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St. George's Hockeyists Beat the Leaders at Mutual Street Rink Saturday Night.

THE SCORE WAS EIGHT TO FIVE.

Play Was Rough at Times and the Visitors Are Blamed for Most of It.

The St. George's defeated Stratford in the semi-final of the intermediate series, Ontario Hockey Association, at the Mutual-street Rink on Saturday night, by a score of 8 to 5. The game was fast and interesting. It was very rough at times, Stratford being in fault, three of their men being ruled off. The attendance was about 500. Following are the teams:

St. George's (8): Goal, Temple; point, Platt; coverpoint, Bish; forwards, Temple, Gillies, Pardoe, Hynes.

Stratford (5): Goal, Baker; point, Easson; coverpoint, Gifford; forwards, Farquharson, Lightfoot, Rankin, Bell.

Referee—H. Jack. Time keepers—George Price, Woodstock, and W. Morrison. Goal umpires—A. English, Peterboro, and T. L. Church.

1—St. Georgies	Webster	11	min.
2—St. George's	Webster	1	min.
3—Stratford	Rankin	7	min.
4—St. George's	Hynes	9	min.
5—Stratford	Bell	4	min.
6—Stratford	Gifford	4	min.
7—St. George's	Gillies	3	min.
8—St. George's	Webster	2	min.
9—St. George's	Hynes	7½	min.
10—St. George's	Gillies	½	min.
11—St. George's	Gillies	2	min.
12—Stratford	Lightfoot	2	min.
13—Stratford	Lightfoot		

The return match will be played in Stratford. St. George's, with one or two exceptions had the best of the play. Bacon was called on to stop many more shots than was Temple. Bell was off three times for dirty work and Gifford, for putting Hynes out of business. Easson body-checked Webster so that he had to be carried off the ice.

O.H.A. After the Wellingtons.

The O.H.A. Executive will meet this morning at 11 o'clock in the Telegram building. Part of the business to be threshed out will be the asking of an explanation from the Wellingtons for playing Bilton in goal against Queen's. Bilton played for the Simcoes in the junior O.H.A. and it is against the rules for a man to play for more than one club in the same year.

Bilton will likely be suspended and some of the executive will vote for the suspension of the champions, the Wellingtons, for being late in putting in an appearance at Kingston, as were the St. George's for delaying Saturday's game.

Port Hope and Queen's II. play a sudden death game in the intermediate series tonight at Cobourg.

Imperial Had No Chance.

The Toronto Bank defeated the Imperials in the Bank Hockey League at the Victoria Rink on Saturday afternoon in the fastest kind of hockey. The score at half-time was 4 to 0, and at the finish 8 to 2. The game was more like a practice match than a championship match, as Imperial had no chance. Toronto scored almost at will. The teams:

Toronto (8): Goal: Carl; point, Gray; coverpoint, Crawford; forwards, Ridout, Whitely, Spragge, Hoyles.

Imperial (2): Goal, Ogden; point, Lownsborough; cover-point, Denison; forwards, McKay, Grant, Holland, McCallum.

Referee—A. Gillies. Timers—H. G. Lewis and W. Morrison.

1.....Toronto	McKay	2½	min.
2.....Toronto	Holland	2½	"
3.....Toronto	McCallum	2	"
4.....Toronto	Grant	18	"
Half-Time.			
5.....Imperial	Hoyles	3½	min.
6.....Toronto	McKay	1	"
7.....Toronto	Grant	1	"
8.....Toronto	McKay	4½	"
9.....Toronto	McCallum	1	"
10.....Imperial	Lownsborough	4	"

Rough Riders Defeat St. Andrew's II

On Saturday morning the Rough Riders met and defeated the St. Andrew's II., on the College Rink, by 3 to 1. The game was fast from start to finish. The Rough Riders scoring first, held the St. Andrews down for one goal, the score being at half-time 2 to 0. The teams lined up as follows:

Rough Riders (3): Goal, Roesler; point, Carey; cover-point, McKellar (captain); forwards, Allan, Humphrey, Alison and Bunting.

