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Saturday's Fatal Accident.

The fatal accident that occurred at the butts on Saturday appears, prima facie, to have been the result of a too implicit confidence in the goodness of Providence and in the harmlessness of stray bullets. It must have been known by the riflemen that some of their bullets would miss the targets or mounds and thus lose themselves in the water of the lake. It further is a matter of the simplest deduction that boats passing in that direction were liable to be hit by such stray bullets. Such stray bullets have in years past struck the Humber boats, and about ten years ago a young lady was injured in the arm by one of them. On Saturday the possibility of accident was again established in the sad fatality referred to in another column. These instances are not the only causes of complaint against target shooting on the lake front. People have always been more or less disturbed by a suspicion of danger while passing that quarter in boats, and that lurking suspicion is in itself no small ground of complaint.

The result of the accident will, no doubt, be a clamor for the removal of the targets to less dangerous quarters. And the probability is they will have to go. From the facts referred to elsewhere it would appear possible that bullets may reach a distance of 500 yards or more out into the water, and if this is a fact the suspicion of danger, coupled with this disaster, will be so strong in the public's mind that nothing short of immediate removal of the targets will be tolerated. In no other city, we believe, is rifle practice permitted at so short a distance from the centre of the city.

An inquest into the unfortunate boy's death is to be held by Dr. Duncan, and it is to be hoped the scope of the enquiry will be large enough to get out all the facts necessary to decide on the advisability of changing the situation of the targets.

Lundy's Lane.

Canadians celebrate to-day, at Lundy's Lane, an episode in the struggles for their national integrity which ought not to be and will not be passed over without recognition.

No adequate history of that epoch has as yet been written. The enemy met us—at night, the field was ours, likewise Winfield Scott, and a good many of his troops. Nevertheless the Anglo-Canadians suffered severely. But mark you, at that time we were but a straggling few on the frontier, and there were even then traitors in our midst.

These are not reflections upon the brave fellows who then found us foemen worthy of their steel. The reflection reflects upon those who in that time of trial proved traitors to their own country. Their name was legion, upon either side of the border. We were then a feeble folk. We had the name and fame of Britain behind us, else we must have succumbed; but so far as the fighting was concerned, Canadians did the bulk of it.

Our republican neighbors claim that Lundy's Lane was a drawn battle. Let it pass as such. Victory frequently fails to perch upon the banners of the stronger side. We were the weaker side then. Let it pass, in good neighborhood, but let it never be forgotten that there was stuff in the few folks who stood up to be shot in 1812. It was a stupid war, but the fault was not upon this side.

They were sterling old chaps, those. They had that in them which younger Canada must cultivate, and is cultivating, a hybrid press to the contrary notwithstanding. Young Canada antagonizes that press, and will vote every time for its own hearths and homes.

The World salutes the men who to-day stand upon the historic ground where two great branches of the same racial family fought out an old feud without discredit to either, and will to-morrow publish a full report of the proceedings.

The World is a Canadian newspaper, The World is.

Is it a New Departure.

Some of the cable correspondents see developments of unusual importance in certain changes in pending legislation for Ireland just conceded by the Salisbury Government. And he of The New York Tribune, in particular, thinks that possibly nothing less than the transfer of the Irish alliance from the Liberals to the Tories may be on the cards. What is certain, meantime, is that Parnell has expressed himself highly pleased with what he considers the important changes recently accepted by the Tory Government, and has in substance entreated his followers not through untimely violence to risk the success of what will surely be won if they hold themselves with prudence. It is believed that pressure from the Liberal-Unionist side is mainly what has done it; and that Mr. Chamberlain is the chief mover on the occasion.

Signs of a coolness between Gladstone's followers and those of Parnell are at the same time discovered. If this be true, then the times are changing with a vengeance. Anyway, unless the signs are deceptive something uncommon is in the wind; and further news of what is going on will be anxiously looked for.

A Lesson from Experience.

There are some of our strong-minded free traders who think it mere weakness to betray anything like sentiment in favor of your own country. "Why should I," one of these will ask, "pay a dollar for a certain article made in Canada, when for 99 cents I can get just as good made in the States? This sentimental feeling in favor of buying the products of your own country rather than those of a foreign country is all nonsense, and I, for one, am not going to be influenced by it. My rule is—buy in the cheapest market and sell in the dearest; and a fig for what you call patriotism." Very frequently the man who talks this way thinks himself a superior being, and yet the policy he thinks so highly of is well fitted to be the ruin of such nations and communities as carry it out.

