

SNAP-SHOTS AT VARIOUS SPORTS

There are rumors galore floating about in regard to the possible hockey situation in the city for the coming winter. Again, there seems to be a vast difference of opinion as to whether London wants association hockey or city league hockey. Several well-known, and expert local hockey players have stated that there is not, in their opinion, enough available material hereabouts to form an O. H. A. team that would do justice to the city. It is a pretty sure bet that there will be no local team in the O. H. A. this season.

The City Basketball League opens its season tonight, when two of the exciting floor games will be played at the Y. M. C. A. Basketball is somewhat on the strenuous order, as well as Rugby, but although just as exciting as the gridiron pastime, it is far less dangerous to life and limb.

It is all over at Hamilton—all but the shouting. Naturally, everybody is elated over the wonderful success of the Bluffton teams; that is, everyone except the citizens of Montreal.

Varsity and McGill are tied for first honors in the intercollegiate Rugby series. Next Saturday's game will probably decide the "Tigers" next victim.

The Toronto Telegram, in commenting on the "Varsity-Queen's" gridiron fracas, which was pulled off Saturday, has the following to offer: It's just the same way in poker. If the play isn't high enough someone is sure to sneak in and beat out the opener with a four-card draw. Queen's had just that much right to pull off a victory over Varsity on Saturday. The chums of the local police force, on the go in, had the Calvinists at their mercy. Form players all picked them, but never noticed that the easterners were the star which students of Chicago form know to indicate a love of sloppy going. There's the reason in a tabloid, Varsity showed the better ball about nine-tenths of the time; then they would get all muddled up, and the "Terians" got to it quick enough to score.

From all accounts, the roller hockey games in Toronto are drawing good crowds, and the sport is productive of much interest. Next thing we know they will be playing Rugby on rubber-tired wheels. Certainly the other teams in Canada need something besides mere footpower and spiked shoes to trim up those savage Tigers.

"Tis whispered that Riley Hern, formerly of the Houghton professional team, will play goal for the Montreal Wanderers this season. Will Montreal kindly explain?

Jim Jeffries, champion heavyweight glove pusher of the globe, at present a cultivator of pure alfalfa hay out on his coast farm, is about to turn around and become a referee. When Manager McCarey asked the big fellow to referee the O'Brien-Burns fight he thought that \$1,000 would be a sufficient amount even for such an attraction as the champion. Jeff did not take kindly to the proposition, more because he did not fancy acting as third man than because of the financial feature.

When Jeffries finally considered the situation he requested \$2,000. McCarey balked, but was there a counter move.

"Tell you what I will do, Jeff," said McCarey, "we'll toss a coin. If you win you get \$3,000; lose, and you referee for nothing."

"No, I won't do that," said Jim. "Let's split the difference and I'll referee."

That is why Jeffries is going to officiate for \$1,500.

The mother of Tommy Burns (Noah Brusso) will make an earnest effort to dissuade the French-Canadian from engaging in his scheduled bout with "Jawn" O'Brien, now out on the coast, and owner of half of the real estate in "Dreamville," Pa. Mike Ward's mother tried to prevent the boy from going into his last fatal bout, and the result of her failure to do so is well known all over the country.

Jockey Miller, the little Brooklyn Hebrew, has cleaned up over \$100,000 this year, and must be recognized as the top-notch of the turf season of '06. The boy rode five winners out of five mounts at Brighton Beach on one day in July. That is traveling some.

The boxing game in Michigan has seen its day. When the final gong rang poor Mike Ward out of this world it tolled the death knell of the oft-times brutal prize ring game. Mayors in cities in all parts of the state are tightening up the screws, and the day of padded mitts in that part of the country is gone.

They are going to have another six-day bicycle race in the metropolis of the States in December. There is no form of "alleged" sport that is one half so brutal or devoid of real athletic spirit as the six-day racing game. Men have been known to ride in races of that kind for over 124 hours in a week and to have been out of their heads for a long time after the affair. When the races have reached the stage where they are liable to drop off their wheels from sheer exhaustion, drugs of all kinds are administered as stimulants to keep the hollow-eyed, nerve racked and utterly exhausted competitors going. If a man rides five days and then drops out, he gets nothing for his efforts. New York howled against glove contests for a long time and passed the Horton law for the purpose of killing the game. There are better games than prize fighting, but there are no games more devoid of even a semblance of real, true sport than the six-day grinds. Of course, the promoters pocket a nice, juicy slice of the filthy lucre, as a result of the affairs, and, after all, what matters it if the health of a few odd human beings is shattered, and they become mentally unbalanced, just so long as the fat and greedy promoters can fatten their wallets.

