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On a Bad Track at Tanforan Second Choices and Long Shots Landed the Coin.

Washington, April 3.—It was a blustery and disagreeable day at Bennings, and the track was very heavy! Notwithstanding this there was a good-sized crowd present, and the card was an interesting one. The Rogue, the favorite, took the first race by over a length in a field of eleven starters, and Rightaway, another favorite, captured the second race. Four horses started in the Steeplechase, but Silver Fox fell and G. B. Longhurst beat Lady Dainty, the favorite, by four lengths. Tamarin readily took the fourth by three lengths ahead of Anna Darling, second, two lengths ahead of Punctual, the favorite, third. Speedmas, the favorite, took the fifth by three lengths from a field of seven starters. Much to the surprise of everybody, Gold Fox won the last race by a head over Intrusive, whose riding was alleged to be faulty. Summary:

First race, selling, 6½ furlongs—The Rogue, 98 (J. Slack), 9 to 10, 1; Gwynne, 105 (L. Daly), 7 to 1, 2; Charles Estes, 105 (Ryan), 4 to 1, 3. Time 1.26 3-5. Tony Lucaiz, Obey, Andy Boy, Essie Skip, Midnight Chimes, Frondoo, Thermosa, Tangible also ran.

Second race, 2-year-old maidens, 4½ furlongs—Rightaway, 108 (F. Burns), 7 to 5, 1; Filiform, 108 (T. Walsh), 3 to 1, 2; Red Damsel, 104 (J. Slack), 11 to 5, 3. Time 59. Honolulu, Ilos, Athel, Stay also ran.

Third race, handicap, steeplechase, about 2 miles—G. R. Longhurst, 138 (Monahan), 8 to 5, 1; Lady Dainty, 140 (Mars), even, 2; Maze, 147 (G. Green), 4 to 1, 3. Time 4.32 2-5. Silver Fox also ran, but fell.

Fourth race, maidens, 7 furlongs—Tamarin, 110 (Landry), 3 to 1, 1; Anna Darling, 97 (Bremnen), 20 to 1, 2; Punctual, 97 (Wilkerson), 9 to 5, 3. Time 1.34. Atlanatus, Jetrelus, Virginia Wilcox, Margaret Hoffman, Bernard also ran.

Fifth race, selling, 7 furlongs—Speedmas, 108 (T. Burns), 9 to 10, 1; Rabunta, 84 (G. Thompson), 3 to 1, 2; Monmouth Boy, 105 (Booker), 20 to 1, 3. Time 1.32 2-5. Gertrude Elliott, Aird, Frank Morrison, Passay also ran.

Sixth race, handicap, 1 mile and 100 yards—Gold Fox, 104 (J. Slack) 3 to 1, 1; Intrusive, 128 (Vandusen), 5 to 2, 2; Magic Light, 100 (Miles), 6 to 5, 3. Time 1.53 4-5. Alsike, Althea also ran.

Results at Tanforan.

San Francisco, April 3.—(Special.)—Tanforan results. Weather cloudy; track heavy:

First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Thornwild, 109 (Wededrstrand), 12 to 1, 1; Master Cal., 112 (O'Connor), 4 to 1, 2; Mamie Hildreth, 107 (Mounce), 8 to 5, 3. Time 1.17¼. Slisenvine, Berendos, Rowden, Catharine Bro, Merida, Matilda O., Cousin Carrie and The Gaffir also ran.

Second race, ½ mile—Barklyite, 113 (Ruise), 6 to 1, 1; Luclette, 110 (Conley), 5 to 1, 2; Carlo, 108 (Henry), 3 to 1, 3. Time .50. Frank Bain, Phyllis, Dan Collins, Yersula, Hainault, Wandering Boy, Achilles and Tibs also ran. (Barklyite and Achilles coupled in betting.)

Third race, mile, selling—Walkenshaw, 115 (Ruise), 9 to 2, 1; Bogus Bill, 108 (R. Murphy), 3½ to 1, 2; Rio Chico, 112 (Mounce), 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.45. Lavator, May Dine, The Buffoon, Osmonde, Vain and Brownie Anderson also ran.

