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A Committee to Deal With the Caps.

At a meeting of the Executive of the Amateur Athletic Association of Canada in Montreal on Saturday evening, Higginbotham reported the results of his visit to Toronto at the annual meeting of the association at the annual meeting of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States, with which the A.A.A. of C. was recently affiliated. Mr. Higginbotham reported that the Canadian Association, in its annual sectional association from the parts of the States. Mr. Higginbotham suggested that the Canadian Association and be charged to take in the Maritime Provinces and Manitoba Associations. In this way the A.A.A. of C. would become the prominent influence in Canadian athletics. President Brophy announced that he would shortly appoint a sub-committee to take steps to give effect to Mr. Higginbotham's suggestions. The Capital League Club case was put in the hands of a sub-committee consisting of Messrs. Sheppard and O'Brien of Montreal and Higginbotham of Toronto.

The Late Chippy Warburton.

Chippy Warburton, the bicycle trainer and manager, who died in London on Saturday, was one of the best known trainers in England. Before he became associated with professional cycling, he was well known as a trainer of professional pedestrians. He discovered Michael and the London boys and brought them to the front. Michael and Warburton were associated closely until about two years ago, when they quarrelled and separated. Michael went to this country with his uncle, Jones, who the tutelage of that veteran impresario of professional cycling, Thomas Eck. The quarrel between Michael and Warburton was the result of a race in which Michael was beaten. The little story, it is said, caused Warburton of having "polished" him. The trainer began to get on their feet, but the dispute was settled amicably when Michael returned to Europe about 14 months ago.

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NO MORE FIGHTS FOR FITZ.

Champion Bob Calls McCoy a Snob, but Will Not Meet Him.

The same old story about another meeting with Jim Corbett—Creedon has been defeated—Another Victory for Frank Garrard—Notes of the Squared Circle.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—A genuine interview

with Robert J. Fitzsimmons appears in The Inter-Ocean this morning, in which he takes of recent occurrences in the ring and takes the opportunity to emphasize the statement that he will not meet Corbett.

Fitz doesn't attempt to do any acting

at his show. He understands the difference between an actor and a pugilist and is content to hire others to sing, dance and amuse the people generally. He simply comes on when his time comes and gives the people one of the cleverest exhibitions of bag punching they have ever seen and afterwards boxes three fast rounds with his sparring partner. He did not make a speech to the audience. He was content upon occasion to do so, but merely snook his head and smiled.

He was courteous and willing, however,

to answer the questions of the reporters, who gathered around him in his dressing room before he went on the stage. To the first question, in regard to his health, he said he never felt better in his life, that he was taking good care of himself, and was booked for several decades more on this terrestrial sphere. The next question was: "What do you think of McCoy?" He replied, "But when he talks of fighting me, he is talking about a middleweight champion, not a simply talking through his hat. Why, he is not afraid to challenge me for fear I would accept. He says he will challenge me in a year, but by that time he may be put out of the business by some good fighter."

"Would you fight him if he did challenge you?"

was asked. Under no consideration, I and out of the business for good. I am not the kind to fight and when a snob like McCoy comes on the stage, take it or leave it. I have not changed my mind since I was out of the fighting business for all time, and a challenge from McCoy or anyone else would mean that I had to enter it again.

"Suppose McCoy should claim the middle-

weight championship on the strength of his victory over Creedon, would you dispute it?" McCoy or anyone else can claim both the middleweight and heavyweight championships. I do not think Creedon was near the level of the middleweight champion when he met me at New Orleans. Creedon was always a strong, healthy fellow, and thought that a fast pace would beat him, and he was mistaken. Not that he was a bad fighter or anything like that, but he simply took no care of himself. If he was the same man as when he fought me, he would have made things more interesting for McCoy. It makes me laugh when McCoy claims the middleweight championship on the strength of that victory. It is just the same as if George Dixon and Steve O'Donnell fought for the featherweight championship. Creedon weighed more when he fought me than I did in any of my fights.

"Would you have any trouble in weighing in at the middle-weight limit?"

"I fought Corbett at 150 pounds, and I could easily get in at the weight again, which is the correct middleweight limit."

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Winning on Kid McCoy.

McCoy's actual winnings, according to his trainer's statement, is about \$12,000, including the purse money, \$7500, all of which, he is understood to have given to his wife. McCoy averaged himself about \$4500, and was a number of hats and several ounces of clothes. One thing not utterly well known is that there was no side bet. McCoy says that he was wearing a bet of \$1000, which Smith held for appearance money, but stoutly maintains that Creedon

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He began a two weeks' engagement at a

local theatre with his vaudeville show in the afternoon and the crowd that came to see his exhibition shows that he is popular with Chicago sports.

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Bennington and Gardner Turn a Trick at New Orleans.

