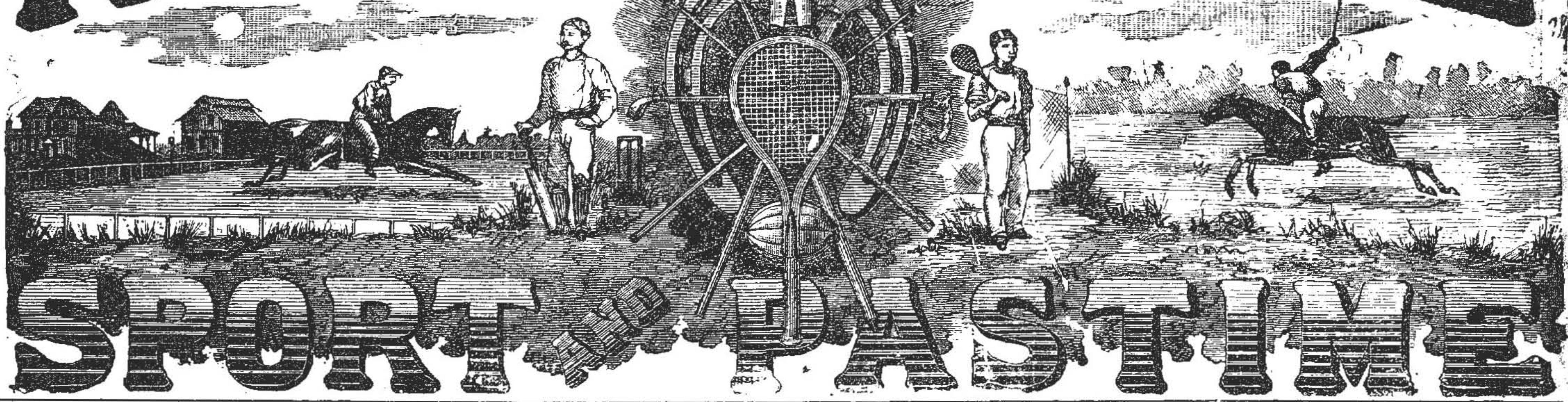


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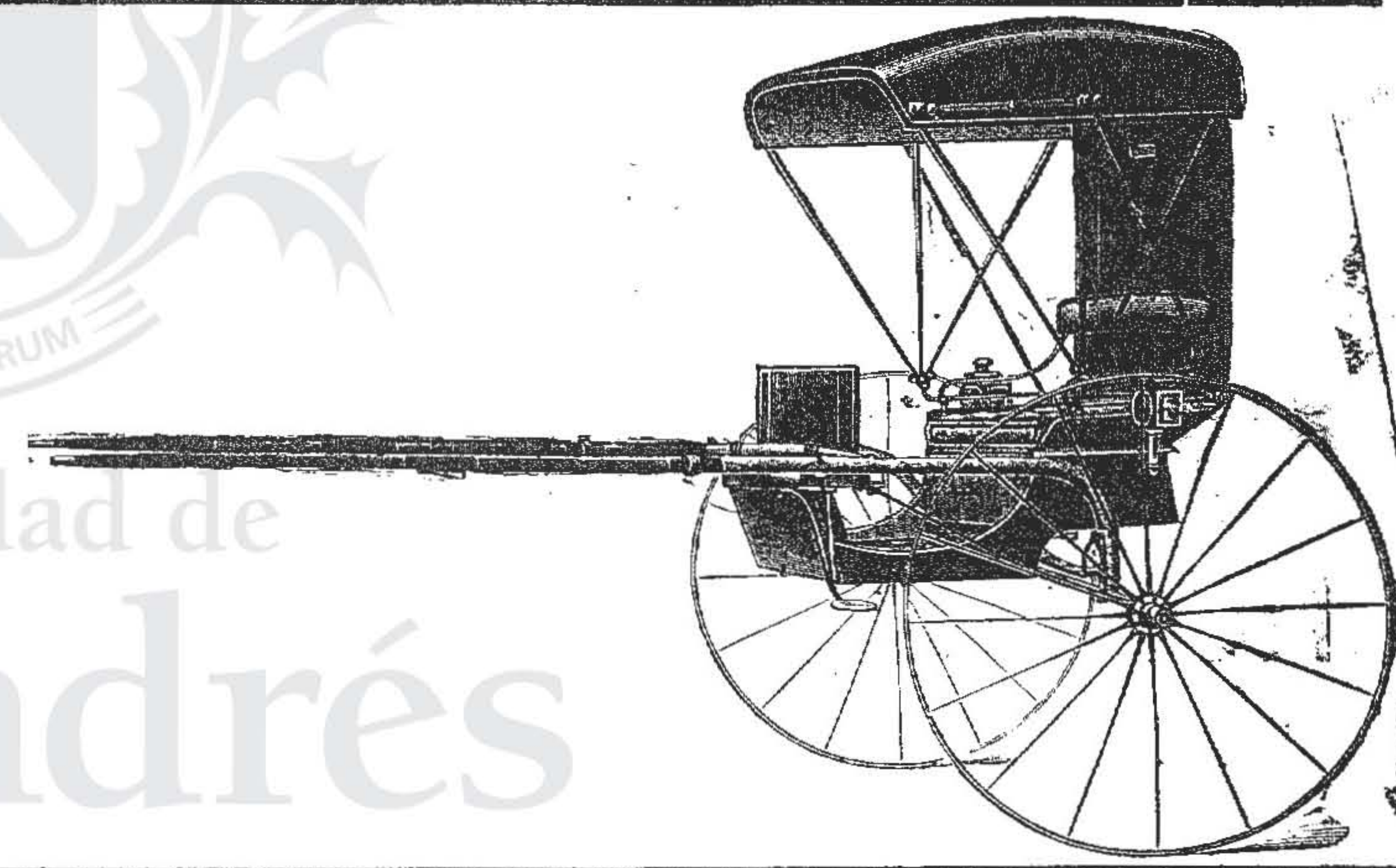
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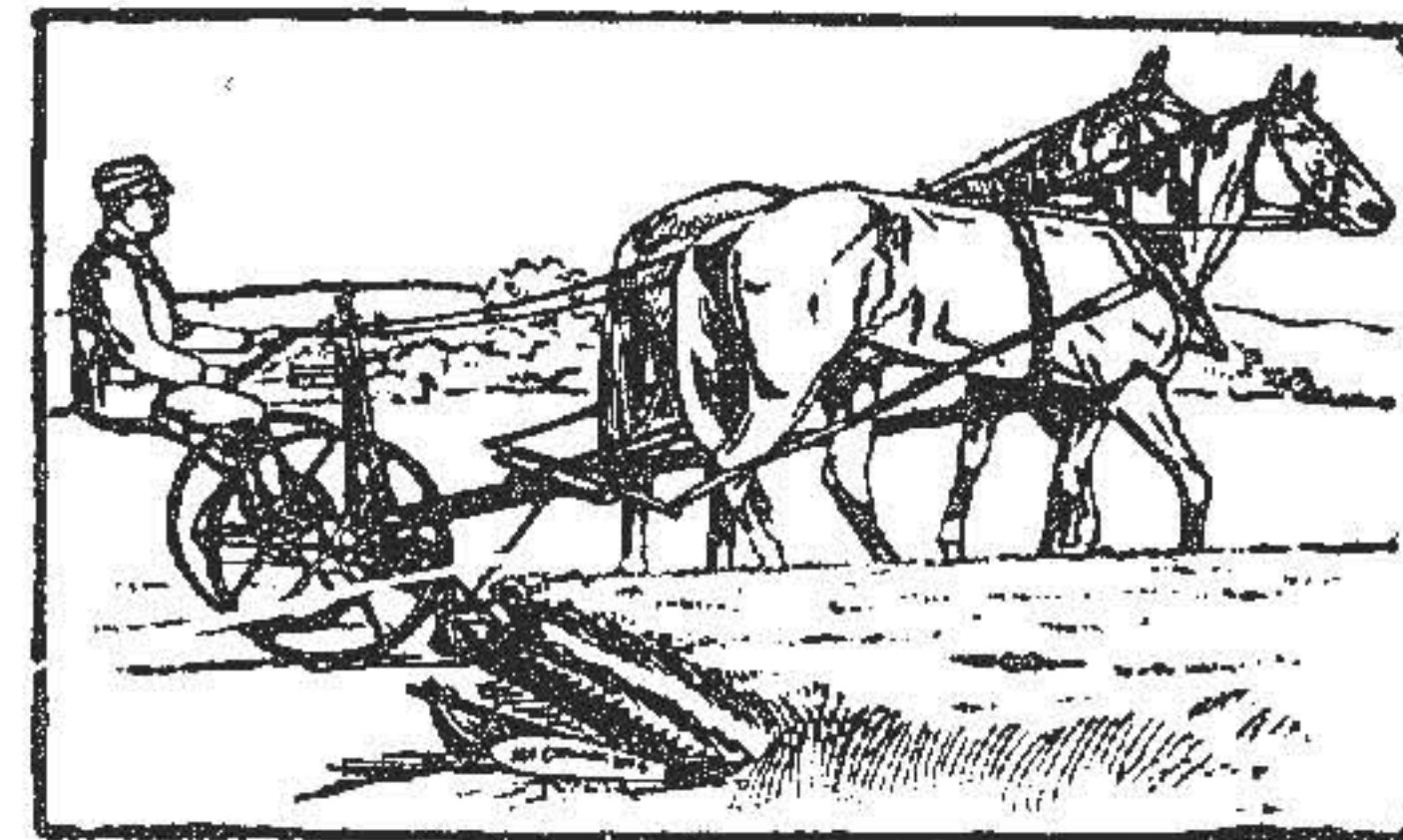
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ASSOCIATION.

Oxford v. Cambridge.—That more than usual interest was taken in this year's University match was proved by the attendance of spectators at the Queen's Club ground, West Kensington, on Feb. 20. Not only were the reserved seats fully occupied, but a larger than has heretofore been seen at this contest since it was transferred from the Oval surrounded the field of play. It was popularly expected that Cambridge would prove successful. They had won twelve of the sixteen matches played during the season, lost three and drawn one, whereas Oxford, with a similar number of engagements, could only boast of nine victories to five defeats and two drawn games. The Light Blues were also credited with possessing an exceptionally strong attack, their captain, Burnup, and Alexander and Taylor, all having a high reputation for clever forward play. These together with Bray, Simpson, and Phillips, had previously played against Oxford, whereas on the other side there were but four old Blues, Vassall, Corbett, Adams, and Rauthmell. But though the prospects of the Light Blues seemed hopeful, their opponents were known to possess a strong defence and an even, if not particularly brilliant set of forwards, whose ensemble could compare with that of their opponents. There was a want of general combination among the Cambridge team which caused their friends some misgivings, and it was this, together with weak play in front of goal, which chiefly contributed to their disappointment. It is worthy of remark that Charterhouse School furnished a large contingent of seven members of the Oxford team, as well as three to their antagonists.

The course of the play furnished a remarkable parallel to the match of last season, when also Cambridge were thought to have the stronger side, but sustained defeat. On both occasions, the losers kept the offensive for the greater part of the game, but were beaten by a single goal obtained in the second half. Although the three forwards on whom they chiefly relied were hardly seen at their best, they again and again came within range of the Oxford goal. Taylor's dribbles and passes were particularly neat, but his shooting lacked power, while Davidson not only proved very inaccurate near goal, but frequently lost valuable time by his hesitation, which nullified the effects of his highly praiseworthy energy. But the victory of Oxford by one goal to nothing was due in the first place to the remarkably fine goal-keeping of Turnbull, which was an exhibition of coolness, activity, and presence of mind, and in the second place to the plucky tackling of Timmis and Rauthmell, and to the unfailing kicking of Adams. Among the forwards Vassall exhibited good judgment and exceptional dash, and Laird, who took the place of the old Blue Corbett, unfortunately disabled in the previous week, made a promising *début*.

The following were the teams:—

Oxford—H. M. Turnbull (Charterhouse and Magdalen), W. G. Adams (Repton and Magdalen), W. U. Timmis (Charterhouse and Balliol) (backs), S. L. Darvell (Charterhouse and Keble), H. A. Rauthmell (Shrewsbury and Trinity), C. H. Wilson (Charterhouse and Oriol) (half-backs), B. O. Corbett (Thame and Oriol), R. H. Laird (Charterhouse and Magdalen) (left wing), W. Morgau-Owen (Shrewsbury and Oriol), G. C. Vassall (Charterhouse and Oriol), E. M. Jameson (Charterhouse and Oriol) (right wing) (forwards).

Cambridge University—J. T. McGaw (Charterhouse and Trinity), E. H. Bray (Charterhouse and Trinity), G. H. Simpson (Malvern and Clare) (backs), H. Vickers (Repton and Clare), T. Phillips (Malvern and Pembroke), H. O. C. Beazley (Westminster and Jesus) (half-back), C. J. Burnup (Malvern and Clare), C. L. Alexander (Shrewsbury and Trinity) (left wing), A. J. Davidson (Charterhouse and Trinity), S. S. Taylor (Aldenham and Pembroke), A. S. Farnfield (private and Queen's) (right wing) (forwards). Referee, Capt. Simpson.

On Feb. 20, the international association match between England and Ireland attracted some 15,000 people to Nottingham. The English representatives were more clever and showed more dash than the visitors, who returned home beaten by six goals to nothing. The home team attacked from the start, Scott having at once to stop a shot from Bloomer. Wheldon and Athersmith also sent in two good shots. A continuous pressure was made on the Irish goal, Wheldon and Athersmith both showing good form. The Irish forwards had a brief turn at attacking, but the game was soon taken to the other end, where Bloomer scored the first goal. Shortly afterwards he again all but scored. Wheldon forced a corner, afterwards sending the ball close. The next feature of interest was the penalising of Scott for carry-

ing the ball too far. Bloomer and Wheldon were both instrumental in obtaining the second goal. After some twenty-five minutes' play the visitors forced a corner, Oakley and Robinson clearing. Bloomer and Athersmith by a neat combined run soon recovered all the lost ground, and passed to Wheldon, who scored the third goal. Athersmith, Wheldon, and Bloomer obtained goal for England in the second half.

The teams were made up as follows:

England—J. W. Robinson (Derby County, goal), W. J. Oakley (Corinthians), J. Williams (West Bromwich) (backs), B. Middleditch (Corinthians), T. Crawshaw (Sheffield Wednesday), E. Needham (Sheffield United) (half backs), G. Athersmith (Aston Villa), S. Bloomer (Derby County) (right wing), G. O. Smith (Old Carthusians, centre), F. Wheldon (Aston Villa), H. Bradshaw (Liverpool) (left wing).

Ireland—T. Scott (Cliftonville, goal), J. Ponsonby (Distillery), S. Torrans (Linfield) (backs), Pyper (Cliftonville), Milne (Linfield), McMasters (Glentworth) (half backs), Campbell (Cliftonville), Hall (Distillery) right wing, Stanfield (Distillery, centre), Darling (Linfield), Barron (Cliftonville) (left wing). Referee, Mr T. Robertson (Scottish F. A.).

Of the four League matches decided on Feb. 20, by far the most interesting was that contested at Sheffield by the United and Notts Forest. Both sides played a vigorous game, but nothing had been scored by the time the interval had arrived. In the second half the visitors showed market superiority after play had been resumed for half an hour, and they left the field winners by three goals to nothing. The Blackburn Rovers having the advantage of playing on their own ground were beaten by Bury by two goals to one. Sunderland at home managed to beat Stoke by four goals to one. A drawn game of two goals all was the result of the meeting between Preston North End and Sheffield Wednesday. The match was capitally contested.

London v. Oxford and Cambridge Universities.—This annual match attracted a company numbering from 2000 to 3000 to the Essex County ground at Leyton on Feb. 25, and, notwithstanding a strong wind, a fast and thoroughly interesting game was witnessed. Although playing against the wind in the opening half, the London representatives had upon the whole, the most of the game, and led at the interval by four goals to one. In the second stage they increased their advantage, and won in the end by seven goals to two.

Surrey v. The Army.—This annual match was played at Guildford, on Feb. 24, in fine weather, before a numerous assemblage. Despite the fact that neither side was at full strength, the game proved very interesting, and resulted in a win for the Army by three goals to one.

In the Hospital Challenge Cup, London Hospital met St. Mary's in the semi-final round and the match which attracted a large and enthusiastic company, was a finely contested one ending in a victory for the London Hospital by one goal to none.

In the London Senior Cup the Old Westminsters were unexpectedly defeated, after a stubbornly contested game by two goals to none, while the match between Clapton and the 3rd Grenadier Guards ended in a draw of one goal each.

Queen's Park defeated Hibernians by four goals to one.

Celtic v. Dundee.—The Celtic Club received an unexpected defeat on Feb. 22. Up to a minute from time no scoring had taken place, but in the last few exchanges one of the Celtic full-backs made a mistake, which let the Dundee centre forward through who had no difficulty in placing the ball into the net.

RUGBY

Scotland v. Ireland.—Despite Ireland's victory over England at Dublin, the preponderance of public opinion rather inclined to the chances of Scotland beating Ireland at Powderhall Grounds, Edinburgh, on Feb. 20, and among the more immediate followers of the home country no secret was made of their confidence. They were quite ready to admit that the Irish backs would probably prove to be the better combination, but their faith in the Scotch forwards was unbounded. How true these anticipations were, the run of the game testified, for Scotland, almost entirely owing to the superiority of the forwards, were victorious by eight points to three. It was the first International match which had been decided in Edinburgh on any other ground than Raeburn Place, but the selection of Powderhall could not have been improved upon. The pitch there is as level as a billiard table, and on Feb. 20, it was in perfect trim, affording of a surety the fairest of fields and no favour. Unfortunately, a strong breeze blew from the west, but this was the only drawback. The arrangements were perfect, and not one of the 8000 spectators but could say that he saw the game in comfort. Winning the toss with such a strong breeze meant a great deal, and Irish hopes rose when Forrest proved successful. Sharp to time Macmillan kicked off, and the first scrummage was formed in the Irish half. The Irish forwards got to the centre, from whence a free kick led them to the home quarter. Macmillan came strongly away from a line-out here, and the Scotch forwards

reached midfield. A bout of passing, started by Magee let Gardiner regain the lost ground, and matters looked ominous when a free kick to Scotland was charged. Campbell, however, got hold and kicked neatly to touch near the halfway. McEwan rushed into the Irish half, and Fleming and Elliot still further improved Scotland's prospects by smart kicking into touch. But play did not remain long at the Irish twenty-five, their forwards in characteristic fashion getting *en masse* to the Scotch quarter where Macmillan gained loud applause by some plucky saving. Morrison next had a fast dribble into the Irish half, but Gwynn promptly ran back again. Elliot and T. Scott replied with interest, and the Scotch forwards bit by bit scrimmaged to the Irish line, where they forced a touch-down. Campbell responded to the drop out with a fair run, and a good follow up and tackle by Laidlaw again put the visitors on the defensive. A free kick to Ireland drove Scotland back, and a dribble by Forrest took play to the home quarter flag. From a scrimmage hereabouts Magee sent the ball out to Allen, who passed on the run to Gwynn. The Trinity man easily outwitted Fleming, and threw wide to Bulger, who, although tackled by T. Scott on the line, managed to secure a try. This was, as it turned out, the finest piece of play in the whole game, and placed the Irishmen on excellent terms with themselves. Bulger's kick at goal was unsuccessful. A quarter of an hour still remained before half time, during which the Irish backs failed to take advantage of the wind as they ought to have done, and, although the Scotch forwards were not getting the ball in the tight, they managed, with few exceptions, to keep Ireland at a respectful distance, and occasionally invaded their ground. Ends were changed with Ireland leading by three points.

