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### BEAN BALL HAS NUMBERED MANY VICTIMS

Clyde Manoin One of the Latest to Show Signs of Ball-Shyness—Some Other Cases.

Toronto, May 14—Failure of Clyde Manoin to hit in his accustomed form this season has been a surprise and disappointment to Manager Cobb of the Detroit team. The blow on the head by a pitched ball which cut short Manoin's season in Toronto last year is having its effect. A similar accident shortened Bill Bradley's big league career and he had not recovered when he joined the Leafs, some years later. Many other diamond stars have had their usefulness impaired by being hit by pitched balls. The recent release of Outfielder Ralph Shinnars was brought from Indianapolis or the American Association by the New York Nationals for \$75,000. He had batted .347 that season and had made fifty doubles, twenty-six triples and thirteen home runs. In the spring of 1922 he joined the Giants and was felled by George Smith of the Phillies. For many weeks he lay in a hospital. When he was pronounced cured Manager McGraw noticed a change in his stance and the fact that he was ducking from high balls. He was sent to Toledo in 1924 and the Cardinals after watching his work decided that he was no longer "ball shy." With the St. Louis team he continued to back up from the plate and now he goes to the Pacific Coast another victim of the bean ball.

A dog attacked a fisherman. They seem to have been biting that day.

### ASSAULT ON REFEREE BROUGHT STIFF FINES

Two Players in Hamilton, Ont., Lay for Official as He Left the Rink—Were Prosecuted.

Toronto, May 14—Yesterday in Hamilton two hockey players were fined \$25 each on being found guilty of an assault on Roy E. Richardson referee subsequent to a game in that city on Feb. 26. It was adduced in evidence at the trial that the accused stationed themselves near one of the exits and attacked the official when he came out of the arena. Fortunately the day has passed when sports officials could be attacked with impunity. There are instances on record of hockey and lacrosse referees being subjected to rough treatment or being obliged to "make their getaway" via back windows, alleys, or across plowed forty-acre lots. Some of them have been chased across country, through creeks or spirited out of town by the orderly element who refused to be incited to acts of rowdism. Not infrequently the village "cop" is a most "enthusiastic supporter" of the home team. Even to this day there are isolated instances of attacks upon officials, but happily they are growing less numerous. The Police Court is the place for rowdies who would defame their town and "the game."

Beau—See that bow-legged girl over there? She's one of the healthiest girls I know.  
Nash—Humph she doesn't look in very good shape to me.

### PAYMENTS IN EARLY CLOSING EVENTS TODAY

First Payments and Nominations for Fall Race Meets of Exhibitions—Maine & N. B. Circuit.

Today is closing date for first payments and nominations for the early closing events of the Fall Fairs Racing Section of the Maine & New Brunswick Harness Racing Circuit. The expectation is that there will be excellent lists of nominations.

The summer circuit is to open July 2 at Caribou and close August 19 at Edmundston and the fair racing will follow in little more than a week.

**Summer Dates.**  
The dates of the summer race meets are as follows:  
Caribou, Me.—July 2 & 3.  
Houlton, Me.—July 5 & 6.  
Woodstock, N. B.—July 12 & 13.  
St. Stephen, N. B.—July 21 & 22.  
Fredericton, N. B.—July 28 & 29.  
Moncton, N. B.—Aug. 6 & 7.  
Presque Isle, Me.—Aug. 11 & 12.  
Edmundston, N. B.—Aug. 18 & 19.  
**The Fall Fairs.**  
The dates of the race meets of the exhibitions in the late summer and autumn are as follows:  
Houlton, Me.—Aug. 31, Sept. 1 & 2.  
Caribou, Me.—Aug. 31, Sept. 1 & 2.  
St. Stephen, N. B.—Sept. 1-3.  
Presque Isle, Me.—Sept. 7-9.  
Woodstock, N. B.—Sept. 15-17.  
Fredericton, N. B.—Sept. 21-24.

Sillicus—At what period of a man's life should he marry?  
Cynicus—Oh, when he hasn't anything else to worry about him.

### SOFT BALL LEAGUE OPENS ON MONDAY

Five Teams Entered—Games on Queen's Square Diamond—Schedule Provides for Game Till August.

A five-team Soft Ball League is to operate in Fredericton during the summer. The games will be played on Queen's Square where the Playgrounds Committee had a fine diamond constructed some years ago. The schedule will open on Monday evening next and will be carried through until August.

The competing teams are Clerks, John Palmer Company Limited, Hartt Boot & Shoe Company Limited, Palmer-McLellan Shoe Company, J. S. Neill & Sons Limited.