The World on Saturday gave some account of the present condition of the village of Woodbridge, comparing the same with what it was last year, before the removal of John Abell's factory and its 150 busy pairs of hands to Toronto had taken place. In this case there is no loss to Canada, or to the province, but it is very evident that the city's gain has been a serious loss to Woodbridge and its neighborhood. But just let us think over what would be the consequences were not one, but many Canadian factories lost to the country through their business being taken by American factories, with our markets thrown open to them. Why, we should have the spectacle, not of one "deserted village" only, but of many. It is easy to say that our factories would at the same time be finding an enlarged market for their product in the States. We reply: You are not so sure about that. In trying to find an American market for any products of our Canadian factories the odds would be immensely against us. In all kinds of manufacturing business the Americans are older in the field than we are and have longer experience. Their establishments are, as a rule, larger than ours, and if between the two it came to a struggle for existence it would be ours that would have to go to the wall. But why should we put ourselves to such a risk at all; why leave our present safe position in which this country is now doing very well? Why hazard a certainty for an uncertainty; why drop the substance in order to grasp at the shadow? From the days of Æsop until now this has not been counted wisdom.

The removal of an important factory into the city from a village only seventeen miles away is of course not a case parallel to that of a similar industry being lost by Canada and gained by the United States. But the instance is effective and to the point, because it drives home to our minds a better appreciation of the immense good which manufactures do the neighborhood in which they are. You see somewhere one certain factory, employing a hundred hands, and you say, "Well, I admit that furnishes bread for say 75 families." To which we have to add that, while there are 75 families to whom it furnishes their entire means of living, there are ever so many families more whom it supplies with—it may be half, it may be quarter, or set all events an appreciable share of their living. Many a family, not a single member of which is employed in the factory, nevertheless benefits greatly through its existence near at hand. When an industry like that of John Abell's is suddenly moved away, even though it be only seventeen miles off, we get the worth of it to its old neighborhood brought home to us in a way that it never was before. In other words, we get a lesson from experience which is worth any amount of free trade theorizing.

Why should one of the vilest of weeds known upon this continent be saddled upon this country as "the Canada thistle?" It is no more indigenous to Canada than it is to Nebraska. It takes root everywhere and anywhere, and once having taken root refuses to leave by any route. Nevertheless, it is not an exclusively Canadian product by any means.

Target practice had better be practised elsewhere.

The British military authorities will not buy either trotting or draft horses. The Americans will buy trotting horses provided they trot tolerably close to the record. But the best market for, from the farm to middling horse of commerce is still, and probably always will be, found right here at home.

Whooping it up for Mr. McIntyre, who wears one of the C. P. R. syndicate's famous "iron heels," comes high to the anti-syndicate and anti-monopolistic press, but "Jones, he pays the freight."

Timothy Warren Anglin boosting Duncan McIntyre into Parliament is the particular spectacle upon which the gods and the little fishes are at present wasting water.

Uncle William Macdougall has been disallowed.

This is the anniversary of Lundy's Lane. This was one of the lanes which had the proverbial turn. It turned this way, too.

According to The Mail the Protestant is going and the Romanist is growing. The World will not march to such music. It believes that we are getting along pretty well, thank you. Of all the tiresome people whom it has been our ill lot to meet during a diversified career the man who usurps Mariana's seat in the Moated Grange is the most fatiguing. This country is good enough for us. The fact that a Roman Catholic buys a corner lot does not disturb The World.

The way to gain boat races is to feather your oar with metal. The way to succeed in newspaper competitions is to have mettle in you. Which is where The World struck the lead.

The farmer's friend occasions the farmer to smile, particularly the Conservative farmer, who writes this journal to say that he does not think so.

The Grits say that they refused to nominate Mr. Anglin for Renfrew, because he killed The Tribune. The responsibility is not properly placed. Mr. Anglin failed to galvanize The Tribune with a Globe battery. A better man than he might have failed in the same place. What we know about the failure we are not constrained to tell. Failure is one of the inevitabilities.

Timothy Warren Anglin was willing, but Barks in Renfrew was not. Hence the cynical nomination of a syndicator.

The Globe still excites itself about commercial union, and desires us to argue the question. The World prefers to take it easy. Perturbation is the thief of time. The World has a surprise in store for the commercial unionists. The surprise is kept upon ice. We shall have a thaw shortly.

When a newspaper is exceedingly anxious to provoke recognition it is never recognized. The force of this remark resides in a local application.

What this town needs, and must have, is waterworks which will work.

Sylvanus Cobb is dead. So are the novels he wrote.