On resuming, T. M. Scott made his mark, and kicked to the Irish twenty-five. M. Ryan retaliated by a dashing run along his left touch-line to midfield, but the Scotch forwards dribbled back into the corner, where Morrison got over, but was given held, and a scrimmage formed. Ireland cleared, but Greig marked outside the twenty-five, and T. M. Scott kicked what, by the cheering, was evidently deemed a goal, but the referee's decision was again adverse. Scotland were, however, bent on scoring, and it was left to Turnbull to do so close to touch in goal. T. M. Scott was again intrusted with the kick, and, gauging the wind to a nicety, sent the ball speeding straight for goal. It hit the centre of the crossbar, and bounded over amidst great cheering. The next incidents of note were a clever dodging run by Campbell, a Scotch forward rush—which forced a touch down—and the best individual run of the day by Ryan, who had nearly reached the Scotch twenty-five before he was grassed by T. Scott. But Scotland quickly returned to the attack, and, from a mark, T. M. Scott nearly kicked another goal. Try as they liked, the Scotch backs could never get set properly going, Fleming being at fault in taking passes, and the Irish tackling being too sure. Still, with one exception, when their forwards got beyond the centre, Ireland were sorely beset, but not a weak spot could be found in their defence. Butler in particular distinguishing himself. A minute from time, however, Forrest transgressed the offside rule, and T. M. Scott, from a difficult angle, kicked another excellent goal, Scotland running out winners by a goal and a penalty goal to a try. To a man the Scotch forwards played in splendid fashion, but none so well as Macmillan, whose saving in the first half took Scotland out of many awkward positions. McEwan and Morrison perhaps came next, and Stevenson made a most promising *début*, his touch line play being repeatedly of service. Smith at back did his little safely, and Scott and Campbell were individually very good at three-quarter, but Fleming and Neilson were off colour. Combination was conspicuous by its absence. The half backs, too, were slow and given to hesitancy, albeit both served well. On the losing side all the backs did capital service, Butler, who is quite a Lilliputian, earning deserved encomiums by his plucky defence. It was generally conceded that had the backs been playing behind, the Scotch pack they would have run up a tall score. Forward was Ireland's weak spot. Rooke, as usual, was a success as a wing scrummager, but the others were not. Ryan is gifted with a rare turn of speed, and is a worker in addition. In only one department were they superior to the Scotch pack, that was in getting possession of the ball, but this advantage did not profit them as it would had all been genuine workers. In conclusion, the game was most pleasantly contested, and Mr E. B. Holmes (Midland Counties) refereed with tact and decision, not using his whistle unless it was absolutely necessary.

Scotland—A. R. Smith (Oxford University, back), G. T. Campbell (London Scottish), T. Scott (Langholm), C. J. N. Fleming (Edinburgh Wanderers), W. Neilson (London Scottish) (three-quarter backs), M. Elliot (Hawick), R. C. Greig (Glasgow Academicals) (half backs), R. G. Macmillan, G. O. Turnbull, R. C. Stevenson (London Scottish), T. M. Scott, A. Laidlaw (Hawick), M. Morrison (Royal High School), W. McEwan, J. H. Dods (Edinburgh Academicals) (forwards).

Ireland—P. O. Butler (Monkstown, back), L. Q. Bulger, L. H. Gwynn (Dublin University), H. Stevenson (Edinburgh University), W. Gardiner (North of Ireland) (three-quarter backs), L. M. Magee (Bective Rangers), C. G. Allen (Liverpool) (half backs), E. G. Forrest, A. D. Clinch (Wanderers), C. V. Rooke (Monkstown), W. G. Byron, J. H. Lytle, E. McIlwaine (North of Ireland), J. Sealy (Dublin University), M. Ryan (Rockwell College) (forwards).

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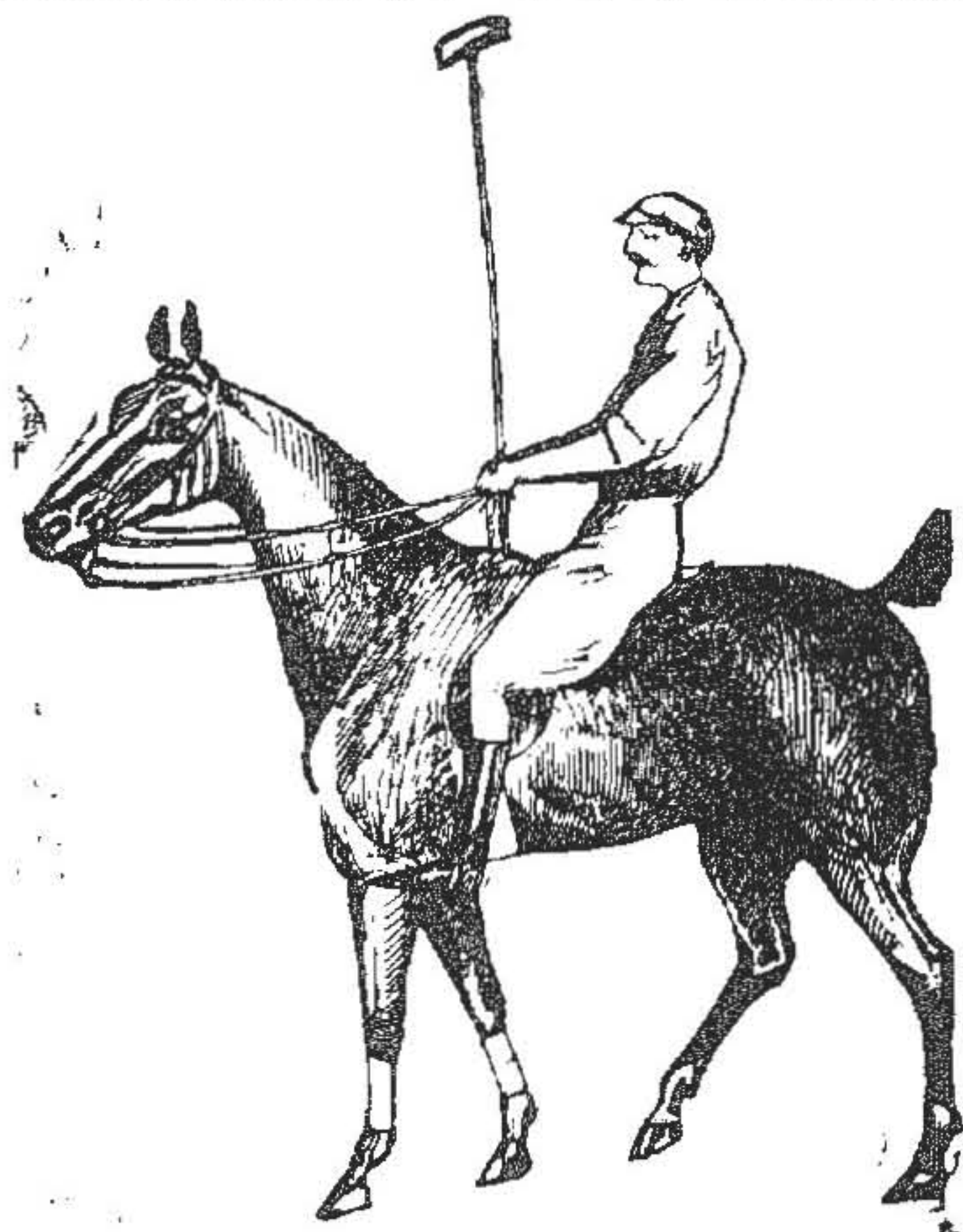
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with Bradford was decided early in the afternoon, and consequently when the county teams met there was an augmented attendance of over 8000 spectators. Each side was full of confidence—Yorkshire on account of their past superiority, Cumberland in consideration of their county and International success this season. But it was generally regarded as a certainty that Yorkshire's experience would pull them through, supplemented by their fuller knowledge of back play. However, when the day of play arrived, it was found that from one cause and another the champion county would be deprived of the services of four men upon whose experience and skill the present season's team has greatly depended. With these away and with two novices present it was felt that anything might happen. The Cumberland three-quarter backs might have scored at an early point of the game had they worked better together, but several times they allowed the ball to be kicked dead. At the interval Cumberland were leading by two tries. On the kick-off Yorkshire commenced a strong attack which, with a little more luck, might have brought them success. Play became monotonous and unduly keen at times, a state of things which culminated in W. Young, of Workington, being ordered off the field. Just before the end Cumberland scored the third unimproved try, giving Cumberland the victory by three tries to a penalty goal.

Durham v. Westmorland.—This match took place at Westoe, near Durham, on Feb. 20, before 4000 spectators, and in perfect football weather. Durham had a strong team, but several changes were made in the visitors' ranks, and their chance of success thereby diminished. As in all their games this season, they met with defeat, a result due to the fact that the Durham forwards, led by Oakes and the Tudhoe men, played a fine game and thereby gave the backs every opportunity. The final score read three goals and two tries to Westmorland's nothing. It is to be hoped that the praiseworthy efforts of the Westmorland executive will be rewarded next season. They have, under almost insuperable difficulties, gone through their programme of matches without a break, and, though they have never enjoyed success, they have always gained the esteem of their opponents and the applause of the spectators for their sportsmanlike action on the field and off.

Coventry v. Cambridge University.—A deal of interest was centred in this important fixture, decided at the Coventry Cricket ground on Feb. 20. Fortunately the weather remained fine during the progress of the game, which from start to finish produced one of the most interesting contests seen on the home ground this season. Both clubs had recently lowered the colours of Blackheath, and each fifteen for the game under notice was fairly representative. The home club during the initial half had the advantage of a stiff breeze. Both Pillington and P. G. Jacob did a lot of valuable work on the Cantabs' side, but the clever defensive play by Wells, B. Take, and Lovett, repeatedly prevented the University from crossing the home line. The Coventry forwards were next conspicuous, and, upon several occasions carried the ball dangerously near the Cambridge goal, but wild passing between the rear division lost them several apparently easy chances. The game up to the interval was exceedingly well contested, and when the sides reversed positions after thirty-five minutes' play no score had been registered. Immediately after the resumption Cambridge were attacking determinedly, and Mackie succeeded in scoring a clever try, which P. Jacob was unable to improve upon. Coventry were still penned in their own twenty-five, and shortly afterwards Bell managed to kick an easy goal from a try gained by Black. Coventry then became dangerous, and for some time were having a little the best of a fast game, but they were unable to score. Towards the cessation of the match Cambridge were having matters pretty well their own way, and some very fine passing between their three-quarters enabled Cambridge to gain a couple of unconverted tries in rapid succession; and although they maintained the attack up to the finish, they were unable to increase their points, and a capital match ended with the score standing: Cambridge University, one goal and three tries (fourteen points); Coventry, nothing.

Blackheath v. Oxford University.—One of the most important Rugby matches played near London on Feb. 20, was that between Blackheath and Oxford University at the Rectory Field. A. R. Smith, who rendered such valuable assistance against Cambridge, was unable to take his old position at back for the visitors, his services being required for Scotland. On the other hand, the Blackheath team was fully representative, and they were expected to repeat their performance of last November, when the University suffered defeat by two tries to nothing. Delightful weather prevailed, and there was a large and enthusiastic gathering of spectators. The proceedings were of an exceptionally interesting character, and although Oxford suffered defeat their exhibition was a very meritorious one, especially in respect to passing. Mitchell kicked off on behalf of the home team towards the pavilion, and the University players were obliged to fall back owing to a smart run by Livesay, who took charge from a scrimmage. For a few moments the University kept the ball at the Blackheath end without deriving any benefit, and eventually some smart passing by Wallis, Potter and Livesay enabled the latter to cross the visitor's goal-line and ground the ball behind the posts. Mitchell had no difficulty in converting, and Blackheath again pressed.

The University forwards, however, broke through and got to within a dozen yards of the home goal, only to see Latter take charge and transfer play to the other end of the ground. Stone again intercepted him, and Oxford then compelled their opponents to fall back, and touch down. The pressure was maintained, but the interval arrived with the score standing at one goal to nothing in favour of Blackheath. On resuming the latter assumed the offensive, but Leslie Jones smartly relieved and some brilliant passing by the University three-quarters and halves, started by Donaldson, was not interfered with until the home twenty-five line was reached. During the succeeding ten minutes play was confined to the Blackheath end, but the defence proved too much for the University, and eventually they were obliged to beat a retreat. Livesay punted from near the centre, and, following up quickly, he ran in and obtained a try. Adamson was intrusted with the place-kick, but he hit the one try (eight points) to nothing.

Swansea v. Newport.—Newport visited Swansea on Feb. 20, with a very weak team. A. J. Gould is suffering from a badly strained knee, and it is doubtful whether he will be able to play again this season. Bancroft kicked off, and the forwards, following up well, spoiled the return, but the Newport three-quarters handled the ball and Pearson nearly scored. Evan James next put his three quarters in motion, and they were not stopped till near the Newport goal-line. From the ensuing scrimmage G. Davies dropped a goal. Good kicking by Pearson took play into the Swansea quarters. The Swansea forwards, who were playing a fast determined game carried play to the Newport territory, and although the visitors made strenuous efforts, they failed to relieve. Swansea were awarded a free kick in a good position, but Bancroft was unable to place a goal. By the good play of the Newport halves, the ball was carried to near the Swansea goal line, and Pearson attempted to drop a goal, but the ball struck the upright. Newport for a short time attacked strongly, but the Swansea three-quarters, by fine, dashing runs and clever passing, got to the other end and nearly scored. The Newport forwards, using their feet with great advantage, were not stopped until within the home territory, and Pearson ran well, but, passing wildly, lost a good chance. Play was carried rapidly from one end of the field to the other, and the Swansea forwards worked the ball to the visitors' goal line, but the Newport forwards replied with a capital rush, and Swansea were again put on the defensive. Play followed of a give-and-take nature, both teams working hard for supremacy, but neither gaining any special advantage. Bancroft punted well into the visitors' territory, and from the next scrimmage Hamen gave a slow pass near his own goal line, and D. Davies having intercepted, scored. Bancroft failed to convert. The Swansea forwards lasted much better than their opponents, and they were thus enabled to force Newport to defend. Swansea, however, kept up a hot attack until the end, and were left winners by one goal (dropped) and one try to nothing. On the day's play Swansea certainly deserved their victory. Their three-quarters showed better combination, their halves made splendid use of their opportunities, who gained possession of the ball in the scrimmages more often than their opponents, gave their backs fine chances. In the latter stages of the game Swansea had matters pretty well their own way. For Newport, Boucher was ever prominent, and had it not been for his splendid defence the defeat would have been more severe.

LAWN TENNIS.

BELGRANO ATHLETIC CLUB'S TOURNAMENT

The finals in the three items in this tournament, viz., gentlemen's singles, mixed doubles, and gentlemen's doubles were played off on Thursday, and the event proved a red-letter day in the annals of the club, if we can judge from the number of visitors and the amount of interest shown in each game. The courts had received more than usual attention from the committee and were in good order.

At 1 p.m. the gentlemen's singles game was started, when Mr A. M. Barton ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 30) met Mr P. Hardcastle ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15). The former did not appear to be in form, and certainly did not play his usual game, while Hardcastle, without doing anything brilliant, played a very steady game throughout and ultimately won the match (6-2, 2-6, 6-3).

The mixed doubles match followed, Miss M. Stockdale and S. J. Moore ($-$ 30) and Miss Fowler and A. Brodie ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15) being the competitors. This game proved most interesting, from a spectator's point of view, but it we might be allowed to criticise the play we would recommend the gentlemen players to rely just a trifle more on their partners and allow them to have a bigger share in the game. Both ladies played pluckily, considering this was their debut in a tournament. Miss Stockdale and Mr Moore came out winners (6-3, 6-5).

The last item was the gentlemen's doubles—J. Bell and T. A. P. Macdonald (scr) versus P. Hardcastle and J. H. Joyce ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 15). This match was played in a much shorter time than was expected, and the former pair won easily.

The committee provided first and second prizes for each event, special prizes being presented by Messrs Wibberley, Fowler, and Barton. Mrs Dickinson gracefully presented the prizes to the successful competitors, and Vice-President Wibberley made a few appropriate remarks about the club generally and the success of its first lawn tennis tournament. Mrs Fowler kindly provided tea.

The lawn tennis committee is to be congratulated on the final issue of this tournament, and notwithstanding the fact that many of the players were unknown to the handicappers most of the games have been keenly contested.

GENTLEMEN'S SINGLES.

Preliminary Round—
J. S. Lee ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat G. M. Gosschalk ($+$ 15), 5-6, 6-3, 6-4.
C. C. Mackenzie ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15) w.o. against T. Fowler ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15).
J. G. Dunn ($-$ 15) beat J. Gibson ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15), 6-3, 4-6, 6-1.
C. Edey ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 30) beat T. A. P. Macdonald (scr), 6-0, 6-4.
R. H. Roberts ($-$ 15) beat H. Kelly ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15), 6-3, 6-2.

First Round—
A. M. Barton ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 30) beat R. C. Mackinnell ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 15), 6-0, 6-2.
C. Stockdale ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat J. S. Macpherson (scr), 6-1, 0-6, 6-1.
G. L. Miles (scr) beat P. Boyd ($-$ 15), 5-6, 5-5, 8-6.
E. Buxton ($+$ 15) beat J. Boyd ($-$ 15), 6-2, 6-2.
G. H. Brodie ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat W. Goodwin ($+$ 15), 6-3, 6-4.
W. M. Graham ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat J. H. Joyce (scr), 5-6, 6-5, 8-6.
C. C. Mackenzie beat J. S. Lee, 6-3, 6-4.
C. Edey beat R. H. Roberts, 6-5, 6-3.
M. Wilson ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15) w.o. against J. Bell ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 15).
A. Brodie (scr) beat W. Fowler (scr), 6-1, 6-5.
S. J. Moore ($-$ 30) beat R. Roberts, jr. (scr), 6-1, 6-3.
P. Hardcastle ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat W. Bell ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 15), 4-6, 6-5, 7-5.

Second Round—
H. W. Botting (scr) beat G. H. Brodie, 6-0, 6-0.
A. M. Barton beat C. Edey, 6-2, 6-2.
J. W. Todd ($-$ 15) beat H. Buxton ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 30), 6-0, 6-1-1.
G. L. Miles beat C. Stockdale, 6-2, 6-2.
P. Hardcastle beat E. Buxton, 6-2, 6-2.
G. Wood ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 30) beat J. G. Dunn, 6-4, 4-6, 5-5 (arranged).
S. J. Moore beat A. Brodie, 6-4, 3-6, 7-5.
W. M. Graham beat J. W. Wilson ($+$ 15), 6-2, 6-5.
C. C. Mackenzie beat G. Wood, 6-5, 2-6, 6-1.

Third Round—
G. L. Miles beat J. W. Todd, 6-5, 5-6, 6-3.
P. Hardcastle beat H. W. Botting, 6-2, 5-6, 9-7.
A. M. Barton beat C. C. Mackenzie, 6-2, 6-1.

Semi-finals—
A. M. Barton beat G. L. Miles, 6-5, 4-6, 6-1.
P. Hardcastle beat S. J. Moore, 6-2, 5-6, 6-3.

Final—
P. Hardcastle beat A. M. Barton, 6-2, 2-6, 6-3.

GENTLEMEN'S DOUBLES.

Preliminary Round—
J. S. Macpherson and J. W. Wilson ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat H. W. Botting and C. C. Mackenzie (scr), 6-2, 4-6, 6-4.