Here's a joke. The turfmen of Memphis, Tenn., have adopted the phonetic method of spelling the names of their thoroughbreds. "Blessed," is now spelled "Blest," "Roosevelt," will be "Ruzefelt," "Enough" "Enuf," etc.

Why not start that method of spelling names in Canadian football circles? Wouldn't "Tigurs," "Kweens," or "Ruff Riders," look nice in print? Gee, that's enuf to drive me to sine.

HOCKEY.

PARIS TEAMS AMALGAMATE.

Paris, Nov. 19. — At a hockey meeting the Paris intermediate hockey club and the Paris junior hockey club amalgamated, with one president and one vice-president. Mr. Barker, president of the intermediates, was elected president of the Paris hockey club, and the office of vice-president will be filled later with a member from the junior club. With the exception of these two offices the two clubs will retain their own list that was elected recently.

TWO TEAMS FOR CORNWALL.

Cornwall, Nov. 19. — At the annual meeting of the Cornwall Hockey Club, the reports showed the club to be in a sound financial condition. The following officers were elected: President, George A. Stiles; first vice-president, D. Small; second vice-president, Dr. W. D. Knight; secretary-treasurer, James A. Hunter; committee, W. Fitzgibbon, J. C. Broderick, Dr. A. Ross, A. J. L. H. Clark and J. P. Kervin; auditors, J. P. Denny and R. E. Snettinger. It was decided to put a team in the extra series of the C. A. H. L. If it can be organized, also a second team in a league with Iroquois, Morrisburg, Cardinal and Prescott or other intermediate clubs in Eastern Ontario.

THE TURF.

STICKS TO GRAND CIRCUIT.

Cleveland, Nov. 19. — The Cleveland Driving Park Company will again hold a Grand Circuit meeting next summer. This was decided on at a meeting of the board of directors held last Saturday, and application will be made to the steward for the same dates as this year—the last week in July. This action is taken despite the fact that pool

selling is not allowed in Cleveland, but the success of the meeting this year without pools being sold has encouraged the company to go ahead with the old track from being cut up into building lots. Secretary George J. De-lich will commence work on listing his stake events within the next few days.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.

At Benning-Baring 11 to 10, Valley Forge 8 to 1, Lord Boanerges 6 to 1, Eldor 6 to 5, Ivanhoe 6 to 1, Ormond's Right even.

AT OAKLAND—Gypsy King 7 to 10.

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FOOTBALL.

COLLEGE UNION STANDING.

The standing of the Inter-Collegiate Rugby Union is as follows:

Varsity ... Won. Lost. Play.

McGill ... 2 1

Ottawa College ... 3 2

Queen's ... 3 0

Queen's ... 2 4

BILLIARDS.

WALKAWAY FOR CUTLER.

New York, Nov. 19. — The American billiard tournament at 13-inch balls, two shots in, was begun here tonight. Albert G. Cutler, of Boston, and Charles Peterson, of St. Louis, met in the initial game and the Boston man won out 500 to 181.

DEATH OF WARD KILLS THE GAME

Michigan's Governor Planning to Prevent All Ring Battles in Future.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 19. — It is goodbye to boxing matches in Michigan, a result of Mike Ward's death at Grand Rapids. Governor Warner is opposed to the game on general principles, and the Grand Rapids fatality will make him act quicker than he intended to, he said today.

"I have always been opposed to pugilistic exhibitions, even under the guise of sparring contests, for the reason that an element of danger is involved. Such matches being usually frequent during the winter months, I had intended officially notifying every sheriff in the state to rigidly enforce the law in regard to such contests, but other matters have intervened. I shall send such official notifications at the earliest moment.

"There appears to be a sentiment in what is termed sporting circles that sparring matches are not in conflict with the statutes, and this may be so, but the difficulty is that such matches are allowed to degenerate into regular pugilistic mills, and often are attended with brutality that is neither sanctioned in law or in morals.

"I believe that the authorities in places where sparring matches are held should be able to distinguish between a harmless glove contest and a prize-fight, and it is their duty to so discriminate. In such matters to the end that the law is not violated, I shall use the authority vested in me to see that the state law is upheld and affairs of this character interdicted."

Schreck-Hart Go Postponed

Kalamazoo, Mich., Nov. 19. — Owing to the ring fatality at Grand Rapids Thursday night, Matchmaker Pickard stated tonight that it is probable that the Schreck-Hart go for Kalamazoo on Dec. 6 will be postponed. A definite decision has been made to keep the match for this city, although a change to Grand Rapids had been considered.