Buffalo threatens to pay $100,000 to the man who invents or discovers the best scientific method of utilizing the water power of Niagara River. Buffalo's only present use for the great Niagara is to fire sewage into it. This is also Toronto's way of utilizing her bay

THE IMPORTATION OF CATTLE.

Neat Cattle Will not be Admitted Except for Stock-Breeding Purposes.

OTTAWA, July 23.—An order-in-council has been passed rescinding all previous orders respecting the importation from the United States into Manitoba, the Northwest and British Columbia of neat cattle, horses, sheep and swine, and prescribing new rules and regulations. The importation of neat cattle is prohibited, except for stock-breeding purposes, or in transit from one point to another in the United States through Canada. All animals are required to be inspected, and swine are to be quarantined for twenty-one days.

Legal Offices Inspector's Report.

The fourth annual report of Mr. John Winchester, inspector of legal offices, has made its appearance in pamphlet form, from the press of Warwick & Sons, Toronto. The appendices contain an astonishing amount of information and very important statistics concerning the litigation of this province. The number of actions begun in 1886 is given at 6090, the total amount of money claimed in such actions being nearly $9,000,000. Appendix K shows that the fines imposed for breaches of the Canada Temperance Act during the year amount to $41,195. Appendix L contains an interesting account of the fees received by different legal officers. The highest amount is credited to the sheriff of York, whose total earnings in 1886 were $19,526, the expenses of his office $9640, and his actual income $8876.

Hire the Parkdale Waterworks.

Editor World: In view of the continued want of rain here would it not be well for the Waterworks authorities to hire the assistance of the Parkdale works for a certain fixed period until say the improvements, whatever they may be, are made to the Toronto supply? This can be done in a very short time, so I understand, and the horrors of a water famine would be avoided. Parkdale is willing, I am convinced, to help her old mother out of the fire. She has always been a dutiful and willing child. FRANK TURNER.

Braeondale, July 23.

AN AQUATIC HIPPODROME.

THE HANLAN-GAUDAUR RACE ON LAKE CALUMET.

Hamilton Beaten by Toronto on the Diamond Field—Trotting at Detroit—Canadian Cricketers Lose Again—Yachting Breezes—A Base Ball League for the Dominion.

PULLMAN, Ill., July 23.—Probably the greatest fizzle of a boat race ever rowed in the West was the one here this afternoon in which Edward Hanlan nominally defeated Jacob Gaudaur. It had been announced that the contest would be for the championship of America, $1000 a side, and to each of the participants a slice of the receipts at the gate. In addition it was expected that the result would definitely decide whether Hanlan, whom many people still believed the world's greatest oarsman, had virtually closed his career. The race settled nothing and was in no particular a success, not even in the matter of gate receipts. About 1200 people only were present, instead of the 8000 or 10,000 expected. Those who stayed away had cause to congratulate themselves, for the whole affair was characterized by execrable management, to say nothing of the suspicion that the race itself partook of the nature of a hippodrome. Like the last contest between the two men, to-day's race was rowed under peculiar conditions. Their race on Decoration Day took place in the midst of a blinding rain that prevented a close watch being kept. To-day they rowed in the dark, and watching of any kind was impossible. When Hanlan finished in front of the grand stand Gaudaur was a quarter of a mile away, out in the middle of the lake. No one on shore could see him, and rumors of all kinds were prevalent, some believing that he had been capsized, while others thought he had given up and had been taken aboard the press boat.

Notwithstanding that the water was not particularly rough, though a fresh northwest breeze was blowing, it was nearly 8 p.m., and the moon was faintly shining before the two men made their appearance. The delay was ostensibly due to a disagreement between the two oarsmen, Gaudaur claiming that the articles of agreement guaranteed him "smooth water." At last, when everybody was fairly tired and disgusted, Referee Alexander Harper, of the Pullman Athletic Club, declared that he would wait no longer, and Gaudaur must row or the race would be given to Hanlan.

At the outset Gaudaur took the lead and was half a length ahead as long as the pair could be seen from the press boat, but was scarcely more than a third of the course, for the smoke of the tugs and the darkness speedily hid them from view. Both were pulling thirty-four strokes to the minute. They had turned the stake and were nearly half way to the line before the wretched tub provided as a press boat again allowed a sight of an oarsman. Hanlan was now eight or ten boat lengths ahead of Gaudaur, who was astonishingly wide of the course and kept so, notwithstanding friendly cautions from the reporters. At this juncture Gaudaur spurted in a way that showed he could have won if he chose, but, though finishing on about equal terms with Hanlan as far as could be judged, was disqualified by his position, and the race was given to Hanlan.