Fourth race, ½ mile—Royalty, 105 (Mounce), 9 to 2, 1; Ortossa, 105 (Dominick), 5 to 1, 2; Silesian, 110 (Wedderstrand), 7 to 5, 3. Time .50¼. Sister Abbie, Charette, Musique, Remele, Porous and Prism also ran.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Spry Lark, 100 (Mounce); 15 to 6, 1; Sweet William, 111 (Dominick), 8 to 3, 2; The Singer, 108 (Rausch), 7 to 5, 3. Time 1.16¼. Locomo, Dolores, Perhaps, March Seven, Dr. Marks, Pongo Ricardo, Pilot, Fidel, Youlin also ran.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Duckoy, 108 (Hennessy), 9 to 5, 1; Urchin, 107 (Mounce), 6 to 5, 2; Clarendo, 109 (Rauschi, 8 to 5, 3. Time 1.16. Jennie Genua, Saul of Tarsus also ran.

Results at Memphis.

Memphis, April 3.—(Special.)—Six good races were on the card to-day, when Lady Schorr was the only fast and our favorites to finish in front, the other events going to outsiders and second choices. The results:

First race, ¾ mile, selling—Wax Taper, 106 (J. Woods), 8 to 5, 1; Johnny McHale, 100 (O'Brien), 8 to 1, 2; Weideman, 100 (Gormley), 6 to 1, 3. Time 1.17.

Second race, ½ mile, selling—Drummond, 115 (Winkfield), 10 to 1, 1; Rosy Cross, 97 (Weber), 15 to 1, 2; Winter Belle, 115 (Gilmore), 6 to 1, 3. Time .51¼.

Third race, ½ mile, Gaston Hotel Stakes—Charles W. Meyer, 113 (Miller), 2 to 1, 1; Brannigan, 113 (Crownhurst), 15 to 1, 2; Jordan, 113 (Cochran), 5 to 1, 3. Time 50.

Fourth race, ¾ mile—Lady Schorr, 105 (Woods), 4 to 5, 1; Queen Dixon, 98 (Irvin), 16 to 1, 2; Beana, 107 (O'Brien), 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.31¼.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Sarilla, 105 (O'Brien), 4 to 1, 1; El Caney, 108 (Coburn), 2 to 1, 2; Tammany Chief, 102 (Miller), 10 to 1, 3.

To-day's Racing Card.

Bennings entries: First race, 5½ furlongs—Lexington Pirate 120, Eloim 119, Charlie Moore 118, Roysterer, Blarney Stone 117, Scorpio 116, The Rhymer 107.

Second race, 4½ furlongs—Dolce Far Niente 107, Carroll D., Ten Hymns, Rightaway 104, Wait a Minute 101, Miracle II. 101.

Third race, selling, ⅞ mile—The Burlington Route 108, Toluca 103, Sentry 99, Cherished 84, Draughtsman 100, Matt Simpson 111, Robert Metcalf 101, Prosit 98.

Fourth race, ⅝ mile—Obliged 96, Sweepstakes, The Tramp 98, Cherry Wild, Anna Darling 96, Sylan Dell 115, Lady Padden 96, Ten Up 101, Margaret Hoffman 96, Mrs. Daniel 113, Arbitrator 117, James J. Corbett 101, Billy Gun 115, Irene Lindsay 96, Rubens 98, Souprep 115.

Fifth race, ⅞ mile—Petrellus 104, Albert Edward 100, Isaac 102, Street Boy 97, Ginki 100, Farsighe, Willard J. 97.

Sixth race, selling, mile and 100 yards—Big Gun 113, Kirkwood, Knight of the Garter 110, Charawind 105, Draughtsman 102.

Memphis entries: First race, ½ mile—Pernasus 100, Fred Orgill, Hans Wagner, Badger, Red Hymcka 103, Jean de Reszke, The Way, Pribeloffe, Subador 108, Beu Hemstead, Ardita, Wyeth, Dave Sommer, South Elkhorn 113.

Second race, ⅝ mile—Paradise Won, Lily Pantland 89, Gawain 91, Zaza 101, Acushla, Freeband, Siditilla, Very Light 104, Bonnivard 106, J. H. Barnes 109, Nobleman 119.

Third race, handicap, mile, Montgomery Consolation—Obia 90, Peaceful 93, Caviar 100, Ohnee, Brigade 103, The Conqueror 106, The Unknown 107, Larkspur 109.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Alice Scorpion, Temptress, Lamina, Myra Morella 102, Kilwa, Simmon's Wald, Assessment, D. Gilmartin 104, Quarterback 107, Echo Dale 102, Senex Gloria, Sam P. Cochran, Carruthers 107.

Fifth race, steeplechase, 2 miles—Zamboanga 124, My Valentine 151, Tonto, Angus 135.

