

# NEWS OF SPORT.

## TEAMS WHO HAVE ENTERED FOR BIG CYCLING EVENT.

**Official List of Those Who Will Face the Starter in Six Day Race—Referee For Britt-Nelson Go--Maritime Turf Resume.**

### CYCLING.

#### For Six-Day Race.

New York, Dec. 2.—Eighteen teams will compose the starters in the six day bicycle race to begin in Madison Square garden next Monday.

Following is the official list:—Jean Gougoltz, Switzerland and Petit Breton, France; Arthur Vanderstuyt, Belgium and Johann Stoll, Holland; Anthony Dussot, Argentine Republic and Andre Mazan, France; "Robbie" Walthour, Atlanta, Ga., and "Benjie" Munroe, Tennessee; Nat. Butler and James E. Moran, Boston; W. Palmer, Australia, and Emil Agaz, Mexico; W. E. Samuelson and Saxon Williams, Salt Lake City; Otto Mayo, Pennsylvania, and Jed. Newkirk, Chicago; John Bedell and Menus Bedell, Lynnbrook, L. I.; E. F. Root and Oliver Dorlan, Sheephead Bay, L. I.; Hugh McLean, Boston and James Bowles, Chicago; Harry Caldwell, New Hampshire and Norman C. Hopper, Minneapolis; Patrick Logan, Lowell, Mass and Patrick F. Keegan, Boston; Floyd Grebbis, Newark, N. J., and Joseph Fogler, Brooklyn; Chas. Turville, Philadelphia and Louis Mettling, Boston; Sammy Sulkins, Boston and Jos. Rockswitz, New York; Hardy Downing and Burton Downing, San Jose, Cal. W. F. King, Missouri and Mario Rossino, Italy.

Ireland will play a strong part this year in the struggle for honors in the six day race. The principal representatives of the Emerald Isle are Patrick Logan and Patrick Keegan, and Keegan is a familiar figure in the race, having ridden for the past two years in the six-day grind with Jimmy Moran, of Boston. His courage is a part of six days history.

His partner this year is a new comer and a good one. He will be an amateur until the starting gun sends the big field away on Sunday next at mid-night, and as an amateur he was one of the fastest sprinters in the game. At the amateur championship in Boston last summer he carried Marcus Hurley, the amateur champion, along so fast that the latter got dizzy.

### HOCKEY.

#### Mohawks Organize.

A meeting of the Mohawks was held

last evening. W. L. Rising was elected captain, and he and K. Inches and Fred Tufts compose the managing committee. C. Inches was elected secretary and treasurer. It was decided to communicate with outside clubs regarding the provincial league.

### THE RING.

#### Was a Good One.

Poor old George Dixon, once the most talked-about boxer in the world, fought in a preliminary in England recently, and lost to an unknown featherweight. The former champion of the world cannot be a shadow of his former greatness when he is beaten in a curtain raiser in a country like England, where good fighters are so scarce.

#### Badly Punished.

Cambridge, Mass. Dec. 1.—Al Smith, a Philadelphia boxer, was so badly punished by Young Sidney, of Boston, after two rounds of fighting before the union athletic club tonight that his seconds threw the sponge into the ring. Young Kenney of Lowell, was scheduled to box Sidney but at the last moment he refused to enter the ring, claiming that the inducements offered by the club were not sufficient to satisfy him.

#### Referee Chosen.

San Francisco, Dec. 2.—It has been practically decided that Wm. Roach will referee the fight between Jas. Britt and "Battling" Nelson which will take place in this city on Dec. 20 next. The Britt faction asked for Edward Graney. Theodore Murphy, manager for Nelson agreed to this with the understanding that should Graney not accept, Roche would be chosen. This was satisfactory to all concerned. It was later learned that Graney would refuse to act.

### THE TURF.

#### Maritime Track Records.

(Halifax Recorder, Dec. 1.)

The turf season of 1904 in the Maritime Provinces has been productive of large fields, splendid racing, big purses, the greatest exhibitions of speed ever seen in this country, plenty interest evinced by the public, with the meetings largely patronized, the

invasion of American horsemen sought for by the tracks, and in the end to cause much difference of opinion as to whether they should be allowed to take part next year, and the prevalence of mixed races, Halifax being the only place where there were races solely for trotters. As already shown by the Recorder's list, published a couple of weeks ago, no less than 23 horses entered the 230 list of provincial turf this season, and 16 already in the list reduced their records.

Altogether it was a remarkable season, with the Maritime Province record being broken on several occasions, until it was finally placed at 2.12 at Chatham, N. B., by the American pacer Phoebon W.

Phoebon W., started in eight races never losing a heat, and winning \$1650 in premiums within seven weeks. His fastest miles was 2.12 while his slowest, outside his 2.21 on the slow track at St. John was 2.174.

The newly imported mare Simmassie, owned by F. Boutilier, Halifax, was the queen of the turf; she lowered the Maritime Provinces record at Moncton in June to 2.14, which record was unexcelled during the season by any horse owned in the Provinces. In the six races in which she started against Phoebon W., she was second in four. She started in 10 races during the year, taking three firsts, four seconds and three thirds, and winning \$180. Helen R., the ex-queen, owned by the Springhill stables, showed she had all her own speed in being second to Phoebon W. at Chatham in 2.12. She started in 10 races during the season, and was eight times second, winning \$1100 in premiums. Gilty, owned by E. Le Roi Willis, Sydney, was the other horse to make the free-for-all; he showed all his speed of the previous year by defeating Simmassie at New Glasgow, and equalling the track record. He unfortunately got a sore mouth during the fall racing, and was not able to show his true form. The death of Tonita F. just as she showed she would be faster than last year, was a blow to the turf as well as to the enterprising owner, A.B. Etter, Amherst.