After the contest was over, Mr. St. John, the backer of Gaudaur, stated that he had told Gaudaur to go out and lose the race, Mr. St. John explained that he did this knowing that Gaudaur could not afford to compete in it when the agreement was not complied with and the water was so much in favor of Hanlan. Mr. St. John said he would allow the race to transfer to Hanlan without a stake, only that he wished to satisfy the people by showing them something for their money. Hanlan's time was 20.32; distance three miles.

Why Should They Race Again?

Saturday's Chicago News: On Lake Calumet at Pullman to-day Edward Hanlan and Jacob Gaudaur will row another race. Just why Gaudaur and Hanlan are rowing again over the course where Gaudaur so recently defeated his rival is not known. The fact that a large crowd witnessed the last race and that there was a division of the gate receipts may account for it, as in the race to-day the loser will be entitled to 30 per cent. of the receipts, the winner taking 70 per cent. Consequently the race is for several thousand dollars aside in addition to the gate money. No bets are being made.

The Hippodrome at Pullman.

Let us hear no more of Hanlan-Gaudaur matches.

Torontonians and for that matter the people of Canada are disgusted with Hanlan, and they think much less of the Orillia man.

The two Canadians are the dupes of St. John of St. Louis. How he must laugh in his sleeve at Hanlan.

All bets should have been declared off.

The race was rowed in the dark, but the darkness was not dense enough to conceal the rascality that covered the course and almost swamped Gaudaur.

"It was Hanlan's turn to win," says everybody.

Dips.

The Toronto oarsmen who will participate in the fifteenth annual regatta of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen, on Saratoga Lake left for Jamestown, N.Y., on Saturday noon train on the Grand Trunk. Their boats were safely placed for transportation in a special car. The Hamilton oarsmen joined the party at that place.

The entries for the regatta of the Canadian Association for Amateur Oarsmen closed Saturday night, but, owing partly to the delay in the secretary and partly to the fact that some entries from distant points are believed to be on the way, a meeting of the committee will be held until to-night, when the entries will be declared.

THE HAMS BEATEN.

Toronto Wins the Baseball Game on Saturday by 11 to 4.

Thirty-six hundred people saw the home team win the game against the Hams on the Toronto ball grounds Saturday afternoon. These great rivals have now won a like number out of the eight games played.

Syracuse Crothers occupied the box for the visitors and was a veritable jumping-jack, as some one in the grand stand aptly remarked. He was hit hard and frequently, especially in the fifth inning, when the Torontos practically won the game, which up to that point was decidedly in favor of their opponents. The Hams' fielding was below that of their average work, but even had it been faultless the result could not have been averted.

The Torontos played a game that left nothing to be desired. Sheppard pitched magnificently and his curves were only batted with effect in the third inning. He was given admirable support. Oldfield attended to his delivery with the precision of a receiving teller in a bank, whilst his throwing to bases was perfect. The visitors were loth to attempt the theft of second base, and when they did so they found the ball there ahead of them. The infield has been strengthened by Rickley's engagement, and no better is now to be found in the league. Rickley made his first appearance on the home grounds and received an ovation when he hit safely to left field. He is a swift, accurate thrower, a fast runner and a good fielder. Becker and McCormick fumbled ground hits.

As usual Toronto was first at the bat. Alberts was quickly retired by Rainey's capture of his easy fly. Slattery then hit a hot grounder to the same player who, following the scriptural injunction, "Do unto others," etc., threw the ball over McQuerry's head to the fence, allowing Slattery to reach third. Rickley corked the second ball to left field and Slattery scored. The Toronto third baseman got as far as second on Faatz's out at first, where he was left as McCormick fouled out. In the second and third innings runners were on the bases, but the Hams' fielding prevented a tally. In the fifth inning the game was won, when Oldfield hit safely to centre and was advanced to second on Kearns' base on balls. Sheppard was retired by Phillips, but Alberts came to the rescue with a left field hit, on which Oldfield crossed the plate, and on Knight's throw to Moore, Kearns went to third and Alberts to second. Slattery followed with an uncomfortably warm liner to Collins, which he dropped, and Kearns took advantage of the mishap and scored. In endeavoring to cut off Slattery at second Moore threw low and Alberts came home, and Slattery a moment later added another run on Rickley's timely hit to left. Faatz got to first on a fumble, knocked out a three-bagger between right and centre, and Rickley scored. McCormick made a sacrifice hit, and Faatz scored. Becker ended the inning by going out at first. Loose fielding in the ninth was partly responsible for the four runs the home team made. Sheppard reached first on Phillips' fumble, secondied Moore's bad throw and on Alberts' single he scored. A daring steal of third by Alberts, a single by Rickley, Faatz's three bagger and McCormick's hot liner to Crothers resulted in the scoring of three additional runs.