Sixth race, ⅝ mile—Miss Golightly 89, Johnny McCarty 94, Laurgaten 101, Boomerack, Ben Lodi, Incandescent 104, McLaren, Kindred 106, Silerdale 107, Myth 109, Bessie Mackin 111.

Tanforan entries—First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Hermoso 119, The Pride 116, Gibraltar 119, Isalinde 111.

Second race, ½ mile, selling, 2-year-olds—J. V. Kirby 105, Hon. Peter Sterling 101, Sir Claus 99, Mike Murphy 109, Ogle 108, Ziri 107, Monastic 101, Muresca 105, San Luition 98, Lapidus 106, Minerva 102, Contestant 107, Mareschino 106.

Third race, mile, purse—Bernota 99, Flatterer 102, Rolling Boer 107, Grafter 99, Beau Ormonde 107.

Fourth race, 7 furlongs, handicap—Sea Lion 106, Vulcain 116, Dandy Jim 110, Astor 110, Articulate 114, Dr. Cave 110.

Fifth race, 1¼ miles, selling—Barrack 111, Lena 103, Gauntlet 108, Scotch Plaid 112, Morinel 108.

Sixth race, mile, selling—Expedient 105, Nilgar 105, McNamara 105, Cue 105, Alicia 105, Lizzella 105, Joe Ripley 105, Vassal 105, Hipponax 105, Rinaldo 105, Don Luis 105, Sunello 105. Cloudy; heavy.

Dealers Excluded in Broughams.

Owners and breeders are reminded that entries for the Horse Show close with Secretary Wade, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, on Thursday, April 11. In response to a number of inquiries it may be stated that the class for broughams, in which the prize is presented by Mr. T. A. Crow, is for gentlemen owners. Dealers and makers are excluded, and all the appointments must be owned by the exhibitor. The entries for the Military Tournament close with the Honorary Secretary, Colonel Macdonald, Confederation Life Building, on April 15.

Baseball Brevities.

The Young Columbias will hold a meeting to-night at 8 o'clock. Those wishing to join are invited.

On Friday evening of next week the Excelsior Baseball Club will hold a meeting at Herb's, 436 College-street, at 9 o'clock.

The Crawford Baseball Club will hold their first practice of the season on Stanley Park Good Friday morning. Members are requested to be on hand.

The well-known West End team, the Delawares, will meet for reorganization at 10 o'clock on Good Friday morning, at Stanley Park, on Good Friday morning, at 10.30. The players will meet at the corner of Chestnut and Agnes-streets not later than 9.30.

Eddie Barnes, the capable handler of the Indicator in the Toronto Junior League last season, has been highly recommended to President W. Robson of the Intermediate League as a desirable addition to his staff of umpires.

The Elms of the Toronto Junior League will hold an important meeting to-night at the Central Y.M.C.A. parlors, McGill and Yonge-streets. Players and those wishing to join are requested to attend. Manager A. Jones will call the meeting at 8 o'clock.

The following team will represent the Independent baseball team in their game with the St. Mary's Senior League nine: W. Beard p., W. Moore c., S. Doyle 1b., T. Reynolds 2b., E. C. Wilson 3b., M. Douglas s.s., D. Menzies r.f., J. Humphries c.f., F. Bride l.f.

The Robson Intermediate League held a meeting last night in Central Y.M.C.A. On account of the inclement weather a full attendance did not result, and consequently all initiation fees were not collected, and this was left over till next meeting, altho entries were closed. Certificates will be issued next meeting.

A business meeting of the Willows Baseball Club was held on Tuesday night at Clancy's. All the members turned out, and the club is looking forward to a successful season. The Willows challenge any junior team, the Elms preferred, to a game of ball for to-morrow (Good Friday). Address W. Wilson, 725 East Queen-street.

The Minola Club held their semi-annual meeting April 2, at which the following new officers were elected: President, Jas. Robinson; vice-president, R. E. Diehl; secretary, J. Findlay; treasurer, Dr. J. E. Rhind. After the business was disposed of an oyster supper was spread. The club decided that they would start baseball practice right away, which game they decided to play for the summer. They will likely be heard from later.

Sporting Editor World: In reply to letter in your paper from R. G. Buglers, that they would play us for city championship, would say that we have already defeated the Buglers three times this season, the first game by 31 to 24, the second by 29 to 11 and on Friday last in a five-inning game (and not three innings) by 8 to 7. Now, surely the Buglers have had enough of our game for one season. G. Hamilton, captain of D Company, 48th Highlanders.