And Although Three Favorites Were Beat on the Books Two Losers on the Day—Powers Rides Two Winners and Burns One—A Third for Sonner—The Brooklyn Jockey Club.

New Orleans, Dec. 20.—Fair weather

and a good track were the racing conditions to-day. Dudley E. and Vincent were the only winners on the books, but the latter given the ring on Maxine's race brought most of the books out losers on the day. Summary: First race, 6 furlongs—Dudley E., 35 (C. Bowen), 7 to 1; Mr. Hunt, 105 (D. Powers), 4 to 1; 2; Balance All, 92 (Andrews), 20 to 1; 3. Time 1:27. Judge Bryant, Maurice, the Editor and Free Silver also ran.

Second race, 8 furlongs—Thorne-French

Club, 104 (Nutt), 6 to 1; 2; Gipsycolt, 101 (A. Barrett), 10 to 1; 3; Billy Russell, Clifton, Elkhorn and Ben Frost also ran. Barista left at the post.

Third race, 1 mile and 20 yards

selling—Lay, 101 (C. Bowen), 10 to 1; 2; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 3; Jolly Son, 94 (Sonner), 10 to 1; 4; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 5; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 6; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 7; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 8; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 9; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 10; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 11; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 12; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 13; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 14; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 15; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 16; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 17; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 18; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 19; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 20; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 21; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 22; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 23; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 24; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 25; Billy Russell, 99 (Southern), 4 to 1; 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SHOWING THEIR TEETH. The Canadian Government must be prepared for trouble next spring in connection with the rush to Klondike.

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The Judge's Charge Banned from Against the Prisoner—Jury in Verdict in About an Hour—Strong Recommendation to Comply with the Verdict—Not Yet Passed.

Brampton, Ont., Dec. 20.—The in the Coleman perjury trial is closed, opened this morning at 10.30 and the first witness called for defence was Mrs. Hamilton, who gave evidence to the effect that Trouble had not proved any motive for the trial house on the Saturday before trial commenced at Orangeville a her to tell Mr. Hamilton not to the office, as he was watched.

Mrs. Coleman was called, and she testified that her husband left for St. Catharines on Nov. 23, that she arrived home about 11 p.m., and that Hamilton had some queer talk with her; that he had a disquieting office; that he had a disquieting office; that he had a disquieting office.

At 2 p.m. Mr. Johnston opened the trial, and he said that he had not proved any motive for the trial house on the Saturday before trial commenced at Orangeville a her to tell Mr. Hamilton not to the office, as he was watched.

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His Lordship addressed the jury very ably, and reviewed the evidence of these persons. He also reviewed the evidence as given by the witnesses in a very ably manner, and he said that he had not proved any motive for the trial house on the Saturday before trial commenced at Orangeville a her to tell Mr. Hamilton not to the office, as he was watched.

DEATH IN THE CIGARETTE. The Smoking of Them Caused Death. A man who smoked a cigarette every day died of cancer of the stomach.

The Christmas Illustrated. The Toronto News Co. have a beautiful Christmas Illustrated, with 100 pages of pictures and stories.

U.S. Express Trade. The detailed report of the export trade of the United States for the month of November, 1897, shows a decrease of 10 per cent. over the corresponding month of 1896.

United Kingdom 1,800,000. France 1,100,000. Germany 1,000,000. Italy 800,000. Spain 600,000. Portugal 500,000. Belgium 400,000. Netherlands 300,000. Denmark 200,000. Sweden 150,000. Norway 100,000. Austria 100,000. Prussia 100,000. Russia 100,000. China 100,000. Japan 100,000. India 100,000. Australia 100,000. New Zealand 100,000. Total 12,745,438.

The Wabash Railroad. With its superb and magnificent service, is now acknowledged most perfect railway system in the great winter tourist route from South and West, including the Hot Springs of Arkansas, Old Egypt of the New World, and California's lands of flowers. Passengers going in advance of their routes, trains now reach more large cities than ever before.

The Laurier Club. A special program has been arranged for the meeting of the Laurier Club, which will be held at the Hotel Victoria on Monday evening, Dec. 21, 1897.

Children's Aid Society. The reports for November show 50 cases, involving 131 children; 60 cases were referred to the children's aid society, 70 were referred to the children's aid society, 70 were referred to the children's aid society.

Men's Clothing. Men's Heavy Fur Jackets or Revers, fine imported navy blue, grey and black naps, and beaver cloth, checked tweed and Italian cloth linings, sizes 34 to 46, regular price \$7.50, Wednesday 5.00.

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COUNTY AND SUBURBAN NEWS

Toronto Junction. The Court of Revision held by Judge Morgan Saturday night was as interesting as it has been for the past few evenings. A decision was given in the case of Fred Hale, with the result that his name stands on the list. Fred Hale was born in the United States prior to 1870, of English parents, who, after living there for a few years, moved back to England for nine years and afterwards came to Canada. While it was possible that Mr. Hale took the oath of allegiance whilst in the United States, it was equally possible that he did not and his Honor ruled that the oath was shifted and the appellant must prove that he did take the oath of allegiance, not the defendant to prove that he is an American, having been born there; but his Honor remarked that a man born in a stable is not necessarily a horse.