The schedule which has been drawn is as follows:—

**FIRST WEEK.**  
May 17—Clerks vs Palmer-McLellan.  
May 18—John Palmer vs Neills.  
May 19—Hartt vs Clerks.  
May 20—Palmer-McLellan vs Neills.  
May 21—John Palmer vs Hartt.  
**SECOND WEEK.**  
May 25—Palmer-McLellan vs Hartt.  
May 26—Neills vs Clerks.  
May 27—John Palmer vs Palmer-McLellan.  
May 28—Neills vs Hartt.  
Clerks vs John Palmer.  
(Double Header)  
**THIRD WEEK.**  
May 31—Clerks vs Palmer-McLellan.  
June 1—John Palmer vs Neills.  
June 2—Hartt vs Clerks.  
June 4—Palmer-McLellan vs Neills.  
Hartt vs John Palmer.  
(Double Header)  
**FOURTH WEEK.**  
June 7—Palmer-McLellan vs Hartt.  
June 8—Neills vs Clerks.  
June 9—John Palmer vs Palmer-McLellan.  
June 10—Hartt vs Neills.  
June 11—Clerks vs John Palmer.  
**FIFTH WEEK.**  
June 14—Clerks vs Palmer-McLellan.  
June 15—John Palmer vs Neills.  
June 16—Palmer-McLellan vs Neills.  
June 17—Hartt vs John Palmer.  
June 18—Hartt vs Clerks.  
**SIXTH WEEK.**  
June 21—Palmer-McLellan vs Hartt.  
June 22—Neills vs Clerks.  
June 23—John Palmer vs Palmer-McLellan.  
June 24—Clerks vs John Palmer.  
June 25—Hartt vs Neills.  
**SEVENTH WEEK.**  
June 28—Hartt vs Clerks.  
June 29—Palmer-McLellan vs Neills.  
June 30—Clerks vs Palmer-McLellan.  
July 2—Neills vs John Palmer.  
John Palmer vs Hartt.  
(Double Header)  
**EIGHTH WEEK.**  
July 5—Palmer-McLellan vs Hartt.  
July 6—Neills vs Clerks.  
July 7—John Palmer vs Palmer-McLellan.  
July 8—John Palmer vs Clerks.  
July 9—Hartt vs Neills.  
**NINTH WEEK.**  
July 12—Hartt vs Clerks.  
July 13—John Palmer vs Neills.  
July 14—Palmer-McLellan vs Clerks.  
July 15—Neills vs Palmer-McLellan.  
July 16—Hartt vs John Palmer.  
**TENTH WEEK.**  
July 19—Palmer-McLellan vs Hartt.  
July 20—Neills vs Clerks.  
July 21—John Palmer vs Palmer-McLellan.  
July 22—Hartt vs Neills.  
July 23—Clerks vs John Palmer.  
**ELEVENTH WEEK.**  
July 26—Hartt vs Clerks.  
July 27—John Palmer vs Neills.  
July 28—Clerks vs Palmer-McLellan.  
July 29—Palmer-McLellan vs Neills.  
July 30—Hartt vs John Palmer.  
**TWELFTH WEEK.**  
August 2—Palmer-McLellan vs Hartt.  
August 3—Neills vs Clerks.  
August 4—John Palmer vs Palmer-McLellan.  
August 5—Clerks vs John Palmer.  
August 6—Hartt vs Neills.  
The first named team being the home team.

Observations of the Oldest Inhabitant: The increasing use of rouge and paint makes one wish the old-fashioned custom of wearing veils would come back.

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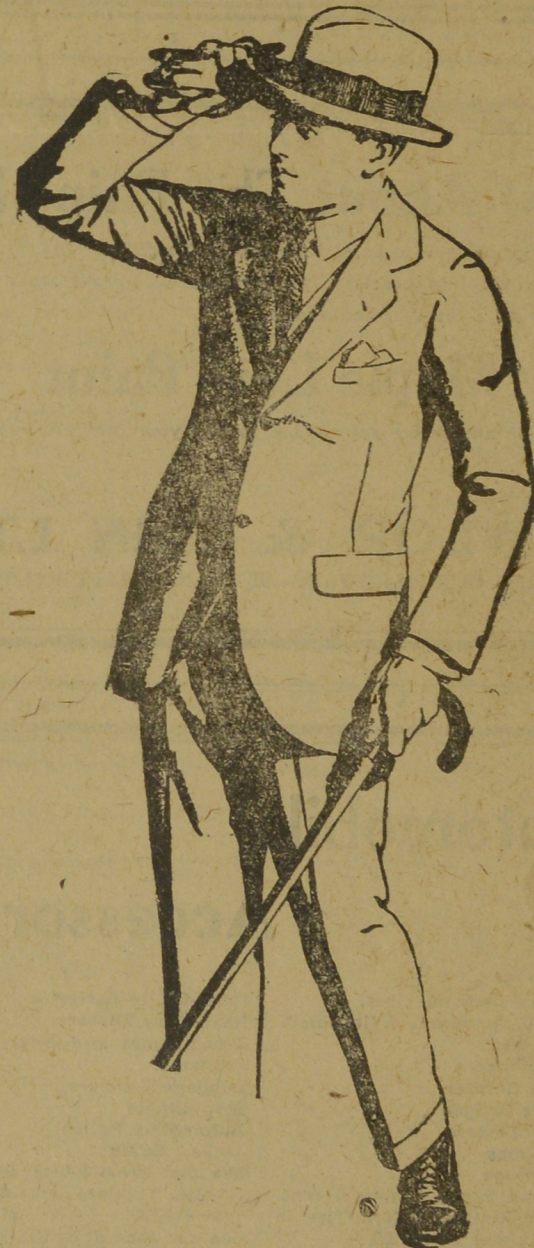
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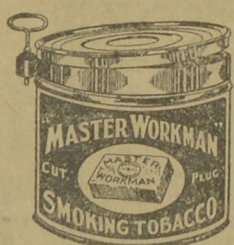
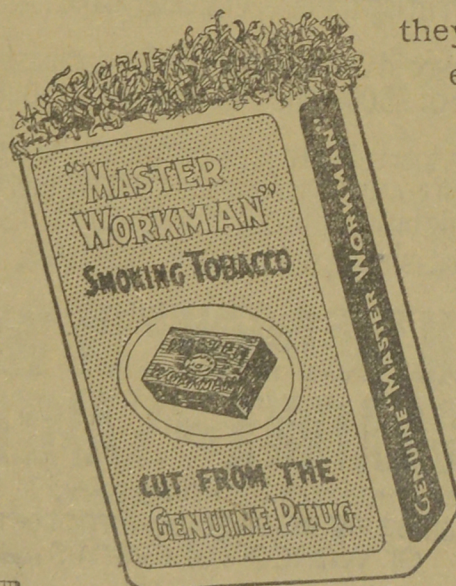
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