The Sword and Trowel Society, connected with the East King-street Methodist Church, have organized a baseball team, and bid fair to give them all a go. They have entered the Robson Intermediate League, and would like to hear from any good players, particularly a good pitcher. The officers of this team will be as follows: G. Hunt, manager; R. McNair, secretary; S. Hall, captain. The secretary's address is 239 Sackville-street.

A. E. Walton for C.W.A. President.

At the meeting of the Royal Canadian Bicycle Club, held in the club's parlors on Tuesday night, a resolution was passed endorsing the action of the C.W.A. Executive in nominating A. E. Walton for president of the association.

A resolution was also passed in favor of the C.W.A. again taking up racing matters.

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FOR GOOD FRIDAY'S BOXING BOUT.

McClelland Arrives This Morning From Pittsburg—Harry Gilmore in a Happy Mood.

Jack McClelland and Manager Billy Corcoran left Pittsburg over the Allegheny Valley Railroad last night, and will be at the Globe Hotel here this morning. The Pittsburger's stock went up in local betting resorts yesterday, and he will likely enter the ring to-morrow night at least an even-money choice. Ole Olson ran again to Victoria Park, and boxed with Harry Gilmore.

It was a happy day for the veteran, as he saw his man tip the beam at 126 lbs., heard of Mayor Harrison's re-election in Chicago by nearly 30,000 votes and read of Harry Forbes' victory over Casper Leon at Memphis in 15 rounds.

Besides on the main bout there seems to be plenty of money to back Jim Smith and Jack Roach, who clash in the 10-round preliminary. Dan Kelly is stakeholder for one $40 bet. On account of the holiday, the gong for the curtain-raiser between Wilder and Billy Smith will ring at 8.15.

VARSITY ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

Students Decide to Apply for Admission to Western League at Good Friday Meeting.

Yesterday afternoon a meeting of students of the University of Toronto was called to consider the advisability of entering an Association football team in the Western Association. After deciding that it would not be advantageous to form an inter-College Association with McGill and Queen's, it was finally decided to instruct Stoney Jackson to make formal application to the Western Association for admission of the club.

The difficulty with a university club is that the men leave the city so early in the summer that a decent showing can not be made, but it is hoped that there will be a fall series as well as a spring one, and this permit of the University attaining some of its old-time fame in the sport.

It was also decided to communicate with all the affiliated colleges with a view to holding a meeting of the various representatives a week from Saturday, when the committee thus composed will elect officers for the club. The arts representatives chosen were Broder, McKinnon and Soule.

Junior Football League.

At the Junior Football League meeting last Tuesday evening it was decided to place the entrance fee for the spring series at $3. The age limit was placed at 21 years, an the average weight at 130 lbs. Teams wishing to enter the league are requested to communicate with J. B. Gould, secretary pro tem, 166 Bolton-avenue, and to send two delegates to the next meeting at the Central Y.M.C.A., next Monday evening, at 8.15. The schedule will be drawn up and officers elected at this meeting.

BIKE DELEGATES AT C.A.C.

Business of Importance to Come Up at the Annual Meeting of the C.W.A.

The annual convention of the C.W.A. will be held at the City Athletic Club (late the Athenaeum), Church-street, to-morrow morning.

President John G. Gauld of Hamilton will take the chair at 10 o'clock, when the chairmen of the various committees will present their reports for the year just closed.

Numerous amendments to the constitution and bylaws are proposed, bearing principally on the question of dealing with the membership under the changed conditions in cycledom, owing to the wheel cycling craze having almost ceased to exist, the social and touring features still keeping a few in existence, but the thousands of wheelmen who desire protection by amalgamation are unattached, and consequently hard to reach, particularly in an association where the offices are of an honorary character.

The desire is to have an organizer in every city, town and village in Canada, who will form a C.W.A. club, canvassing for members at the club rate—one dollar per annum—and for which he will receive a remuneration of 25 per cent.

A juvenile league of the C.W.A. is also suggested for riders from 12 to 18 years of age, with full privileges in the association, excepting the right to vote, hold office or receive the official bulletin, the fees to be one-half that charged for adults.

There will be no election of officers, as both President-elect A. E. Walton and Vice-President-elect E. B. Ryckman are returned by acclamation, no candidates having been nominated in the specified time.

President-elect Walton is an enthusiastic cyclist, and has been the head and front of the Royal Canadian Bicycle Club of Toronto since its inception. The C.W.A. ought to succeed well with him in charge of the gavel.