Simpson's Remarkable Run Turning Point in Big Game

Frank D. Woodworth, of New York, who refereed the Montreal-Tiger match on Saturday, gave the following opinion of it:

"It was anybody's game up to the time Simpson made his remarkable run in the last quarter. Not until then did the defense all that time. They were always contenders, and only the excellent, systematic defense of the Hamilton team saved the Tigers from defeat. Simpson was the star of the game, and together with Isbister punted almost invariably for gains. Both teams tackled well, considering the condition of the grounds, and it was a difficult matter to start a run. There were few occasions when the teams made the necessary ten yards, and each was generally forced to resort to a kick. Trick plays were few and far between, and it was straight football. The new rules under which the Hamilton team played were little or no handicap to them. I consider the contest as a brilliant, hard-fought one, and with few exceptions a clean game.

GODERICH WILL BE IN THE O.H.A.

Town to Enter a Team Again —Paris Intermediates and Juniors Amalgamate.

Goderich, Nov. 19. — The hockey club meeting was held here tonight, when the following officers were elected: Honorary President—Wm. Proudfoot, K. C.

President—Walter E. Kelly (re-elected).

First Vice-President—Dr. Walter Turnbull.

Second Vice-President—R. R. Carr-Harris.

Secretary-Treasurer—Dr. C. E. Fala.

Executive—The manager, captain, president, and Messrs. E. V. Campion and Lionel Parsons.

The election of the manager and captain was left over till next meeting.

Only two members of last year's team were present this evening.

The club will enter a team in the O. H. A.

Mic-Macs Send Records Flying

The Mic-Macs sent several local tennis records flying last night, when they bumped the Orientals thrice in succession. Glover had high mark, 201, and Russell best average 136 2-3.

Summary:

MIC-MACS.

Players. 1 2 3

Russell ... 184 198 178

McIntosh ... 148 168 164

E. McNeen ... 148 157 158

Glover ... 170 184 201

Clarke ... 171 139 195

Total ... 842 846 897

Team average, 172 5-15.

ORIENTALS.

Players. 1 2 3

C. Sheers ... 146 165 149

Smith ... 153 189 183

Gunn ... 131 134 159

Lackie ... 167 144 153

A. Sheers ... 159 157 156

Total ... 767 789 802

Team average, 157 12-15.

SULLIVAN AT HEAD OF AMATEUR UNION

Leaves Secretaryship After Sixteen Years—Kelly's 100 Yard Record Stands.

New York, Nov. 19. — James B. Sullivan today was elected president of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States. Capt. J. Dixon, of Brooklyn, was elected secretary-treasurer, to succeed Mr. Sullivan, who has held the latter post for sixteen years.

Application for reinstatement of John Coleman, jun., of Buffalo, middle distance runner, who was suspended indefinitely in August, 1901, for competing in professional races at the Pan-American Exhibition, was granted by the board of governors.

The record of 9:35 seconds for 100 yards made by Dan J. Kelly, at Springfield, on June 23 last, has been approved by the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States, and it will stand as a world's record.

The registration committee recommendations include:

First, Teltale, second, Kingdon, reinstated; Thomas Leonard, North, reinstated; John Coleman, jun., Buffalo, reinstated.

These general recommendations were adopted by the meeting:

"That all district associations be permitted to suspend, for good and sufficient reason, any line of sport in their respective territory.

"That the recommendation offered last year with reference to organizing of an A. A. U. in the army and navy be again renewed and referred with full powers to the president and secretary for action.

"That traveling and all other expenses should be regulated by club officials and not paid to athletes.

"That all district associations of the A. A. U. be earnestly requested to organize, wherever possible, inter-school associations, municipal athletic associations, boys' athletic leagues and public athletic leagues.

"That the president be a member of all committees ex-officio."

"Penalties were frequent for infringement of the rules, but these were due rather to overanxiety than to any intention to offend.

"Hamilton showed great judgment in the first quarter, when they scored their 8 points. Money was kept on the defense all that time. They made the struggle an uphill one every kick in the dead ball line meant only bringing the ball out 20 yards for a kick. It was this plugging away in this period which gave the Hamilton team what proved to be an insurmountable lead. With the score of 8 to 6 at half-time, was a toss for the victory. I believe Montreal made a mistake in playing east the first quarter, as that portion of the ground was the worst, and hard to defend.

"Despite the condition of the field, however, it was a splendid exhibition of the Canadian Union rules, and the new game which has been played this year in the Quebec Union is a pronounced success."

HUNTERS MORE NUMEROUS DEER NOT SO PLENTIFUL

Bracebridge, Ont., Nov. 19. — Without a doubt this has been the biggest year in point of numbers of hunters that Muskoka has ever seen. From all over Ontario men have rushed in here with bound and gun, and in the vicinity of the lakes many from Pittsburgh and such places where the summer tourist comes from have enjoyed a diversion from business. These parties are now returning, the season being at an end. Some shot deer, full count, and had a good time. Others had more than no good time. A few accidentally shot themselves and quit the business for all time. A smaller number than formerly shot other hunters, although one traveler reports that six hunters were wounded in Parry Sound district by other hunters and were taken home by train. One man near here shot a calf, thinking it a fawn.

