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### OFFICERS FOR 1878.

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GUIDE.—We have received what is called Canadian Base Ball Guide from Wm. ree of Landon. Singularly enough it does contain the Playing Rules of the Canain Base Ball Association as revised at the sting of April 4, but publishes the Interfional Rules in tull, without the amend-ats and erasures made by our home Asestion.

#### BASE HITS.

LONDON.-The Tecumsehs played their at practice match on Saturday, with the denties, the amateur champions. It resultin favor of the professionals by a score of to 4.—The Tecumsels have nominated following gentlemen as official umpires London: Messrs. Thomas Gillean, E. M. sore, T. H. Brunton, C. W. Andrus, and

St. DAVIDS - QUEENSTON .- The Maple as, of St. Davids, beat the Young Vic-rias, of Queenston, on Saturday, at St. avids, by a majority of 16 runs.

NIAGARA FALLS-CHIPPAWA.-The Maple als, of Niagara Falls, N.Y., beat the appers, of Chippawa, Ont., at the latter ace, on Saturday, by a score of 14 to 11. sad incident of the game was an accident at happened to Mr. Herbeold, of the Clipurs, who fell over a base and broke his leg.

PRINCETON—CATHCART.—A match was ayed at Princeton on the 6th, between the ampions of that burg and the juniors of atheart, resulting in a score of 123 to 44 in wor of the Champions. One game in a ter like this should be enough to satisfy ny 00e.

#### NAME CLAIMED.

JONATHAN SCOTT .- I claim the name of nathan Scott for brown colt, white nigh nd foot, star in forehead, by Harry Bassett, am Eveline Carter, by Australian, foaled pril 15, 1878.—B. Wilson, Dr-enport,

Vice-President, Mr T O Robsen; 3rd Vice- | In the rate of the variable of the President, Mr. L. Hartstone; Secretary and Serted during the partition of the President, Mr. L. Hartstone; Secretary and Journal, per nit to say that I am proper to Treasurer, Mr. John E Clark.

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## Nedestrianism.

#### AFTER O'LEARY.

The London Sporting Life says, under date of March 27: "On Friday night last, at the Agricultural Hall, Weston expressed his willingness to make a match with O'Leary (each to make the best of his way for six days and six nights), and Sir J. D. Astley, Bart., M. P., expressed his willingness to post £500 on behalf of Weston, the conditions to be similar to those in force in their last memorable match. Weston stipulates that each must have a separate track to be laid down according to his own direc tions, and suggests, it agreeable to O'Leary, Vaughan and others, that the match be fixed to take place during the Easter week. Any money deposited by O Leary, Sir John Astley will cover for Weston, and the match can be ratified at once. Howes also has challenged the champion for a similar sum, and Vaughan and 'Blower' Brown, not satisfied with the result of the recent comnetition, are anxious for a second trial, as will be seen from their challenges, which appear in another column. Gale, we hear, too, would like a six days' spin with O'Leary for a good round sum. Thus our stouthearted Hiberno-American will not be allowed to rest long on his well-earned laurels. Fassing Crab Tree, a mile and a quarter from Putney, the dark blue flag for the first for a good round sum. Thus our stout-

to a rading title to the olt, and therefor, b happy tom tacy prem d sirous of making arreading at a firm a measure mental in file of the Spiring Life, between the noirs of I and 2 recession to after noon of Morray next. Said match to take place in the City of Citrago, at a tim to be hireafter agreed upon; said time to b. within the prescribed innits. Yours, & ...

DANIEL O'LEAGY.

Lon Ion, March 29, 1878

Marnied Misses .- Miss Bertin Le Franc ecently walked from Lockport to Buffalo, thirty one miles, accompanied by her husband. Mr. Avery. It is bad mough to have on the stage hunareds of elderly married women masquerading as Miss or Mademesselle, and the extension of this custom to walkers is a sens less muov fron - Times.

### Aquatic.

#### THE 'VARSITY RACE.

DALK BLUE WINS .- AN EAST VICTORY FOR OX-FORD.