First Round—
W. Bell and T. A. P. Macdonald (scr) beat E. Buxton and H. Buxton ($+$ 15), 6-4, 6-0.
P. Hardcastle and J. H. Joyce (scr) beat G. Wood and C. M. Thomas ($+$ 15), 6-3, 6-3.
A. Brodie and G. H. Brodie (scr) beat G. Davis and W. Fowler ($+$ 15), 6-4, 6-4.
J. J. Dowson and J. E. Croll ($-$ 15) beat J. S. Macpherson and J. W. Wilson, 6-1, 6-4.
S. J. Moore and G. F. Wallis ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 30) beat A. M. Barton and J. G. Dunn ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 30), 2-6, 6-5, 6-4.
J. Boyd and P. Boyd ($-$ 15) beat H. M. Edey and J. W. Todd ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 15), 6-1, 3-6, 6-1.
C. Edey and J. Negron ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 15) w.o. against T. Fowler and J. Bell ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15).

Second Round—
M. Wilson and R. C. Mackinnell ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat J. J. Dowson and J. E. Croll, 2-6, 6-5, 6-4.
W. Bell and T. A. P. Macdonald beat A. Brodie and G. E. Brodie, 6-0, 6-0.
P. Hardcastle and J. H. Joyce beat S. J. Moore and G. F. Wallis, 6-0, 6-0.
J. Boyd and P. Boyd w.o. against C. Edey and J. Negron

Third Round—
J. Bell and T. A. P. Macdonald beat M. Wilson and R. C. Mackinnell, 6-0, 6-1.
P. Hardcastle and J. H. Joyce beat J. Boyd and P. Boyd, 6-5, 6-3.

Final—
J. Bell and T. A. P. Macdonald beat P. Hardcastle and J. H. Joyce, 6-1, 6-1.

MIXED DOUBLES.

Preliminary Round—
Miss M. Stockdale and S. J. Moore ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 30) beat Miss Mitchell and J. W. Todd ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 30), 6-3, 6-2.
Miss Fowler and A. Brodie ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 15) beat Miss Stockdale and C. Stockdale ($+\frac{1}{2}$ 30), 6-3, 1-6, 6-4.

First Round—
Miss Callis and G. H. Brodie ($+$ 15) beat Miss Martin-dale and J. G. Dunn ($-$ 15), 6-4, 6-0.
Mrs Hoette and J. Boyd ($-\frac{1}{2}$ 30) beat Miss Buxton and H. Buxton ($+$ 15), 6-2, 4-6, 6-3.

Second Round—
Miss Fowler and A. Brodie beat Mrs Hoette and J. Boyd, 6-2, 6-2.
Miss M. Stockdale and S. J. Moore beat Miss Callis and G. H. Brodie, 6-2, 6-3.

Final—
Miss M. Stockdale and S. J. Moore beat Miss Fowler and A. Brodie, 6-3, 6-5.

BUENOS AIRES LAWN TENNIS CLUB.

The following ties have been played off in the above club's March tournament. The final round of the gentlemen's singles will be played off this afternoon at four o'clock.

LADIES' SINGLES.

Preliminary Round—

Mrs Mills (+ 15.3) beat Mrs Woodgate (+ 15), 5-6, 6-5, 6-3.
Mrs Goldsmid (- 30) beat Miss Burr (+ 3-6 of 15), 6-4, 6-3.

First Round—

Miss Chawner (- 30) beat Mrs Mills, 6-3, 6-4.
Mrs Goldsmid beat Mrs Thornton (+ 4-6 of 15), 6-4, 6-5.

Final—

Mrs Goldsmid beat Miss Chawner, 3-6, 6-3, 10-8.

MIXED DOUBLES.

Preliminary Round—

Mrs Wallace and F. L'E. Wallace (+ 4-6 of 15) beat Mrs Woodgate and H. H. Woodgate (scr), 6-2, 6-4.

First Round—

Miss Burr and H. B. Burr (scr) beat Mrs Wallace and F. L'E. Wallace, 6-2, w.o.
Mrs Mills and A. G. Gumpert (+ 3-6 of 15) beat Mrs Thornton and C. R. Thursby (+ 3-6 of 15), 6-4, 2-6, 8-6.

Final—

Mrs Mills and A. G. Gumpert beat Miss Burr and H. B. Burr, 6-5, 6-4.

GENTLEMEN'S DOUBLES.

Preliminary Round—

Rev. R. F. F. Handcock and H. H. Woodgate (- 3-6 of 15) beat F. V. M. Knox and A. Boyd (- 15), 6-5, 6-3.
H. M. Mills and H. B. Burr (+ 15.3) beat A. G. Gumpert and T. W. Earle (+ 4-6 of 15), 6-5, 6-2.

First Round—

Rev. R. F. F. Handcock and H. H. Woodgate w.o. against R. L. Phillips and H. S. Topping (+ 30).
B. W. Gardom and R. C. Jones (+ 4-6 of 15) beat H. M. Mills and H. B. Burr, 6-3, 6-5.

Final—

B. W. Gardom and R. C. Jones beat Rev. R. F. F. Handcock and H. H. Woodgate, 2-6, 6-3, 8-6.

GENTLEMEN'S SINGLES

First Round—

C. W. Cumming (+ 15) w.o. against A. Boyd (- 3-6 of 15).
R. C. Jones (scr) beat B. Goldsmid (+ 15.4), 6-2, 6-2.
Rev. R. F. F. Handcock (- 15.3) beat B. Verschoyle (- 15.3), 6-1, 3-6, 6-2.
T. W. Earle (scr) beat F. L'E. Wallace (+ 15.2), 6-5, 6-0.
A. G. Gumpert (+ 3-6 of 15) w.o. against R. L. Phillips (+ 15).
H. H. Woodgate (- 3-6 of 15) beat C. R. Thursby (+ 15), 5-6, 6-1, 6-2.
H. Tudor (- 15) w.o. against S. J. Moore (- 3-6 of 15).
T. V. M. Knox (- 30) beat H. B. Burr (scr), 6-4, 6-4.

Second Round—

C. W. Cumming beat R. C. Jones, 6-3, 6-4.
Rev. R. F. F. Handcock beat T. W. Earle, 6-3, 6-2.
H. H. Woodgate beat A. G. Gumpert, 6-3, 6-5.
T. V. M. Knox w.o. against H. Tudor.

Third Round—

H. H. Woodgate beat T. V. M. Knox, 6-3, 6-3.

BANFIELD ATHLETIC CLUB'S TOURNAMENT.

The following are the handicaps and drawings:

GENTLEMEN'S SINGLES

First Round—

G. H. Thayer (scr) v. C. Kelly (+ 5-6 of 15).
T. Pollard (- 1-6 of 15) v. G. Bingham (- 1-6 of 15).
C. D. Moffat (+ 2-6 of 15) v. G. J. W. Burton (+ 15 5-6).
R. Kingsland (+ 15 5-6) v. J. J. Dowson (- 1-6 of 15).
P. Cowper (- 1-6 of 15) v. A. Woodwell (+ 15 4-6).
W. E. Burt (+ 4-6 of 15) v. H. W. Griggs (+ 15 4-6).
J. Elliot (+ 30) v. A. H. Poulton (+ 15 4-6).
A. J. Goode (+ 2-6 of 15) v. F. J. Moore (scr).

GENTLEMEN'S DOUBLES.

First Round—

Dowson and Halstead (- 15) v. Goode and Hirst (+ 15 2-6).
Bingham and Cowper (- 15) v. Griggs and Poulton (+ 15 2-6).
Thayer and Moffat (scr) v. Kelly and Burton (+ 30).
Burt and Pollard (scr), a bye.

Up to date the following ties have been played off:

Gentlemen's Singles—

C. Kelly beat G. H. Thayer, 6-4, 6-2.

Gentlemen's Doubles—

G. Bingham and P. Cowper beat H. W. Griggs and A. H. Poulton, 6-5, 4-6, 6-4.

The first rounds to be played off on or before April 4, and the second rounds by April 11.

ROWING

TIGRE REGATTA.

The above Autumn Regatta took place on Thursday last on the River Lujan, Tigre, but probably owing to the numerous counter attractions was not so well attended as usual. The weather was perfect and the racing good. Perhaps the race that caused most interest was the new one in pleasure boats with mixed pairs. The way the ladies sculled was a revelation, and this event will undoubtedly be found on future programmes. The prizes were gracefully distributed by Mrs David Hogg at the Tigre Hotel immediately after the races were over.

The general arrangements were fairly good, but stricter rules should certainly be made about steam launches, and those that cause annoyance and trouble should be heavily fined.

Below will be found particulars of the racing:

1st Race.—Four-oared Clinker-built Boats, 1000 metres.

- 1.—Tigre Boat Club.—A. Southam (1), G. L. S. Wood (2), F. Corry Smith (3), S. Kay (stroke), S. E. Francis (cox).
- 2.—Ruder-Verein Teutonia.—E. Wilmar (1), E. Engels (2), L. Bührle (3), E. Rosenthal (stroke), R. Warnholtz (cox).
- 3.—Buenos Aires Rowing Club.—G. Burgwardt (1), B. B. van Domselaar (2), R. Redlich (3), G. Burgwardt (stroke), J. van Houten (cox).
- 4.—Buenos Aires Rowing Club.—J. C. Gallegos (1), D. M. Gillespie (2), E. S. Uré (3), R. Oliveira Cezar (stroke), C. de la Serna (cox).

The Tigre boat won with a good swinging stroke by three-quarters of a length. The German crew rowed most pluckily, and kept the Tigre crew going all the way, but though they put on a capital spurt 200 yards from home they were never able to get on even terms with their more powerful opponents. The B. A. crews went all to pieces, and only one of their crews finished. The win was a most popular one, owing to the Tigre Boat Club's senior crew not being allowed to compete.

2nd Race.—The race for men-of-war boats was rowed off between events 5 and 6, and as usual caused considerable amusement, owing to the antics of each cox whilst cheering on his crew. The Cadets alone finished and so won easily.

3rd Race.—Montevideo Challenge Cup; for pair-oared Clinker-built Boats, 1000 metres.

- 1.—Tigre Boat Club.—F. Corry Smith (1), M. M. Kay (stroke), S. E. Francis (cox).
 - 2.—Buenos Aires Rowing Club.—G. Burgwardt (1), R. Redlich (stroke), J. van Houten (cox).
 - 3.—Ruder-Verein Teutonia.—C. Lautenschütz (1), R. Welpmann (stroke), H. Frankenberg (cox).
- Another easy win for the Tigre Boat Club by several lengths, Corry-Smith appearing quite fresh in spite of his previous exertions. The Buenos Aires crew were second.

4th Race.—Inrigged four-oared Boats, for members of 30 years of age or over, 500 metres.

- 1.—Buenos Aires Rowing Club.—W. Lewis (1), J. Earnshaw (2), J. Hardman (3), E. Danvers (stroke), Ed. Madero (cox).
- Danvers set his crew a fast stroke which they maintained throughout the race and eventually won as they pleased.

5th Race.—Junior Single Sculls; in Clinker-built Boats, 1000 metres.

- 1.—Tigre Boat Club.—G. L. S. Wood.
 - 2.—Ruder-Verein Teutonia.—C. Lautenschütz.
 - 3.—Buenos Aires Rowing Club.—J. C. Gallegos.
 - 4.—Buenos Aires Rowing Club.—R. de Oliveira Cezar.
- This race produced a splendid finish between G. L. S. Wood of the Tigre B.C. and C. Lautenschütz of the Ruder-Verein Teutonia, the former just getting home by half a length, and being fouled after passing the winning post by his opponent.

6th Race.—Bridgett Challenge Cup; Senior Sculls, Shell Boats, one mile.

- 1.—Tigre Boat Club.—M. F. Gilderdale.
 - 2.—Tigre Boat Club.—M. M. Kay.
 - 3.—Ruder-Verein Teutonia.—E. Rosenthal.
- Another very good race, Kay leading all the way but getting the heavy wash of the Committee steamer some ten lengths from home "caught a crab," and Gilderdale then making his effort just won on the post. After the race was over Rosenthal continued sculling for some unknown reason and crashing into Gilderdale caused his boat to sink.

7th Race.—Double Sculls, in Clinker-built Boats, 1000 metres.

- 1.—Tigre Boat Club.—R. E. Hunt (1), S. Kay (stroke), D. S. Munro (cox).
 - 2.—R. Welpmann (1), C. Lautenschütz (stroke), H. Frankenberg (cox).
- The Tigre pair showing excellent form won easily by a couple of lengths from the Teutonia; B.A.R.C. a bad third.

8th Race.—Canoe Race, 400 metres.

- 1.—Buenos Aires Rowing Club.—J. C. Gallegos, J. M. Spence, R. de Oliveira Cezar, J. Hardman, E. Ponilleux.
- 2.—Ruder-Verein Teutonia.—L. Darmstadtter, C. Kirschaum.
- 3.—Tigre Boat Club.—J. C. Bellamy.

A most interesting race, being well won by J. Gardman, who was nearly deprived of his victory in the same manner as Kay was earlier in the day, namely, by a steam launch crossing the course in front of him.

9th Race.—Pleasure Boats, Double Sculls, 500 metres.

- 1.—Tigre Boat Club.—F. Corry Smith (1), Señorita Alice Mackern (stroke), Señorita Ruth Mackern (cox).
- 2.—M. M. Kay (1), Señorita A. M. Kay (stroke), Señorita A. C. Kay (cox).
- 3.—Ruder-Verein Teutonia.—J. Hosmann (1), Señorita Berta Wernicke (stroke), Señorita Olga Martens (cox).
- 4.—Buenos Aires Rowing Club.—E. Danvers (1), Señorita Isabel Mackinlay (stroke), Señorita Cristina Mackinlay (cox).

Undoubtedly this was the race of the day, on account of its novelty and the stubborn manner in which it was fought out by the ladies, who all rowed most pluckily. The two Tigre boats arrived first and second, Miss Alice Mackern winning a splendid race by less than a length. The race caused the greatest interest.

10th Race.—Handicap Race for Single Sculls, 1500 metres.

There were several entries for this race, which proved a very interesting one, and which was somewhat easily won by S. Kay by two lengths, from the Teutonia representative E. Rosenthal.

11th Race.—Tub Race, 50 metres.

Hardman won this race in great form, although De Boers was the only one who crossed the river and back without a spill. The race caused much amusement, some of the competitors appearing to find it better fun to swim about and visit their various friends in the pleasure boats.

12th Race.—Upset Canoe Race, 300 metres.

Well won by Stutzeneger, De Boer being second, Domselaar being disqualified for only going overboard twice. This race also caused great amusement.

13th Race.—Swimming Race, 100 metres.

A first-class sprinter turned up for this in Mr Blackburn, who easily carried off the honours for the Tigre Boat Club. R. E. Hunt was second and M. F. Gilderdale third.

In the evening a most pleasant dinner took place at the Tigre Hotel, which was unfortunately only attended by the members of the Tigre Boat Club. Various toasts were drunk, the heartiest being those of the three opposing clubs—B.A.R.C., Teutonia, and Montevideo R.C.

GOLF.

HURLINGHAM GOLF CLUB.

PROGRAMME FOR SEASON 1897.

Gold medal, presented by W. Samson, Esq. Open to all amateurs in the River Plate, to be played for under handicap. Entries to be sent to the Secretary, Hurlingham Club, not later than April 15, and must state name of club to which entrant belongs, and last handicap received from said club. 18 holes.

Gold medal, presented by T. S. Boadle, Esq. Open to members of Hurlingham Club only, under handicap. Entries to be sent to Secretary, Hurlingham Club, not later than April 15. 18 holes.

No player can win both medals, but if a member of Hurlingham Club returns the lowest nett score he can choose either medal, and the other goes to the next lowest score.

There will be a sweepstake of \$2, to be taken by the lowest nett score.

Championship of Hurlingham Club.—Cup presented by the President, T. S. Boadle, Esq. To be played for monthly, on the following dates, weather permitting:—Sunday, May 2; Sunday, May 30; Sunday, June 27; Sunday, July 25; Sunday, August 22. The five winners will play for possession of the Cup on Sunday, September 5. No player can put in two wins for the Cup i.e. if a player has put in a win, should he record the lowest score in any subsequent competition, the next lowest scorer is entitled to compete in the final.

Subscription Cup, presented to Hurlingham Club, open to members only. 18 holes, under handicap. To be held by winner for one year. A memento will be given by the Club. To be played for on same dates as the President's Cup, and on same scores. Final to be played by the ten members who have returned the lowest aggregate score at any two competitions. Play to commence at 10.45 a.m., and no player may start his first round later than 2.15 p.m.

ATHLETICS

In pedestrian circles Downer continues to carry everything before him. He took part on February 20 in a champion sweepstake of 150 yards, at Victoria Grounds, Newcastle-on-Tyne. After winning his heat, the Scottish champion was opposed in the final by Bridle, to whom he conceded a start of 1 3/4 yards. Odds of 7 to 2 were freely laid on Bridle, but the Scotsman, with an effort almost superhuman, caught his rival 50 yards from home, and won by a yard and a half. The victory created so much enthusiasm that the spectators burst the barriers and barricades in their anxiety to do honour to the "flying Scotsman."

An attempt is being made in England to float a company for the manufacture of the Acatene chainless bicycle, the capital stock to be \$900,000 gold. It is stated in the prospectus that orders are on hand for the coming season amounting in value to \$740,000 gold.

GUNS ON SALE, 1 Greener, 2 Webley, 1 Watson, 2 Harrison—2 Colt's Revolvers—Winchester Rifle—Leather Travelling Trunk—Cabin Trunk—Deck Chairs—Lady's Saddle, straight seat and plain stirrup—Gladstone and Kit Bags—Tea Tray—Gold Watch. All A 1. **RIX, 888 Cangallo.**

PONY RACING

HURLINGHAM—MARCH 25.

As usual, the fair sex were strongly in evidence at Hurlingham on Thursday, when a very pleasant meeting was held in spite of the heat and the hard state of the ground, which unfortunately told its tale on the ponies more than one of whom returned to the paddock feeling very sore after their race.

Racing was begun with the Polo Stakes, which was easily won by the game little Brandyball, who seems equally at home at all distances, and under any weight.

The Trial Stakes produced a useful lot of maidens, and the winner, Viejo, looks strong enough to carry anything, though he seemed to go very short on the hard ground, and several of those who were behind him on Thursday, should before long catch the judge's eye.

Through a lamentable lack of judgment on the part of his rider, Negrito was obliged to put up with second place in the Galloway Handicap, a race in which he ought easily to have beaten Brandyball. Tommy, who was third, appears, to have come on greatly since he last wore silk.

Viejo managed to score again in the Chocolate Stakes; but he had to put his best leg foremost to beat Mistigris, while Highlander also improved on his earlier form.

The Hurdle Race had only four runners as several persons who had promised entries never took the trouble to make them.

Mistigris carried the top weight to victory in the Golf-Links Handicap, which finished the day, Ramadan, who scarcely seems to be in his best form just now, being second.

The following are the details:—

THE POLO STAKES, a Sweepstakes of \$10 each, with \$50 added, for Ponies of 56 in. and under; weight for inches; 1500 metres.

Mr G. Paats' blk p Brandyball, 55 in, 72 k. Owner 1
Mr L. Bury's Pink 'Un, 55 in, 72 k. Mr Bedford 2
Mr C. Ferretti's Sin Sangre, 56 in, 75 k. Mr Sasso 3

After Pink 'Un had made running for about half the distance, Brandyball, who had been lying off, closed up, and drawing away in the straight won in a canter by three lengths. A poor third.