St. Andrews (1): Goal, Fitchie; point, McFayden; cover-point, Masson; forwards, Gourlay (captain), Sales, Smith and Thorn.

Delta Kappa Epsilon Victorous.

On Saturday morning at Victoria Rink teams representing the Greek letter societies, Delta Kappa Epsilon, and Alpha Delta Phi played a good game of hockey, resulting in a win for the former by 8 to 1. The teams were:

Delta Kappa Epsilon (8): Goal, Jamieson; point, Darling; cover-point, Jackson; forwards, Montague, Montgomery, Greig and McKay.

Alpha Delta Phi (1): Goal, Robertson; point, McFarlane; cover-point, Gibson; forwards, Archie Mullen, Bob Mullen, Lazier and McGee.

For Tuesday Evening.

The management of the Mutual-street Rink held a meeting on Saturday afternoon, and decided to make a number of important alterations to accommodate a larger attendance on Tuesday evening. The west end of the building is to be fitted up with additional platforms, which will enable several hundred more to witness the game with comfort. The front row in the gallery will be reserved, and the plan will open at Nordheimer's on Monday morning. A limited number of seats for the second row will be sold, but only such number as the galleries can conveniently accommodate. The management are making every effort to provide for the increased attendance. Smoking in all parts of the building will be strictly prohibited upon Tuesday evening.

Montreal 3, Shamrocks 1.

Montreal, Feb. 24.—There was a veritable surprise at the Arena last night, when Montreal defeated the best team the Shamrocks could put on the ice, by a score of three goals to one, after keeping the ex-champions on the defensive almost all thru the match. After the way in which the Victorias defeated Montreal it was thought that the Shamrocks would have an easy time of it; since they were putting on the ice practically their Stanley Cup team, with the exception that G. Cumming, a very swift and promising colt, replaced Brannen on the forward line. But the Montreal team of last night was a very different one to the one that was such a picnic for the Victorias. From the first toot of the whistle up to the ringing of the final gong they rushed matters and the Shamrocks played on the defensive for fully two-thirds of the time. In the first half, neither side could score. One unpleasant incident occurred during the evening. Trihey and Laffiton got into a scrap on the ice and continued it at the side, when they were ruled off. In an instant the crowd uprized in. The spectators rushed on the ice, for the first time in the history of the Arena, and a rough-and-tumble ensued. It took some time to straighten matters out, but finally the authorities cleared the ice. The teams:

Montreal (3): Goal, Nicholson; point, Bellingham; cover, Boone; forwards, Gardner, Smith, Campbell, Liffiton.

Shamrocks (1): Goal, McKenna; point, Tansey; cover, Walsh; forwards, Scanlan, Ferrell, Trihey, Cummings.

Chips From the Ice.

The plan for the Wellington-Queen's game opens at Northeimers' to-day. The Wellingtons will likely have their two old men back on the team to-morrow against Queen's.

Some of the St. George's are feeling used up after Saturday's match.

The Imperial Bank team have finished out their season without a single victory to their credit.

The Wellingtons are perfectly satisfied with the result at Kingston, and are confident of again landing the championship. The Iron Dukes say Dutch Bilton put up a wonderfully clever game in goal for a junior.

H. Jack, who refereed the Wellington-Queen's game at Kingston, says that, in his opinion, the champions would have no trouble in retaining their title against the Easterners. He thinks they will defeat Queen's here.

Both the Wellingtons and St. George's will practice to-night at the Mutual-street Rink.

Worts Smart, the Wellington point player, who has been laid up, is improving daily.

Queen's will bring along a big crowd from Kingston, as arrangements are afoot for a special train and rates.

Ayr and Beglin played a hockey match in the W.O.H.A. series Saturday night, resulting in favor of Berlin by a score of 5 to 4. At the call of time the score stood four goals each, when Referee Lapeere of Guelph ordered the usual five minutes each way, during which Berlin scored one more.