The vice-president-elect, E. B. Ryckman, has been associated with the C.W.A. for many years, and in the palmy club days was one of the mainstays of the old Toronto Bicycle Club, both the Royal Canadians and Torontos being still in existence, altho the latter has not participated in track events in recent years, while the former still keeps up the enthusiasm of the early nineties.

Roy Miller of Hamilton has applied for reinstatement to the amateur ranks at this meeting, which the chairman of the Racing Board says will likely be granted.

The incoming officials of the C.W.A. talk of running an old-time bicycle meet under the auspices of the association at Rosedale in the early summer, one of the events to be a race on the old high wheel.

QUEEN CITY YACHT CLUB.

Officers Elected at the Annual Meeting—Rosy Reports.

The annual meeting of the Queen City Yacht Club was held on Tuesday evening, and a very large number of members attended. The treasurer's report showed that the club was in a flourishing condition, many new members having come in since the new year. The election of officers resulted as follows:

Commodore, Ald. J. F. Loudon; Vice-Commodore, W R McGill; Rear Commodore, W E Ward; Secretary, William Newton; Assistant Secretary, W H George; Treasurer, F S Knowland; Measurer, H Sweetlove; Assistant Measurer, S W Salmon.

The Executive Committee will be composed of the officers of the club and Messrs. R Slee, J S Thomson and C Daly. Sailing Committee, T R Slee, R Waddell; W J Hales. House Committee, C Rudlin, F Richardson, F W Gynn, S G Wells, George Brydon.

At the meeting the contract for the erection of a new clubhouse, to be built behind the Argonauts, has been let, and the work will commence this morning. It is expected that the place will be finished by June 15. This clubhouse will be one of the best of its kind, and will cost $3000.

Stanley Gun Club.

The Stanley Gun Club will hold their annual artificial bluerock shoot on Good Friday, in the athletic field corner Booth and Eastern-avenues. Commencing at 1 p.m., there will be a sealed handicap prize shoot for members only at 50 birds, scratch. At 3 p.m. there will start a number of events for merchandise prizes, open to all, at 10 birds per man, each event. Birds will be thrown from the club's electric trap. All lovers of shooting are cordially invited. Prizes will be presented to the winners in the club parlors at Charles Ayers' hotel, at the conclusion of the sport. During the presentation a very interesting entertainment will be presented.

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EASTERN LEAGUE SCHEDULE.

Toronto Starts the Season at Rochester Just Three Weeks From To-Day.

FIRST GAME AT HOME ON MAY 2.

Players in Harmony With Pat Powers' Organization—The Old Rules Retained.

New York, April 3.—The regular spring meeting of the Eastern League was held at the Victoria Hotel to-day. In a straight session, lasting seven hours, the magnates adopted a playing schedule for the coming season, made changes in the playing rules and transacted other business. Those present when President Powers called the meeting to order were: James T. Shearer, G. C. Nicholson and Charles L. Dooley of Montreal; Edward G. Barrow of Toronto; James Franklin of Buffalo; George Sweeney of Rochester; Frank K. Leonard of Syracuse; G. P. Cressy, W. H. Draper and W. J. Murray of Providence; P. H. Hurley of Worcester, and Charles Soby and William Shindle of Hartford.

Toronto Opens at Rochester.

The playing schedule adopted consists of 126 games. The season opens on Thursday, April 25, with

Montreal at Buffalo.
Toronto at Rochester.
Hartford at Providence.
Syracuse at Worcester.

On Memorial Day Toronto plays in Buffalo in the morning and afternoon, Montreal plays at Rochester, Syracuse at Hartford and Providence at Worcester in the morning. In the afternoon the Worcester team will appear in Providence.

On Independence Day Toronto will be at Syracuse for two games and Montreal will be at Hartford. Buffalo will be in Rochester in the morning, and in the afternoon the teams will shift to Buffalo. Worcester will play a morning game in Providence and in the afternoon the teams will play in Worcester.

On Labor Day Buffalo will have Montreal as their guests for two games, and Toronto will be in Rochester. Hartford will play in Syracuse. Providence will play at Worcester in the morning and Worcester will play in Providence in the afternoon.

The Holiday Games.

The Canadian teams will have all the Canadian holidays at home. On the Queen's Birthday, May 24, Providence will be in Montreal and Syracuse will appear in Toronto. On Dominion Day the Torontos will have the Hartford team as their guests, and the Syracuse players will play in Montreal. Civic Holiday will witness games between Buffalo and Toronto at the latter city, and Rochester and Montreal at Montreal.

For the first time in several years, the Eastern clubs in the circuit will open in the west. In past years the westerners have come into the east first.

