business, places of very small population could not enjoy, yet saved from all the evils of slum districts, the great distances between home and places of business, and the great variety of detached houses with variety in their architecture, and we are thus delivered from the too great proximity of our fellow-mortals and the deadly monotony of appearance which prevails where terraces and blocks of dwelling houses are the rule; no unhealthy growth leading to insane speculation in real estate, with all the necessary accompanying misery and suffering; with wide streets, sandy, porous soil, good water and beautiful shade trees.

"We have a city," he said, "that stands in the first rank as to health, a position which, with an up-to-date system of sewage, we are likely to retain; with only moderate fortunes, and no great gift dividing the rich from the poor, but every citizen a worker. With capital schools, fine public libraries, beautiful and comfortable churches, and a splendid Y. M. C. A., there is every opportunity for the cultivation and development of the physical, mental and moral nature of our citizens. We have a generally high moral standard and healthy public sentiment, with no great drunkenness or gross immorality; a people, too, with a common ancestry, and glorious history of civil and religious liberty."

Mr. Clark also commended the council for its work this year, and especially the mayor for good work done for the benefit and advancement of the city, and urged his hearers to play a good part, that the city of London might more and more become a desirable and attractive place of residence.

The collection taken was in aid of the session fund.

THE BISHOP AT ST. PAUL'S. The Bishop of Huron drew a large congregation to St. Paul's Cathedral yesterday morning, and preached with his usual sincere eloquence. The dean and Rev. Canon Dunn assisted in the service. The collection was in aid of the Huron College fund.

The Bishop chose as his text Hosea 11: 15: "The Valley of Achor for a door of hope." The bankers say there is plenty of money, but business is



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stagnant compared with the prosperity of the past. Ask them to explain, and they cannot. Who has done it? Was it not that God had taken off the wheels of the chariot of progress? God said his authority was in the government, as well as in the church. Anab buried the wedge of gold, but it is still there, and devoted to him. And as long as men put gold ahead of God, the nations would be under a curse, and the world would be a desert. And God will give us prosperity again. The bishop also returned the blessings of peace. Last autumn the clouds of war hung in the sky. There was the trouble with the United States and with Germany, when people grasped the sword and said nothing. Yet God averted war; God heard the prayers of countless thousands. And God had blessed us in the master of the war that did take place in Egypt. We thanked God, too, for the continuance of the life and the reign of our Queen. Some of the reigns of her predecessors had been notably long, but her life and her reign had been longer than any. And we thanked God for this because she had been a mother in Israel, and her reign had been connected with great progress. We thought of the God here in Canada for the plenty that he had placed at our feet.

OTHER SERVICES. Special Thanksgiving services were held yesterday in the King Street Presbyterian Church. The sermon was preached by Rev. Thomas Wilson from Deuteronomy 1, 25: "It is a good land that the Lord our God doth give us."

Mr. Wilson spoke of the great wealth of the country. Wealth in Canada had to be worked for; it could not be found lying around the streets. In securing this wealth we were building up a true manhood. He referred to the country as a land should be one that contained great educational and religious advantages; and after dealing with the Empire and the Dominion of Canada, he referred to the local wealth. The harvest had been a grand one, and there was a surplus of circumstances which made our prospects bright, for which we should be thankful.

The Baptist Thanksgiving service was held in the Tabbot Street Church yesterday morning. The pastor, Rev. Ira Smith, preached a splendid sermon, very appropriate to the day. He showed the temporal and spiritual reasons for thanksgiving, and exhorted all to heartfelt gratitude. Rev. T. W. Charlesworth assisted. The collection was in aid of the retired ministers', widows' and orphans' fund.

Services were held in the St. James' and Memorial Anglican Churches yesterday morning.

Adelaide Street Baptists will hold a service tonight, and Capt. Kimball, of Sydney, will speak on missions.

"The Boys' Brigade of the Protestant Reformed Home attended service at St. Paul's Cathedral in the morning.

THE OLAHAN CASE. Mrs. Stewart's Husband Demands That the Inquest on His Wife's Body Be Reopened.

Chatham, Nov. 27.—A. J. Stewart, of South Bend, Ind., husband of the woman whose mysterious death was investigated recently by a coroner's jury, and an open verdict returned, has arrived here, and demands that the inquest be reopened on the ground that it had been improperly conducted. The coroner refused his request, and he is going to make an application to the Attorney-General.

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT CURES. To Robert Phillips, Fergus, Ont. This is to certify that I have suffered from piles for a long time and tried several articles recommended for this complaint, but none of them benefited me till I tried Chase's Ointment, which has completely cured me. I am JOHN GERRIE, R. Phillips, Jr., Druggist, Fergus, Ont.

OLD AND WITHOUT FRIENDS. Catherine Perry Again at the Police Court—Other Cases.

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THE POPE TO IRELAND. Kindly Admonitions—Suggested That He Should Maintain a Reserve in Relation to National Politics.

Private intelligence received in Washington is to the effect that a letter of instructions from the Vatican is on its way to Archbishop Ireland.

The letter of the holy father is reported to contain only the kindest suggestions as to the primate's future conduct in matters political. The archbishop warmly praised for his zeal in promoting the welfare of the church, and for the spirit of progress and prosperity manifest in the diocese over which he rules. He is exhorted, however, to maintain a certain reserve in regard to national questions under political discussion. This letter is a private communication from the Pope and will go directly to Archbishop Ireland in the hands of the delegate.

It left Rome on Monday last. It is in consequence of numerous complaints by American bishops who were especially annoyed at Archbishop Ireland's letter in support of McKinley.

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