—The Bank League Standing.—

	Won.	Lost.	To Play
Dominion	4	1	1
Commerce	4	2	0
Toronto	3	2	1
Imperial	0	6	0

A hockey match was played Saturday at Prospect Rink between the teams of the Consolidated Cloak Company and John Northway & Son. The score was 4 to 1 in favor of the Consolidated Cloak Company. The game was well played, and both teams showed to considerable advantage. This makes the Consolidated Cloak Company champions of the cloak houses.

CURLERS IN FRIENDLY MATCHES.

Grannites Won From Hamilton Thistles by 3 Shots—The Irons at Montreal.

The Grannites won the friendly seven-rink match from the Hamilton Thistles Saturday, being three more shots up here than were the Thistles in Hamilton. Score:

—On Granite Ice.—

Grannites.		Thistles.	
W. Love.		H. G. Gates.	
Worthington.		H. A. Bickell.	
W. A. Littlejohn.		C. W. Ricketts.	
C. C. Dalton, sk	31	W. H. Davis, sk	7
F. J. Schenk.		W. Chant.	
E. H. Telfer.		J. Leggatt.	
C. H. Radenach.		R. S. Scott.	
F. N. Holland, sk	5	A. Gartshore, sk	21
J. Marshall.		Linton.	
A. E. Trowe.		T. Clappison.	
J. D. Shields.		D. McPhie.	
W. C. Matthews, sk.	14	F. J. Howell, sk	13
Total	50	Total	41

—On Hamilton Ice—

Grannites.		Thistles.	
C. E. Archibald.		G. S. Glassco.	
H. T. Wilson.		S. F. Washington.	
W. J. McMurtry.		J. J. Morrison.	
Geo. Hargraft, sk.	7	W. R. Travers, sk.	13
W. Hyslop.		J. Olmestead.	
G. Carruthers.		J. Billings.	
W. E. McMurtry.		S. E. Mallach.	
C. Boeckh, sk.	17	Dr. Edgar, sk	16
Geo. Higinbotham.		R. R. Ferrie.	
J. Drynan.		R. R. Bruce.	
Jos. Irving.		C. W. Cartwright.	
E. A. Badenach, sk.	15	C. S. Wilcox, sk	10
R. K. Barker.		A. Zimmerman.	
C. A. S. Brown.		W. Marshall.	
C. V. Snelgrove.		T. C. Hasiett.	
G. Gooderham, sk.	12	J. C. McKeand, sk.	18
Total	51	Total	57
Grand total	101	Grand total	98

Lakeview Won at Richmond Hill.

Richmond Hill, Feb. 23.—Lakeview curlers from Toronto visited here to-day and won a two-rink match by 3 shots, as follows:

Lakeview—		Richmond Hill—	
H Bayliss,		J F Johnston,	
C Bayliss,		D Boyle,	
W Mansell,		M Boyle.	
G Mackenzie, sk	16	W T Storey, skip	9
A Sinclair,		G Corrie,	
J Brennan,		J Glass,	
D Glinn,		J Palmer,	
E A Thompson, sk.	11	F Sims, skip	15
Total	27	Total	24

Montreal Caledonian's Prize.

Montreal, Feb. 24.—The Governor-General's prize for curling was won on Saturday by the Caledonians, who defeated the Ormstown team after an exceedingly close contest by one shot. The following was the score:

Ormstown.		Caledonians.	
J. Gibson.		W. H. Murphy.	
G. Baird.		R. Scott.	
F. Ripley.		F. O. Lyall.	
M. Mulvanie, sk	17	J. H. Robertson, sk.	18
Dr. McCormick.		J. W. Wilson.	
R. Smith.		James Currie.	
Geo. McGerrigle.		H. R. Hutcheson.	
W. McGerrigle, sk.	15	W. R. J. Hughes, s.	15
Total	32	Total	33

Parkdale Beat Asylum.

