

BEAMSVILLE BEGINS AGAIN
And Defeats Grimsby at Hockey With Ease.

THE CURLERS ARE BUSY.
Both Thistles and Victorias Had Matches Last Evening.

OTTAWA MINISTERS OBJECTING
To the Presence of Mayor and Chief of Police at Prize Fighters' Reception and to Flights in Ottawa—Cornell University Takes Up the Cudgels Against Professionalism.

Beamsville, Feb. 6.—Monday night the ice rink was crowded to the doors to see the Grimsby team go under. Grimsby brought about fifty rooters with them, but little was to be seen of them during the game. Beamsville started the ball rolling by scoring the first goal, and then put four more through. By a fluke in the second half Grimsby scored, but after that Beamsville's goal tender acted simply as a spectator, five more goals being scored by the Beamsville boys, making the game 10-1. The juniors will play the next match with Grimsby. The teams lined up as follows:

Grimsby—Goal, W. Smith; point, F. Snyder; cover point, J. Hewitt; forwards, W. Gibson, P. Teeter, M. Cook, H. Hagen.

Beamsville—Goal, Fairbrother; point, H. Robinson; cover points, F. Poole, P. Robinson; forwards, G. Robinson, Beatty, Boughner.

Referee—D. M. Cameron, Hamilton.

AFTER THE PUCK.

Peterborough calls Waterloo to beat the Wellingtons, and London to capture the intermediate championship. Varsity has defeated Stratford, and the latter club will now meet Waterloo at Guelph to-morrow night. Last night at Orillia the Midland and Toronto St. George's teams met to battle for the Ontario Hockey Association intermediate championship. The game was fierce from start to finish, and the Toronto team won by 11 to 6, because they had a goalkeeper that nothing could pass, while, on the other hand, their opponents were without their star goalkeeper, Billy Henley.

THE TURF.

WADSWORTH MAKES PURCHASES
Lexington, Ky., Feb. 6.—J. S. Wadsworth, of Genesee, N. Y., has been spending a few days in the Blue Grass as the guest of Col. Milton Young, at McGrathiana, and before leaving yesterday, completed negotiations for the purchase of twenty filly foals of the McGrathiana 1899 crop. The lot bought is a very nice one, and as there are several really good ones in the bunch, the purchase price, which was not given, must have been a large one.

NOTES OF THE TURF.

Five favorites were beaten at New Orleans yesterday. Winners: Blithe 5-1, Turney 4-1, Tip Gallant 6-1, Stranget 3-1, Jim Conway 2-1, Jim Gove 11-4-1.

Four favorites won at Oakland. Winners: Viceroy 2-1, Matli, Hogan 2-1, Scotch Belle 8-1, Stormo 10-1, Montgomery 8-5, Scotch Plaid 9-5.

Barnes and Waterhouse have secured second call on the services of Johnny Bullman, who is riding in great form.

Ekkins, a horse which Gibson and Jinks paid \$10,000 for as a yearling, is earning his living by drawing a wagon through the streets of Oakland.

Young Schorr is inclined to back out of the three-cornered race, in which he agreed to start W. Brodie against Advance Guard and Yellow Tail for a \$1,000 purse and a side bet of \$250.

Boland easily leads the jockeys at New Orleans, and the race followers regret that he is obliged to leave the track soon for the purpose of working the yearlings and two-year-olds at Louisville for his employer, C. E. Smith.

BIKING.

Toronto, Feb. 6.—The Toronto district C. W. A. met last night, and discussed road, side paths, etc. The active membership is over 1,000. The officers elected were:

Chief Counsel—G. S. Peary, re-elected.

Council—W. N. Irwin, W. Fudger, H. Brown, W. F. Tasker, H. M. George, C. Hemming, C. E. Blackburn, J. F. Rice, Major Stanley, H. B. Howson, J. M. Tibbs, F. H. Boley, D. J. Kelly, J. M. Sinclair, A. E. Walton, J. Maxwell, V. J. Carnahan, T. H. Buntin, T. Wright, Ald. J. Ward, C. McK. Morrison, A. A. Kingston, A. C. McGuire.

Membership Committee—H. B. Howson, chairman.

Roads and Touring—Geo. A. Kingston, chairman.

Rights and Privileges—W. N. Irwin, chairman.

FOOTBALL.

PROFESSIONALISM AT CORNELL.

Ithaca, Feb. 6.—Cornell's faculty held an extended meeting yesterday for the purpose of considering Cornell's athletic situation.

The charges of professionalism against some of last season's football players was fully discussed, and it is said President Schurman made a speech, declaring that in the future Cornell must keep her athletes entirely free from professionalism. A professor in the university, much opposed to football, introduced a resolution abolishing inter-collegiate football in Cornell for four years. The resolution received but two votes.