Dividend—Brandyball \$3.30 win.

THE TRIAL STAKES, a Sweepstakes of \$10 each, with \$50 added, for Ponies of 56 in. and under that have never won a flat race at Hurlingham; weight for inches; 500 metres. Jockeys that have never ridden a winner at Hurlingham allowed 3 kilos.

Stud El Viejo's blk p Viejo, 56 in, 75 k. Mr Sasso 1
Mr L. Bury's Highlander, 56 in, 75 k. Mr Bedford 2
Mr W. Samson's Doctor, 54 in, 69 k. Mr T. Bond 3
Mr J. Burke's Duchess, 55 in, 72 k. Mr Pearson 0
Mr C. T. Wright's Caramelo, 56 in, 75 k. Mr Jefferies 0
Mr N. G. Well's Tilbury, 56 in, 75 k. Mr Swinburne 0

Viejo won a good race by a length and a half, Doctor was third three lengths away, and Duchess fourth.

Dividends—Viejo \$2.70 win and 300 place, Highlander 6.20 place.

THE GALLOWAY HANDICAP, a Sweepstakes of \$20 each, with \$50 added, for Galloways of 58 in. and under; 1600 metres.

Mr G. Paats' blk p Brandyball, 55 in, 74 k. Owner 1
Lieut. Herran's Negrito, 58 in, 79 k. Owner 2
Mr Fortune's Tommy, 57 in, 70 k. Mr Clunie 3
Mr N. G. Wells' Nogo, 58 in, 78 k. Mr Swinburne 0

Tommy cut the work out with Nogo second and Brandyball third, Negrito lying a long way out of his ground. About 500 metres from home Brandyball went to the front and Negrito began to close up, but though he came with a magnificent run at the finish, his effort was made too late, and Brandyball won by a neck. Tommy third.

THE CHOCOLATE STAKES, a Handicap Sweepstakes of \$15 each, with \$50 added, for Ponies of 56 in. and under; 700 metres. \$20 will be deducted from the stakes towards paying for chocolates to be distributed amongst the ladies on the stand.

Stud El Viejo's blk p Viejo, 56 in, 75 k. Mr Sasso 1
Lieut. Herran's Mistigris, 56 in, 79 k. Owner 2
Mr L. Bury's Highlander, 56 in, 75 k. Mr Bedford 3
Mr Pearson's Ramadan, 56 in, 77 k. Mr Paats 0
Mr T. S. Robson's Baldy, 54 in, 71 k. Mr Swinburne 0

Won after a pretty race by half a length, two-thirds of a length separating second and third.

Dividends—Viejo \$6.50 win and 2.95 place, Mistigris 8.50 place.

THE MARCH HURDLE RACE, a Sweepstakes of \$20 each, with \$70 added, for Horses or Ponies to be ridden by gentlemen riders; weight, for horses 78 kilos, for ponies, not exceeding 58 inches, 72 kilos; winners once of a hurdle race or steeplechase at Hurlingham 8 kilos extra, twice or oftener 5 kilos extra; 2000 metres over 7 flights of hurdles.

Mr P. Hasperg's blk m Mundana, 78 h. Mr Paats 1
Mr F. Barry's Speculation, 81 k. Mr Swinburne 2
Mr F. Barry's Commission, 78 k. Mr Bedford 0
Mr A. D. Grigg's Apache, 72 k. Mr Clunie 0

Commission bolted on the fall of the flag, and after giving his jockey an unpleasant ride, was pulled up, leaving his stable companion to make running to the last hurdle, which he jumped along, losing a considerable amount of ground, and letting up Mundana, who won after a severe race by a neck. Commission and Apache were both distanced.

THE GOLF-LINKS HANDICAP, a Sweepstakes of \$15 each, with \$50 added, for Ponies of 56 in. and under 1000 metres.

Lieut. Herran's ch p Mistigris, 56 in, 78 k. Owner 1
Mr F. Pearson's Ramadan, 56 in, 77 k. Mr Swinburne 2
Mr N. G. Well's Gambler, 56 in, 67 k (car. 69) Mr Clunie 3
Mr W. Samson's Doctor, 54 in, 64 k. Mr T. Bond 0
Mistigris won her easily by two lengths from Ramadan. Gambler six lengths off was third.
Dividend—Mistigris \$3.40 win.

CYCLING.

Some time ago the National Railway Board resolved that the railways should carry free of freight the bicycles of passengers, as coming under the fifty kilos allowed free to first-class passengers. Numerous complaints having been made as to the non-compliance of this resolution, the railways charging freight on bicycles as cargo or parcels, the Board has notified the Rosario Railway, said to be the chief delinquent, that a fine of \$500 daily will be enforced till their orders are carried into effect, and the Central Argentine get three days grace to put the same order into force.

Moscow has the best bicycle track in Europe. It is one of the most modern things about the old Russian capital, and is situated on the plains of Kodinsky where the recent catastrophe occurred. The track is 600 metres, less than three laps to the mile, all of cement, with steep banking at the turns, and has a system of electric timing which works very successfully. There are more than 4,000 cyclists in the city and ten large clubs. The development of cycling in Russia is wonderful, considering that the roads are rutty and stony for the most part and frequently covered with a miserable pavement. But then, no pen can describe nor imagination conceive the "ennui" of the middle classes in Russia, so that anything to relieve the killing boredom of every-day existence is gladly welcomed.

The Touring Club de France recently opened a competitive controversy about the definition of the word "bicycle" which was replied to by many would-be improvers on the dictionaries of the present. None submitted were quite suitable, however, since the committee selected to discuss the various formulae proposed decided that the cycle is not a vehicle in the ordinary sense of that word.

The following definition was finally adopted:—"The bicycle is an apparatus for locomotion moved by man and intended to accelerate his speed." It would seem that a protest should be made against the use of the word "accelerate," which is certainly wrong in its application. While the bicycle will augment the speed or velocity of a man, it does not accelerate it, and a greater speed and an accelerated speed are two different things.

Here is a definition which should suit everyone:—"The bicycle is the only vehicle for individual locomotion for both sexes and all ages, a mechanism in whose use blends the trinity of sport, recreation and service." The objection to the word "vehicle" cannot stand, as the courts of every civilized country in the world have declared the bicycle so to be.

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RACING

Sunday, March 28—Hipódromo Argentino, Palermo.
Thursday, May 27—Meeting at Hurlingham (Polo Association Cup).

Buenos Aires Football Club.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the BUENOS AIRES FOOTBALL CLUB will be held on WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14, at 5.30 p.m., at the offices of "Sport and Pastime," Calle Piedad 559.

All Members are requested to attend, as also any men wishing to join the Club are hereby invited to the meeting. The object of the meeting is to receive Report of the Committee for last year and elect the Officers for the coming season.

Buenos Aires Lawn Tennis Club.

**OPEN TOURNAMENT and CHAMPIONSHIP
OF THE
RIVER PLATE.**

AN OPEN TOURNAMENT, consisting of the following events, will be held on the CLUB GROUNDS, CALLE AYACUCHO 1735, Buenos Aires, on

TUESDAY, MAY 25,
WEDNESDAY, MAY 26,
THURSDAY, MAY 27.

Play to commence each day at 9 a.m.

EVENTS:

**Championship of the River Plate.
GENTLEMEN'S SINGLES.**

CHALLENGE CUP, value £50, to be won five years (not necessarily in succession) before becoming the property of the holder. Any competitor for this event must have resided for at least three months in South America. The competitors shall play the best of five sets, the fifth of which shall be an advantage set, and in the match for the Championship all five shall be advantage sets. The winner will receive a prize worth \$100, and will have his name engraved upon the Challenge Cup, which is offered by Members of the Buenos Aires Lawn Tennis Club, and also receive a Gold Medal; other prizes will be given should there be more than ten entries. The winning of this event will carry with it the right to the title of "Champion of the River Plate" for the year. Entrance fee \$10.

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Should there be more than forty entries for the Gentlemen's Singles, Handicap, this event will be divided into two classes: an A and B class. Players entering for the event will be placed in their respective classes by the Handicapping Committee. Prizes of equal value will be given to each class.

The best of three sets (the third to be an advantage set) will be played throughout the Tournament in all handicap events.

In the event of the number of entries being very large the Committee will arrange for the necessary preliminary rounds to be played off to the convenience of players before the Tournament.

The Club Courts will be at the disposal of competitors on and after May 12. Competitors' tickets, admitting player and a friend, may be obtained from the Hon. Secretary.

No entry will be considered valid unless accompanied by entrance fee.

Entries will be received by the Hon. Secretary at Calle 25 de Mayo 130, Buenos Aires, up to noon of Monday, May 10.

The draw will take place at the "Sport and Pastime" offices on Wednesday, May 12.

The Tournament will be held under the Rules of the Lawn Tennis Association (of England).

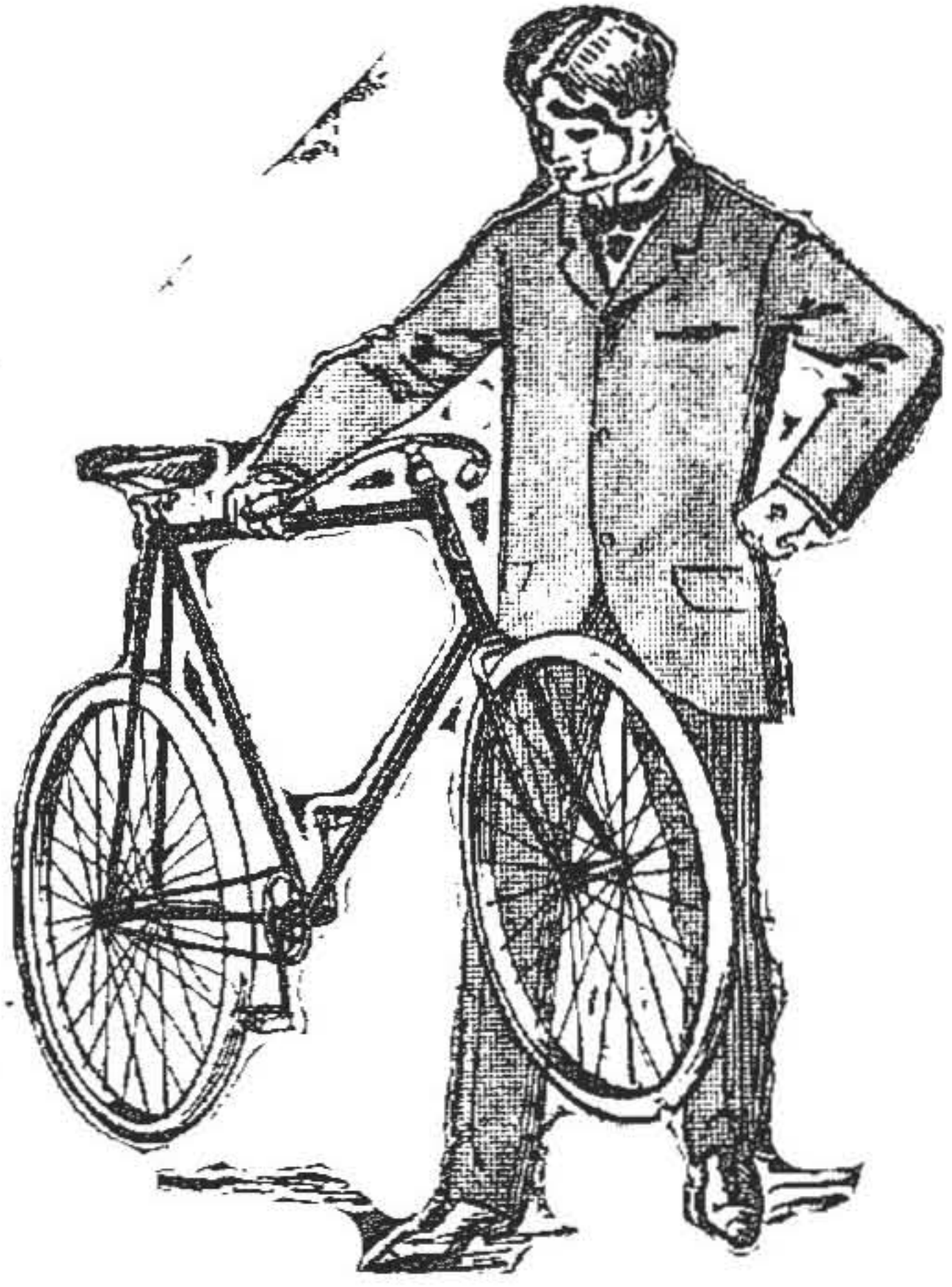
Slazenger's Championship Balls will be provided by the Club.

The Committee reserve to themselves the right of refusing any entry.

Visitors' tickets, available for the three days of the Tournament, may be obtained from the Hon. Secretary in exchange for visiting card signed by a competitor or a member of the Buenos Aires Lawn Tennis Club.

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River Plate Sport and Pastime

SATURDAY, MARCH 27, 1897.

SPORTING NOTES

I have been requested to remind my readers that to-morrow is the closing day of the pigeon shooting at Hurlingham, on which occasion three prizes will be shot for. The first of these, the Premio Handicap de Otoño, will be shot for at 12 o'clock. The second, the Premio Perdices, at 2 o'clock, and the third, the Premio Consuelo, at half-past three.

By the way, as the jumping season may now be said to have commenced, would it not be a good idea for the Jockey Club to make a steeplechase course inside the present training track, running out into the straight, as at Hurlingham, to finish. This, it seems to me, would be a popular move on the part of the Club, besides increasing considerably the value of their property and adding largely to its general appearance.

Many people were glad to see Devona win the classic race on Sunday, as Hughes' stable has had a long run of bad luck, of which this may be, as I hope, the turning point. Devona is a nice filly and seems a smart one, while she is at present in that big and hearty condition which promises improvement as the season goes on.

What has happened to East Sheen since his arrival? He has done none but the gentlest of exercise, and it is said that his legs continue filled and stiff. Is this the effect of the voyage, or was he unsound to begin with?

Should Mignonnette have won the Premio Criadores on Thursday it was, I believe, intended that she should run no more, but retire into a more luxurious existence as one of the stud mares at Sr. Unzué's estancia. As she had the bad luck to be just beaten, it is, I believe, now undetermined whether this famous mare shall retire at once, or have another chance of retiring with winning brackets.

It is rumoured that Purran, the crack colt of last season, is likely to join Brett's string at the Ecurie Indecis. This may or may not be the case, but I am sure that if he changes his home that it will be only after a most searching examination, as he appears even now to be moving with less than his old freedom.

Pilcomayo, after having been turned out for a spell, has gone back to his old quarters at the Petite Ecurie, instead of joining Cunningham's string. He is looking extremely well, and should his old complaint not again trouble him, may pay well for following through the season.

Much interest has been displayed in this country about the International Polo Tournament at home, and it will doubtless be a great disappointment to many of my readers to hear that the New York team, of whom so much was expected, will not be able to play.

The Tigre regatta was quite a day for the Juniors, and as usual, the Tigre Boat Club again carried off most of the events. Their performance against the German senior crew was an exceedingly fine one. S. Kay worked hard all day and his win in the Handicap Sculls was a very good one. Blackburn gave everyone a surprise in the Swimming Race and won easily. It afterwards transpired that he has won more than one good race at home, so that his easy victory is not to be wondered at.

For the third time running Mr F. Gilderdale has beaten Mr M. Kay in the Senior Sculls, and on each occasion through an accident. Their first meeting was last year for the Bridget Challenge Cup, when Kay after leading all the way caught a crab about 100 yards from the winning post. The second was last month at Montevideo, when Kay made a mistake in the course, and the third time was on Thursday when a steam launch went right across him giving him all her wash. Gilderdale always rows and sculls in the pluckiest manner and probably to that fact alone he owes his three victories.

I wish to call the attention of my readers to an advertisement of George McHardy's in another of our columns. I have seen several of his repairs, which are always very neatly executed, besides being done at reasonable prices. Anyone who requires a lawn tennis racquet restrung or repaired cannot do better than give "George" a trial.

The Belgrano Athletic Club brought their lawn tennis tournament to a conclusion on Thursday last. This is the first they have held and the committee are to be congratulated on the great success it attained. This afternoon the Buenos Aires Autumn Tournament will be concluded, while the Banfield Athletic Club have just started their first lawn tennis tournament.

The annual general meeting of the Buenos Aires Football Club will be held in these offices on Wednesday, April 14, at 5.30 p.m. All members are particularly requested to attend, as officers for the coming season have to be elected.

With the Association football prospects looking so bright, Rugby men must make strenuous efforts to keep their game to the front, too, so that it is to be hoped the above meeting will be a full and representative one.

The Argentine Association Football League are evidently in for a good season, and greater interest than ever is being manifested in it. This is no doubt owing to the amount of fresh blood which will be seen in this year's League entries. Since last writing, the Palermo Athletic Club have entered, so that there will be three new clubs taking part in League matches, while there is still a possible chance of seeing Rosario in once again.

I hear that there have been one or two small practice games of Association football already. This is indeed beginning early, and those who have attempted this dangerous experiment must be very enthusiastic to play in the weather we have been experiencing lately. There is no harm in a little shooting practice in the early morning or in the cool of the evening, but I should strongly advise clubs not to begin regular football until the conditions are more favourable.

I have to thank Mr Max Lowenstein for a present of some champagne of the "Arthur Roederer" mark, which was so much appreciated at the St. Patrick's dinner last week, and for which I am pleased to hear he has just been appointed agent here. It appears to be a wine of good class, and likely to be popular in this country.

CRICKET.

FIXTURES.

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APRIL

- Sun. 4—Lanus A.C. v. Hurlingham, at Lanus.
- Sun. 4—B.A.C.C. v. Old Bedfordians, at Palermo.
- Sun. 4—Palermo A.C. v. Portefios, at Palermo.
- Sun. 11—B.A.C.C. 2nd XI. v. Palermo A.C., at Palermo.
- Sun. 11—Flores A.C. v. Old Bedfordians, at Flores.
- Thurs. 15, Fri. 16—Rosario A.C. v. Lomas A.C., at Lomas
- Thurs. 15, Fri. 16—Montevideo U.C. v. Hurlingham, at Hurlingham.
- Sat. 17, Sun. 18—Montevideo C.C. v. B.A.C.C., at Palermo
- Sat. 17, Sun. 18—Rosario A.C. v. Flores A.C., at Flores.
- Sun. 25—United Banks v. Lomas A.C., at Lomas.

LANUS A.C. 2ND XI. v. PALERMO A.C.

The above match which was postponed from Jan. 24 to some future date, will be played at Lanus to-morrow. Play to commence on the arrival of the 12.30 train from Plaza Constitucion.

The following will represent Palermo: Messrs W. Stirling (captain), G. Brown, W. S. Stirling, W. Buchanan, A. J. Rugeroni, A. J. Goode, J. B. Campbell, H. Fraser, C. Knaut, E. Potter, R. Levy.

HURLINGHAM v. BANFIELD A.C.

The following teams have been selected to play in the above match to be played at Lomas to-morrow, the ground having been kindly lent for the occasion. Train leaves Plaza Constitucion at 10.35 a.m.

Hurlingham—Messrs E. L. Rumbold, E. E. Jones, B. W. Gardom, W. D. Gardom, T. A. H. Forde, D. Gibson, H. Chevob. Lacey and three others.

Banfield—Messrs D. Kingsland, E. L. Wilson, R. E. H., J. O., and A. Anderson, A. Venn, M. A. Halstead, W. F. Burt, J. S. Prescott, A. J. Goode, F. J. Dawson.