Hamilton Asylum curlers visited here on Saturday and lost a three-rink match by 14 shots. Score:

Parkdale.		Hamilton Asylum.	
W. H. Mulholland.		Thomas McQueen.	
E. W. Day.		W. Moffatt.	
R. King.		Dr. Slater.	
A. D. Harris, sk	23	Dr. Russell, sk	19
G. C. Husband.		M. Barker.	
W. C. Chisholm.		George Scott.	
J. E. Hill.		J. Goodall.	
H. T. McMillan, sk.	21	H. Russell, sk	12
Dr. Sloan.		C. Heitt.	
R. E. Gibson.		J. E. Ulman.	
J. A. Pearson.		C. Graham.	
Geo. Duthie, sk	15	J. E. Pearle, sk	14
Total	59	Total	45

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Periwig First in Hurdle Race, Hueston Escaping Injury After Fall From Veragua.

TOPMAST CAPTURED MILE EVENT.

Long Shots Have a Turn at New Orleans, Two 50 to 1 Shots Finishing in Front.

San Francisco, Feb. 23.—Waring made his field look chief in the San Mateo Handicap at Tanforan to-day. He revelled in the going, and, leading all the way, won as he pleased by six lengths from Imperious, held in some books at 60 to 1. The event was worth $2050. Periwig proved a surprise in the hurdle event. At the finish he was a neck in front of J.O.C. Veragua fell, but Hueston escaped injury. The Californian pulled in order to avoid going over Veragua. The latter horse got up and ran away three miles. O'Connor was in good form, riding three winners, including Skip Me, a 20-to-1 chance. Weather rainy; track sloppy. Results:

First race, 5 furlongs, selling—Skip Me, 105 (O'Connor), 15 to 1, 1; Mamie Hildreth, 101 (See), 15 to 1, 2; Birdie Stone, 102 (Weddersrand), 5 to 1, 3. Time 1.04¾. Fondo, Gaylon Brown, Luca, Gold Badge and Invictus also ran.

Second race, mile, selling—Topmast, 109 (O'Connor), 5 to 1, 1; Donator, 106 (Burns), 5 to 2, 2; Alee, 104 (Woods), 7 to 5, 3. Time 1.48½. Lizzella and Vohlcer also ran.

Third race, hurdle handicap, 1⅝ miles—Periwig, 125 (Brodie), 8 to 1, 1; J.O.C., 165 (McMahon), 11 to 5, 2; Choteau, 120 (Bennett), 12 to 1, 3. Time 3.30¾. Eva Moo, Lothian, Tom Sharkey, Veragua and The Californian also ran.

Fourth race, San Mateo Handicap, 1⅛ miles, value $2050—Waring, 127 (Henry), 4 to 5, 1; Imperious, 96 (Murphy), 40 to 1, 2; Wyoming, 103 (O'Connor), 6 to 1, 3. Time 1.58¾. Andrisa, Autumn and Lovator also ran.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Thracia, 103 (O'Connor), 9 to 5, 1; Thornwild, 108 (Henry), 12 to 1, 2; The Gaffer, 104 (Weddersrand), 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.20¼. Cerro Santa, Cantinus, Piratta, Sebastiana, Carlington and Red Cherry also ran.

Sixth race, 7½ furlongs—Bogus Bill, 102 (Murphy), 20 to 1, 1; Handicapper, 102 (O'Connor), 102, 2; Dr. Cave, 103 (Weddersrand), 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.40½. Osmond and MacGyle also ran.

Two 50 to 1 Shots at New Orleans.

New Orleans, Feb. 23.—There has been a sudden change in the atmospheric conditions during the past 20 hours. It rained all night and it snowed early this morning. The track was in poor shape and dry heavy. Altho it was the coldest day of the year, nevertheless the crowd was a record-breaker. President Charles Bush of the Crescent City Jockey Club made the announcement to-day that no purse would be less than $300 next season. The sensational features of the day's racing were the victories of Lady Mother in the first race at 50 to 1, and Krewer in the third race at the same figure in the betting. Summaries:

First race, mile—Lady Mother, 105 (Robinson), 50 to 1 and 12 to 1, 1; Assessment, 98 (Wonderly), 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, 2; Alberta II., 88 (Gormuly), 3. Time 1.53½. Hijo, Sig. Levy, Brother Fred, Tava Harris, Billy Patterson, Brumble Bush, Mr. Rose and Olive Order also ran.

