

The judges were A. R. Mc... of Barrie, and D. Sutherland, of Brad... and the referee, W. H. Gibson, of Newmarket.

THE FOUR RACE.—Ryan, of Brockville, did not meet his engagement at Kingston on Saturday, and consequently no race took place between him and McLoughlin, the championship racer of that city. The latter and his backers were on the ground. If Ryan is so foot-footed as he is represented to be, he should have come along and taken the stakes. A run of 100 yards would be an easy way of making \$100.

FOUR RACE.—A half-mile foot race was run between Messrs. S. Tooley and J. Willis on Tuesday evening on Country and Bridge streets, Almont. The race resulted in favor of Willis.

Charley Biggar, of Elora, beat Johnson, of Angus, and Connelly, of South Adolph, the great prize jumpers of the Caledonian games, at the South Adolph picnic. They are to have another trial at North Adolph. The one hundred yards foot race between W. Bingham, of Bradford, and Charley Biggar, of Elora, was almost a tie.

BASE BALL.

THE CHAMPIONS AGAIN.—On Wednesday afternoon a match was played between the Young Canadians, of Dundas, and the Sleeman Nine, of Guelph, on the Driving Park grounds, Dundas, which resulted in an easy victory for the Junior Champions, as will be seen from the following score:

| YOUNG CANADIANS. | | R | O |
|-------------------|-------|----|----|
| C. Collins, 2 b. | ..... | 0 | 6 |
| J. Knowles, r f | ..... | 4 | 2 |
| C. Wilson, 1 b | ..... | 4 | 8 |
| J. Price, s s | ..... | 8 | 8 |
| G. Giles, c | ..... | 4 | 8 |
| M. Duggan, 3 b | ..... | 2 | 8 |
| J. Percy, l f | ..... | 8 | 2 |
| E. McFarlane, c f | ..... | 2 | 1 |
| A. Turnbull, p | ..... | 1 | 4 |
| | | 23 | 27 |

| SLEEMAN NINE. | | R | O |
|---------------------|-------|---|----|
| W. Steele, c | ..... | 2 | 1 |
| G. Chamberlain, s s | ..... | 1 | 2 |
| G. Sleeman, p | ..... | 1 | 8 |
| P. Stapleton, c f | ..... | 0 | 4 |
| J. Harding, 2 b | ..... | 1 | 8 |
| J. Hewer, 2 b | ..... | 2 | 8 |
| W. Craig, r f | ..... | 1 | 4 |
| E. Hutchinson, 1 b | ..... | 1 | 8 |
| G. Beck, l f | ..... | 0 | 4 |
| | | 9 | 27 |

Young Canadians,—0 7 0 0 3 6 0 2 5
Sleeman Nine,—0 4 0 0 2 3 0 0 0

Umpire—Mr. W. B. Lapham, of Maple Leaf of Guelph. Scorers—Sleeman Nine, Mr. Skinner; Young Canadians, W. Fisher. Time of game, 1.45.

THE FIRST NINE OF THE ST. LAWRENCE BASE BALL CLUB, OF KINGSTON, HAVE BEEN DISBANDED FOR THE SEASON.

NOT ACCEPTED.—On the return of the St. Lawrence Club from the late match at Toronto to a meeting of the Association was held, at which it was decided to challenge the Guelph Maple Leafs for the championship of Ontario, the game to be played within fourteen days from the time of the issue of the challenge, and on the grounds at Guelph as provided by certain regulations. This morning a reply was received from the Guelph Club, in which they intimated their inability to accept the challenge, inasmuch as they have now on hand a match for the championship with the Tecumsehs, of London, and their playing season ceases on the 30th of September. That settles the matter for this year.

THE CANADIAN RIFLE TEAM.

Those of our readers who may remember Creedmoor in its infancy—that is, in 1878, for it has only taken two years for us to develop in a most remarkable manner rifle practice in United States—may call to mind the advent of certain noted Canadian riflemen in our midst. Their coming was talked about almost in bated breath, and with awe and

was due to their facing. Canada was our foster mother, and we, as her children in the rifle school, owe her a lasting debt of gratitude. The welcome then extended to the team of the Ontario Rifle Association was a hearty one, and the fact that the Canadians were made members of our National Rifle Association might be considered simply as a formality, since they had long ago been considered as an integral part of ourselves.—*Forest and Stream.*

ALL SORTS.

ADRIAN IZAR, the great bullheadist, uses no cue he plays his hand—mostly the thumb and the index and middle fingers. On this account, as well as because of his skill, he is a great curiosity.

One of the Saratoga hotels has has nine gunners, supplied with ammunition, constantly on the mountains killing birds for the table, which are paid for at the uniform rate of 75 cents a piece.

"Little Jack Downey," a St. Catharines newsboy, a few days ago fell into the canal, and, being unable to swim, would undoubtedly have been drowned had it not been for a dog. The animal sprang into the water after the boy, caught him by the leg, and was towed to the shore, thus saving his life.

The Cincinnati Zoological Gardens was opened on the 18th ult., with appropriate ceremonies. The garden, which comprises some sixty acres of ground, has a number of lakes, fountains, etc., and is laid out in walks and drives. The collection of animals, birds, etc., is one of the largest in the country, and the buildings appropriated for their reception arranged in the most convenient and perfect manner.

Last week a number of fish about the size of a large trout were noticed in the rapids of the Saugeen, a short distance below the village. There were about twenty of them, and, as far as could be discovered, were of an unknown variety. Their liveliness and wildness prevented a close inspection, but the supposition is that they were grise or young salmon, as it is known that a large quantity of salmon fry was deposited in the head waters of Saugeen about two years ago. The person who noticed these interesting strangers is thoroughly posted in all matters connected with fishing, and can be fully relied on. He has since been making persevering efforts to secure a specimen, and will likely succeed.

SAGACITY OF AN ELEPHANT.—"Tell my grandchildren," wrote Bishop Wilson, "that an elephant here had a disease in his eyes. For three days he had been completely blind. His owner, an engineer officer, asked my dear Dr. Wubb if he could do anything to relieve the poor animal. The doctor said he would try the nitrate of silver which was a remedy commonly applied to similar diseases in the human eye. The large animal was ordered to lie down, and at first, on the application of the remedy, raised a most extraordinary roar at the acute pain which it occasioned. The effect, however, was wonderful. The eye was in a manner restored, and the animal could partially see. The next day, when he was brought and heard the doctor's voice, he lay down on one side, curled up his trunk, drew in his breath just like a man about to endure an operation, gave a sigh of relief when it was over, and then, by trunk and gesture, evidently wished to express his gratitude. What sagacity! what a lesson to us of patience!"

During a recent voyage of the steamship Royal Dane, from Copenhagen to Newcastle-on-Tyne, a serious accident befell the stewardess, a Miss Fry. The sea was rough, and she was going up some steps to the deck, the boat took a lurch and she fell into the sea. The accident caused great commotion on board, and it was expected that she would be drowned before assistance reached her, the vessel being under full steam at the time. A boat was got out from the steamer as soon as it could be stopped, and was fully manned and pulled back to where Miss Fry was last seen. She was found comfortably floating on her back when the boat reached her and not much the worse for her immersion. She stated that after she was thrown into the water she pulled her boots off and swam for some time. She then waited quietly until the boat picked her up. Miss Fry belongs to a famous Tyne-mouth family of swimmers, and she is considered one of the best female swimmers on the northeast coast of England.

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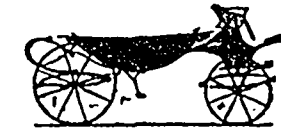
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