The League unanimously supported President Powers on the Players' contract question. The report is the result of Mr. Powers' understanding with the Players' Protective Association. By the terms of this year's contract the Eastern League agrees not to sell or trade players during the playing season without the player's consent. In case a player is released he shall have at least three days' notice. Heretofore no notice of release was required. The league continues its one-year option upon the services of a player, and reserves the right to sell a player to an organization of equal rank between the playing seasons. These changes are made in accordance with the requests of the players.

Old Rules Retained.

Only one of the numerous changes in the playing rules made by the National League at its recent meeting was adopted by the Eastern Leaguers. That was the rule which compels the pitcher to deliver the ball to the batsman as soon as he takes his position. The rule prevents the pitcher from delivering the ball to basemen in order to warm up. The old rules governing fouls, hit by pitcher and the confines of the catcher's box will be used by the Eastern League players.

An agreement was arrived at by which in the future the presidents of home clubs will make hotel contracts for visiting teams. The league also passed a resolution recognizing the sale of the Hartford Club by the Hartford Corporation to the Hartford Baseball Association. Under the terms of the sale the number of stockholders in the club have been greatly reduced, and the old trouble with the club as to finances is done away with. The application of James Franklin of Buffalo to have a number of home games played upon the Fair Grounds was granted.

Wagner Goes to Providence.

The Board of Directors met and took up a number of complaints before the regular meeting of the league. In the matter of the claim made by the Montreal Club against the Syracuse Club, the directors found that, while the defendant club was indebted to the Montreal people, the best interests of all hands would be served if the league would pay the claim instead of the Syracuse Club. In this case Montreal claimed $100 guarantee money. A game was scheduled between the teams at Syracuse on Aug. 27. Prior to the opening of the season, the new grounds, unknown to the club owners, had made a contract with another amusement company for the use of the grounds for that day. When the Montreal Club arrived at Syracuse they could not play, and they demanded the regular guarantee money. The matter was disposed of by the league paying the Montreal Club $50.

In the controversy over the services of Albert Wagner the league awarded the player to Providence. At the conclusion of last season Wagner opened negotiations with both the Syracuse and Rochester Clubs. After practically accepting the terms of the Rochester Club, Mr. Leonard of the Syracuse Club agreed to pay the player advance money if he would sign a contract. A contract dated ahead of the negotiations with Rochester was sent to Wagner by Leonard, and he was told to sign it and he would be paid the advance money demanded. When the matter came up for consideration to-day, the Rochester people accepted in and showed a contract in which the player had agreed to play with their club. After a lot of discussion the player was awarded to that team. The league decided to reprimand the Syracuse Club and warn the player.

Three Umpires Appointed.

President Powers had appointed three of his umpires for the coming season. They are F. P. Rinn, Frank O'Loughlin and John Hunt. The fourth man will be selected later. There are over fifty applicants for the place but President Powers is trying to get Tim Hurst.

At the conclusion of the meeting to-day President Powers said: "I think the present trouble between National and American Leagues will be of ultimate good for baseball. It is a case of the survival of the fittest, and when the war is over baseball will receive another boom. The Eastern League is not taking sides in the matter at all. We cannot be hurt, and we are not bothering about having our players grabbed by the American League."

The playing schedule adopted is as follows:

Montreal at Home.

With Toronto—June 17, 18, 19; July 20, 22, 23; Sept. 19, 20, 21. With Buffalo—May 6, 7, 8; July 29, 30, 31; Sept. 11, 12, 14. With Rochester—May 2, 3, 4; Aug. 1, 3, 5; Sept. 16, 17, 18. With Syracuse—May 18, 20, 21; June 24, 25, 26; Aug. 9, 10, 12. With Hartford—May 10, 11, 13; June 27, 28, 29; Aug. 6, 7, 8. With Worcester—May 15, 16, 17; July 1, 1; 2; Aug. 16, 17, 19. With Providence—May 23, 24, 24; June 20, 21, 22; Aug. 13, 14, 15.

Toronto at Home.

With Montreal—May 25, 27, 28; July 17, 18, 19; Sept. 7, 9, 10. With Buffalo—May 2, 3, 4; Aug. 1, 3, 5; Sept. 16, 17, 18. With Rochester—May 6, 7, 8; July 29, 30, 31; Sept. 11, 12, 14. With Syracuse—May 23, 24, 24; June 20, 21, 22; Aug. 6, 7, 8. With Hartford—May 15, 16, 17; July 1, 1, 2; Aug. 9, 10, 12. With Worcester—May 10, 11, 13; June 27, 28, 29; Aug. 13, 14, 15. With Providence—May 18, 20, 21; June 24, 25, 26; Aug. 16, 17, 19.

