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THE SPORT REVIEW

BASEBALL SEASON OPENS THIS AFTERNOON.

W. R. Givens to Pitch a Ball to J. McD. Mowat—The Sunday School Baseball Schedule.

The weatherman has promised some good weather for the opening of the City Baseball league this afternoon, but the fans were doubting his good promise owing to his having broken them on several other occasions. W. R. Givens, donor of the Standard trophy, who has been doing some faithful practicing for several days past, will endeavor to hit the anatomy of J. McD. Mowat even though he be protected by a mask and pad. The line-up of the Victorias as announced last evening is: Cotman, c.; McCann and Gillespie, p.; Davidson, lb.; Duncan, 2b.; Pound, s.a.; Dick, 3b.; McMalon, 1b.; Nicholson, c.f.; Vanhorne, r.f. The C.L.C. line-up will be: Dorey, c.; Brooks, p.; Dickson, lb.; Dine, 2b.; Laird, s.a.; Saunders, 3b.; Lucas, 1b.; Lythe, c.f.; Eford, r.f. George Sullivan will umpire.

To Draw Up Schedule.

President Trotter and Secretary Treasurer of the S.S.A.A.A., will meet in the Y.M.C.A. building this evening to draw up the schedule of the baseball league for this season. They will report to the executive meeting which is to be held next Tuesday evening.

Interesting Ball Game.

An interesting game of ball is expected to be pulled off this afternoon at Barker's Point, between teams picked from the Y.M.C.A. Canoe Club. Great rivalry has existed in other years between these factions.

Baseball on Friday.

Eastern league—Toronto 7, Jersey City 6, Rochester 3, Providence 1, Montreal 1, Baltimore 0, Buffalo, 5, Newark 3.

National league—New York 4, Pittsburgh 3, Brooklyn 2, Cincinnati 0, St. Louis 5, Boston 3, Chicago 7, Philadelphia 2.

American league—Detroit 9, Philadelphia 8, Boston 4, Chicago 3, New York 10, St. Louis 6, Cleveland 7, Washington 1.

Canadian league—Hamilton 6, St. Thomas 1, London 9, Guelph 7, Brantford 6.

Quadrille Party.

Under auspices of Court Earl Roberts, L.O.F., in Orpheum Hall, Monday evening. Tickets, 50c. a couple. Refreshments served.

Suit-case umbrellas at Jenkins.

THE HOUSE HAS ADJOURNED.

And It Will Reassemble on July 18th.

Special to the Whig. Ottawa, May 20.—At its three sessions, yesterday, the members of the house got through a lot of work on public works estimates, probably about five-twelfths of them, and adjourned until July 18th. There was some opposition to many of the items that Mr. Pugsley suggested. Some estimates that had to be passed at once were attended to, though not before there had been considerable questioning.

A bill to extend the trade agreement with Japan for two years was put through committee and then read a third time. When the grain bill was called Mr. Borden pointed out that the farmers of the west had made a specific request of the government, namely for government ownership and operation of terminal elevators. This had not been granted.

Mr. Oliver replied that the bill established a board with authority to take over the elevators if thought advisable by them after investigation.

"Surely," said Mr. Borden, "the government should have taken the responsibility of a decision in the matter."

Mr. Staples strongly criticized the government for delay in bringing down the bill and then in a form that did not meet the wishes of the western farmers.

Mr. Knowles justified the delay which he said was due to the desire of hearing all parties interested. He accused the opposition of obstructing, whereupon Mr. Lennox protested.

YOUTH OF 7 FEET 2 3/4 INCHES.

Tallest Candidate for Coronation Parade of Giants.

London, May 20.—In connection with the parade of giants at the forthcoming festival of empire, at the Crystal Palace, letters from tall men in all parts of the country continue to pour into the festival office. A week ago the tallest man on record at the office was an army chaplain, six feet nine and three-quarter inches in height. He must now, however, give place to another, in view of a letter received from J. P. Mannell, governor of the London Boys' homes, Dr. Barnardo's Institute. Mr. Mannell writes to Frank Lascelles: "We have a youth at present residing in one of our homes who measures in his stockings seven feet two and three-quarter inches."

