

SEASONABLE SPORTS.

A Peep Into the World of Base Ball, Racing, Golf
Bowling and Athletic Sports Generally.

BASE BALL.

THE OUTLOOK IN MONCTON.

Speaking of baseball prospects in Moncton the Transcript says:

It would not be surprising to see five instead of four teams in the city league this season. The Trojans, Y. M. C. C., Franklins and Phisties, will all be in line, and well authenticated rumor has it that a fifth team is being organized which includes some of the best known city ball players among its number.

Regarding the personnel of the teams, little will be known until the first meeting of the organization has been held. The clubs are all at work getting in shape for the season.

"Jimmy" Humphrey is again at the helm for the year, and it is likely that the Trojans will have as strong a team as last year, although there are several vacancies on the team from the north end which is minus a battery, a third baseman and one of the fielders of last year. The Batters are not with the Thistles, and the vacancy at third base is caused by the prospective removal from the city of "Jack" McBeath, the clever third baseman for the League winners, who will be missed for both his fielding and hitting. Lockhart, who was in the right garden for the northenders, is out of the game for good, and this makes another vacancy.

Manager Humphrey is not letting the grass grow under his feet, however, and will be there with the goods when the season opens.

THE TURF.

NO CIRCUIT.

It is now quite probable that the Maritime Horse Breeders' Association will not conduct a circuit this season. A meeting of the association was held some weeks ago and dates could not be agreed on, so the matter has been dropped for the present at least, and as a member of the association said this morning, "may be indefinitely."

St. John, Moncton, Fredericton, Springfield and Woodstock were in the circuit last year. This season there will be plenty of horse racing, but the track owners will make their dates to suit themselves without bothering about a circuit.

So far the only racing for Moosepath Park that is not a big meet will be during the fall exhibition. St. John Sun.

COLT SOLD FOR \$10,000.

Boston Herald.—George W. Leavitt acting for a syndicate of horsemen, has purchased from Col. Drinkwater the promising three-year-old colt Cochato, by Todd, 2.13. The price paid was \$10,000. Cochato is entered in all the big 3-year-old stakes, and is looked upon by good judges to have a chance to win back his purchase price this season.

In speaking of the sale Mr. Leavitt said that when he advised the new owners of the colt to make the purchase, he told them that in his opinion the youngster has an excellent chance in the big Futurity events, but that in the event of his being unfortunate at the races this year they would still have one of the grandest young stallions in the country, both individually and by inheritance.

Cochato is by Todd 2.14, son of Bingen, 2.06, and Fanella 2.13, dam of Sadie Mac 2.06, by Orion, 2.07. His dam, Castanea, 2.19, by Pistachio, brother to Nutwood, 2.18; second dam, Lindora Wilkes, dam of five, by Guy Wilkes, 2.15; third dam, Rosetta, by the Moor, fourth dam by Clark Chief, then back to his 21st dam thoroughbred.

The colt will remain in charge of Millard Drinkwater, who developed him and drove him a mile in 2.18, over the Roadville track last year as a 2-year-old. Who will race this year has not yet been decided.

NEW HORSES.

In the horse world new importations are being made also every day to the provinces. A few days ago Mr. A. S. Lent of Tusket, Yarmouth Co., imported the brood mare Bizzard, by Advance, 2.23, a son of the mighty Onward 2.25, dam Dutch by Corsair by Rysdyk's Hambletonia. The mare is now in foal to Jay McGregor 2.07, and later will be bred to Achille 2.15.

AUTOMOBILING.

A MILE IN 29 SECONDS.

New York, April 4.—George Cannon driving a steamer automobile, with only one of its two boilers working, covered half a mile in twenty seconds last Sunday morning on the Coney Island Boulevard. While this time is not an official road record, twenty men, among them John R. Eustis, held watches on Cannon when he covered the half mile, and among them they agreed on twenty seconds for the distance.

Cannon, who is an ex-Harvard student, is confident that with both boilers working, the steamer can do a mile on a beach course in twenty-five seconds. Owing to the comparative roughness of the Coney Island road it was impossible for Cannon to let the automobile go its capacity on Sunday morning.

The road record for a mile is forty-five seconds, made last year in Havana by H. Fletcher. The beach record is twenty-eight seconds for a mile, made last January by a Stanley Steamer at Ormond Beach, Fla.

YACHTING.

WILL NOT RACE SHAMROCK III.

From time to time reports and rumors have been going the rounds to the effect that Sir Thomas Lipton had given orders to fit out the Shamrock III., and with Captain Bevis in charge, together with an American crew, the latest challenger would take part in the race for the King's cup off Newport during the coming summer. In order to get at the facts a cablegram was sent to the Herald's Clyde correspondent, who by the way, was recently offered the position of secretary to Sir Thomas instructing him to ascertain the facts in the matter.