Second race, ½ mile—Lou Woods, 110 (Dupee), even and 1 to 5, 1; Tumbourine II., 107 (Coburn), 3 to 5 and 1 to 2, 2; Marie Bell, 107 (Flick), 3. Time .52¼. Yetta P. and Lady Clarik also ran.

Third race, mile—Krewer, 94 (Weber), 50 to 1 and 10 to 1, 1; Zolo, 117 (Dale), 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, 2; Cogswell, 103 (Coburn), 3. Time 1.49½. Gray Daily, Novelty, Momentum, Thalia Black and Prince of Delight also ran.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Jo Martin, 110 (Dale), 9 to 5 and 4 to 5, 1; Bummer, 113 (Slack), 7 to 2 and even, 2; Andes, 98 (Cochran), 3. Time 1.17¼. Tonicum and Corialis also ran.

Fifth race, 1¼ miles—Sir Fitzhugh, 104 (Dale), 7 to 10 and 1 to 5, 1; Bert Davis, 98 (Cochran), 6 to 1 and 7 to 10, 2; Banquo, 107 (Boland), 3. Time 3.35¼. Jim Conway also ran.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Gen. McGruder, 107 (Walsh), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, 1; Brave Lad, 106 (Dale), 9 to 5 and 4 to 5, 2; Dousterswivel, 116 (Robertson), 3. Time 1.19. Lady Curzon, Lady Contrary, Eutetpe, Sallie J., Courtesy and Olckma also ran.

Seventh race, 7 furlongs—Two Annies, 108 (Coburn), 20 to 1 and 8 to 1, 1; Sam Lazarus, 113 (Dale), 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, 2; Loiter, 110 (Wonderly), 3. Time 1.30. Jack Adie, Lake Fonso, Stockholm, Quaver, Postmaster, Bailey and The Burlington Route also ran.

Good Fields at Oakland.

San Francisco, Feb. 23.—Weather at Oakland cloudy, track sloppy. First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Tristrain, 112 (Powell), 12 to 1, 1; Elkarm, 106 (Kelly), 11 to 5, 2; Billy Lyons, 119 (Ruiz), 12 to 1, 3. Time 1.18¾. Rathgar, Litmus, Edith Q. and Whangdoodle also ran.

Second race, Futurity course, selling—St. Rica, 103 (Dominick), 2 to 1, 1; Foul Play, 112 (Bullman), 6 to 1, 2; La Mascotta, 116 (Mounce), 7 to 2, 3. Time 1.14¼. I Don't Know, Midlove, Looram and Malnstay also ran.

Third race, ½ mile, purse—Dr. Scharff, 118 (Mounce), 4 to 1, 1; Zirl, 115 (Bullman), 3 to 5, 2; Lou Welsa, 115 (Dominick), 8 to 1, 3. Time .50¾. Jerretierre L'Or, Myriad, Danier, Lento, Carlo and Bright Moon also ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile, selling—Dunfree, 93 (Ransch), 13 to 5, 1; Moringa, 101 (Wainwright), 15 to 1, 2; Phil Arch bald, 93 (Mathews), 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.46¼. Ostler Joe, Rey Del Bandidos, Dr. Marks and Barney F. also ran.

Fifth race, 1¼ miles, Palace Hotel Stakes, $2600—Sea Lion, 96 (Matthews), 5 to 1, 1; Favonius, 122 (Bullman), even, 2; Bangor, 102 (Mounce), coupled with Favonius, 3. Time 1.57⅕. Formero, Rio Shannon, Bathos and Lena also ran.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Peralta Handicap—Presidentitator, 100 (Hoar), 9 to 2, 1; Good Hope, 100 (Dominick), 4 to 5, 2; Frank Bell, 124 (Howell), 6 to 1, 3. Time 1.16¼. Scallywag and Tame Irishman also ran.