Frederick Kempter is the name of the youth, who is twenty-two years of age. He is at present employed as a basket-maker at Dr. Barnardo's Garden City for Boys, Woodford, Essex. He is well developed and of enormous physical strength.

RAISING GRADE

Of the C.P.R. Lines at Smith's Falls.

Smith's Falls, Ont., May 20.—The C.P.R. company is making a big expenditure of money here in lowering the grades. One of the worst of the Smith's Falls division is just west of the town and on this about one hundred men are now at work. For about a mile and a quarter from the town the Toronto track will be raised and in addition to this the roadbed of the main line will be widened and filled to the new level for the double track. The track of the Ottawa line will be also raised to the same height under an agreement with the Canadian Northern company, to allow its line to pass under all the C.P.R. tracks instead of crossing on the level. The tremendous grade that has existed at this place will be realized when it is known that the tracks in the mile and a quarter referred to will be raised twelve feet higher than they are at present.

EARL GREY CRITICIZED.

Sending Deputy to Give Assent to Bills.

Ottawa, May 20.—A sensational episode took place in the senate, yesterday. His Excellency Earl Grey being severely criticized for his alleged slight of parliament by sending his deputy, Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, to give royal assent to bills prior to the two months' adjournment. Senator Power led the attack, and he was in some degree supported by Sir Mackenzie Bowell. Sir Richard Cartwright came to the defence of the governor, extolling his service to Canada in the high position he holds.

HON. ADAM BECK REPLIES

To Aid Elliott's Request for Power Prices.

Ald. R. F. Elliott, chairman of the union of eastern municipalities, on Saturday morning, received a letter from Hon. Adam Beck, chairman of the Hydro-Electric commission, in reply to his request for the revised prices for power supply. Mr. Beck stated that he could not give these prices at present, but would do so as soon as his engineers had reported further upon the amount of power required for this eastern district, and after a contract had been made with the High Falls company. At present, the Hydro-Electric commission has an engineer going through the eastern Ontario municipalities, and he reports that more power will be required than at first estimated. It will probably be late in the summer before anything further is heard from the commission.

Electric Power in Norway.

Christiania, Norway, May 20.—An enormous electric power station at Vemarn, in the province of Telemark, was started to-day, the Bjorknfos, or Foaming-Fall, supplying the power for the machinery. This fall, which is one of the magnificent sights of Norway, has been changed so that the water has a straight drop of about 1,400 feet, where previously the drop was 800 feet. By this means a horsepower of 145,000 has been obtained.

Special Corsets, four hose supporters, 50c. \$1; motor wheels, all colors, 50c. New York Dress Reform, 299 Princess street. Three insane prisoners were brought from St. Vincent de Paul to the penitentiary here, on Saturday.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

OCCURRENCES RECORDED IN BRIEF FORM.

Matters That Interest Everybody—Notes From All Over—Little of Everything Easily Read and Remembered.

Chatham hotel-keepers announce an advance in rates of fifty cents a day. A civic commission to investigate the morality of London, Ont., will be asked for immediately.

Lord Strathcona has asked Mayor Frink, of St. John, N.B., to be his guest during the coronation. "Pobty" Leach is preparing to make another trip on July 4th, through the Niagara whirlpool rapids in his aged barrel.

In consequence of the growing popularity of emigration to Canada, it is reported that several Belgian steamship lines are altering their service accordingly.

The "Marys" of British Guiana, most of them black women, have subscribed over \$250 as their contribution to the Empire fund for a coronation gift to Queen Mary.

At Gary, Ind., Mayor Thomas E. Knotts, is charged with embezzlement, perjury and malfeasance in office. He is charged with retaining \$2,000 collected while acting as city judge.

James Alliot, Pittsburg, Pa., makes confession that he was used by the National Erectors' Association of the United States to blow up structures at Cleveland and in other parts of Ohio.

At Salt Lake City, Utah, an historic graveyard, which furnished the most suitable place for the new quarter million dollar race track, has been purchased by Montana and California capitalists.

At Chattanooga, Tenn., Dr. John Sherman was sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary for the murder of Thomas B. Norman, his brother-in-law, whom he killed he contended, in self-defence.

J. W. Hopkins, who has been connected with Y.M.C.A. work in Woodstock, Kingston and other Ontario cities various times, has been appointed secretary of the Central Y.M.C.A., Toronto.