BANFIELD (A TEAM) v. ENGLISH HIGH SCHOOL.

The above match will be played at Banfield to-day (Saturday). Play to commence on the arrival of the 1.15 train from Plaza Constitucion.

The following will represent Banfield: Messrs C. Kelly, A. Venn, F. J. Dawson, C. D. Moffatt, G. H. Thayer, E. E. Reay, W. Williamson, A. Harri-man, A. H. Poulton, A. Woodwell, F. Hunt.

LONDON BANK v. BRITISH BANK.

This fixture will be decided to-morrow at Palermo, the ground having been kindly lent for the occasion by the B.A.C.C.

Train leaves Central Station at 9.55 a.m.

The following are the teams:

London Bank—Messrs J. Stuart, B. Bedford, C. W. Thompson, R. C. Mackinnell, S. Francis, W. Fowler, G. L. Macfarlane, A. Le Bas, L. Jacobs, F. Coutts, A. M. Challinor.

British Bank—Messrs F. M. Heriot, E. R. Gifford, A. S. Willes, H. Hume, H. B. Elliot, J. Holtum, T. K. Gibaud, H. C. Plews, H. Colson, A. Lace, A. N. Other.

BATTING AND BOWLING AVERAGES.

Most of the averages have undergone changes since last week. A. Anderson has increased his average six points, and thus probably makes his position secure for this season. Boyd goes up three places, Dillon and Garrod change places, and B. B. Syer makes his first appearance, coming sixteenth in the list. The minimum number of innings will remain the same.

In bowling, changes have also to be recorded. Halstead, with a two-point lower average, retains the premier position; Rumboll and Venn change places, and the first six bowlers, though most of their averages are lower, remain in the same order. The same applies to the bowlers lower down on the list. The minimum number of overs bowled will remain the same.

BATTING AVERAGES.

	No. inns.	not out.	High. Score.	Total Runs.	Aver.
A. Anderson	25	6	106*	836	42.4
J. O. Anderson	39	5	103*	1222	35.9
R. E. H. Anderson	26	3	122*	720	31.3
P. M. Rath	14	2	70	368	30.66
J. R. Garrod	12	0	210	365	30.4
B. J. Dillon	22	3	76	554	29.1
E. L. Rumboll	29	3	117*	724	27.8
A. B. P. Boyd	11	1	62	223	22.3
R. W. Rudd	14	1	50	255	19.6
G. A. Thomson	21	2	50	369	19.4
F. H. Jacobs	14	1	54*	235	18.07
F. E. Jones	12	2	38	164	16.4
R. L. Halstead	11	1	33	158	15.8
W. Brown	20	2	34	282	15.66
H. B. Anderson	22	1	55	329	15.66
B. B. Syer	11	1	79*	154	15.4
E. R. Gifford	12	2	36*	150	15
G. F. Elliot	17	2	45	223	14.8
P. L. G. Bridger	15	4	53*	152	13.8
G. M. Comber	11	1	25	131	13.1
W. H. Harvey	29	2	57	340	11.8
E. L. Wilson	22	1	45*	251	11.4
A. Venn	18	1	34	187	11.0
H. W. Botting	27	1	60	285	10.9
J. S. Prescott	11	0	31	111	10.09

* Signifies not out.

BOWLING AVERAGES.

	O.	M.	R.	w.	Av
M. A. Halstead	126.3	33	251	35	7.1
P. M. Rath	212.4	60	437	57	7.6
W. R. Goodbody	123.3	45	238	27	8.8
W. H. Harvey	292.1	55	686	71	9.6
T. V. M. Knox	375.2	108	818	80	10.2
W. Brown	316.1	105	692	62	11.1
E. L. Rumboll	354.3	96	810	72	11.25
A. Venn	124.2	16	316	28	11.28
H. B. Anderson	213.3	51	532	46	11.5
G. A. Thomson	261.3	51	659	51	12.9
R. C. Mackinnell	200.3	56	584	44	13.2
J. Stuart	105.1	12	317	21	15.9
J. O. Anderson	179.1	26	589	34	17.3
G. F. Elliot	152.1	29	438	23	19.04
J. R. Garrod	147	42	322	16	20.1
C. R. Tupholme	146	30	375	17	22.05

LOMAS A.C. v. FLORES A.C.

This important fixture was played off on Sunday last, in beautiful weather, at Flores, before a fair number of spectators. Both clubs were well represented and a close struggle was anticipated. Few, however, were prepared for the extraordinary game that ensued, and it has rarely been our lot to witness a one-day match undergo such peculiar variations, first one side and then the other appearing to have the game well in hand. This is all the more difficult to account for when the quality of the wicket is taken into consideration, for the wicket prepared for last Sunday's match was by far the best we have seen on the Flores ground, and it reflects the highest credit on those who were responsible for its preparation.

The two features of the visitors' innings was the batting of A. Anderson and the wonderful stand made for the last wicket, producing as it did no less than 105 runs. It would be difficult to over-rate the innings of A. Anderson, which was in every respect a masterly one. With everything going against his side, and wicket after wicket falling, he played steadily on and with great confidence, treating all loose balls with great severity. He played right through the innings for a meritorious 93. Goodbody, the last man, gave a very plucky display and put together a capital 44.

For the home eleven, Boyd and Syer played two brilliant innings of 62 and 79 not out respectively. Boyd as usual was very severe on the short off-balls, and made some beautiful strokes, while Syer scored all round the wicket with equal ease and judgment.

None of the bowlers obtained particularly good results, H. B. Anderson, with five wickets for 57 runs, being the most successful bowler of the day.

Punctually at 11 o'clock the game was started, when Bridger having been successful with the toss, sent in A. Anderson and F. H. Jacobs, to face the deliveries of W. Brown (railway end) and T. V. M. Knox. Brown opened with a maiden, and Knox nearly secured Jacobs' wicket with the second ball of his first over, Boyd at mid-off making a brilliant effort which was nearly successful. After this the batsmen settled down and runs came steadily, but with 18 up Jacobs was well caught low down in the slips. H. B. Anderson followed in and failed to stop the second ball from Knox. J. O. Anderson filled the vacancy and started by hitting Knox to the boundary. In attempting the same stroke with Brown, however, he was easily caught at extra-cover from a skier (25-3-5). E. L. Wilson took his place, and Knox bowled his leg stick down with a full pitch the first ball of his ninth over. With the last ball of the same over he bowled Bridger, the score then reading 25-5-0, the last three wickets having fallen at the same total. R. L. Halstead was the next comer, and he opened his account at once, hitting the first ball he received, a full pitch from Knox, to the leg boundary. He got the next ball away to leg for three and then devoted his attention to Brown. The first ball he got through the slips for a brace and then nicked the next one to leg for four, bringing his score level with Anderson's. Halstead still continued to raise the score, while Anderson was nearly idle. With 58 runs scored Anderson played a ball past cover, for which they ran one, but Halstead called for a second one, to which Anderson did not respond, and a wicket was very nearly lost. This evidently unsettled Halstead, as Knox clean bowled him with his next ball for a most useful 22, made at a time when every run was precious. A "Stumper" joined Anderson and the latter began to score more freely, while the new-comer was content to look on. Seventy appeared on the board, but two runs later Brown clean bowled A. "Stumper" (72-7-3). G. M. Comber came next, and after being nearly run out entirely monopolised the scoring and 20 runs had been added (of which his share was 18) before Huxtable caught him at mid-on, off a hard low drive off Brown. M. A. Halstead took his place, but before he had scored drove a ball from Brown to Boyd at deep mid-off (98-9-0). When Goodbody joined Anderson it was hoped that the century might be reached, but few were prepared for the magnificent stand which followed. At first the new-comer was decidedly uncomfortable, especially with Brown's deliveries, and he was nearly bowled on more than one occasion. Later, however, he settled down and opened his shoulders, punishing both bowlers, and his partner not being idle runs came at a good pace. Both bowlers were evidently tired and the bowling naturally became somewhat loose, but no change was made in the attack until 139 runs had been scored, when Elliot took over the ball from Knox. This change seemed to suit Goodbody, as he drove Elliot's second ball finely on to the tennis court for 6. Brown then had a rest at the other end, Gifford taking a turn with the ball. The score continued to rise, however, and when play was stopped for lunch the board showed 150, Anderson being not out 67 and Goodbody not out 20.

After lunch the two not outs continued to score freely and the score rose rapidly, both bowlers being frequently hit to the boundary. Gifford went on again, but runs still came and the second century was hoisted amidst cheers. Three runs later, however, Brown with a brilliant left-hand catch in the slips, caused Goodbody's retirement. The innings, which at one time gave so little promise, thus closed for the respectable total of 203. A. Anderson was left not out for as splendidly compiled 93, and he well deserved a three-figure innings. His batting was a curious mixture of patience and brilliance, for though he scored fast enough at times, he never took any risks, and at times let several overs pass without adding to his score. Goodbody is also deserving of great praise, and though he survived too confident appeals, one for a catch at the wicket and the other for stumping, and though he was frequently beaten and puzzled by the bowling, he opened out well and never let off a half-volley. His score was made up of a six, 4 four's, 2 three's, 3 two's and singles, while Anderson's 93 was composed of 11 four's, 1 three, 12 two's and singles.

After the usual interval Dillon and Rudd opened the Flores innings opposed by the deliveries of H. Anderson (Railway end) and M. A. Halstead. The last-named opened with a maiden, and after Dillon had put Anderson through the slips for a couple, he was nicely taken in the slips trying to hit a ball from Anderson to leg, which he mistimed. Boyd filled the vacancy, and a run later saw Rudd snapped at the wicket off H. Anderson. Palmer joined Boyd and cut a short ball on the off from Anderson to the boundary, but was clean bowled by Anderson two balls later. Thus three wickets were down for 9 runs, all of which had fallen to Anderson for 6 runs. Gifford came next, and gradually matters improved, after the 20 had appeared, runs came at a good pace, Boyd particularly scoring very fast, his off drives being hard and well-timed. 40 and 50 quickly appeared in consequence and with the score at 59, the first change in the attack was made, J. O. Anderson relieving M. A. Halstead. The change worked at once as Gifford was bowled by the second ball he received from the slow bowler. W. Brown came next and Halstead resumed at the lower end, while Goodbody went on in place of J. O. Anderson. In Halstead's second over Brown in attempting to drive a ball put it up over extra-cover's head, and was out to a good catch. Syer joined Boyd and the new-comer opened with two boundary hits, the second of which Jacobs nearly secured at deep square leg, standing somewhat forward. This brought the score to 70. J. O. Anderson relieved Goodbody, and H. Anderson resumed at his old end a few overs later. This latter change worked admirably as Anderson clean bowled Boyd with a very good one. The outgoing batsman had compiled 62 in his very best form and it

was made by good free cricket. A very general appeal for caught at the wicket was given in his favour before he had reached double figures, otherwise his runs were made without the semblance of a chance. The total was now 91, when Elliot joined Syer, but the former had only scored two when Anderson bowled him (103-7-2). Lomas now appeared to have the game well in hand, when Huxtable became Syer's partner. The new-comer kept up his end with great persistency, hardly moving his bat, while Syer laid on hard to anything within reach and scored at a good rate. The score gradually rose, while the Lomas captain resorted to every possible change, he, H. B. and J. O. Anderson, M. A. Halstead and Goodbody all taking over the ball in quick succession and eventually G. M. Comber, but it was all of no avail. With the score at 130 Syer should have been secured by Jacobs in the long field, but the chance was not accepted. With the score at 181 the umpires agreed that the light was too bad to continue, so the game was stopped, Flores with three wickets to fall, requiring 23 runs to win. Syer's innings was, with the possible exception of that against Dr. White's XI. last season, the finest innings we have seen him play. The two chances already alluded to were both on the boundary and would have been extremely good catches if they had been taken, so they can hardly be considered to have marred the really fine display he gave. Huxtable in a lesser degree deserves very great praise, he had evidently received instructions for he played very carefully being quite contented to allow his partner to do the scoring. It was an invaluable stand, and completely altered the aspect of the game, changing what appeared to be a certain defeat into a favourable draw.

Below are the full scores and analysis:

Lomas		Flores	
A. Anderson not out	93	B. J. Dillon c M. Halstead b H. Anderson	2
F. Jacobs c Brown b Knox	11	E. W. Rudd c "Stumper" b H. Anderson	1
H. B. Anderson b Knox	0	A. Boyd b H. Anderson	62
J. O. Anderson c Gifford	0	A. Palmer b H. Anderson	4
Brown	5	E. R. Gifford b J. O. Anderson	4
E. L. Wilson b Knox	0	W. Brown c J. O. Anderson b M. Halstead	2
P. L. G. Bridger b Knox	0	B. B. Syer not out	79
R. L. Halstead b Knox	22	G. F. Elliot b H. Anderson	2
A. "Stumper" b Brown	3	J. Huxtable not out	13
G. M. Comber c Huxtable b Brown	15	T. V. M. Knox (did not bat)	0
M. A. Halstead c Boyd	0	B. W. Gardom	12
Brown	0		
W. R. Goodbody c Brown b Knox	44		
Extras	7		
Total	203	Total (for 7 wkts)	181

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Lomas				Flores					
	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
W. Brown	36	12	71	4	M. A. Halstead	22	4	54	1
T. V. M. Knox	33	9	88	5	H. B. Anderson	19	4	57	5
G. F. Elliot	3	0	16	0	W. R. Goodbody	6	0	15	0
E. R. Gifford	7	1	21	1	J. O. Anderson	8	0	23	1
					P. L. G. Bridger	5	0	16	0
					G. M. Comber	3	1	4	0
					H. B. Anderson				0

BELGRANO A.C. v. MR. N. KITCHING'S XI.

This game was played at Belgrano on Sunday last, and ended in a victory for the home eleven by 41 runs. For the club Botting played a good innings of 45 not out, while J. Campbell (15) and W. H. Harvey (13) also assisted the score. Rumboll bowled well for the scratch team and secured five wickets for 31 runs.

For the visitors Rumboll alone secured double figures, putting together a nicely played 30, all the rest failed, and were quite unable to cope with the deliveries of W. H. Harvey, who obtained seven wickets for the small cost of 27 runs.

We give the scores and analysis below:

Belgrano A.C.		Mr Kitching's XI.	
J. D. Shepard c Kitching	9	P. Permain c Keen b Negron	2
b Calvo	9	C. Crank c Negron b Harvey	0
J. S. Prescott c Forde	11	E. L. Rumboll c Miles b Harvey	30
b Rumboll	11	T. A. H. Forde c Roberts b Harvey	3
W. H. Harvey run out	13	A. Virasoro y Calvo c Miles b Harvey	0
W. M. Graham c Rumboll b Calvo	0	R. L. Phillips b Negron	1
H. W. Botting not out	45	M. G. Fortune run out	0
J. Campbell c Fortune	15	J. C. Donovan b Harvey	4
b Rumboll	15	R. Paton b Harvey	4
J. Negron c Forde b Rumboll	0	H. Fraser not out	3
G. L. Miles b Rumboll	0	N. B. W. Kitching b Harvey	1
W. Goodwin b Rumboll	6	Extras	16
H. W. Roberts b Donovan	1		
G. Keen c and b Donovan	0		
Extras	5		
Total	105	Total	64

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Belgrano A.C.				Mr. Kitching's XI.					
	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
E. L. Rumboll	15	2	31	5	W. H. Harvey	16.1	4	27	7
A. Virasoro y Calvo	7	0	34	2	J. Negron	16	6	21	2
M. G. Fortune	3	0	26	0					
J. C. Donovan	5	0	9	2					

LONDON BANK (A TEAM) v. LOMAS 2ND XI.

This match was played on Sunday last at Lomas, and after a pleasant game ended in a draw in favour of the visitors, as, when stumps were drawn, Lomas required 54 runs to win, with only one wicket to fall. Great credit, however, is due to the last pair, who made an excellent stand, adding 30 to the score and saving their side from defeat. The feature of the match was the all-round play of C. W. Thompson for the visitors. Besides carrying his bat through the innings for a stylish 76, he obtained five wickets for 16 runs. The bank batted first and started in a most disastrous manner their first two wickets falling before a run had been scored, R. Draper taking the two wickets in his first over. This brought Francis and Thompson together and matters were considerably improved, in fact the score was raised to 30, before Francis was unfortunately run out. The next three wickets gave but little trouble, but Mackinnell hit out freely and helped to put on 30 runs for the seventh wicket. Poulton gave no trouble, but Coutts made a useful stand with Thompson adding 28 runs to the score. Fraser failed to help the score, but Shaw, the last comer, stayed with Thompson while 10 runs were added bringing the score to 154 for ten wickets, at which period the innings was declared closed. Thomson being left not out with 76 to his credit, a capital innings which contained 13 boundary hits.

Lomas then batted and lost their first wicket (Duncan) with only 4 runs scored. McMorran, the next comer, began in a very lively manner scoring three fours off Stuart. With the score at 26, however, both Draper and McMorran had to leave, the latter after scoring a lively 19. This brought Tait and Miller together and an extremely useful stand was made, but after their separation a regular "rot" set in and ten wickets were down for 72, so that things looked anything but bright, when C. Gibson joined Stirling. These two, however, set to work in great style, Gibson treating all the bowling very severely and when time was called the two were still together, so the match was drawn. The last stand was a most plucky one, and deserving of great praise.

Below are the scores and analysis:—

Table with columns for London Bank and Lomas, listing players and their scores. Includes a total for 10 wickets for each team.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

Table showing bowling statistics for London Bank and Lomas, including runs, wickets, and maidens.

FLORES A.C. 2ND XI. v. BANFIELD A.C.

The Flores second eleven journeyed to Banfield on Sunday last to play off the above fixture. The Banfield club in view of the success their visitors had enjoyed this season, had got together a strong team, which gave an excellent account of itself winning by five wickets.

Flores batted first and chiefly through the efforts of T. Palmer (40) and B. G. Henderson (36) their innings closed for the respectable total of 131. The Banfield fielding left a good deal to be desired, and several chances were missed, or the score made by Flores would have been considerably smaller.

Banfield then batted, and a capital start was made, but the next three wickets fell very quickly and four wickets were down for 53 runs. This brought Anderson and Venn together and they soon put a different aspect on the game. Anderson was let off after scoring four, after which he scored at a great pace, and Venn also was not slow. The 100 went up with these two still together, but at 108 Anderson was taken in the slips, for a hard hit 33. Bingham came next and the runs were knocked off without further loss. Venn was left with 38 not out to his credit, and Bingham with 15. The former's innings was very good, while Bingham's were made by stylish and correct cricket. It was a splendid win as the home team had only an hour and a half in which to make the runs, and this they accomplished for the loss of only five wickets.

Scorecard for Flores 2nd XI. vs Banfield A.C. listing players and their runs.

BOWLING ANALYSIS—Flores 2nd XI.

Table showing bowling statistics for Flores 2nd XI and Banfield.

HURLINGHAM v. BELGRANO A.C.

The above match was played at Hurlingham on Thursday last, and after rather a one-sided game resulted in a victory for the home team by 116 runs.

The wicket was hardly as good as usual, but we understand there was some difficulty in obtaining the necessary amount of water. The visitors were unfortunate in not being able to utilise the services of two of their regular bowlers, while again it was a match remarkable for the stand made by the last wicket, Willes and Gibson, the last pair putting on 77 runs for the visitors.