Buffalo at Home.

With Montreal—April 25, 26, 27; July 24, 25, 27; Sept. 2, 2, 3. With Toronto—April 29, 30; May 1, 29, 30, 30; Sept. 4, 5, 6. With Rochester—May 23, 27, 28; July 4 (afternoon), 5, 23; Sept. 7, 9, 10. With Syracuse—May 10, 11, 13; July 1, 2, 3; Aug. 16, 17, 19. With Hartford—May 22, 23, 24; June 20, 21, 22; Aug. 13, 14, 15. With Worcester—May 15, 20, 21; June 24, 25, 26; Aug. 9, 10, 12. With Providence—May 15, 16, 17; June 27, 28, 29; Aug. 6, 7, 8.

Rochester at Home.

With Montreal—April 29, 30; May 1, 29, 30, 30; Sept. 4, 5, 6. With Toronto—April 25, 26, 27; July 24, 25, 27; Sept. 2, 2, 3. With Buffalo—June 17, 18, 19; July 4 (morning), 20, 22; Sept. 19, 20, 21. With Syracuse—May 15, 16, 17; June 27, 28, 29; Aug. 13, 14, 15. With Hartford—May 18, 20, 21; June 24, 25, 26; Aug. 16, 17, 19. With Worcester—May 22, 23, 24; June 20, 21, 22; Aug. 6, 7, 8. With Providence—May 10, 11, 13; July 1, 2, 3; Aug. 9, 10, 12.

Syracuse at Home.

With Montreal—June 12, 14, 15; July 13, 15, 16; Aug. 20, 21, 22. With Toronto—June 5, 6, 7; July 4, 4, 5; Aug. 23, 24, 26. With Buffalo—June 1, 3, 4; July 10, 11, 12; Aug. 30, 31, 31. With Rochester—June 8, 10, 11; July 6, 8, 9; Aug. 27, 28, 29. With Hartford—May 25, 27, 28; Aug. 1, 3, 5; Sept. 2, 2, 3. With Worcester—May 2, 3, 4; July 29, 30, 31; Sept. 19, 20, 21. With Providence—May 6, 7, 8; July 24, 25, 27; Sept. 16, 17, 18.

Hartford at Home.

With Montreal—June 8, 10, 11; July 4, 4, 5; Aug. 23, 24, 26. With Toronto—June 1, 3, 4; July 13, 15, 16; Aug. 20, 21, 22. With Buffalo—June 5, 6, 7; July 6, 8, 9; Aug. 27, 28, 29. With Rochester—June 12, 14, 15; July 10, 11, 12; Aug. 30, 31, 31. With Syracuse—June 17, 18, 19; July 17, 18, 19; Sept. 4, 5, 6. With Worcester—May 6, 7, 8; July 24, 25, 27; Sept. 7, 9, 10. With Providence—May 2, 3, 4; July 29, 30, 31; Sept. 19, 20, 21.

Worcester at Home.

With Montreal—June 1, 3, 4; July 10, 11, 12; Aug. 30, 31, 31. With Toronto—June 12, 14, 15; July 6, 8, 9; Aug. 27, 28, 29. With Buffalo—June 8, 10, 11; July 17, 18, 19; Aug. 23, 24, 26. With Rochester—June 5, 6, 7; July 13, 15, 16; Aug. 20, 21, 22. With Syracuse—April 25, 26, 27; May 29, 30, 30; Sept. 11, 12, 14. With Hartford—April 25, 30; May 1; July 20, 22, 23; Sept. 16, 17, 18. With Providence—May 25, 27, 28; July 4 (morning); Aug. 1, 3; Sept. 2 (afternoon), 3, 4.

Providence at Home.

With Montreal—June 5, 6, 7; July 6, 8, 9; Aug. 27, 28, 29. With Toronto—June 8, 10, 11; July 10, 11, 12; Aug. 30, 31, 31. With Buffalo—June 12, 14, 15; July 13, 15, 16; Aug. 20, 21, 22. With Rochester—June 1, 3, 4; July 17, 18, 19; Aug. 23, 24, 26. With Syracuse—April 29, 30; May 1; July 20, 22, 23; Sept. 7, 9, 10. With Hartford—April 25, 26, 27; May 29, 30, 30; Sept. 11, 12, 14. With Worcester—June 17, 18, 19; July 4 (afternoon), 5; Sept. 2 (morning), 5, 6.