Gertrude Gaynor, aged twenty-two, daughter of Mayor Gaynor, New York, eloped with William Seward Webb, Jr., son of a millionaire, and were married at Wilmington, Del. Another daughter of Gaynor's eloped last year. The Knickerbocker Savings and Loan company, doing large business among working classes, closed its doors in New York, Saturday morning, on order of Bank Superintendent Cheney. There was almost a riot outside the place, but the police gained control and dispersed the stricken depositors.

No Longer Expensive.

The expensive wedding present is a thing of the past in England. An invitation to a wedding no longer means that the friend invited must contribute to the household effects of the young couple by sending something very heavy and handsome. Gone are the days when the solid silver teapot, the oak bookcase, the ornate table and the massive dining-room clock made the homes of all newly-wedded people have a sort of family resemblance.

Nowadays the English bride's friends give her personal presents, while the bridegroom's friends do the same by him. Of course, the young couple receive many card cases and pocketbooks, but many relatives and friends give quaint bits of jewelry or antique bon-bon boxes and other dainty trifles, so the young couple furnish after their own ideas and simply count wedding gifts as souvenirs, no longer valued contributions to the start in housekeeping.

Sand Hill Ladies Meet.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of Sand Hill Presbyterian church, held recently in the home of Mrs. T. McVelly, was very largely attended. The treasurer reported a balance of over \$300. The several unique schemes for gathering funds are all proving successful. Plans are being made for a strawberry festival. During the meeting the president, Mrs. Reeder, was made the recipient of a neat little sum of money as a token of gratitude for her work during the year. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. J. McKeedy's and will take the form of a birthday party as the society will then be one year old. At the close of the meeting the hostess and her daughters served refreshments.

Last Euchre Party.

The last of the euchre parties held by Companion Court Lodge, L.O.F., was held in their lodge rooms, corner Montreal and Princess streets, Friday evening, and was well attended. Sergt. Fowler and Gr. Bilodeau were tied for first place, and when the tie was played off Gr. Bilodeau was declared the winner. Mrs. Keyo obtained the ladies' prize and Mrs. Summer captured second prize. Refreshments were served.

Still No Settlement.

At Labor Hall, at noon, on Saturday, it was stated that there were no new developments in the strike situation. As stated in the Whig, on Friday, the stonecutters are willing to arbitrate, while the stonemasons state that they have nothing to arbitrate. Everything appears to be quiet with the masons' laborers.

Captain of the Caspian.

Capt. William Bongard, of Picton, who has been first mate on the steamer Caspian for several years, will this season become its captain. The Caspian will make its first trip out of Kingston on the 27th.

An old-fashioned gentleman is a polite to a girl of fifty-eight as he is to one of eighteen. A pack of trouble looks like a bundle to the man who is up against it. All the best brands of underwear at Jenkins.

THE WHIG'S JUMBLE.

A Lot of News of Interest to Everybody.

"Ice cream bricks," Gibson's. Livingston's new spring hats. Pure silk Sox, 50c., at Jenkins'. "Marty" Walsh arrived home from Ottawa, at noon, to-day. Cool and contented people buy Jenkins' underwear.

Lennox and Addington county council will meet in Napanee, on June 5th. To introduce our new stock, \$2.50 tan or black Oxford \$1.65. Dutton's. Mrs. G. M. Card has purchased G. Perry's house, and will remove to Napanee about 1st June.

New stock of strong English boots for boys and girls, low prices. Dutton's, 209 Princess street. Long sleeves, quarter sleeves and no sleeve underwear, with long legs or knee lengths, at Jenkins'.

Benj. Luffman and Harry Roney have taken over the management of the new Arlington Hotel, Deseronto.

Rev. Mr. Blanchard, Eggarville is to join Rev. Mr. Whiteside in evangelistic work in the Montreal Methodist Conference.

Sale three-inch silk ribbon, 10c.; 50c. chamois French gloves, 25c.; 35c. silk lisle hose, 25c. Dutton's, 209 Princess street.

Boys' Buster Brown stockings, 25c. at Jenkins'.

Rev. C. W. Demille was elected by Napanee Methodist district meeting as its representative on the stationing committee.

Paris sox in fashion's latest, at Jenkins'.