The Belgrano captain won the toss and elected to bat, Prescott and Negron starting to the bowling of Lacey and Rumboll, the last-named bowling from the stable end. A disastrous start was made, for from the first ball sent down Negron was taken at cover-point, and from Lacey's second ball Botting fell a victim to the wicket-keeper. J. Campbell came next and a short stand was made before Prescott returned one to Rumboll. Graham and Miles tried hard to make matters better, but the former was run out just as he appeared comfortably settled. Chevob ran himself out attempting a foolish run, and no one else did anything, the whole side being dismissed for 53 runs.

Lacey, with four wickets for 18 runs, obtained the best analysis.

Lunch was then taken, after which Jones and Lacey opened the Hurlingham batting to the bowling of J. Negron and Miles (Stable end); 16 soon went up and then Negron bowled Jones, who hit right across the ball. J. O. Anderson followed in, but just after his arrival Lacey was run out, attempting a short run. E. L. Rumboll joined Anderson and these two carried the score to 61 before Anderson was taken very low down in the slips. Permain soon had to leave, but Wilson and Rumboll raised the score to 81 before Wilson was run out. Rumboll was easily stumped 7 runs later after making a useful 26. Lacey had bad luck in playing a ball on to his wicket, Paton and Kingsland gave no trouble both being bowled by Campbell after scoring a single. This brought D. Gibson and H. Willes together and a very fine stand was made. Six different bowlers tried to bring about a separation, but runs came steadily both batsmen playing a nice free game. With the score at 174, however, Willes in attempting to drive a ball from Miles, skied it, and was easily caught at forward short-leg, for a capital 37, while Gibson was left not out with a freely-made 34 to his credit.

Scorecard for Hurlingham vs Belgrano A.C. listing players and their runs.

BOWLING ANALYSIS—Belgrano.

Table showing bowling statistics for Belgrano and Hurlingham.

BANFIELD A.C. (A TEAM) v. I.O.G.T.

This friendly game was played at Banfield on Thursday last, and the home team had little difficulty in winning very easily. Banfield batted first and four of their men retired so that all might have a chance. The visitors' bowling was very weak.

Below are the scores:

Scorecard for Banfield A.C. vs I.O.G.T. listing players and their runs.

E. HIGH SCHOOL v. MR. B. W. GARDOM'S XI.

The above match was played on Thursday last at Flores and after a pleasant game the School returned victors by 30 runs.

Scorecard for E. High School vs Mr. B. W. Gardom's XI. listing players and their runs.

Scorecard for Mr. B. W. Gardom's XI. 1st and 2nd innings listing players and their runs.

WEST INDIES

LORD HAWKE'S TEAM.

Second Match, v. All Trinidad.—On Feb. 1, 2, and 3 the Englishmen met a representative eleven of Trinidad, and suffered defeat by 137 runs. The home team scored 168 in their first innings, and Lord Hawke's team replied with 165, of which Mr P. F. Warner was responsible for seventy-four. Trinidad's second effort produced 192 (Mr L. S. D'Adé fifty-five, A. Warner thirty-two), the visitors thus requiring 196 to win, but Messrs J. Woods and A. Cumberbatch disposed of them for 50. The first named bowler's five wickets were obtained at a cost of twenty-five runs, and the same number of batsmen were dismissed by Mr Cumberbatch for twenty-nine.

PAVILION GOSSIP.

As I anticipated, the return match between the Flores and Lomas Athletic Clubs was most keenly contested. From first to last it was a most extraordinary game, and the issue was in doubt until a very short time before stumps were drawn. There was a striking similarity between the two innings. Lomas, who batted first, lost their first five wickets for very few runs, while Flores lost their first three wickets for 9 runs. Again the stand made by the last wicket for Lomas saved them from a very awkward situation, but Flores were in a still more unenviable position, wanting 101 runs to win with three wickets to fall, but the unexpected again occurred, and the score was eventually raised to 181 without further loss.

The match never for one single moment became uninteresting, and it was the greater pity that there were not more spectators present. If for no other reason the match will be a memorable one, for the long stand made by the Lomas last wicket, the score being increased by no fewer than 105 runs. This must be a record for River Plate cricket. Messrs. A. Anderson and B. B. Syer gave two brilliant displays with the bat though in very different styles, and each undoubtedly saved his respective side from defeat.

As this match always creates so much interest, could not a third meeting between these clubs be arranged on a neutral ground? Both the Lomas and Flores Athletic Clubs have grown and improved to such an extent the last two years that each is now able to hold its own with any club in the country, in every class of sport, while they have undoubtedly helped to a large extent to raise the standard of play out here. A third meeting would, therefore, I feel certain, cause universal interest, and prove a great attraction.

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Recently I have had several occasions to refer to careless and even ignorant umpiring in some of our matches here. This has not been done except in cases where my opinion has been asked, or in cases where an interesting point had arisen which invited discussion. On this occasion, however, I wish to put in a good word for the umpires here generally, who very often have to put up with a great deal of annoyance. There are, as all athletes know, a certain class of players, who always like to make the umpire's work as difficult as possible, and seldom fail either openly or covertly to question his decisions.

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I have been led to making the above remarks from an incident which occurred in one of the matches last Sunday. It was a case when two of the players had to umpire, and great care was taken to select two, who had had previous experience in this department. An appeal was made on two occasions during the course of one player's innings, and the decision each time was given in favour of the batsman. After each of these decisions *more than one on the fielding side* openly expressed his conviction that the batsman was out.

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Without criticising their action, I would like to remind the players above referred to, that the two umpires, or at all events one of them (the visiting side had to supply one, according to custom) was doing them a great favour in taking the place of the umpire *they ought to have supplied*. Secondly that the acting umpires naturally gave decisions to the best of their ability, and thirdly that an umpire's decision *is always final*, so that grumbling and openly expressed dissatisfaction is not only unsportsmanlike and bad form, but can only cause general annoyance and unpleasantness.

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On account of Cumberland's victory over Yorkshire on Feb. 20, the Yorkshire men have been deprived of the championship which they have so long held. It is a relief to have the scene of honour changed, but everyone will regard with admiration, the plucky display Yorkshire have made in spite of her many hindrances the past two years.

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The Scotch Rugby representatives played their first International match on Feb. 20 when they defeated Ireland by a goal and a penalty goal to a try. During the game the well-known Irish three-quarter, L. H. Gwynn, performed a feat probably unique in International football, as just before half-time he *punted* the ball over the Scotch goal bar. The action was greeted with loud laughter by all present.

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Mr G. Harnett, the referee in the Cardiff v. Newport match, played at Cardiff on Feb. 13, having reported the action of a portion of the crowd on that occasion, the committee of the Welsh R. F. U. decided that the Cardiff ground be closed until the end of March. It is a pity that a few offenders cannot be arrested and dealt with by the law. Mr Harnett was severely bruised, principally from kicks, administered as he was being escorted by the police, and the attitude of the mob was such that, without protection, he would probably have been brutally murdered.

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Two cargos of barley have arrived in La Plate from Chile, for the Quilmes Brewery.

A severe storm, accompanied with heavy rain and hail, has destroyed the rice crop in the south part of the province of Tucuman. The tobacco that had not been gathered is lost, and the sugar cane has been levelled to the ground. Some chacras are under water, and galpons and roofs have been blown away. In the north part of the province the damage done was not so considerable.

The people that suffer most by the revolution in the Banda Oriental are the estancieros and chacareros. Horses are taken by force, cattle and sheep either driven off or killed on the place, and even stores are sacked, while the peons are compelled to join the ranks of the force that first make an appearance.

Messrs. Bullrich and Co. have sold by auction 8380 hectares of land in the partido of Trenque Lauquen. Lots 106, 107, 122, and 123 brought \$12.70 per hectare, lots 124 and 125 \$14.90, and lots 120 and 126 \$12.20.

In Pigué 1636 hectares of camp have been sold at \$27 to \$28.70 per hectare.

Argentine flour, in Rio Janeiro, is at the bottom of the quoted price lists.

A decree has been published ordering 240 leagues of land in Santa Cruz and Tierra del Fuego to be sold by auction in November. Copies of the decree have been sent to the Falkland Islands and the Chilian Colony at Punta Arenas.

Owing to the frequency of imported animals arriving here suffering from disease, the principal veterinary surgeons will meet this afternoon to discuss measures necessary to prevent such animals from being landed.

We have pleasure in calling the attention of our readers to an article in last Monday's "Nacion," re Messrs Gubba and Co.'s locust destroyer which appears to us to contain much valuable information on a subject that has for months been occupying a very prominent place in the minds of everyone connected with land in the Argentine.

Messrs Funes and Lagos sold 15 Lincoln ram lambs, imported by Mr Charles Pinnell, for \$5015, an average of \$334 each.

On Tuesday, April 13, tenders will be opened by the Comision Consultiva de Correos y Telégrafos for the purchase of 120 criollo horses, from four to six years of age, of dark colours, and 1.50 metres in height. The terms are cash. Particulars at 181 Reconquista.

By telegraph we learn that by the new tariff of the United States sugar not exceeding 16 grades Holland will pay 1 cent per lb., exceeding this and refined 17-8 cents per lb., and all sugars proceeding from countries which pay a premium will pay as taxes the amount of that premium. This will no doubt close the United States against Argentine, German and French sugar, and will favour those of Cuba, which pays no premium.

Hair and hides will be duty free while coming under reciprocity clauses, but the President has power to impose on them otherwise a duty of 15 cents per lb.

The Minister of Finance will pay a monthly subvention of \$300 to the provinces who supply the following statistics to the national offices: A fortnightly list of camps put under agriculture and their crops, by district; a monthly list of the civil register of the province, and particulars of the transfer of property and prices of camp; and yearly, statistics of the most important productions of the province, such as sugar growing, wine making, saladeros, milling, tanning, quarrying, mining, freezing establishments, etc., and balances of the banks doing business in the province.

The Comision Investigadora de la Langosta has received the following additional donations, in gold: Central Argentine Railway \$500, Central Cordoba Railway 500, Great Western Railway 250, G. Kelsey and Co. 50, William Goodwin 50, C. M. Huergo and Co. 50, T. S. Boodle and Co. 50, A. G. Pruden 100, River Plate Trust Loan and Agency Co. 750, making a total of \$15,215 gold received to date.

Mr Thomas Duggan has brought a lawsuit against the Rural Tramway, and claims \$3000 as damages for the destruction of some Durham bulls, which an engine of the tramway ran into on the 7th of January, in his estancia at Salto.

The following figures are taken from the report of the Argentine Consul-General in London respecting goods imported into London from the Argentine Republic, during the year 1896:

Live Stock	£915,671
Cereals	499,397
Linseed	179,586
Frozen Mutton	135,338
Sugar	40,561
Preserved Meat	36,875
Wool (Sheep and Lambs)	35,882
Butter	29,265
Wood Furniture (unrated)	7,959
Wheatmeal	7,936
Fresh Beef	7,083
Seeds (unrated)	4,630
Chemicals	2,769
Hides	2,700
Drugs	1,657
Hay	1,413
Goods unmanufactured (unrated)	1,258
Sundry articles under £1,000 in value	4,708

Importation from the Argentine Republic £1,914,688
Exportation from London to the Argentine Republic 940,342

Balance in favour of Argentina .. £974,346

Price of gold on the Bolsa from March 20th to March 26th, inclusive—

Saturday	309.30 %	Wednesday	310.00 %
Monday	308.20 "	Thursday	— "
Tuesday	310.50 "	Friday	308.00 "

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Cases of diphtheria are occurring in Pilar and Tres Arroyos.

The Brazilian Admiral Tamandaré died on the 20th, aged 90 years.

In the Department of Montevideo over 16,000 National Guards have enrolled themselves.

The extradition treaty between Brazil and the United States will be signed in Rio this week.

There are 3,773,000 nickel coins at present in circulation in the republic, of a value of \$427,000.

During 1896 the Caja de Conversion destroyed 933 forged bank-notes, of a value of about \$12,000.

The puppet show (British Mechanical Theatre) now at the Eden in Calle Florida, is being well patronised.

The Jockey Club's "dividendo" on last Sunday was \$15,000. There were 75,000 tickets sold for win and place.

A line of steamers, subsidised by the Chilian Government, will shortly run between Valparaiso and Punta Arena.

The officers and crew of the United States cruiser Yantic worked with a will to try and save the torpedo catcher Santa Fé.

Saturday last, the 20th, was the thirty-sixth anniversary of the earthquake in Mendoza, by which 18,000 people lost their lives.

In the Belgian Parliament when a member is making a long speech he may be supplied with brandy and water at Government expense.

Messrs Bossi and Cáceres have supplied to the Municipality a million of algarroba blocks, at \$6.20 per 100, for repairing Paseo de Julio.

From 1887 to 1896, inclusive, the printing of our bank-notes cost \$1,226,215 gold. The value of the notes printed amounted to \$559,293,000.

The Liberal party in Corrientes, and in general all over the country, are unanimous in asking Governor Virasoro to withdraw his resignation.

Thirty shares of the company Crédito Territorial Santafecino, of the nominal value of \$100 each, have been sold in Rosario by auction for 10 cents each.

There were reported in Rio Janeiro during the month of February last 68 cases of yellow fever and 33 deaths, against 972 cases and 723 deaths in February, 1896.

In a report by the Caja de Conversion to the Minister of Finance the total emission of paper money at present in circulation in the republic is given as \$284,613,723.

A steamer now plys on the River Jordan, and makes the journey from Jericho to Tiberias, i.e., from the Dead Sea, along the Jordan, to the Sea of Galilee in five hours.

The Municipality are calling for tenders to pave Calle Santa Fé from Calle Billingham to Maldonado Bridge. The paving is to be of cut granite blocks with a concrete foundation.

The German Reichstag, by 245 votes against 91, have defeated the bill to build two new ironclads and other vessels of smaller tonnage, but have approved the construction of one ironclad.

A petition is being signed, for presentation to the Minister of the Interior, asking that passenger trains be allowed to run to and from the present Central Station until the completion of the new one.

The earthworks have been finished to kilometre 443, and the rails laid to kilometre 143, of the railway from Trenque-Lauquen to Toay. It is expected that by the end of June the rails will be placed over the entire extension. The telegraph is already completed.

The representative of the English firm who has offered to construct the military port at Bahía Blanca has left for London, from where the Government will be advised by telegraph of the conditions, etc. The port is to be constructed on lands given by Sra. Bartoli. The Great Southern Railway have proposed to construct a branch line of fifty kilometres to join Bahía Blanca with the port if the Government will give the necessary land,

The National Telegraph Department has opened to public service a line from Rosario to San Urbano, a distance of 103 kilometres.

It is said that 15,000 British troops of the line are to be sent to South Africa. The "Johannesburg Star" has been suspended by President Kruger.

Dr. J. Walker Martínez, the Chilian Ambassador to Brazil, has received full powers to sign the commercial treaty between the two countries.

At the polo match between Tucuman and Santiago, played on the 23rd, at Campo del Cruz, even the military forces turned out to see the manly sport.

An explosion of gases occurred in the laboratory of the National Department of Hygiene on Tuesday. There was no loss of life and but slight damage was done.

The "Times of Argentina" says that the wreck of the torpedo catcher Santa Fé is due to the fact that the officers were entertaining visitors on board at the time of the accident.

The new committee of St. John's Ambulance Association is composed as follows: President, Mr J. H. Chevallier Boutell; directors, Messrs Bach, Monteith Drysdale, Rankine, and Watson Hutton.

The supposed attempt to rob the certified letter department of the General Post-Office will no doubt turn out to have been committed by employees. A porter of the establishment has been arrested.

The revolution in the Banda Oriental has ceased to be a revolution to correct the abuses committed by the President against the Constitution, as it was declared at the beginning, and is now merely a war of existence between the Blanco and Colorado factions.

Mr David Syme, proprietor of the "Melbourne Age," has offered to defray the expense of the Victorian rifle team who will compete at this year's meeting of the National Rifle Association at Bisley. Sir George Turner, the Premier of Victoria, has accepted the offer.

The German community did honour to themselves in the hearty manner they honoured the centenary of King William I. All business was put aside for the day and the houses were decorated with flags. The theatrical performance at the Politeama was a great success.

The Gymnastic and Fencing Club have petitioned the Municipality for a grant of 70,000 metres of land in Palermo, adjoining the Buenos Aires Cricket Club's ground and the Avenue of Palm Trees to the river. They propose to utilise the ground for athletic purposes generally.

The French Merchant Shipping Commission has resolved to ask Government to extend navigation bounties to vessels which have been built abroad, but have become French, it being impossible to obtain French-built vessels at a price allowing competition with the foreigner.

Dr. Aoki, of the Japanese navy, says that it has been found that beri-beri is caused by an exclusive rice diet, and the prevalence of this disease has been overcome in the Japanese navy by substituting a mixed diet for that in which rice forms a principal part. They now give wheaten bread alternately with rice.

The receipts of the Anglo-Argentine Tramway, from Jan. 1st to 25th of this year, reached £12,919, against £10,736 for the same time last year. Those of the City of Buenos Aires, from Jan. 1st to 25th, were £15,332, same period last year £12,495. The Metropolitan Tramway, for the weeks ending Jan. 18th and 25th, produced £459 in excess of the same period in 1896.

The notion of Turkey sending a fleet in aid of the Mohammedans in Crete is too absurd to be entertained for a moment. It is matter of common knowledge that the Turkish fleet has not been to sea since the conclusion of the Russo-Turkish War, and is worth no more than old iron. Since '78 it has been rotting peacefully in the Golden Horn. What will she do, in default of transports and ships of any kind, should she find herself compelled to send troops to, say, Tripoli or Arabia, or to Albania in order to carry on operations against Greece?

The school that was started some time ago to train Argentine youths to be marine engineers has at last been broken up. Of the existing apprentices, six have passed a successful examination in engineering and electricity, and have been incorporated into the navy; two have been found deficient even of the most elementary knowledge of the trade and were dismissed; and the remaining twelve, in view of the good certificates obtained by them from the firms in England where they worked, have been passed to the Tigre Arsenal to complete their apprenticeship.

The contractor of the improvements that have been going on for some time at the Government House, in presenting his bill for the balance of \$389,572 to be paid, stated that as he had bills to pay to sub-contractors and for material he would take Treasury Bills. At a meeting of the Cabinet it was resolved to comply with his request, and seven bills have been given him, the first of which, for \$100,000, falls due in a year, and the last, for \$39,572, six months afterwards.

Just now every nation is possessed with the same idea—the increase of her navy. In the East, China is ordering cruisers from Europe, and Japan is making her own; in the West, the American Government yards are working at full pressure, and the United States' navy is fast becoming formidable. The States of Europe are also exerting themselves. Italy is increasing her navy considerably, and France now proposes to spend eight millions sterling on new ships.

To read the accounts of "specials," interviews, military despatches, eye-witnesses, telegrams, private letters, and hearsay evidence, and tell who are the victors in the "battles" of Tres Arboles, Arbolite, Salto, Cuchilla Negra, Rivera, and other smaller affairs, must be puzzling, although the Blancos are credited with most of the wins. In the official bulletins the Government troops are always given the victory. There is a lot of "gush" both in the revolutionary accounts and those of the Government.

The British Consul at Hamburg, in his observations on German competition with our trade, says: "Unless we are prepared to fight our competitors with their own weapons, to expend the same amount of enterprise and plodding perseverance, to put aside once for all the conceit that we are superior to anything, I fear that future generations will suffer for the shortcomings and short-sightedness of their fathers. . . . Lookers on see most of the game, and at home I am sure it is not realised, as it ought to be, what appalling mischief is done by strikes in driving away trade, and playing into the hands of competitors."