Monday's Racing Card.

New Orleans entries: First race, selling, ¾ mile—Tristan Belle 96, Pillardist, Fluke 98, Miss Quick, Bertha Nell, Al Lone 99, Lurequise, Jack Adie, Terrorist, Tony Licalza 101, Juanetta 102, Early Bird 107.

Second race, selling, 1 mile—Lady Seabrooke, Hija 104, Jack Doyle 106, Sir Gemo, Dr. Carrick, Krewer 109, Alberta II. 104, The Elba 109, John Bull, Madlen's G. 111, Cogswell 114.

Third race, maiden 3-year-olds, ¾ mile—The Thrush, Thalia Black, Curtsey, Kabile, Irene Lindsay, Laminte 108, Lord Lise, St. Bluff, Masterful, Assessment 109, Trisiagen 112.

Fourth race, 1¼ miles—Siddons 90, Azim 92, Brown Vail 93, Joe Collins 95, False Lead, Grey Forge 101, Hood's Brigade 102, Sarilia 104.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs—Velma Clark, Empress of Beauty 88, Animosity, The Bronze Demon 91, Lady Callahan, Alex 95, Sentry 96, Island Prince 101, Triaditza 106, Cad Hazel 105.

Sixth race, ¾ mile—Olekina 102, Little Boy Blue 104, Fair Deceiver 105, Blocker, Henry of Franstamar 107, Jockey Joe 107, McGrathiana Prince 108, Utrep 109, George R. Cox, Candlelack, Douster Swivel 110, J. H. Sloan 111.

Tanforan entries: First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Walkenshaw, Burdock 107, Prestone 107, Dolore 105, Hohenlohe 110, Brownie Anderson 105, Royal Prize 107, Lizzella 105, Rapido 100, Greatland 103.

Fourth race, 1 mile, purse—Ada N. 89, Montanic 106, Barrack 106, Rolling Boer 99.

Fifth race, 13-16 mile purse—Darlene 107, Beau Ormonde 112, Benson Caldwell 112, Invictus 109, Cougar 102.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs, selling—The Singer 104, High Hoe 105, Sybaris 107, Lady Medelsome 105, Alas 102, Vohlcaer 107, Weather cloudy, track sloppy.

Big Crescent City Winners.

The Crescent City Jockey Club gave away more money this winter to horsemen than ever before in the history of the club. This money has been well divided among the different stables. Up to and including the 16th inst., James Arthur & Co. had a good lead over the other owners in the matter of money to their credit. H. T. Griffin (Haiter Tommy) is a good second. Winners of $1000 and more are:

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R.M. Westerfield	2425	G. C. Bennet & Co.	1225
		J. F. Holt	1100

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Racing Dates of 1901.

New Orleans	Jan. 1—March 23
Tanforan, Cal.	Jan. 21—Feb. 9
Oakland, Cal.	Feb. 11—23
Tanforan, Cal.	Feb. 25—March 9
Oakland, Cal.	March 11—23
Tanforan, Cal.	March 25—30
Oakland, Cal.	March 25—April 6
Memphis, Tenn.	April 1—24
Oakland, Cal.	April 8—20
Nashville, Tenn.	April 22—27
Tanforan, Cal.	April 22—May 4
Louisville, Ky.	April 29—May 18
St. Louis (Fair Grounds)	May 11—July 20
Lexington, Ky.	May 14—25
Toronto	May 23—June 1
Newport, Ky.	May 27—June 8
Hawthorne (Chicago)	May 27—June 8
Harlem (Chicago)	June 10—21
Highland Park, Mich.	June 12—29
Washington Park (Chicago)	June 22—July 20
Fort Erie	July 4—Aug. 31
Butte and Anaconda, Mont.	June 29—Sept. 7
Hawthorne (Chicago)	July 22—Aug. 3
Harlem (Chicago)	Aug. 5—17
Hawthorne (Chicago)	Aug. 19—31
St. Louis (Fair Grounds)	Aug. 26—Sept. 28
Harlem (Chicago)	Sept. 2—14
Hawthorne (Chicago)	Sept. 16—Oct. 5
Harlem (Chicago)	Oct. 7—26
Latonia, Ky.	Oct. 28—Nov. 9

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The Coming Hockeyists.