London, April 13.—Une somual eight-oar ed race between the Oxford and Cambridge universities was rowed this morning over the usual cours - from Putney to Mortlake, and, as everybody supposed would be the case, the Oxford Crew won very easily. The weather was all that could be desired for a successful race. The morning was at first nazy and overcast, but at 9:30 o'clock the sun was shining warm and clear, and as there was but little wind and a fairly good tide, everyt sing was favorable for the race. The attendance was very large, but in the opinion of many who have witnessed the races during the last ten years, there was a large talling off, especially of the better classed. The betting was steady at 4 to 1 against Cambridge. Both crews were loudly cheered as they entered their beats, and the Prince of Wales who with a distinguished party witnessed the race from the deck of the Victoria, was also loudly cheered. Both crews rowed in boats built by Swaddle & Winship, o: Cambridge, the Oxford craft being a new one, while that of Cambridge was the one in which the light blues won in 1876. In drawing for positions Oxford won the Surrey side, leaving Cambridge the Mid-

#### THE BACE

Both crews being really to start, at 10.12 a. m. Mr. Elward Searle, as starter, put the usual question, 'Are you ready?' and at 10.14 gave the word to an excellent start, Cambridge being the quicker to move; and as Prest set a faster stroke than Marr.oit, from the start, they led by a third of tueir boat's length. They continued to increase their lead, gaining inch by inch as they passed Bishop's Creek and the Concrete Wall to the site of the old half-mile post. where the; 'd fully 'wo thirds their length, with Oxford rowing a steady thirty four, the total of the site of the old half-mile post. having lost some little distance by Beaumont, her coxswain, steering her into the river. Nearer the Craveh Cottage, where Cambridge v as rowing thaty-eight, Oxford, without hurrying, began to gain slowly, and as they passed the Point were gaining per-ceptibly. Off the Grass Wharf, the two hoats were on even terms and rowed our to oar past Rosebank Villa and through Crab Tree Reach, the v ving being very good in both boats, except in the stroke side of the

Reachering to a new last considering that the wird was agai at them, but which att et i the light-plue loat more than the irk blu But Marrott so husbanded his commander that he was mabled to row on, a . . I steady stroke, and to win with Cow hong only tarty two seconds technid. with which Oxford won robbed the scene of much of its excit ment.

As usual, Mr. Chitty acted as umpre, but wing to the dissatisfaction among the 'dark blu s' at ad ma Ph lps's 'dead-heat' de-Cambridge our, tilled the position of judge at

#### THE RECORD.

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1840.	Westminst r to Prine	y C	29:30	i gth
1411.	Westminst r to Putne	y C	32.30	1.01
1842.	Westminst r . Putne	y O	30.45	13 sec.
1845.	Patticy to Mortlake	C	23, 30	
1846.	"Mortlake to Putney	C	21.05	
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1861,	March 19	0	22.12	
1865,	, April 8	0		4 l'gth
1866.	. March 24	0	25:48	15 sec
1867.	, April 13	0	22:30	
	, April 4	0	237	
	March 17	Q		
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1872	March 23	C	21.14	
1673	, March 29	· C	19:36	
1874	. March 28	Ç		
1875	, March 20	0		
1876	, April 8	C		5 l'gth
1877	March 23	_		D. heat
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* First race rowed in outrigged eights.				

From 1857 to date the boats have been sliells without keels, the oars have been spoon shaped, the time of the race has been the week preceding Easter, and almost always the day before Palm Sunday, and the course har been up the Thames at the last of the flood tide, from the aqueduct at Putney to the Ship Tavern at Mortlake, a distance of four and a quarter miles-except in 1863, when the course was down the river, with the ebb tine, from Barker's Rails to Putney, a distance of 1,200 yards more than the course from Putney to Mortlake, which is a very fast course owing to the rapidity of the tide. Eight oarsmen and a corswain the 'light blues' quickly showed in front, have formed the crew of each boat the same and at Simmond's yard, a quarter of a mile as in the irregular races which preceded as in the irregular races which preceded 1857. From 1873 onward sliding seats have heen used by all.