TORONTO'S HOME GAMES.

The Eastern League schedule gives each of the eight teams 126 games, 63 at home and 63 abroad, that is, each team plays nine games with each of the others. The season starts in Toronto on Thursday, May 2, only a week after the opening game abroad, and just four weeks from to-day, with Buffalo as the attraction, and the last game takes place Saturday, Sept. 18, also with Buffalo. Following are the games for the Mercer grounds, given chronologically, the stars indicating Saturday games:

May.			
Buffalo	2	3	*4
Rochester	6	7	8
Worcester	10	*11	13
Hartford	15	16	17
Providence	*18	20	21
Syracuse	23	24	24
Montreal	*25	27	28
June.			
Syracuse	20	21	*22
Providence	24	25	26
Worcester	27	28	29
July.			
Hartford	1	1	2
Montreal	17	18	19
Rochester	29	30	31
August.			
Buffalo	1	*3	5
Syracuse	6	7	8
Hartford	9	*10	12
Worcester	13	14	15
Providence	16	*17	19
September.			
Montreal	*7	9	10
Rochester	11	12	14
Buffalo	16	17	*18

Commercial Baseball League.

At a meeting held last night in the parlors of Central Y.M.C.A., at which meeting delegates from Merchants' Dyeing & Finishing Company, W. R. Johnston & Co., W. R. Brock Company and Wyld-Darling Company, Limited, were present, the Commercial Baseball League was formed, and the following officers were elected:

Patrons, P. H. Burton, R. W. Spence, F. Wyld, Andrew Darling, W. R. Johnston, W. R. Brock, J. T. Jermyn; president, H. Richey of Merchants' Dyeing & Finishing Company; first vice-president, Charles Baker of W. R. Brock Company, Limited; second vice-president, W. E. Moss of W. R. Johnston & Co., secretary-treasurer, Ernest A. Lye of Wyld-Darling Company, Limited.

A very successful season is looked forward to by the members of above league. A committee has been appointed to look after suitable grounds for the league.

Medicine Hat Lacrosse Club.

The Medicine Hat Lacrosse Club was organized for the season at a meeting held last night. The following officers were elected: Hon. President, Mayor Finlay; President, W. J. Reid; Vice-Presidents, Messrs. T. Tweed, Dr. Smith, H. H. Ross and R. Kellock; Secretary-Treasurer, Charles Brougham. The membership fee was put at $1. A committee was appointed to arrange, if possible, for the formation of a league embracing Medicine Hat, Lethbridge, Macleod, Calgary and Edmonton Clubs.

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When you can't decide the question try our taste. We'll answer for you and for it, for we have the finest and richest line of the latest goods for particular men we have ever shown.

We know you'll like our novelties in Braces—Regal 25c.

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Open Evenings.

Liederkranz Team Wins Another.

A bowling match was played at the Liederkranz last night between Liederkranz B team and the Independents, the B team winning by 22 pins. The scores:

B Team—		Independents—	
Walker	481	Baird	532
Hankammer	565	Wilson	540
Dawson	646	McBride	505
Gans	561	Chien	543
Bowering	543	O'Meara	539
Laderman	532	F. McBride	547
Total	3219	Total	3197

To-morrow Convention Day.

To-morrow will be a big day in Toronto, as far as conventions go. There will be the Canadian Lacrosse Association in session at the Temple Building, the C.W.A. at the City Athletic Club at 10 o'clock, the Whist Congress at the Temple Building and the Canadian Road Club at the Athletic Club at 8 p.m. The delegates for the Lacrosse Convention will arrive to-day, and then the contest for the offices will start in earnest. The candidates for the president's chair will all be in town, and Mr. McMillan will make the Walker House his headquarters.

Asthma.

You've tried almost everything for it, haven't you? And we presume you are about discouraged. Now what do you think of our idea of breathing-in the medicine, bringing it right up to the diseased part? It looks reasonable, doesn't it? And it's successful, too.

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Prejudice.

Smokers who are under the impression that they cannot get a good cigar for 5 cents should try our famous "Collegian." J. A. Thompson, Tobacconist, 73 Yonge-street. 4

President A. F. Rutter of the Toronto Lacrosse Club leaves for Montreal to-night to attend the meeting of the Senior Lacrosse League, as the Toronto representative.

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The "Vogue" Shoe and the sale of course tickets for the Argonaut Boxing and Wrestling Tournament.

The demand has been so great for the

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