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THE SPORTING WORLD.

Resignation of the Tennis Champion—

San and O'Connor Matched to Row

a Race on the Pacific Coast—Various

Sporting Events.

THE TRIGGER.

The Sandhills Gun Club downed the

Walkerville Gun Club on Saturday by a

score of 50 to 50. Each team shot at 100

birds, but the heavy wind blowing at the

time accounts for the low score.

The Ay. Gun Club's first annual tourna-

ment will be held on Thursday and Friday

of next week. The targets will be blue

rocks, and \$200 will be distributed in ten

events, open to the Dominion.

BASEBALL.

TUESDAY'S GAMES.

National League—Philadelphia 1, Pittsburg 6.

Brooklyn 4, Cleveland 3. Cincinnati 6,

New York 2. Chicago 6, Boston 1.

American Association—Columbus 14, Ath-

letics 2. Baltimore 6, Louisville 1. Toledo 6,

Rochester 1.

Threatening weather prevented the St.

Louis-Synapse game.

Players' League—Pittsburg 5, Philadelphia 4.

Buffalo 1, Boston 7. Cleveland 7, New

York 3. Chicago 6, Brooklyn 4.

It is still uncertain whether there will be

any ball games this season for the world's

championship.

Cincinnati is still in the National League.

Comiskey is to remain with the Chicago

Players' and Mike Kelly with the Boston

Crooks, Chamberlin, Knauss and Wheel-

ock, of the Columbus team, are reported to

have signed Brotherhood contracts for next

season.

Syracuse, Rochester and Toledo will

likely be dropped by the Association. The

former place is trying to dispose of its

franchise.

There will be no twelve-cup, Sunday

playing, beer-selling circuit for the players'

League in 1911. That can be relied upon.

[Sporting Life.]

Manager Fraser, of the Syracuse club,

on Monday, paid up its dues to the Ameri-

cans Association, and arranged satisfactorily

for all his obligations.

Pitcher Mike Morrison, of the Baltimore

Association team, the other day said he did

not know what league he would play in.

Manager Barrie, of the Baltimore, says

he will file a complaint against Empire

Doecher, for his decision in calling the

Louisville and Baltimore game on Tuesday

just as it was tied. It is claimed Doecher,

only a moment before, said it was light

enough to play.

THE TURF.

Nelson trotted a mile in 2:12 on the kite

shaped track at Kankakee equalling Ax-

tell's record.

The French syndicate which offered C.

H. Nelson \$58,000 for the stallion Nelson,

raised the price to \$78,000, but it was re-

fused.

Bowerman Bros., Lexington, Ky., have

sold to Bradford & Tipton the 2-year-old

bay filly Lady Wilton, 2:25, for \$10,000,

which is more money than a 2-year-old

trotter ever brought in Kentucky.

Sir Dixon, by imported Billie, for which

Clay & Woodford paid \$10,000 two years

ago, has arrived at Paris, Ky., and has been

retired from the turf. Sir Dixon will take

the place of his deceased sire in the Runny-

National Association of Trotting Horse
Breeder last night new rules were adopted
for the security of standard records. The
old method of trotting for "the cup" re-
cords was abolished. The new method pro-
vides for a standard stake on which each
horse winning a heat in 2:30 or better is
sent to the stable. The new rules go into
effect to-day.

CRICKET.

WHIPPED BY WINDS.

DETROIT, Oct. 1.—The D. A. C. Cricket

Club went over to Windsor yesterday to

play an all-day game with the local team

and were badly taken into camp. The

Windsors had their batting clothes on and

as one of the D. A. C.'s remarked, it was a

good thing that the day was short, or it

would have been hard to tell what the score

would have been. Score: Windsor, 145;

Detroit, 30.

THE CUE.

Frank Ives, the Michigan boy known as

the young Napoleon, considered the only

really able new player that has appeared in

American billiard circles in ten years.