Many variations of a few seconds and some of much as a minute occur in this table as given in different London newspapers and rowing almanaes, but English time keepers seldom stultify themselves by an nouncing fractional parts of seconds.

From the above record it will be seen that Oxford has won 18 and Cambridge 16 of the races, with the dead heat of 1877 as a redletter event in the records of both Universines, with the most credit due Oxford, owing to their bow breaking his oar.

PLAISTED.—We acknowledge the receipt of a photograph of Plaisted from Mr. Wm. Richardson, photographer, 129 Broadway, Williamsburg, N.Y.

the attached talk to at the countries, and months it is more of a side. A large number of Scharit shares some from the ranks of the glass lowers, and with most of the latter the sould of the granting has been comparatively low for county in order part. Where a race mould be seemed used, we had a sand to I was not feel the erent at case in 25m. 12s, the Cam ridge case tup at a second and challenge unless Cowhering only furty live seconds behind, it sairs to see an expect from the manner Tuero was the usual scene of enthusiasm and tours, who are discussed to estuation it towards the victors at Mortlake, but the case is even in that he had not into it is a freed togood at nationek, out will take his time

#### HALIFAN, N. S.

the officers of the Nova Scala Vacht Squadron for 1878 or as tollows -Commo dors, H. Excellency the Earl of Dufferin, k.P., K.C.B., P.C., Governor General of K.P., K.C.B., P.C., Governor General of Caunia (Dauntles), cutter). Vice Commoders, S. A. Waste, Esq. (Kestral, yawi), Rear-Commoders, J. W. Steirs, Esq. (Torond, schooner); How. Secretary, F. C. Sumienrast, Esq. (Mystery, sloop), Committees of Manag. mem. Flag officers, and Secretary, exoficers, P. M. Passow, Esq. (Bertha, 2011), H. St. G. Taraman, F. Steiners entt r). H. St. G Twining, E-1. (Spray. sloops, D. C. Cashner-, Esq. (Circo, sloop). A. C. Elwards Petra, alsops, J. E. Butter (Hebe, shoops, Saling Committee, Plag Officers, and S. r. tary, exceptions, Lt. C. L. Clerke, D. Cronan, (Albatrose, screen re, G. A. Black (P ir I, sloop), G. E. Capil Curo (Iwometh R giment), L. Briand, Measures, J. E. Butlor and W. H. Troop. It is intended to give during the luminar alignated regatta, the details of which are not yet definitely arranged, and the programme of club sailing has been announced in lading opening crusse, June 15, rese, June 21, harbor crusses under P. O , July 20 , herbor cruise under F. O., August 3; race, August 24, harbor cruise under F. O., August 31; race, Sept. 7 and closing cruise, Sept. 21.

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## Miscellaneous.

#### A CANADIAN WRESTLER.

New York, April 2, 1878.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD I beg to offer the following challenge to wrestlers I will wrestle Messrs. Owens, Murphy, Mc-Laughlin, or McMahon, best two in three falls, as follows: one fall collar-and-olbow, one Graco-Roman, and one Graco-Roman with use of legs for tripping. The match to be for \$150 a side and to take place in any city of Vermont or Massachusetts during the month of April. Anyone covering the in-closed \$50 forfeit will find me ready at the shortest notice.

W. BARREY. Champion of Canada, Montreal, P.Q.

### THE AMERICAN STUD BOOK.

Subscribers to the work are informed that the third volume of Bruce's American Stud Book. for thoroughbreds, is ready for delivery. Price \$10 mailed free to any part of the United States or the Canadas. As an inducement to new subservices, a complete set of the Stud Book, three volumes will be furnished for \$25. Breeders and owners of thoroughtred stock will find the third volume of this publication indispensated to them as a work of ready reference, as it contains, in addition to many omissions and co rections, all the importations of thoroughbrol horses from and including the year 1873, up t. the present time, all native horses and mares with their produce, not enumerated in the two preceding volumes, besides the feals of the prosent year that have been dropped up to the date of this issue. Contrary to the established usage of similar publications, the proprietor of the Shid Book has made no charge for registering animals therein, and, in return, feels justified in soliciting the paironage of turimen generally to this useful work.