The death of Mr Steinitz, the well-known chess champion, took place last month in an asylum for the insane at Moscow, to which he was recently consigned. He was born on May 17, 1836, at Prague, where he was also educated, finishing his studies, however at the Polytechnic Institute, Vienna. He early attained distinction as a chess player, and by his defeat of the late Prof. Anderssen in 1866 won the match championship of the world. Among the tournaments in which he has taken part have been those held in Dublin, 1865; Paris, 1867; Dundee, 1867; Baden, 1870; London, 1872-1888; Vienna, 1873 and 1882.

The Baroness Hirsch, who only obtained possession of her late husband's fortune two months ago, is making a very benevolent use of her great wealth. After the 2,000,000 francs given to the Pasteur Institute, she has just given 2,000,000 francs more to the pension fund of the Oriental railways, in which Baron Hirsch commenced his fortune. Moreover, Baroness Hirsch is giving 1,000,000 francs (£40,000) to found a hospital in London; while several Parisian charities have also received large sums. It is calculated that in two months Baroness Hirsch has distributed in France, England, and Austria some £480,000.

M.P.'s are the recipients of many queer epistles, but even they have been startled this week by a circular addressed to them by a person who conceives that he is a heavenly mouthpiece, and forwards statutory declarations of an alleged revelation in London City. In obedience to this celestial command he adjures M.P.'s on an authority "exceeding that of queens, kings, governments, or peoples," to do three things—Firstly, to free the first day of the week from all restrictions that are not imposed on the other days of the week; secondly, to divest the Book of Common Prayer of all Government authority; and thirdly, to abolish the word church as used to describe a building which is the work of men's hands. The circular is covered with sundry cabalistic signs known only to the initiated.

A delightful story of reprisals against the sanitary authorities of Marseilles is to hand. The bubonic monomania is still shockingly prevalent there, and the most innocent letters are perforated and smoked, and the most harmless handbag of the Anglo-Indian made to smell with Sheolesque sulphur. Two sanitary officers even went so far as to board an American ship, armed with clinical thermometer apiece, and insisted upon taking the temperature of the captain. The captain showed them into his cabin, and went on the bridge to cool down a little before submitting himself to such a delicate operation. At the same time, he ordered the clinical investigators' boat to be hoisted inboard, and spoke a few words to the engineer. When the investigators in the cabin demanded to be put on shore, they were politely informed that the captain would see them further first, namely, to Toulon, the cream of the jest being that when they arrived at that port they would have to do quarantine themselves. So it proved. They were duly fumigated, as coming from a suspected ship.

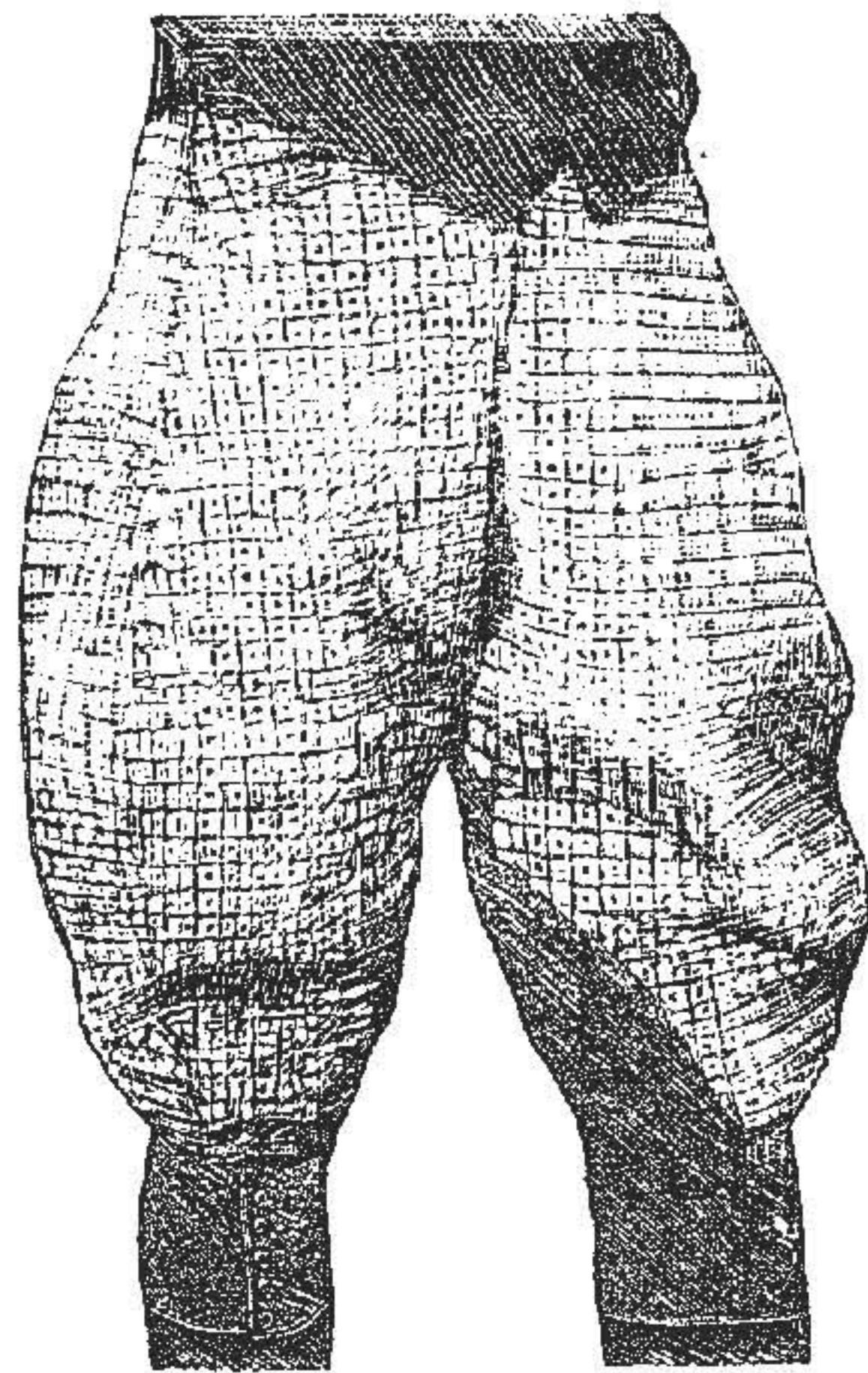
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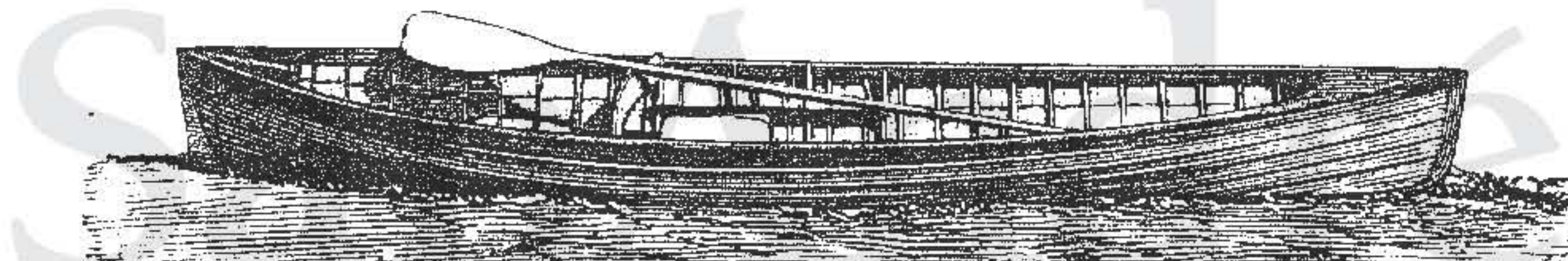
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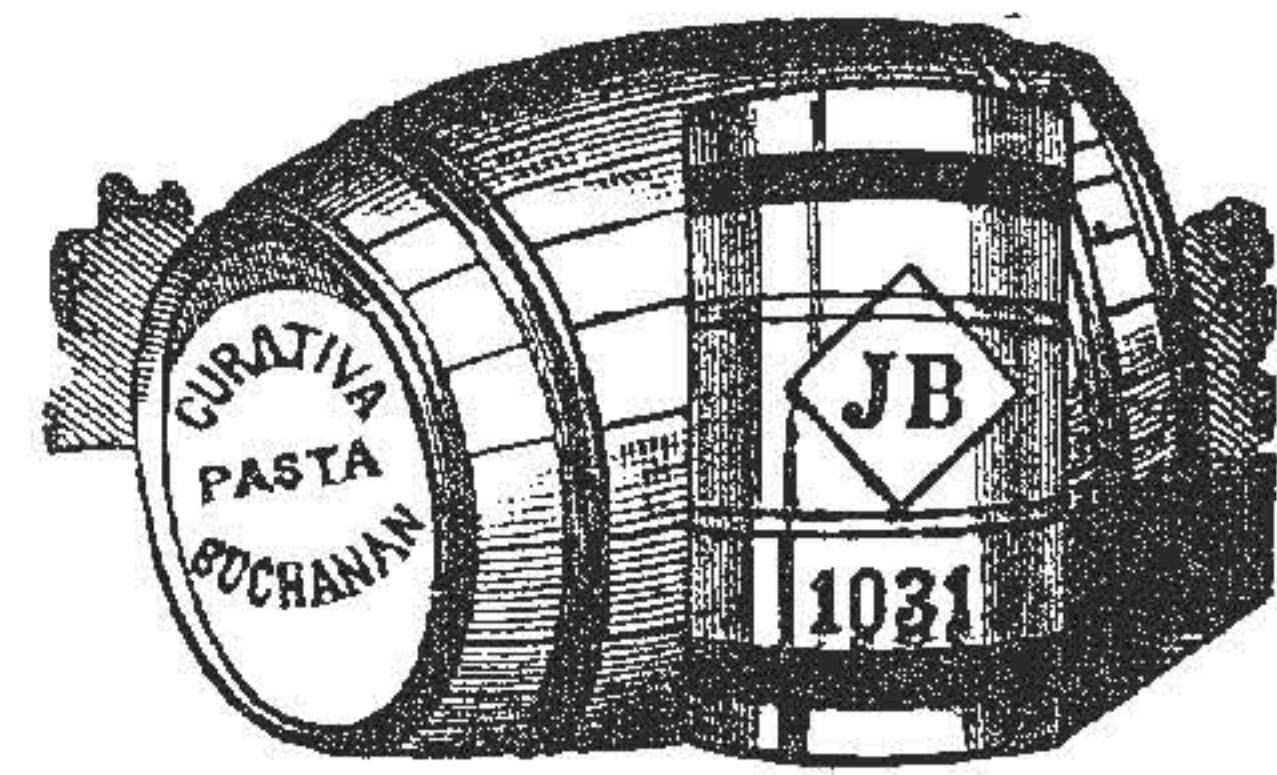


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RACING

PALERMO—MARCH 21.

The attendance at the Jockey Club's meeting at Palermo on Sunday was rather below the average which was probably owing to the continued closeness of the weather. The racing was good, some of the finishes being exceptionally close.

The Stud La Confianza secured the opening event with Ataque, who seems in good form just now, while the Premio Folie, which followed, fell to the Petite Ecurie by the help of Addio, a colt by Stiletto—Ariadne, who showed a considerable amount of speed.

The Premio Casares brought out no less than sixteen fillies, and as might be expected, they proved rather a troublesome band to the starter, who, however, made the best of a difficult task, and let them go as soon as possible. The Stud Paris pair were made favourites with Sultana, the Stud Lincoln representative next in demand. The winner turned up, however, in Devona, who paid the handsome dividend of \$77.37 for a win and \$8.51 for a place, while Amelia, who was third, also paid the large amount of \$64.82 for a place.

The Premio Etoile resulted in a grand race between Policeman and Reserva, the former just getting home by a short neck.

The Petite Ecurie had another winner in Voladora, who placed the Premio Primera to their credit.

There were only two absentees for the Premio Rose Royale, which was won by the Stud Palmar with the horse of the same name, and Ataque wound up the day's sport by beating three others in the Premio Brise.

The following are the details:—

PREMIO DIVINA, for all horses that have been more than a year in the country, and have run oftener than twice without having won more than \$6000, three-year-olds 54 kilos, four-year-olds and upwards 56 kilos. A penalty of 3 kilos to be carried for each race won. \$1400 to the 1st, 100 to the 2nd, 1500 metres.

Stud La Confianza's ch c Ataque, by Havre—Curamalan, 3 y, 54 k.....R. Bastiani 1 Ecurie Sans Fagon's Tiradentes, 3 y, 54 k.....R. Garrido 2

Ecurie Bend'Or's Rodin, 3 y, 54 k.....N. Sosa 3 Stud Jefferson's Belgrano, 4 y, 59 k.....J. Garcia 0 Stud Revolucion's Hugonote, 3 y, 57 k.....P. Bagu 0 Stud Empréstito's Regardez, 4 y, 54 k.....J. Carreras 0 Stud Las Piedras' Caprichosa, 3 y, 52 k.....C. Bustos 0

Ataque made running from end to end, and won easily by a length from Tiradentes. The same between second and third.

Tickets—Ataque with 1445 win and 1222 place, Tiradentes 1143—945, Rodin 514—494, Belgrano 64—69, Hugonote 589—466, Regardez 18—35, Caprichosa 124—107. Totals 3898—3338.

Dividends—Ataque \$4.85 win and 2.68 place, Tiradentes 2.85 place.

PREMIO FOLIE, for two-year-olds, colts 52 kilos, fillies 50 kilos, winners to carry 3 kilos extra. \$1700 to the 1st, 100 to the 2nd, 1000 metres.

La Petite Ecurie's ch c Addio, by Stiletto—Ariadne, 52 k.....R. Garrido 1 Stud La Redencion's Yanguetru, 52 k.....H. Esteves 2 Stud General La Madrid's Catanga, 50 k.....I. Diaz 3

Ecurie Indecis' L'Etourdi, 52 k.....P. Aguirre 0 Ecurie 25 de Mayo's Efrain, 52 k.....S. Gomez 0 Stud Santa Fe's Alarife, 52 k.....F. Goyenecheo 0 Stud Paris' Galette, 50 k.....P. Aguilera 0 Stud Calchin's Chirimoya, 50 k.....J. Olmos 0

After Yanguetru had cut out all the work to the last bend, he was caught by Addio, who won a good race by a neck. Two lengths away Catanga was third.

Tickets—Addio with 2389 win and 1413 place, Yanguetru 1551—1241, Catanga 164—187, L'Etourdi 592—581, Efrain 85—104, Alarife 201—205, Galette 419—410, Chirimoya 392—427. Totals 5793—4568.

Dividends—Addio \$4.36 win and 3.03 place, Yanguetru 3.17 place.

PREMIO CASARES, for fillies, weight 52 kilos, \$3500 to the 1st, 500 to the 2nd, 3rd saves her stake, 1000 metres. Stud Devona's ch f Devona, by Phoenix—Midge

C. Cardoso 1 Stud Amianto's Pepina.....J. Paez 2 Stud Calchin's Amelia.....J. Rodriguez 3 Stud A. Lincoln's Sultana.....J. Bayardi 0 Mr Ipso's Fernet Branca.....R. Garrido 0 La Petite Ecurie's Nobleza.....J. Cardoso 0 La Petite Ecurie's Esteatita.....I. Diaz 0 Ecurie Argentino's Lavinia.....J. Olivera 0 Ecurie Azur's Onagh.....H. Esteves 0 Ecurie Indecis' Mandarina.....P. Aguirre 0 Ecurie Juncal's Fanciulla.....J. Olmos 0 Stud Las Piedras' Filósofa.....C. Bustos 0 Stud Los Cardos' Validé.....R. Bastiani 0 Stud Paris' Hirondele.....N. Sosa 0 Stud Paris' Plaisanterie.....P. Aguilera 0 Ecurie Semper Paratus' Victrix.....J. Cabrera 0

Making the best of a troublesome lot, the starter soon dropped his flag, but unfortunately, not at a very opportune moment. Amelia was first to show in front, and she settled down with a decided lead, while Pepina and

Devona soon ran into the subordinate places, but when fairly turned for home Amelia soon gave place to Pepina, who, however, did not make much of a fight when challenged by Devona, who won with a bit in hand by a length or more. Two lengths between second and third.

Tickets—Devona with 150 win and 194 place, Pepina 1112—944, Amelia 43—51, Sultana 1133—938, Fernet Branca 589—798, Nobleza and Esteatita 1064—1135, Lavinia 43—86, Onagh 202—221, Mandarina 308—357, Fanciulla 155—131, Filósofa 114—140, Validé 208—213, Hirondele and Plaisanterie 1235—1405, Victrix 12—48. Totals 6148—6661.

Dividends—Devona \$77.37 win and 18.51 place, Pepina 5.39 place, Amelia 64.82 place.

PREMIO ETOILE, an open handicap \$2200 to the 1st 200 to the 2nd, 2200 metres.

Stud Las Armas' br h Policeman, by Dragon—La Plata, 5 y, 48 k.....I. Diaz 1

Stud La Confianza's Reserva, 3 y, 46 k.....J. Cabrera 2 Stud Paris' Oriel, 5 y, 62 k.....J. Lacruz 3 Ecurie Azur's Stamboul, 5 y, 57 k.....H. Esteves 0

Going at once to the head of affairs Policeman took them along at a pace that made his field safe before a mile had been covered, when Diaz steadied him to win in safety by half a length. Oriel three lengths away was third.

Tickets—Policeman with 1720 win, Reserva 2467, Oriel 3221, Stamboul 1893. Total 9301.

Dividend—Policeman \$9.73 win.

PREMIO PRIMERA, a handicap for all horses that have been at least a year in the country and have not won over \$8000, \$1500 to the 1st, 100 to the 2nd, 1200 metres.

La Petite Ecurie's br m Voladora, by Zanoni—Volumnia, 3 y, 51 k.....R. Garrido 1

Ecurie Prisonero's Daza 3 y, 57 1/2 k.....R. Bastiani 2 Ecurie Radame's Vivas, 3 y, 55 k.....P. Urrutio 3 Stud Temerario's May Blossom, 6 y, 49 k.....J. Gomez 0 Ecurie Azur's Extra, 3 y, 48 k.....C. Bustos 0

Nothing being able to extend her, Voladora simply made a pace to suit herself and won at her ease by over a length. Daza was third a similar distance away.

Tickets—Voladora with 3534 win and 1250 place, Daza 1729—664, Vivas 1297—754, May Blossom 540—301, Extra 605—316. Totals 7525—3305.

Dividends—Voladora \$4.03 win and 2.83 place, Daza 3.58 place.

PREMIO ROSE ROYALE, an open handicap \$1600 to the 1st, 100 to the 2nd, 1600 metres.

Stud Palmar's br h Palmar, by Orbit—Columbia, 4 y, 52 k.....C. Cardoso 1

Stud Santa Fe's Distinguido, 3 y, 47 k.....J. Rivas 2 Ecurie Indecis' Little Darling, 3 y, 47 k.....A. Malerba 3

Stud Gen. San Martin's Pick Pocket, 4 y, 51 k.....R. Gomez 0 Stud Floresta's Laurel, 4 y, 50 k.....P. Bagu 0 Ecurie Belgrano's Bay Rum, 6 y, 48 k.....J. Insauralde 0

Up to the stands Distinguido looked like winning, but when Palmar was sent along he came away to win easily by a length. Distinguido beating Little Darling the same distance for second money.

Tickets—Palmar with 2640 win and 1728 place, Distinguido 1269—789, Little Darling 1720—979, Pick Pocket 1495—272, Laurel 1313—803, Bay Rum 602—323. Totals 8039—4894.