The Hams scored three runs in the second inning on Mansell's single to centre, his out at second on Knight's grounder to Alberts, Wright's grounder over third, Rainey's single to right field, which McCormick fumbled, Crothers' single to the same territory and Moore's hit by pitcher. In the next inning the visitors got their last run, when Mansell hit for three bases, but managed to score as Decker did not hold it cleanly. During the remainder of the game they had two men only on first base, beyond which they never got. Score:

HAMILTON.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	TORONTO.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Collins, 3b	0	0	4	5	0	Alberts, ss	2	2	0	5	0
McQuerry, 1b	0	0	10	0	0	Slattery, lf	3	2	4	0	0
Phillips, ss	0	0	2	3	4	Rickley, 2b	1	2	1	1	0
Mansell, c.f.	1	2	3	0	0	Faatz, 1b	2	3	11	0	0
Knight, l.f.	1	1	2	0	0	McCormick, c.f.	0	1	1	0	1
Wright, r.f.	1	2	4	0	0	Decker, r.f.	0	1	3	0	0
Rainey, 2b	1	1	3	0	0	Oldfield, c	1	2	11	2	0
Crothers, p.	0	1	1	2	0	Kearns, 3b	1	1	0	2	0
Moore, c	0	1	2	3	1	Sheppard, p.	1	1	0	4	0
Total	4	9	27	16	8	Total	11	16	27	15	3

Earned runs—Toronto 9, Hamilton 3. Three base hits—Faatz (2), Mansell. Two base hits—Crothers. Struck out—Hamilton 1, Toronto 3. Base on balls—Wright (3), Slattery, Kearns, Sheppard. Balls called—On Sheppard 48, on Crothers 16. Strikes called—on Sheppard 34, on Crothers 40. Double plays—Wright and Rainey; Phillips, Collins and McQuerry; Crothers and Moore; Alberts, Kearns and Rickley. Wild pitch—Crothers. Passed ball—Moore. Hit by pitcher—Moore. Umpire—Hoover.

OTHER INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At Binghamton:		R.	H.	E.
Jersey City	3 0 0 0 0 3 1 0 0 —	7	12	4
Binghamton	1 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 —	3	8	6

Batteries: Shaw and Hofford, Maddigan and Quinn.

At Rochester:		R.	H.	E.
Syracuse	0 0 2 3 0 0 5 0 0 —	10	16	6
Rochester	0 0 1 1 3 2 2 —	14	20	4

Batteries: Dundon and Buckley, Bakeley and Zimmer.

At Buffalo:		R.	H.	E.
Scranton	0 1 0 2 0 1 0 5 0 —	9	12	5
Buffalo	5 3 0 2 0 3 0 0 0 —	13	18	7

Batteries: Gleason and Crossley, Fanning and O'Rourke.

At Wilkesbarre:		R.	H.	E.
Newark	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 —	1	11	2
Wilkesbarre	4 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 2 —	8	15	0

Batteries: Hughes and Derby, Brill and Hallman.

National League Games.

At Pittsburg:		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	0 0 0 0 1 3 0 0 0 —	4	12	3
Indianapolis	1 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 —	5	13	1

Batteries: Galvin and Miller, Healy and Arundel.

At Detroit:		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0 0 0 2 0 4 2 0 x —	8	12	2
Detroit	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 —	4	10	6

Batteries: Clarkson and Flint, Getzein and Ganzell.

At Washington:		R.	H.	E.
Washington	0 1 0 0 3 0 4 0 —	8	14	1
Philadelphia	0 0 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 —	3	7	2

Batteries: Whitney and Mack, Buffington and Gunning.

The Boston-New York game was prevented by rain.

The International Race.

Newark continues in the lead but by a reduced percentage. Buffalo has again advanced to second position, Syracuse falling back to third through Rochester's victory Saturday. Toronto is well up in fourth place. Rochester is a good fifth. Jersey City now leads Hamilton. Wilkesbarre has done remarkably well, having lost only one game out of five played during the week. Scranton is falling back steadily.