An exciting game of hockey was played on Saturday between the Hurons and Beverleys, the Hurons winning by one goal. This is the second game the Hurons have won from the same team this season and altho the youngsters are only from 10 to 14 years old, they handle themselves very well indeed. Norman Mara, Ross and Edward Beeton for the Hurons and George Flint and Doughty Curry for the Beverleys did specially excellent work. The big leagues have to look to the youthful players for future experts, and as hockey is a healthy exercise, barring accidents, the small boys' leagues deserve all encouragement.

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TO UNRAVEL BALL TANGLE

National League Owners Will Confer With Players' Protective Association.

THE SCHEDULE MEETING TO-DAY

Playing Rules May Be Changed to Prevent Batsman Taking First on Being Hit by Pitcher.

New York, Feb. 24.—Owners of baseball clubs composing the National League will meet in this city at the Fifth-avenue Hotel to-morrow for the annual schedule meeting of the organization. While the schedule will undoubtedly be adopted at this session, it is a question whether it will be made public before the latter part of March.

Charles Zimmer, president of the Players' Protective Association, will meet the club owners and lay before them the new demands of the players. It is said that they ask the abolishment of farming, that they be consulted when their releases are transferred to other clubs, and that some modifications be made in the rules regarding fines. From the best of information, it is safe to predict that they will be granted nearly, if not quite, all their requests.

If the concessions made to the players are satisfactory, permission will be given to the club owners to negotiate with the men at once, and it will be possible there to ascertain how many have been approached by owners in the American League and whether any of the players in the older organization actually have signed contracts, as has been claimed, with the newcomer.

It has been reported that the National League will blacklist any of its players who desert. This is quite unnecessary, as under the rules of the national agreement no club can negotiate with a man who has deserted one league for another. This answers all the purposes of a blacklist, so far as penalty to the player is concerned.

If it be proved that the American League has secured players from the National League, President Young will probably be instructed to give notification to all clubs under the national agreement of the fact, and instruct them not to arrange games with any member of the offending organization.

The playing season will begin about April 15, and last until October. Instead of the Western clubs finishing in the East, as has been the custom, the East will finish in the West. This was done in deference to the wishes of the four members of the Western section, who believe that there will be a better chance to win the pennant should one of the Western teams happen to be near the top at the latter part of the year. In 1902 the season of 1902 this order of things will be reversed, and the Western clubs will finish in the East.

The playing rules will be considered, and it is possible that the clause permitting a batter to take first base because hit with a pitched ball will be eliminated. There is also an intention on the part of the owners to place some penalty on batters who deliberately foul the ball off, to the disgust of patrons and the opposing pitcher.

American League Plans.

Cleveland, Feb. 23.—Vice-President C. W. Somers of the American League has returned here after visiting various Eastern cities in the interest of his organization. He said to-day that as a result of his trip he felt perfectly confident that the American League clubs in the East would enjoy a most successful season. "Work on the Philadelphia grounds," he said, "is progressing rapidly. The construction of the Washington grand stand and bleachers will commence Monday. In Boston nothing has been done at the new park owing to the fact that our lease does not take effect until March 6. We have the material all ready, however, and on the date named will be prepared to rush the work to completion."

Baseball Brevities.

Manager J. C. Connors and Capt. Dave Menzies will represent the Independents at the meeting in the Hammill House this evening.