What may be said to compare the entire

billiard talent of the country is included in

the following list, in which the players are

ranked in their relative ability at the 14-inch

F. Sloan, 1; Frank Ives and Maggoli, 2;

William Sexton, Eugene Carter, Willie

Clifton, 3; J. Randolph Heiser, Maurice

J. Gallagher, 4; William Hatley, of Chi-

cago, 5; John Thatcher, of Cleveland, 6;

Louis Abrahams and J. R. F. McCleary, of

Detroit, 7. The latter two the Pacific

slope stars.

THE WHEEL.

The sons of Japanese merchants in New

York have organized a bicycle club.

M. A. Hobien, of London, Eng., has

broken the record by riding 3304 miles in

24 hours.

THE OAR.

Arrangements have been made by cable

for a match between W. J. O'Connor and

Edward Hanlan for \$5,000 a side and the

championship of America. The race is to

be rowed somewhere on the Pacific coast

and is to take place within ten weeks of

O'Connor's arrival in America. O'Connor

states that Hanlan has evidently improved,

but that he shall consider himself to have

fallen off very much if Hanlan can beat

him. Should Kemp ever visit America

O'Connor expresses himself as ready to row

him, and also as being willing to row the

champion in England.—[Sydney Herald.]

THE RING.

Mike Conley, the Texan giant, and R.

B. Sullivan, heavy weight from Colorado,

are matched to fight with gloves at Dallas,

Texas, Oct. 18, for \$1,000.

LAWN TENNIS.

Thomas Pettitt, of Boston, has surren-

dered the court tennis championship of the

world because he could not afford the ex-

pense necessary to defend the title. He says

as long as the feeling is that every cham-

pionship match should be played in Eng-

land, some one else will have to play for

him. Pettitt claims that Saunders with-

out doubt the best man in England. Then

comes F. Latham, the racket champion,

who is within 16 of Saunders. Close on to

Latham is Jim Fennell.

THE METHODISTS.

Closing Hours of the Quad-

rennial Conference.

Dancing and Card-Playing Dealt With—

High Ground Taken on Sabbath Ob-

servance—Ten Meetings as a Money-

Raising Means Condemned—The

Deacons Question Dealt With—The

Oka Indian Trouble.

MONTREAL, Sept. 30.—The Conference

managed to wind up its work at a late hour

last night. Monday was largely devoted

to dealing with questions of discipline. The

absentees were so numerous at the opening

of the session that the roll was called, and

out of a membership of nearly 300 only 90

answered to their names. It was decided

to publish the names of the absentees in

the minutes, and thereafter only pay

traveling expenses at the close of Confer-

ence. The report of the Discipline Com-

mittee came up, among other changes Rev.

J. S. Williams moved that paragraph 35 be

amended by striking out the words "play-

ing at games of chance" and inserting for

them "playing at cards and other games

of chance," and by striking out "dancing

parties" and inserting "parties where

dancing and card-playing are allowed." He

said that their young people now dodged

these rules by claiming that "cards" is a

game of skill and that certain parties are

not strictly "dancing" parties.

Rev. W. H. Graham said that they al-

ready had rules enough.

Dr. Carman—You can't legislate people

into heaven.

Rev. J. W. Annis wanted to know if the

term "cards" included "Nations," "Authors,"

etc.

The amendment was lost.

The committee proposed the formation of

"catechumen classes" and the returning of

the membership of the same in a separate

column to the annual district meeting. The

discussion was switched off on to the ques-

tion whether these catechumens should be

returned as members of the church. Dr.

Douglas hoped this would not carry. It

was going into Romanism. The catechu-

mens were not recognized as church mem-

bers in the port-Apostolic church.

Dr. Henderson moved that these words

be added to the clause: "It is understood,

however, that they be not necessarily in-

cluded in the column of total membership of

the church." This carried.

The report proposed to allow pastors to

drop from the church roll without trial any

members who neglect any of the means of

grace repeatedly and without any adequate

excuse. Such excluded members should be

given notice by the pastor, and then may

appear before the leaders' meeting and

show reason why they should not be ex-

cluded. This clause was discussed and

adopted.

A motion by Rev. J. F. Gorman that the