	Won.	Lost.	Percentage.
Newark	36	19	.654
Buffalo	37	23	.616
Syracuse	31	22	.584
Toronto	29	21	.580
Rochester	30	22	.577
Jersey City	27	20	.519
Hamilton	28	22	.482
Binghamton	23	20	.535
Scranton	19	22	.463
Wilkesbarre	16	41	.280

Standing of the Big Leagues.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.
Detroit	42	24	St. Louis	52	19
Chicago	39	25	Baltimore	45	26
Boston	39	28	Cincinnati	44	33
New York	38	31	Louisville	43	34
Philadelphia	34	34	Brooklyn	34	36
Washington	26	37	Athletic	34	36
Pittsburg	25	39	Metropolitans	31	48
Indianapolis	19	47	Cleveland	17	53

Amateur Games Saturday.

The Dauntless defeated Douglas Bros.' team by 25 to 11. Batteries: Glasspool and Ford, Lancaster and Hogan.

The Cricket Club's match was awarded to the former by the umpire by 9 to 0, owing to the refusal of the latter to play.

The Maple Leafs scored 25 runs to the Atlantics' 12. Batteries: Greer, Maynard and Jones, Goodwin and Jones. The Leafs would like to hear from senior clubs in Ontario through their secretary, J. McLean, 7 Shuter-street.

The Dauntless defeated the Ivy Leafs by 12 to 15. Battery for winners: Kenna and Blanchard.

The Mungos defeated the Beants by a score of 26 to 8. Batteries: Shine and Mills, Glynn and Gallagher. The Mungos are open for challenges. Address J. Mills, Captain, 34 Church-street.

The Victorias played an interesting game with the Orioles, the latter being defeated by 13 to 7. Batteries: Smith and Bates, Murphy and McIntosh.

The junior Athletics defeated the Actives by 21 to 11. Batteries: Leason and Reed, Beatty and Fox.

A Baseball League for Canada.

The International league seems to be in a bad plight. None of the clubs have made any money and when the season closes several of them will doubtless retire. It is evident that the New York state clubs are contemplating a reconstruction of the league, evidently under the belief that the International is doomed. Toronto and Hamilton would then be forced for self protection to interest other cities in the Dominion in a league of their own. The idea could be successfully carried out if the league would pay salaries that would enable it to live. Toronto, Hamilton, Guelph, Ottawa, Ottawa, Montreal and either Cobourg or Belleville would make a strong eight club league. If the International goes by the wall the Canadian league will in all probability spring into existence.

Dust from the Diamond.

The Toronto directory have not yet decided upon the proposed releases of some of the players.

Buffalo intends releasing Zell, Purvis and Galligan.

Binghamton is anxious to sell its franchise to Allentown, Pa., and has asked the consent of the other clubs for its transfer. President Cox has wired Secretary White his opposition to the contemplated move.

Umpire Hoover's work Saturday was not good. Both teams suffered however to the same extent. He declared Rickley out at second, when a glance of fact he gave saw the play, but evened it up later on by giving Knight out at first, when he was undoubtedly safe.

The Young Actives would like challenges from clubs whose members are under 15. W. SIMPSON, Secretary, 129 York-street.

The Ontarios will receive challenges from other junior clubs. Address, Secretary, 34 Charlton Davis, 191 Wilton-avenue.

Baker will pitch for Toronto in he game at Hamilton to-morrow. Crane, it is feared, will not be able to play for some days.

Hamilton has a strong team, but they are in seventh place now. The team has been playing well since the season opened and yet it is close to the tail enders. Such is baseball and there is no explanation can be offered for its vagaries.

The Wanderers' Bicycle Club team is anxious to play a match with Cox & Co.'s team.

Rochester is reported to have made Oberlander an offer if he can secure his release from Scranton.

Manager Hackett of the Newarks thinks the Syracuse Stars will win the pennant.—Buffalo Courier. The wily Charles must have given utterance to this opinion in Syracuse for obvious reasons. As a matter of fact, however, Hackett has always been confident his team would win the pennant.

Gleason, who is now pitching for Scranton, was a member of the disbanded Williamsport Club.

An Associated Press despatch received last night says the Allentown, Pa., Club has ceased negotiations for the purchase of the Binghamton franchise.

Hamilton is willing to sell Pete Wood, it is rumored, and don't want a fancy price at that.

Frank C. Bancroft has been released from the management of the Athletic Base Ball Club, of Philadelphia. This is in accordance with his request. He will probably not be connected with base ball any more this season.

Detroit has signed Gruber of the Hartford Club as a pitcher.

CRICKET ON THE HEARTH.

The West Torontonians Beat Gooderham & Worts—East Toronto on a Tour.