East Toronto. David Hare and Ora Torrance, both of Markham, appeared before Magistrate O'Connor yesterday on a charge of disorderly conduct on the passenger train on the T. E. on Saturday evening. Barrister Robinson appeared on behalf of the defendants. Hare was fined \$10 and costs. Torrance \$5 and costs. The information was laid by Detective John Cockburn of the G. T. R.

Killed in the Slave Mill. Wallace, Ont., Dec. 20.—Thomas Peters, son of David Peters, was instantly killed here this afternoon, in the operation of a shaft. The body was terribly mangled.

POLICE NEWS

A Number of Collections Yesterday—Barrington Street Keep the Peace Sunday Night Thieves. Albert McGill, 33 Centre-avenue, a well-known sneak thief, was remanded till Monday on a charge of stripping the clothing from J. E. Goss, 15 Gerrard-street west. Trouble over a sale of harness has led to a charge of theft being laid against William Boyd, 333 Sale-st., by A. Campbell, 120 Adelaide-st. east. The case will be heard by the police magistrate next Monday.

To Prison for Three Months. Richard Noble was yesterday charged with assault and robbery, the complainant being John Downes. Noble was not proved, but Downes' face showed evidence of the assault and Noble was sent to prison for three months.

Must Keep the Peace. Burt Randolph, according to two witnesses, is a bad colored man, and he threatened to have the life of James Johnston, another gentleman of color. The trouble seems to have occurred through a quarrel over a white-washing job, but Randolph was bound over to keep the peace.

Deliberately Shot Himself. John Williams, a Bachelor of 19, Saldieu street, Ont., Dec. 20.—An old soldier by the name of John Williams, living at 19 Saldieu street, Ont., was yesterday shot in the chest by a bullet fired from a revolver which he was holding in his hand. He was taken to the hospital, but he died before he could be removed.

The Struggle for Eight Hours. Mr. Isaac Cowan, head pike of the movement in the Trades and Labor Council to a very small number of men, was yesterday shot in the chest by a bullet fired from a revolver which he was holding in his hand. He was taken to the hospital, but he died before he could be removed.

North Toronto. Lodge Sherwood, S.O.E., have decided to hold their annual supper at the Davillville Hotel, on New Year's Eve. The officers of York Lodge, A.F. & A.M., No. 1, will give a grand dinner on the same evening.

York Township Council. A special meeting of the council to wind up the year's business was held on Saturday afternoon at the city hall. The council was organized by the mayor, and the business was transacted in a very satisfactory manner.

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Canadian Authorities are Anxious to Facilitate the Mining Industry. Washington, Dec. 20.—A response has been received to a recent letter from Secretary Gage to the Canadian Commissioner of Customs, requesting information as to the condition of the mining industry in Alaska, by way of the Chilkoot Pass and the Yukon River, to Circle City, Alaska. The Commissioner has been prepared to meet the case and in the opinion of the Secretary of the Interior, the United States is anxious to see that they are framed with the desire to afford the utmost facilities for the traffic in goods, commodities and other articles of commerce, and to see that the revenue is not lost through the operation of the conveyance of goods, and to see that the revenue is not lost through the operation of the conveyance of goods, and to see that the revenue is not lost through the operation of the conveyance of goods.

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Assessment Commissioner P's submitted his scheme for the extension of Queen-street into High Park to Board of Works yesterday afternoon in a letter to Chairman Saulters outlining his proposition as follows: For a number of years the need of an extension of Queen-street into High Park has been apparent to different Councils and it has been in view for various reasons. For the last two months I have been negotiating with the different property owners who would be affected by widening, and have now made such arrangement as I think should be satisfactory to every citizen of the city. The cost of the work will, I believe, be less than a quarter of the cost of the work in 1892, which was over \$50,000, and over \$25,000 of this was expended by the city. The extension of the street is now proposed to be 100 feet wide from Sunnyside-avenue to the park. I consulted with the owner of the piece of property, and for the purpose of making a possible I may be able to make an amicable arrangement with him, still I would not like to see the front of his lot, as shown on the accompanying plan, and for the purpose of making such an arrangement, I have no doubt but that I will be able to make such an arrangement with them as will be satisfactory to Council. They believe that the extension of the street will be a public improvement, and for the purpose of making such an arrangement, I have no doubt but that I will be able to make such an arrangement with them as will be satisfactory to Council. They believe that the extension of the street will be a public improvement, and for the purpose of making such an arrangement, I have no doubt but that I will be able to make such an arrangement with them as will be satisfactory to Council.

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