A largely signed petition asks that Miss Minnie Delaney be appointed postmistress at Arnprior to succeed her late father.

Don't forget the event of the season, St. Paul's A.Y.P.A. play and concert, next Friday night in the school room, at 8 o'clock.

Oldest established corset firm in Kingston. Still leading—Over fifty kinds to choose from. New York Dress Reform, 209 Princess street.

Jenkins' new shirts, see them. The board of education bribery investigating committee will have a couple of affidavits to read to the board at its next meeting, but nothing incriminating to report.

Jenkins' new straws are meeting with great favor; they are decidedly new.

A. R. Byes, visiting friends in Napanee, for the past three weeks, expects to return to Dawson City on Monday. Mrs. Byes and daughter, Shibley, will remain with friends for a few weeks.

Use-fitting collars at Jenkins'. Charles W. Livingston and James Macdonnell, of Kingston, have passed their final examinations at Oscego hall, and will be called to the bar. Both young men are Queen's University graduates.

Twentieth Century new suits at Jenkins'.

The friends of Miss Anna Scanlin, formerly of Estabrook, but now of San Antonio, Texas, will be glad to hear of her success. She entered Santa Rosa Infirmary two years ago as nurse-in-training, and on May 3rd graduated, winning highest honors in her class.

Newness never sears us from buying a good thing. Jenkins'. Freston, Brock street, has received all his spring and summer goods for his order clothing department, also in ready-made clothing and gents' furnishings department. They are all well assorted with new goods.

New narrow ties at Jenkins'. The question as to whether or not it is legal to sell cigars, candies and soft drinks on Sunday in Ontario, was reopened before Justice Middleton, in Toronto, Saturday morning, by the attorney-general of Ontario, who wants a judicial opinion on the matter. Judgment was reserved.

All one-piece steel umbrellas at Jenkins'.

Save repairs by having revolving rubber heels, put on without extra charge, 12c. 25c. 35c. per pair. Sole agents, BIRTON'S, 309 Princess street.

Lord Strathcona, Canada's ninety-one-year-old high commissioner, was at Boston Station, at one o'clock Saturday morning, to meet Sir Wilfrid Laurier, when the train pulled in, and gave him a hearty greeting. Sir Wilfrid will be accorded the post of seniority and first honor among the dominion's premiers.

The recent and members of the Carleton Chapter of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire wish to thank Messrs. Redden, Rigney & Hickey, McEwan, Rodley, the Jackson Press, E. K. Purdy, R. S. Reid, T. McK. Robertson and those non-commissioned officers and men of the R.C.H.A. who so kindly volunteered to assist in the decorating for "The Fair of Nations," and the sergeant-major and sergeants of 14th P.W.O.R.

TO PLATE COUGHED-UP PIN.

Souvenir of Article That Imperilled Her Life.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 20.—A pin which Miss Florence Barber, of Loveton, Wyoming county, swallowed three months ago and which caused her to be a patient at the Mercy hospital, in this city, for several weeks, was coughed up by her while she was hanging paper in the kitchen of her home.

An X-ray examination in the hospital showed the pin to be just below the larynx, but no operation was performed, and the young woman returned home. Miss Barber will have the pin gold plated and preserved as a souvenir.

Hardie Holds Wrong View. Kilmarnock, Scotland, May 20.—At a meeting here, presided over by Neir Hardie, Hon. Andrew Fisher, Premier of Australia, voiced his dissent from the chairman's views with regard to naval defence. "If anyone holds the same ideas after looking at a map of the South Pacific ocean," he declared, "I would say that he lacks perspective in his judgment."

Par-Mutuel Commission. Toronto, May 20.—The statement circulated to the effect the commission on the pari-mutuel investments at the Ontario Jockey Club meeting would be ten per cent, is incorrect. The deduction will be five per cent as in Kentucky. The deduction in France is eight, in Germany ten, and in West Australia fifteen per cent.

Advertisement for J. Laidlaw & Son, featuring various clothing items like stockings, belts, and shoes, with prices and descriptions. Includes a signature 'John Laidlaw & Son' and the store name 'THE LOCKETT SHOE STORE'.

Large advertisement for R. Waldron, featuring a 'Special Sale' of 'Ladies' Long White Gloves' and '20 Only Black Shirt Waist Suits'. Includes prices and store information.