CRICKET.

A RECORD AUSTRALIAN SCORE.

The international cricket match between New South Wales and South Australia was played at Adelaide and won by New South Wales by an innings and 393 runs, or 807 to 155 and 260. The total for the winners was a record in first-class Australian cricket, Noble got 233, Gregory 176 and Trumper 165. The match lasted four days and was poorly attended, the total gate for the four days amounting to only £137.

THE RING.

OTTAWA MINISTERS OBJECT.

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—A short time ago Mayor Payment and Chief Powell attended a banquet given in honor of Kid McCoy, the prize fighter, who was in the city on a visit. Yesterday morning, at the meeting of the Ministerial Association, the action of these two

civic officials was criticized, and the opinion expressed that their action was not consistent with the dignity of their positions, and a committee was appointed to consider their action, and to make a recommendation as to what action the association should take. The committee will also report regarding the proposed boxing exhibition at the O. A. A. C.

JOHNSON BEAT BURKE.

Buffalo, Feb. 6.—Harry Johnson, of Pittsburg, was given a decision over Luke Burke, of Lowell, Mass., at the Olympic Club to-night. The bout went the full limit. Johnson won with a margin to spare. In the sixth round Burke scored three knockdowns, Johnson taking the limit and coming up strong. Johnson's left jab, landing in Burke's face, were the feature of the fight.

LEON AND JIMMY SMITH.

Toronto, Feb. 6.—The Crescent Athletic Club will pull off the bout between Jimmy Smith and Casper Leon, at the Bijou Theatre, on Saturday night, Feb. 17th. Both men are well-known, and are well together in skill and physique. The conditions are 20 rounds at 115 lbs., weight in three o'clock day of contest. Leon will train in Toronto.

CURLING.

THISTLES LOSE TROPHY GAMES.

The Galt Granites Curling Club visited Hamilton yesterday and played the Thistle Club's two rinks for the Walker Trophy, and won two rinks in a friendly game. The visitors won both trophy matches, the score being:

Galt Granites—M. A. Seoord, A. Taylor, R. Patrick, C. E. Turnbull, skip, 17. Thistle—Dr. Rogers, W. S. McBrayne, I. Billings, S. Read, skip, 12. Majority for Turnbull, 5.

Galt Granites—W. Fulton, W. Kelgan, C. E. Knowles, P. Macgregor, skip, 19. Thistle—A. D. Leith, R. J. Morrison, C. W. Cartwright, R. R. Bruce, skip, 13. Majority for Macgregor, 6.

The Galt curlies also won both rinks in the friendly contest, the scores being:

Galt Granites—R. W. Aslan, A. B. Scott, R. M. Robinson, T. E. McLellan, skip 19. Thistle—J. Gartshore, M. Leggat, J. Kermer, J. Leggat, skip, 10.

Galt Granites—J. H. Scott, J. M. Lamb, W. Thomson, Dr. A. Hawk, skip, 16. Thistle—B. L. Leith, A. Vincent, A. Gartshore, J. G. McKend, skip, 10.

Total—Galt Granites, 35; Thistles, 20.

Majority for Galt Granites, 15.

YACHTING.

ROYAL ST. LAWRENCE Y. C.

Montreal, Feb. 6.—At the annual meeting of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club last night, the following officers were elected: Hon. commodore, Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, James Ross, Commodore, H. M. Macdon, Vice-Commodore, A. Haig Sims; Rear Commodore, W. Kavanagh; Hon. Secretary, J. J. Riey, jun.

The arrangement for the series of races to be held during the coming season with the White Star Yacht Club for the Seawanhauk Cup was ratified.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SMALL PICKUPS OF SPORT.

At Ingersoll last night two games, the semi-finals, in Group 3, Ontario Tankard, were played. Para, beating Woodstock by 51 to 28, and trait winning from St. Thomas by 36 to 35.

The Athletic Association of the University of Pennsylvania has fixed upon April 28th for its sixth annual inter-collegiate relay race meet, and has issued invitations to all the colleges and universities in the United States and Canada to participate.

After shedding the captaincy of Queen's football team for two years, "Chancer" Elliott has retired from the position at his own desire. He may again play next fall with the college team next fall, but if not, he will be found on the half-back line of the champion Granites.

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Silver Wedding.

On Friday evening last the home of Mr. Wm. Wilson, Nelson township, was the scene of much gay festivity. It was the 25th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson's married life. About forty guests assembled, bringing many beautiful gifts and expressing hearty congratulations.