His reply by cable is as follows:

Glasgow, April 3, 1906. That the Shamrock III. will be fitted out for the King's cup is most unlikely. Sir Thomas could not now hire a first-class skipper as all are now under engagement. No first-class skipper has yet been approached by Sir Thomas. Sycamore is on the Navahoe. Bevis on the White Heather, Wringe on the Susanne and Hogson on the Mayflower. No foundation for statement Lipton will fit out Shamrock III.

By the above it will be seen that all the best men are now under engagement for the coming season with British owners.

A CANADIAN BUILT BOAT.

To be Entered in the Lipton Cup Races this Year.

Chicago, April 4.—All doubts as to the entry of a Canadian boat in the next Lipton cup races were removed yesterday, when E. S. Baskin, of the Columbia Yacht Club, returned from Hamilton, Ont., with a signed contract from J. H. Fearnside, of that city, to build a 21 footer and sail it in the series. The deal is considered the most important in yachting for some years, as it gives the Lipton races international interest. Mr. Fearnside is a member of the Royal Hamilton, Royal Victoria, and Royal Canadian Yacht Clubs.

The boat will have a fin keel and will be finished on June 1.

THE RING.

AMONG THE BOXERS.

It is the prevailing opinion in San Francisco that Battling Nelson, if he defeats Herrera at Los Angeles next month, will be forced to meet Joe Gans for the lightweight title. While there is not much sympathy for Gans because of his participation in fake fights, it is conceded that he must fight on the level in future, as he is said to be practically penniless. His offer to meet Tommy Ryan at the middleweight limit shows that he realizes he must go out of his class to get the money, but it is doubtful if Ryan will take him on. Nelson's excuse for not meeting Gans, that the latter is a self-confessed fakir, does not hold good with the California fight fans, who say that if Nelson is really the world beater that he proclaims himself to be he will tackle Gans, in spite of the latter's reputation.

The Frisco Fight Trust realizes that a Nelson-Gans battle would prove a riot, and an effort will be made soon to clinch a match between those pugilists, or force Nelson to crawl ignominiously. Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, following his crafty policy of selecting easy opponents, has sidetracked proposed battles with Tommy Ryan, Tommy Burns, Gus Ruhlin and Marvin Hart in order to take on a bulky pugilist of little experience named Sam Berger of California. O'Brien evidently knew his business when he tackled the decrepit Fitzsimmons and the inexperienced Al Kaufman. Meanwhile the followers of boxing will not believe that O'Brien has a right to take Jeffries' title until he has defeated Burns or Ruhlin. The Quaker evidently cares for the money more than for the respect of people.

Chicago, April 2.—Jack Root no doubt encouraged by the good showing he made in his affair with Fred Russell not long ago, has gone to California, hunting for trouble with either Tommy Burns or Jack O'Brien. He has \$500 to bet on his chances, he says.

Root is one of the few fighters who can afford to follow the game for the fun and glory he gets out of it in the investments he made of his earlier winnings and is now one of the few rich men among the knights of the padded mitt. He has retired once or twice, but seems to find it impossible to stay away for any length of time.

TENNIS.

SOME COMPLICATIONS.

New York, April 4.—According to the Times, serious complications have been brought about in the international lawn tennis tournament. The English association wishes to change the date of holding the contests for the Dwight F. Davis challenge cup, moving them forward from the middle of July to the middle of June. Their object is to secure the playing of the American team in the all-England championships at Wimbledon, London, which begin June 26. Such a move, it is argued here, would materially handicap the Americans as the team would be compelled to leave this country by May 15, which is in advance of the beginning of the season here. They would therefore have little opportunity for practice. The arbiters of the American team believe that the players should reserve all of their resources for the cup contests. They are consequently unwilling that the Americans should compete in the all-England event. As a result, cable messages have passed between the officials of the United States National Tennis Association and G. R. Mewburn, the honorary secretary of the English Lawn Tennis Association during the last week, without any decision being attained.

MISCELLANEOUS.

"OLD SPORT" IS NO MORE.

Peter Napoleon Campana, known throughout the country as "Old Sport" Campana, died on Tuesday of heart disease and dropsy in the Allexian brothers' hospital, Chicago.

Twenty-five years ago Campana was a professional pedestrian, taking part in many famous walking matches in various parts of the United States. He was celebrated for his intense admiration of men prominent in the sporting world, and was tattooed with the likeness of John L. Sullivan, Mike ("King") Kelly, the ball player, and others. He was 79 years old. When the go-as-you-please style of racing was all the rage, Campana was a great card, his picturesque appearance and peculiar loquacious style of running making great sport for the crowd. He took part in one or more of the tournaments in old Noromberg Hall, Bangor, managed by James H. Gillespie of that city, and made a pronounced hit there. He was flattered on the bills as "Peter Napoleon Campana, the Bridgeport fish peddler," and in many of his races he carried a little tin horn, which he blew at intervals with great energy, shouting, "Blow your horn, if you never sell a fish!"