The Victors will hold a meeting to-night at their club rooms, Queen and Jarvis-streets. Members and players wishing to join are invited to attend.

The thirteenth annual reorganization meeting of Wellington B.B.C. will be held in Hammill House parlors Tuesday evening, Feb. 26. Members are requested to attend.

The Atlantic B.B.C. will hold a meeting in the Hammill House, King and Bathurst-streets, at 8 o'clock to-night, to organize an independent league. The Capitals, Wideawakes, Garretts, Royal Canadians and all other clubs wishing to join are requested to attend.

Pigeon Flying D.M.P.A. Schedule.

The regular monthly meeting of the Dominion Messenger Pigeon Association was held in the parlors of the Gladstone House last Saturday evening. Messrs. Charles Ayres and Sinclair were proposed and elected as members, after which the following race schedule for old and young pigeons in the flying season of 1901 was adopted:

—Old Birds—

Berlin to Toronto, 62 miles, May 11.
St. Mary's to Toronto, 98 miles, May 18.
Forest to Toronto, 145 miles May 25.
Imlay City to Toronto, 206 miles, June 1.
Charlotte to Toronto, 306 miles, June 8.
South Bend to Toronto, 407 miles, June 15.
Danville to Toronto, 514 miles, June 22.
Decatur to Toronto, 600 miles, July 6.

—Young Birds—

Berlin to Toronto, Sept. 14.
St Mary's to Toronto, Sept. 21.
Ailsa Craig to Toronto, Sept. 28.
Forest to Toronto, Oct. 5.
Finlay City to Toronto, Oct. 12.
Charlotte to Toronto, Oct. 19.

Howison Beat Morningstar.

New York, Feb. 24.—In an exciting finish Leonard Howison of Montreal defeated Ora C. Morningstar of Indiana at 14-inch balk-line billiards at Maurice Daly's Academy, last night, by a total score for six nights' play of 1800 to 1761. Howison's victory was unexpected, as his opponent led in the three previous nights' play. The Canadian finished ahead by making a run of 55 in the last inning.

Howison's grand average was 8 160-205, and Morningstar's 8 129-204. The match was played in blocks of 300. The score last night was 341 to 261 in favor of Howison, in 40 innings. His average was 8 21-41 and Morningstar's 6 21-40. Frank Kennedy was referee.

Varsity Chess Experts Ahead.

The match in the city championship between Varsity and City Athletic Club took place at the parlors of the latter on Saturday, the result being as follows:

C.A.C.—		Varsity—	
Greeland	1	Beck	0
Saunders	0	N S Shenstone	1
Dr Watson	0	Woods	1
Muntz	0	Hunter	1
Biddis	½	S F Shenstone	½
Snellgrove	0	Prof Mavor	1
Hill	0	Gibson	1
Amsden	0	Hodgson	1
Total	1½	Total	6½

The winning of this match gives Varsity the lead in the city championship.

The Monte Carlo Chess Tourney.

Monte Carlo, Feb. 23.—Only drawn and adjourned games from previous rounds of the international chess tournament were played to-day. Marshall drew with Janowski, Marshall beat Marco, Alapin beat Winawer and Schlechter beat Gunsberg. The record up to date:

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Alapin	7½	3½	Maosn	3½	7
Blackburn	6½	5½	Mieses	6	6
Didier	1½	10½	Reggio	4½	7½
Gunsberg	6	6	Scheve	8½	3½
Janowski	5½	2½	Schlechter	8½	3½
Marco	5½	6½	Tschigorin	7½	2½
Marshall	4½	7	Winawer	2½	9½

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BILLIARDS AT CITY ATHLETIC CLUB.

Progressive Match Played on Saturday Night, 10 Men a Side, Followed by Supper.

The introduction of progressive billiards at the City Athletic Club rooms on Saturday evening afforded a jolly evening to the members, and particularly to the participants. The originator of the contest and director of ceremonies was Mr. A. T. Lawson, who earned golden opinions from the boys for his untiring energy and devot