The Misses Gurney contributed very much to the evening's entertainment by reading choice selections of music, vocal and instrumental. Mrs. Wilson's health, which has not been good during the past year or more, is very materially improved. Miss Bessie Wilson and her sisters Rosie and Maggie presided with grace and succeeded admirably in giving a delightful at homeness to the occasion.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. R. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows that thousands have proved that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and breaks up poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by Richard Brierley, Druggist, King street west. Guaranteed.

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Professor McGill, Dominion Government analyst, says after an analysis of 148 samples of baking powder, that Gerrie's Perfection Baking Powder, manufactured by J. W. Gerrie, Druggist, James street north, has practically reached the limit, an ideal powder. It is the only baking powder, in which both chemically pure cream of tartar and soda are used in its manufacture.

Hodgekeeper (scornfully)—I suppose you just love your wife? Weary Willie—Well, lady, I love it so much I wouldn't never raise me hand to it."

Four of scarlet fever, which has broken out at Halifax, has deterred the Militia Department from ordering the Mounted Rifles to leave Toronto and C Battery to leave Kingston. It is likely that both will start for Halifax this week.

LEVI STEWARD HANGED TO-DAY.
Murder of "Old Jim Ross" Legally Avenged.

SHERIFF VS. HANGMAN.
Radcliffe Refused to Operate at 5 O'clock a.m.
COMPROMISED ON SIX O'CLOCK

After the Department of Justice Had Been Consulted—The Last Seem Unflinchingly—The Story of the Crime Retold.

Sandwich, Feb. 6.—Levi Steward, the negro murderer of "Old Jim" Ross, another colored man, was hanged at the Sandwich jail early this morning. The drop fell at 6:20 a. m.

Sheriff Her had arranged to have the execution take place at 5 o'clock in the morning, so as to avoid the curious crowds. Hangman Radcliffe, however, insisted that the law pro-

vided that all executions should take place at 8 o'clock, and threatened that he would not officiate unless he had his way. The Sheriff telegraphed the Justice Department at Ottawa, and was told that he could set what-over hour he liked. He named 6 o'clock, and Radcliffe agreed.

Steward, who during the last two or three weeks had been making considerable religious professions, spent the entire night in prayer and singing hymns. Two ministers and a choir of colored women singers spent the night with him. Communion was administered to the condemned man at 4 o'clock. He offered a fervent prayer for mercy, and for strength, that he might not fall at the gallows.

"How do you feel Levi?" asked Sheriff Her, who visited the murderer in his cell a few minutes before the execution.

"Better than you do, Sheriff," answered the doomed man. "They can't hurt me no more, and I'm soon to suit me. I'll go straight to heaven!"

Steward ate only a mouthful of breakfast, and was ready when Hangman Radcliffe arrived.

The murderer walked to the scaffold without faltering.

Rev. R. A. Adams, who had been with Steward most constantly during the last few days, repeated the Lord's Prayer, and at the words, "deliver us from evil," the trap was sprung, the body shot downward, and the slightest convulsion followed. In a few moments the surgeon Caspach pronounced Steward dead.

THE CRIME.

The crime for which Levi Steward this morning suffered the death penalty, was a brutal one. About midnight, July 18th last, Geo. Franklin and Thos. Carter, colored men, were returning from a picnic, when they found James Ross, an old colored man, lying on Sandhill Road, near Smith's Hotel, bleeding and unconscious. They carried him into the hotel, where he died two days later without regaining consciousness. On July 19th Steward was arrested at his home near Kingswood, and arraigned before Magistrate E. L. Bell, charged with the murder of Ross. Sarah Lee, who lived with Steward, testified that she and Steward attended the picnic Tuesday afternoon, where Steward spent all his money. In the evening they were together at Smith's hotel. Shortly after Ross started for home, Steward followed him, telling witness to await his return, as there might be something in it. When Steward returned he showed her a silver watch and appeared to have considerable money. He admitted to her that he had killed Ross, and asked her to be the coroner's jury, on the death of Ross, returned a verdict of wilful murder against Steward, and the latter, on being tried at the Essex County December Assizes, was convicted and sentenced by Judge Pease to be hanged. From the time of his arrest Steward had stonily protested his innocence, and when sentence of death was about to be passed on him Steward declared he had had nothing to do with the murder, and that the criminals were Franklin and Carter, both of whom had given evidence against him. Six weeks later, however, Steward broke down and confessed that he alone committed the murder, adding that he was drunk at the time and did not intend to kill the old man. Ross was 86 years of age, a farmer, and reputed to be fairly wealthy. Steward was about 30 years old and had led a hard life. In a statement made on Saturday to the clerical men who attended him in jail, he attributed his regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25¢ at Richard Brierley's Drug Store, King street west.