Campana was born in Boston, in Blossom street, West End, 79 years ago. He attended school there, but in his teens got the pedestrian craze, which was then raging, and went in to training at the same time the late John Stetson did, for it was in that field that Stetson got his financial start. Stetson, however, died worth \$300,000, while "Old Sport" has been "on his uppers" many years.

At one time Campana was a fish peddler in Bridgeport, Conn., but gave that business up after a short time and made his living by playing the comedy role in pedestrian matches. He won many small prizes at walking, but no very large ones. He had a peculiar gait, which rendered him a sort of clown in such contests and his great notoriety was probably due to that in a considerable degree. He drifted to New York after a few years, and there he created an even greater interest than in Boston, every manager of a walking match endeavoring to get him on account of his ability to furnish amusement for a crowd.

He was a regular attendant at all sorts of sporting contests, and for years no prize fight was properly equipped without "Old Sport" in the foreground somewhere. He continued his attendance at the big championship fights until his last years, and was fond of telling about the Corbett-Sullivan fight.

Like the sporty character that Frank Daniels used to play, Campana was always ambitious to "shake the hand that Sullivan had grasped," and, indeed, to shake the hand of every new-made champion, and he was much given to boasting of the many such honors he had enjoyed.

He used to look proudly at his own hand and say: "That's the hand that shook the hand of John L. Sullivan!" It was a custom for nearly five years in the public school of one of Ontario's smaller cities. She proved an entertaining talker.

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TEACHERS OFF FOR SASKATCHEWAN.

Twenty-six Ladies and Eleven Young Men in the big Excursion Leaving Toronto—Much Better Salaries in West.

Toronto News.—Away to the wide western land of opportunity steamed another three trains of eager, ambitious Ontarians this afternoon.

The passengers numbered fully 2,500 and included men and women in all phases of their Ontario lives and a hoary-haired patriarch who travelled to join his successful son in the "new country" to the youthful swain who had dreamed ambitious dreams and started in quest of fortune. Scores of farmers and their wives were among the travellers—people who disposed of their Ontario lands and had already purchased homesteads in the west—in fact, the railway officials estimate that nine-tenths of the number were of this class.

But the most unique feature of today's excursion was, perhaps, the fact that the passenger list embraced a delegation of some 37 public school teachers, 26 young ladies and 11 young men, all of whom purposed taking up their profession in the western provinces, the greater number being bound for Saskatchewan.

In view of the fact that the press of their own province is bulging with advertisements for teachers at home the exit of so large a number of qualified and experienced members of the profession occasioned more than passing interest. The News secured a brief interview with one of the young ladies at the Union Depot. She held a first class professional certificate and had taught for nearly five years in the public school of one of Ontario's smaller cities. She proved an entertaining talker.

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"The west offers larger opportunities and materially increased salaries. We are sacrificing little in leaving the Ontario Public schools in their present condition."

Other teachers present acquiesced and endorsed the position taken, and two of the young men in the party who were spoken to, took a similar view. "There is nothing in public school teaching in Ontario," they declared.

A number of farmers' sons were going out to become "homesteaders" and establish farms for themselves, and not a few farmers purpose making a new start in the west.

For six weeks these excursions have been running regularly and the station officials estimate that they have averaged 2,700 Ontario passengers.

LUCKY HOLDERS OF RICH SHARES.

A List of the Present Largest Shareholders of the Canada Northwest Land Co.—Stock Rose From 10 to 475.

Montreal Star.—One of the stock market bonanzas that the rank and file of investors and speculators have completely missed is the Canada Northwest Land Co.

The Star has frequently called attention to the remarkable rise in the shares of this concern, how a few years ago they were going begging on the stock market at 10 and sold only yesterday at the record price of 475.

Incidentally attention has also been called to current predictions in regard to the stock, namely that when the company's present assets are realized upon the shares may be worth in the vicinity of 800.

Public curiosity in regard to the shareholders of such a bonanza is naturally aroused, and the attached list of the leading holders of the stock will no doubt be of widespread

interest, especially as the figures have never been published before.

It will be seen that Mr. Robert Meighen, the president of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, is by far the largest individual shareholder, while many of the Canadian Pacific directors are down for both personal and trust holdings:

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Sir William Van Horne ... 250

Sir Wm. Van Horne (in trust) ... 2,813

J. R. Ambrose and Charles

Finnis (in trust) ... 1,445

Lord Strathcona ... 1,104

William Hendrie, Hamilton ... 800

W. M. Howard, England ... 788

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy ... 500

R. B. Angus ... 500

R. B. Angus (in trust) ... 2,812

Sir William Muleck ... 465

George F. Hartt ... 400

Robert Reford ... 400

Ed. B. Osler ... 400

W.D. Matthews ... 400

R. Simpson (estate) ... 375

Senator Mackay ... 200

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