While hunters are plentiful, venison taking the whole district over is very scarce. There have been only four or five carcasses exposed for sale at the local butcher shops, whereas in former years there have been over twenty at this date. There is no getting around the fact that the deer are gradually disappearing from their old haunts. Several causes are assigned, one being the incoming of two new railroads, the number of hunters who each year wage a war of destruction upon the deer, the ravages of wolves all the year round, and the encroachments of the settler and prospector who are not averse to a nice juicy venison steak whenever it presents itself.

BASKETBALL.

BRANTFORD WORSTED HAMILTON.

Brantford, Nov. 19. — Brantford defeated Hamilton tonight in an exciting basketball game by a score of 58 to 35. The Hamiltons were outclassed and the local team led all the way. During the latter part of the game a Hamilton player assaulted a Brantford spectator, inflicting considerable facial injuries on the latter. During the incident pandemonium reigned throughout the building, and serious results were for a time anticipated.

THE LINE-UP:

Hamilton—Grey, Smith, Branchton, Chadwick, Melton.

Brantford—Hearns, Campbell, Lister, Hill, Secord.

Referees—Sills, Brantford; Bartley, Hamilton.

THE RING.

BRUSSO'S HOPES ARE HIGH.

Galt, Nov. 19. — Brusso, the prize-fighter, who belongs to Preston and is well known in Galt, where he once was famous as a lacrosse player, writes a letter to one of the local papers, saying he is in training for his forthcoming mill with Jack O'Brien at Long Beach, Cal., and thinks he will come out a victor, and thus earn clear title to the world's heavy-weight championship. He says he will be home next spring. Meantime he is saving his money and investing in real estate, which has doubled in value. If he wins against O'Brien it means \$25,000 clear to him. Mrs. Brusso, the fighter's mother, is very proud of her boy's prowess, but would like him to quit the ring.

THE AUTO.

UNCLE SAM MAKES CONCESSION.

Buffalo, Nov. 19. — Collector Fred O. Murray has received from Washington an order that Canadian automobilists who are known residents of that coun-

GRAYDON'S VICK IN FIELD TRIALS

London Setter Entered in Derby Stake at Ruthven—Teltale a Winner.

Ruthven, Ont., Nov. 19. — The eighth annual meeting of the International Field Trials Club began here today with the members' stake, open to dogs owned by members. The stake had six entries, all English setters, which were drawn to run as follows: Selkirk Hope, by Tom Hope, out of Luna, owner, W. B. Wells, Chatham, against Teltale, by Landseer, out of Fern Danster, owner, Dr. Campeau, Harrow, Ont. Shawassee Queen by Count Danstone, out of Midland Daisy, owner, E. C. Smith, Midland, Mich., against Selkirk Teltale, by Selkirk Dan, out of Selkirk Teltale, owner, W. B. Wells. Teltale, by Petrel's Count, out of Fairland Ruby, owner W. J. Armstrong, Detroit, Mich., against Perdita, by Landseer, out of Fern Danstone, owner, Dr. Campeau.

The awards were as follows: First, Teltale, second, Selkirk Teltale. Birds were found in good numbers, and the weather was fine for dog work.

The judges for the members' stake were W. D. Wigle, warden for the western district, and Mr. A. Harrington, Leamington.

The Derby stake, for setters and pointer puppies, whelped after January, 1905, closed with eight starters, which were drawn to run as follows: Boy's Echo, by Sutton Boy, out of Kate Montis, setter, owner, H. H. Woolton, Montreal, against Athene, setter, by Landseer, out of Rose, owner, Dr. Campeau, Harrow, Ont.

Vick, setter, by Prince Rodney, out of Countess Beatrice, owner, H. M. Graydon, London, against Nubis, setter, by Landseer, out of Fern Danstone, owner, Dr. Campeau, Harrow, Ont.

Fly, setter, by Dr. Jim, out of Clip, owner, C. A. Love, St. Thomas, against Maxim's Bernice pointer, by Devonshire Maxim, out of Flight, owner, Ed Oulet, Montreal.

Tom's Nellie Dale, setter, by Tom's Count Gladstone, out of Nellie, owner, G. R. Thompson, Highland, Mich., against Laddie, setter, by Prince Rodney, out of Countess Beatrice, owner, H. M. Graydon, London, Ont.

The draw for the all-aged stake will take place tomorrow evening, when the annual meeting of the club will also be held.

The morning cup of coffee often shapes the day. It should be Chase & Sanborn's.

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