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Governor Taylor of Kentucky, offers to submit the merits of his claim to the gubernatorial chair of Kentucky to any three fair-minded men in the world, to be selected by the United States Supreme Court.

THINK THEY HAVE THE MEN
Five Suspicious Characters Arrested in Montreal.

Montreal, Feb. 5.—The Montreal detectives believe they have got hold of the men who committed the daring robbery in Strong's grocery store on Saturday night. To-day five men, giving their names as John Spencer, of Detroit; John Atchison, of Montreal; James Smith, of Toronto; James West, of Galveston, Texas; and Frank Moore, of Toronto, were arrested on suspicion. All the men are suspicious-looking characters, and when arrested were found in possession of firearms.

Moore says he was born in Toronto. He is a brass finisher by trade, has been in Boston recently, has no other name, and denied having been here a year ago. He came here about six weeks ago, met the other two, and roomed with them at a hotel some of the time.

Chief Carpenter has been informed that the man who gave the name of Moore was probably a chum of Martin (Macintosh), who was shot in Toronto at the time of the Veroe robbery and murder. The detectives say that they expect to be able to identify several of the men at least, and gather some good evidence against them within a few days.

The burglars are again becoming very bold in Montreal. To-day another gang blew up the safe in R. J. Tooke's establishment, and got away with \$1,500.

A DIABETES CURE.
Michael Hallern, of St. Thomas. Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Suffered With Diabetes and Backache for Over Ten Years. Advised by Dr. Dodd's Kidney Pills—Saved From His Grave.

St. Thomas, Feb. 5.—Nowhere in Ontario are Dodd's Kidney Pills more valued than in the neighborhood of St. Thomas. They are famous for having first given sufferers from Bright Disease and Diabetes a road to safety, for previous to the discovery of Dodd's Kidney Pills these diseases were invariably fatal.

Michael Hallern, a farmer living near St. Thomas, is one of those who fully appreciate the worth of Dodd's Kidney Pills. He has good reason to say. He was cured of Diabetes by their use. He admits that but for Dodd's Kidney Pills he would be in his grave to-day.

Diabetes is a local disease of the kidneys. Dodd's Kidney Pills are therefore the only medicine of the slightest use in the treatment of this disease. The kidneys are the only organs affected, and Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only medicine that can reach the kidneys with any beneficial effect.

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"I have been troubled for one year with diabetes. My back was in the worst kind of pain all the time. My urine was very dark and my condition was getting very serious. A friend of mine told me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I have now used one box and am already completely cured. My urine is of its natural color and my back is as strong as a board. I cannot praise Dodd's Kidney Pills too highly, for I am certain they have saved me from the grave."

PLUMBING BY-LAW
Was Considered for Two Hours by Board of Health.

Last evening the Board of Health met to consider the proposed by-law to regulate plumbers, with a view to recommending it to the City Council. The by-law before present were Messrs. Crooks (Chairman), Kirkpatrick, Judd and Griffith. Mr. Bolgan was absent through illness, he having fallen and sprained his ankle. Mr. Findlay was present and addressed the Board on the necessity of plumbing inspection. Mr. Adam Clark, of the Medical Practitioners' Association, also spoke in favor of the proposed by-law. The Board spent two hours considering it, and then adjourned, to meet in two weeks to consider it further.

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Commercial Matters.

Thursday, Feb. 6.—Notwithstanding the excellent sleighing, there was a small attendance of farmers on the Central market to-day, and there was again a slight demand for livestock. Butter was scarce at 21 to 26 cents a pound and eggs brought 25 to 30 cents a dozen.

Turkeys sold at 9 to 10 cents a pound, ducks 60 to 70 cents a pair, geese at 60 to 75 cents each, and chickens at 45 to 60 cents a pair.

Apples brought 20 to 30 cents for 12 quart baskets, and \$1.50 to \$2.25 a barrel. Potatoes sold at 45 to 50 cents a bag; cabbages at 30 cents a dozen; celery at 20 to 25 cents a dozen; carrots, 20 cents a bushel; onions, 60 to 70 cents a bushel; pumpkins, 25 cents a bushel; parsnips, 25 cents a dozen.

Choice beef sold at 63 1/2 cents to 7 cents a pound by the carcass. Mutton carcasses sold at 4 to 6 1/4 cents per pound by the carcass, with hind-quarters bringing 63 1/2 cents a pound. Cow beef brought 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 cents, and bull beef 3 to 4 cents. Dressed pork sold at \$5.25 to \$5.50 a hundred pounds. Lambs brought 6 to 7 cents a pound, and veal 5 to 6 cents a pound.

GRAIN MARKET.

On the grain market to-day wheat advanced to 68 and 69 cents, and oats brought 30 to 31 cents. Hay sold at \$10 to \$11 a ton.

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