West Toronto C.C. and Gooderham & Worts C.C. played off their association match Saturday afternoon on the grounds of the latter. The match resulted in a win for West Toronto by 80 to 28. J. Ball and C. W. Aldred bowled in great form for the victors. Ball taking five wickets for 9 runs, and Aldred four wickets for 14 runs. S. D. Durham and F. S. Treen played a good steady batting game for West Toronto. For Gooderham & Worts Dunn took five wickets for 14 runs. The fielding of both teams was very good.

East Toronto on a Tour.

The East Torontos leave this morning on their annual tour, playing the following clubs in the order named: Oshawa, Whitby, Bowmanville, Colborne, Napanee, and Gooderham & Worts. The following will compose the team: J. Chandler, C. D. Macdowell, E. F. Foley, C. Jordan, E. J. Darvell, T. C. Collins, J. E. Hall, Dr. Chaffee, H. S. Collins, F. S. Green, A. E. Black, H. J. Maughan, C. J. Crowley, J. S. Wilson.

Another Defeat For Canada.

LONDON, July 23.—In the cricket match at Gosforth between the Gentlemen of Northumberland and the Canadian team, the Northumbrians won by a score of 482 runs against 220 for the Canadians.

The Sawbones Laid Out.

DETROIT, July 24.—A weak team of the Peninsulars easily defeated the Ontario Medical Cricket Association yesterday by 36 runs. It was a light scoring match, Messrs. Bamford, Dale, Anderson and Lane alone reaching double figures for the home team, while not one of the visitors attained that distinction. The bowling of Dale and Bamford (who did not have to be changed during the match) for the Peninsulars, and Horsford for the Doctors was of the phenomenal order, Dale taking 11 wickets for 23 runs, Bamford 9 for 38, and Horstead capping the climax by taking 3 wickets for 9 runs, performing the hat trick. The wicket was very bumpy and to this may be attributed the small scores: Peninsulars, first inning, 70; second, 37. Medicos, first, 36; second, 35.

Oriole, Not Milesian.

Mr. H. Quetton St. George had the misfortune, two weeks ago, to lose his valuable trotting stallion Oriole (ex Morena by Erin Chief). A kick from a mare shattered the foreleg above the knee and he had to be shot. Milesian still stands at the owner's stable and has had a most successful season. Mr. St. George had a standing offer of $1200 for Oriole but refused to part with him.

Racing in Mud at Monmouth.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., July 23.—At Monmouth Park to-day the cumulative moisture of the past three days made the track a quagmire more than a fetlock deep and as sticky as paste. Fast time, consequently, was not to be thought of. The attendance was very large, considering that it was raining in torrents when the trains left New York. The principal events were The Tyro Stakes for 2-year-olds, which was won by the California filly, Los Angeles, after an exciting finish. The Harvest Handicap at 1½ miles was the other attraction, and after a desperate struggle resulted in favor of Barnum. The fields were not large, but several of the finishes were close and exciting.

FIRST RACE—Free handicap sweepstakes of $25 each, with $750 added, of which $150 to the 2d. 1 mile.
Dwyer Bros.' ch.c. King Fish, by Virgil—Kith, 110 1
Rutherford & McClennan's b.c. Badge, 110 2
B. H. Honig's ch.c. Van Leland, 110 3
Tattan, Emperor of Norfolk and Mint Bloom also ran. Time—.58¾.

Pools: Emperor of Norfolk $33, Van Leland $27, King Fish $25, Badge $15, the field $5.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600, of which $60 and the entrance money, $15 each, to 2d; 3 quarters and allowances, 1 3-16 miles.
J. McMahon's b.c. Al Reed, 3, by Voltigeur—Rosetta, 98 1
Keystone Stables' br.h. Himalaya, 6, 120 2
W. Graden's ch.c. Elkwood, 4, 111 3
Knight of Ellerslie, Harrodsburg and Miss Motley also ran. Time—2.06.

Pools: Miss Motley $56, Elkwood $40, Knight of Ellerslie, Himalaya and Al Reed $25 each, Harrodsburg $2.

THIRD RACE—The California Stakes, for all ages; $50 each, with $600 added; the 2d to receive $150 and the 3d $50 out of the stakes; non-winners this year allowed 10lb; maidens allowed 1 year, 20lb., 1 year, or upwards, 30lb. 1 mile.
Summit Stables' ch.g. Royal Arch, 6, by Fellowcraft—Bonnie May, 110 1
E. J. Baldwin's b.h. Volante, 5, 120 2
Time—1.46¾.