The fastest province bred of the season was the pacer Ada Mac, by Parkside. She had a mark of 2.21 last year, but at Moncton she reduced this to 2.20. She was not in shape for Amherst or Halifax meetings, but over the slow track at St. John she equalled her former record, and at the October meeting at Moncton she won in 2.18, the fastest mile by a Province bred during the season.

The greatest green horse of the season was Rita M., as in her very first season on the turf she not only beat imported horses and horses brought to the Provinces from across the border to race, but she entered the 2.20

list obtaining a record of 2.19. It was a remarkable performance, and her work was a great tribute to Province bred animals. The honors of the fastest stallion of the year was between Clayton Jr., owned by F. H. Mann, Petitedoine, and Banito, owned by J. O. Larder, Sydney, each of whom obtained a record of 2.19. Clayton Jr., is Province bred, while Banito was a green horse this season. The fastest winning heat by a Province bred pacer gelding was by Park Campobello in 2.204.

There were big reductions made in track records during the season, and those of the principal tracks are now as follows:—

Chatham, Phoebon W.	2.12
Moncton, " " "	2.14
Halifax, " " "	2.14
Amherst, " " "	2.15
Sussex, " " "	2.15
Springhill, Gilty.	2.154
Woodstock, Beatrice Greeley.	2.16
New Glasgow, Tonita F. and Gilty.	2.163
St. John, Phoebon W.	2.17
Charlottetown, Simmassie and John T.	2.174
Fredericton, Ituna.	2.174
St. Stephen, Beatrice Greeley.	2.184

### BASKET BALL.

#### Ladies To Play.

The St. John Ladies' Basket Ball Club will play the Rothesay club in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium tomorrow at 2.30 o'clock.

### AN OLD TIME BASEBALLIST.

#### Further Particulars of the Death of Harry Masters Formerly of St. John.

Captain J. E. Masters, of Moncton was in the city, last evening, on his way to Brockton, to attend the funeral of his brother, Harry, who was killed by an electric shock in his office Wednesday.

The following further particulars of his sad death are from yesterday's Boston Herald: "He had been kept late to balance up the accounts at the close of the month. His book keeper, Carl Merrill of Avon, was with him. He saw his employer fall and jumped to catch him. The electric light wire was twisted about Mr. Masters' left wrist, and in attempting to disentangle it, Mr. Merrill received a severe shock. The flesh on Mr. Masters' left hand and wrist were burned. As he fell he attempted to make an outcry, but death was virtually instantaneous.

Harry Masters was well known in this city and was one of the fathers of base ball, being a member of the Old Mutual team in 1870 to 1873, along with Harry P. Sandall C. F. Olive Park Melville, William Hinch, Walter Hart, George Bennett and others. His position on the team was at third base. He was the life of the game, and took an active part in all sport in the good old times. Much sympathy is expressed, in

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### UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" never grows old. It speaks the universal language of the heart. It is more than a play, it is a moral classic. It argues for two of the greatest themes that can engage the mind, human liberty and immortality of the soul. Notwithstanding its frequent productions, it is seldom one sees the play as it is now presented by Mr. Stetson. It is refreshing to see the old play in its natural habiliments once more. It is like meeting an old friend after many years. The manager doubtless believes in the maxim, "What is worth doing is worth doing well." They have brought together in this production all the requisites that go to make up a first class entertainment. Stetson's Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., will appear at the Opera House Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next, Dec. 5th, 6th, 7th.

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### THE BORDEN CLUB.

#### Important Resolutions Passed at Last Evening's Meeting.

The R. L. Borden club met last evening and passed two resolutions of interest. The matter of carrying on a debating society in connection with the club, this winter, was discussed. Congratulatory letters from clubs in Halifax and Fredericton.

The following resolution was passed:—

Whereas, R. L. Borden was appointed leader of the liberal-conservative party in the house of commons of Canada in the session of 1901, and

Whereas, He filled that position with great ability and to the entire satisfaction of his party up to the time of the recent federal election, when he was not returned to parliament, therefore

Resolved, That we, the members of the R. L. Borden Club of St. John, convey to Mr. Borden expressions of our regret at his defeat, and our sincere hope that he will favorably consider the invitations which have been extended to him by several constituencies, inviting him to be their representative in parliament, so that he may again be able to serve his country with distinction in the capacity of leader of the liberal-conservative party.

The club also passed a resolution to agitate for and assist in the formation of similar clubs in every suitable town in the province.

### THE COUNTY COURT.

The county court met at 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon Judge Forbes presiding.

In the case of The McLaughlin Carriage Company, Ltd., vs. Frank Quigg, judgement was delivered in favor of the defendant, with costs. Hannington, Teed and Hannington, for plaintiff; E. R. Chapman for defendant.

In the case of Dean vs. Flood, his honor gave judgement for the plaintiff for \$140.42. A. A. Wilson, K. C. for plaintiff, Hannington, Teed and Hannington for defence.

The petit jury was next sworn in hear the case of C. H. Peters Sons vs. Patrick A. Nugent. A number of witnesses were examined and the court adjourned; Hannington, Teed and Hannington, for plaintiff; D. Mullin, K. C., for defendant.

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### A MURDER MYSTERY.

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 1.—John Plummer, a prominent and influential farmer, living near here, was killed last night by an unknown assassin. Mr. Plummer was sitting on the front porch of his residence, playing a violin, when the crack of a gun was heard, and Mr. Plummer fell to the floor, expiring in a few moments.

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