Pools: Volante $200, Birch $45, Tells Doe $27, Royal Arch $10.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $400; of which $50 and entrance money, $15 to 2d, presented by Mr. Lorillard, $4 mile.
S. Cohen's b.h.c. Orvid, 3, by Glenelg—Orontes, 104 1
D. J. Honig's b.g. Col. Owens, 5, 107 2
H. McCarron, Jr.'s br.f. Nellie B., 3, 94 3
C. & G., Nat Goodwin, Jim Gore and Katie Mae also ran.
Time—1.18¾.

Pools: Orvid $60, Col. Owens $10, Jubilee $5, the field $11.

FIFTH RACE—Selling race; purse $400, of which $50 to 2d; and entrance money, $15 each, to be divided between the 2d and 3d horses; the winner to be sold at auction; highest entered price $800; 1 mile and 70 yards.
J. Spellman's b.h. Strathspey, 6, by Glenelg—La Polka, 117 1
W. H. Barrett's ch.f. Nellie Van, 4, 96 2
Ganley & Co.'s ch.g. Belmont, 3, 81 3
Our Friend, Faglin and Tunis also ran. Time—1.53.

Pool: Strathspey $25, Nellie Van $10, others $5 each.

A Wet Track at Brighton.

BRIGHTON BEACH, C.I., July 23.—The attendance at Brighton Beach to-day was not as good as usual owing to the unfavorable weather and racing at Monmouth. The track was in a frightful condition, being ankle-deep in water. Bob-racing would have been nearly as suitable as horse racing, the jockeys after finishing in a race presented an awful appearance, being covered with mud beyond recognition. The card was an excellent one and furnished good sport.

FIRST RACE—Purse $200; of which $50 to 2d, for maiden 2-year-olds. ½ mile.
S. W. Street's Manhattan, 115 1
Appleby & Johnson's Marquis, 112 2
Owner's Kitty Koerber, 112 3
Time—1.23.

SECOND RACE—Purse $250, of which $50 to 2d; selling allowances. 1 1-16 miles.
W. H. Stevenson's b.c. Big Head, 4, by Lisbon, Penelope, 97 1
E. Cahill's Jacobus, 4, 97 2
L. Elmore's Lea, 5, 95 3
Time—1.54½.

THIRD RACE—Purse $200, entrance $10, to go to 2d; selling allowances. ¾ mile.
A. Martin's b.f. Souvenir, 4, by Eolus—Sans Souci, 98 1
J. McMahon's Caleria, 4, 105 2
P. Hughes' Black Jack, 4, 105 3
Time—1.33½.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $250; for all ages; entrance, $10, to go to 2d. ¾ mile.
J. De Lang's b.c. Armstrong, 3, by Lyttleton—Duchess of Cherwell, 106 1
J. M. Brown's Gov. Roberts, 5, 117 2
W. Lakeland's Taffier, 6, 128 3
Time—1.19½.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $250; of which $50 to 2d, for beaten horses that have run and not won at Brighton Beach in 1887; allowances. 1 mile.
S. Berry's b.g. Lute Arnold, 4, 103 1
Boulevard Stables' Pilot, a., 102 2
Parkville Stables' Kockum, 5, 102 3
Time—1.46½.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $200; of which $50 to 2d, for maiden 3-year-olds and upward, selling allowances. 5 furlongs.
D. O'Connor's b.g. Hat Band, 4, 105 1
H. Hentz, jr.'s Theodorus, 6, 108 2
S. Berry & Co.'s Ardri, 3, 104 3
Time—1.05.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $200, of which $50 to 2d; for maiden 3-year-olds and upwards; selling allowances. 5 furlong.
Whittaker & Barry's Major, 4, 104 1
J. Whitney's Minnie Cerne, 3, 101 2
R. Bradley's Hampton, 3, 104 3
Time—1.06½.

The Trotting Meeting Ended at Detroit.

DETROIT, July 23.—The overflow day of the meeting of the Detroit Driving Club dawned most delightfully, with a clear sky, brisk breeze and an almost perfect track. The events were expected to be interesting ones and, according to the returns from the Secretary's office, more than 3000 people were on the ground. The attendance upon the meeting has been something so far beyond anything before known in the city or state as to be worthy of special mention.

FIRST RACE—2.18 class, purse $300. Mile heats three in five harness.
O. A. Hickok's b.g. Arab 1 1 1
J. H. Temple's blk.g. J. Q. 2 2 2
John E. Turner's blk.g. Spofford 3 4 4
Chas. Burroughs' br.g. Joe Davis 6 3 5
George D. Sessions b.g. Charley Hilton 5 5 3