Dividends—Palmar \$5.48 win and 3.39 place, Distinguido 4.39 place.

PREMIO BRISE, an open handicap, \$1800 to the 1st, 100 to the second 1800 metres.

Stud La Confianza's ch c Ataque, by Havre—Curamalan, 3 y, 43 k.....M. Valdez 1

Stud Amianto's Violin, 4 y, 58 k.....G. Palacios 2 Ecurie Belgrano's Antropófago, 6 y, 52 k.....N. Sosa 3 Ecurie de las Cañitas' Mariano, 4 y, 60 1/2 k.....I. Diaz 0

Ataque had no trouble in winning by a length from Violin, who was a like distance in front of Antropófago.

Tickets—Ataque with 3949 win, Violin 3296, Antropófago 1984, Mariano 3040. Total 11,869.

PALERMO—MARCH 25.

The racing season improves as it goes on, as was very distinctly shown on Thursday at Palermo, where the card was better, the fields were better, and the racing itself improved beyond compare. The improvement appeared to be expected if one can judge by the number of people who turned out to see the racing and to risk their dollars.

Eureka acted quite up to his name, winning twice and carrying a fair amount of money both times.

The classic proved rather a surprise, though had Aguirre got an opening with Mignonnette, a little earlier the result would probably have been different, while the long distance race between Reserva and Sirena was worth going a long way to see. It was fought out to the bitter end and the judge's decision was only a neck in favour of the Stud La Confianza's horse at the last.

A curious coincidence happened in Mundial winning the Premio Satanella, while the same afternoon his sister, Mundana, was winning a hurdle race on another course only a few miles off.

After a very pleasant afternoon which was only marred by the excessive heat, Ataque wound

proceedings up by winning the Premio Esfinge from about the best field of the day.

We give details below:—

PREMIO SANTA LUCIA, for all three-year-olds, and upwards that have been at least a year in the country, and having run more than once, have not won more than once. Weight for age winners to carry a penalty of three kilos, \$1400 to the 1st, 100 to the 2nd, 1300 metres.

Ecurie Prisonero's br m Eureka by Neapolis—Vanessa 4 y, 62 1/2 k.....R. Bastiani 1

Stud Calchin's Flecha II, 3 y, 58 1/2 k.....J. Rodriguez 2 Ecurie Azur's Fallstaff, 3 y, 57 1/2 k.....P. Aguilera 3 Stud Jefferson's Belgrano, 4 y, 62 1/2 k.....J. Garcia 0

Stud Capt. Black's Waterwitch, 3 y, 55 1/2 k.....I. Diaz 0 Stud Floresta's Azucena, 5 y, 55 1/2 k.....P. Bagu 0

Belgrano made running for the first 500 metres when he was passed by Eureka who came on to win by a length easily. The same between second and third.

Tickets—Eureka with 1191 win and 785 place, Flecha II, 1084—747, Fallstaff 409—386, Belgrano 52—61, Waterwitch 100—180, Azucena 790—664. Totals 3626—2773.

Dividends—Eureka with \$5.48 win and 3.22 place. Flecha II. 3.29 place.

PREMIO LIANA, for two-year-olds, colts 52 kilos, fillies 50 kilos. Winners to carry 3 kilos extra, \$1700 to the 1st, 100 to the 2nd 1000 metres.

Stud Santa Fe's br c Alarife, by Avril—Intervention 52 k.....F. Gozenecheo 1

Stud La Redencion's Yanguetru, 52 k.....P. Lara 2 Stud Calchin's Hylda, 50 k.....J. Olmos 3 Stud Calchin's Chirimoya, 50 k.....J. Rodriguez 0

Ecurie Semper Paratus' Pompeyo 52 k.....J. Cabrera 0 Ecurie Indecis' Bota de Potro, 50 k.....J. Paez 0 Stud Pantanoso's L'Avis, 50.....J. Gomez 0

Chirimoya showed the way as far as the paddock where she retired and Alarife taking the lead came on to win by two lengths from Yanguetru who was a length in front of Hylda.

Tickets—Alarife with 499 win and 471 place, Yanguetru 2588—1678, Hylda and Chirimoya 1965—1136, Pompeyo 163—170, Bota de Potro 413—309, L'Avis 282—214. Total 5010—3978.

Dividends—Alarife with \$18.07 win and 5.03 place, Yanguetru, 2.85 place.

PREMIO CRIADORES, for all mares, weight for age, winners of between \$7,000 and 12,000 to carry 3 kilos extra, of over \$12,000, 5 kilos extra, \$3500 to the 1st, 500 to the 2nd, 3rd saves her stake, 1200 metres.

Ecurie Montevideo's br m Pitanga, by Gloria—Criptomera, 3 y, 60 1/2 k.....G. Palacios 1

Ecurie Indecis' Mignonnette, 5 y, 62 1/2 k.....P. Aguirre 2 La Petite Ecurie's Voladora, 3 y, 55 1/2 k.....I. Diaz 3

Ecurie Azur's Extra, 3 y, 55 1/2 k.....N. Sosa 0 Stud Maria Carlota's Minerva, 3 y, 60 1/2 k.....J. Guzman 0

Stud Santa Fe's Turria 3 y, 55 1/2 k.....F. Goyenecheo 0 Stud Solitario's Esfinge, 4 y, 62 1/2 k.....J. Lacruz 0

Voladora was the first to show in front, but coming round the bend she was displaced by Pitanga, who won by nearly a length from Mignonnette, who was going very fast at the finish. Voladora close up third.

Tickets—Pitanga with 1458 win and 981 place, Mignonnette 1422—829, Voladora 1942—1541, Extra 134—153, Minerva 771—691, Turria 213—207, Esfinge 603—409. Totals 7203—5354.

Dividends—Pitanga \$3.89 win and 5.06 place, Mignonnette 5.62 place.

PREMIO NIOBE, an open handicap, \$2200 to the 1st, \$200 to the 2nd, 2300 metres.

Stud La Confianza's br h Reserva, by Caracas—Shirley, 3 y, 43 k.....M. Valdez 1

Stud Gen'l San Martin's Sirena, 3 y, 53 k.....J. Gomez 2 Ecurie Azur's Stamboul, 5 y, 54 k.....P. Aguilera 3

Sr. J. B. Zubiaurre's Malakoff, 6 y, 60 1/2 k.....I. Diaz 0 Stud Jose Maria's Revancha, 6 y, 59 k.....G. Palacios 0

Reserva was in front all the way, but resolutely challenged by Sirena only won by a neck. Stamboul a length away was third.

Tickets—Reserva with 2853 win and 1406 place, Sirena 1724—814, Stamboul 1015—658, Malakoff 2105—1114, Revancha 925—428. Totals 8622—4420.

Dividends—Reserva \$5.43 win and 3.25 place, Sirena 4.15 place.

PREMIO SATANELLA, an open handicap, \$1700 to the 1st, 100 to the 2nd, 1600 metres.

Stud Paris' br h Mundial, by Keir—Cocotte, 5 y, 62 k.....P. Aguilera 1

Stud La Confianza's Regalona, 3 y, 44 k.....M. Valdez 2 Stud Revolucion's Hugonote, 3 y, 44 k.....A. Malerba 3

Ecurie Chantilly's Tic-Tac, 4 y, 57 k.....J. Rivero 0 Ecurie Pergamino's Elaine, 4 y, 57 k.....P. Aguirre 0

Ecurie Belgrano's Antropófago, 6 y, 55 k.....N. Sosa 0 Stud Palmar's Belle Etoile, 3 y, 46 k.....C. Bustos 0

Stud Gen. San Martin's Bettina, 4 y, 40 k.....J. Rivas 0 Ecurie Bend'Or's Rodin, 3 y, 40 k.....J. Insauralde 0

Antropófago was first off, but on settling down, Regalona was in command a position she held to the paddock, where Mundial crept up, and gradually getting the best of the run home won by half a length from Regalona, who beat Hugonote twice that distance for second money.

Tickets—Mundial with 1083 win and 880 place, Regalona 2190—2034, Hugonote 342—244, Tic-Tac 110—107, Elaine 576—427, Antropófago 655—591, Belle Etoile 2015—1516, Bettina 359—350, Rodin 313—400. Totals 7643—6549.

Dividends—Mundial \$12.70 win and 4.07 place, Regalona 2.89 place, Hugonote 9.47 place.

PREMIO CORDELIA, a handicap for horses that have been a year in the country and have not won over \$7000, \$1500 to the 1st, 100 to the 2nd, 1100 metres.
Ecurie Prisionero's br m Eureka, by Neapolis—
 Vanessa, 4 y, 58 1/2 k. R. Bastiani 1
 Ecurie Lucullus' Bab, 4 y, 57 1/2 k. J. Olmos 2
 Ecurie Juncal's Dámara, 3 y, 56 1/2 k. P. Aguirre 3
 Ecurie Azur's Grillon, 4 y, 59 1/2 k. I. Diaz 0
 Ecurie Radames' Vivas, 3 y, 57 1/2 k. J. Uriarte 0
 Ecurie Prisionero's Orco, 4 y, 49 1/2 k. C. Gomez 0
 Stud Red Lancer's Sorpresa, 3 y, 46 1/2 k. J. Cabrera 0

Orco cut out the work for his stable companion to the paddock where Eureka came to the front, and shaking off the challenge of Bab won a good race by a neck. Half a length between second and third.

Tickets—Eureka and Orco with 3923 win and 2178 place, Bab 921—884, Dámara 736—450, Grillon 930—759, Vivas 1034—553, Sorpresa 543—436. Totals 8087—5260.

Dividends Eureka \$3.31 win and 2.76 place, Bab 3.89 place.

PREMIO ESFINGE, an open handicap, \$2000 to the 1st, 100 to the 2nd 1800 metres.

Stud La Confianza's ch c Ataque, b Havre—
 Curamalan 3 y, 45 k. M. Valdez 1
 Ecurie Radames' Pas de Quatre, 3 y, 55 k. J. Urutia 2
 Stud Amianto's Violin 4 y, 58 k. G. Palacios 3
 Stud Paris Oriel 5 y, 62 1/2 k. P. Aguilera 0
 Sr. M. Gonzalez' Pichincha, 5 y, 53 k. N. Sosa 0
 Sr. B. Menendez's Abadia, 4 y, 50 k. I. Diaz 0
 Stud Palmar's Coronel Dorrego, 3 y, 47 k. C. Cardoso 0
 Stud Red Lancer's Acero, 3 y, 42 k. J. Cabrera 0

Ataque had his race in hand all the way, and finished half a length in front of Pas de Quatre who was a length in front of Violin.

Tickets—Ataque with 2783 win and 1605 place, Pas de Quatre 729—331, Violin 1083—536, Oriel 1417—827, Pichincha 531—263, Abadia 529—287, Coronel Dorrego 3677—2452, Acero 446—322. Totals 11195—6623.

Dividends—Ataque with \$7.24 win and 4.30 place, Pas de Quatre 14.15 place.

PALESMO—MARCH 28.

Premio Voladora—1500 metres.

Kilos.		Kilos.	
Tetrarca ..	59	Tiradentes ..	53
Daine ..	57	Robespierre ..	53
Flecha II. ..	54	Rodin ..	53
Vengador ..	53		

Premio Regalona—1000 metres.

Loncoy ..	52	Lavinia ..	50
Yanquetru ..	52	Hilda ..	50
Arlequin ..	52	Mandarina ..	50
Nobleza ..	50		

Premio Ensayo—1200 metres.

Alcaide ..	64 1/2	Tánger ..	57 1/2
Rigoló ..	64 1/2	Voltiger ..	57 1/2
Friedland ..	64 1/2	Oriente ..	57 1/2
Ney ..	62 1/2	Hugonote ..	57 1/2
Blue Boat ..	62 1/2	Distinguido ..	57 1/2
Grillon ..	59 1/2	Artois ..	57 1/2
Brick ..	57 1/2	Chingolo ..	46 1/2
Daza ..	57 1/2		

Premio Mundial—2500 metres.

Cantinière ..	59	Policeman ..	49
Stamboul ..	54	Acero ..	43

Premio Balcarce—1100 metres.

Láutaro ..	57 1/2	Daine ..	55
Namuncurá ..	57	Dámara ..	52
Gavroche ..	56	Josefita ..	50
Hipólito ..	56	Extra ..	48
Turria ..	55 1/2	Sorpresa ..	46

Premio Satamboul—1600 metres.

Esfinge ..	60	Little Darling ..	48
Mundial ..	59	Regardez ..	47
Elaine ..	54	Falslaff ..	42
Pas de Quatre ..	54	Tiradentes ..	42
Antropófago ..	52	Indecisa ..	40
Hipólito ..	49		

Premio Tetrarca—1900 metres.

Oriel ..	60 1/2	Stamboul ..	54
Yerúa ..	54	Policeman ..	49

Although there has been one day's racing at Hurst Park, and two day meetings at Warwick and Lingfield, the cross-country sport at home from the 20th to the 27th Feb. has been of little interest in itself, and absolutely without importance to those who expected to see some light thrown on the approaching Grand National.

The Leamington Grand Annual being won by a horse called Norton, caused excitement for a little while, but it was soon known that the Leamington winner was entirely a different horse from Mr Spencer Gollan's Grand National favourite, who still holds pride of place in the betting on the cross-country derby.

Never before I believe has such a coincidence occurred as exists at present, a New Zealand horse being favourite for the Grand National, and an American favourite for the Lincoln handicap.

Cathal's win in the Saturday Steeplechase at Hurst Park, was nothing more than a schooling gallop, and does not render any more plain his chance in the big race at Liverpool, for which several prominent candidates have been scratched since our last appearance.

With a continuance of open weather, next week will be a busy one in racing circles as beside the bigger meetings there will be gatherings at Ludlow, Windsor, and Malton.

HURST PARK—FEB. 20.

February Steeplechase Handicap of 300 sovs; 2 miles.
 Lord Cowley's br m Tibocrat, by Autocrat—
 Tibbs, 6 yrs, 10st 12lb. A. Nightingall 1
 Mr W. T. Brabazon's Annie's Delight, aged, 10st 4lb. Anthony 2
 Mr P. Goffe's Goldwasher, 5 yrs, 11st. Sainsbury 3
 Mr S. Gollan's Ebor, aged, 13st. Hickey 0
 Mr H. Westbury's Lord William, aged, 12st W Jones 0
 Mr A. H. Hudson's The Continental, 6 yrs, 11st. Morris 0
 Mr C. Hibbert's Comic Opera, 6 yrs, 10st 11lb. R. Nightingall 0
 Capt. J. R. Lumley's Chit Chat, 5 yrs, 10st. Morton 0
 Mr H. Barclay's Siberian, 4 yrs, 10st. Freemantle 0
 Betting—7 to 2 agst Ebor, 75 to 20 agst The Continental, 9 to 2 agst Tibocrat, 7 to 1 each agst Goldwasher and Comic Opera, and 10 to 1 agst any other. Goldwasher led out from Ebor, Comic Opera, and Lord William, Ebor losing his place at the stand by a very bad jump. At the water Lord Wilnam fell, and The Continental getting over badly with Ebor making a second mistake, Tibocrat became second to Goldwasher whom she headed at six furlongs, and had an easy task to win by six lengths from Annie's Delight, who supplanted Goldwasher in the straight, the last-named finishing a bad third. Siberia was fourth and The Continental last, the others not passing the post.

WARWICK—FEB. 24.

Leamington Grand Annual Steeplechase of 200 sovs; 2 1/2 miles.
 Mr E. T. Heaven's b g Norton by Chevronel—
 Belgrade, aged, 11st 2lb. Wellman 1
 Mr R. Bourke's Bloomer, 5 yrs, 10st 11lb. Taylor 2
 Mr G. R. Powell's Filbert, aged, 10st 9lb (car 10st 12lb). Owner 3
 Mr J. Horton's Perth Lad, 6 yrs, 11st 7lb (inc. 10lb extra). A. Nightingall 0
 Capt. R. W. Ethelston's Innishannon, 6 yrs, 11st 1lb. Mr A. W. Wood 0
 Mr H. M'Calmont's Lord John, aged, 10st 13lb. Mr Beatty 0
 Mr F. W. Jarvis's Flying Jib, aged, 10st 13lb. G. Morris 0
 Mr Ray's Lady Eddystone, 5 yrs, 10st 9lb. Butler 0
 Betting—9 to 4 each agst Perth Lad and Flying Jib, 4 to 1 agst Filbert, 5 to 1 agst Lord John, and 10 to 1 agst any other. Norton showed the way, with Bloomer as his immediate attendant, then Flying Jib and Perth Lad, Filbert and Innishannon lying last. They ran in much the same order for a mile and a quarter, when Bloomer headed the leader, and they came along together into the straight, where Norton, getting his head, left his opponent, and eventually finished an eight lengths' winner, Filbert being a bad third, Perth Lad was fourth, Flying Jib next, and Innishannon last, Lord John and Lady Eddystone missing the last jump.

LINGFIELD PARK—FEB. 26.

Park Steeplechase of 50 sovs; 3 miles.
 Mr Spencer Gollan's ch g Norton, by Ascot—
 Romp, aged, 12st 5lb (inc. 10lb extra). Hickey 1
 Mr F. D. Leyland's Scampanio, 6 yrs, 12st 5lb. Mr W. H. Johnstone 0
 Mr A. Blyth's Bridesmaid, aged, 11st 9lb. Steggell 0
 Betting—5 to 2 on Norton, 5 to 2 agst Scampanio, and 25 to 1 agst Bridesmaid.
 Scampanio led to the second fence, where Norton took up the running, but Scampanio drew away again on the hill, and entered the straight for the first time with about four lengths' lead. He, however, came to grief three fences farther on, and Norton was left with a clear lead. Bridesmaid ran out at the back of the course, and, after being set going, she again refused, and Norton finished alone.

LATEST LONDON BETTING—FEB. 27

LINCOLNSHIRE HANDICAP.

9 to 1	agst Diakka (t and o).
100 to 8	— Bridegroom (t).
100 to 7	— Yorker (t and o).
100 to 7	— Clorane (t and o).
15 to 1	— Imposition (t).
100 to 6	— Bellewin (t).
100 to 6	— The Tup (t and o).
100 to 6	— Tambour (t and o).
100 to 6	— Teufel (t and o).
20 to 1	— Clwyd (t and o).
20 to 1	— La Sagesse (t and o).
20 to 1	— Court Ball (t and o).
20 to 1	— Winkfield's Pride (o).
25 to 1	— Bird of Flight (t).

GRAND NATIONAL.

10 to 1	agst Norton (t and o).
100 to 9	— The Soarer (t and o).
100 to 8	— Cathal (t and o).
100 to 6	— Barcalwhey (t and o).
20 to 1	— Daimio (t and o).
20 to 1	— Wild Man from Borneo (t and o).
20 to 1	— Nepcote (t and o).
20 to 1	— Bevil (t and o).
20 to 1	— Stratocracy (o).
33 to 1	— Father O'Flynn (t and o).
33 to 1	— Chevy Chase (o).
33 to 1	— Manifesto (t).
33 to 1	— Tibocrat (o).
40 to 1	— King Charles (t and o).
40 to 1	— Greenhill (t).
40 to 1	— Fairy Queen (t and o).
50 to 1	— Clawson (t).
66 to 1	— Olive Branch (t and o).

THE DERBY.

9 to 4	agst Velasquez (t and o).
3 to 1	— Galtee More (t).
6 to 1	— Vesuvian (t).
50 to 1	— Kenn (t).

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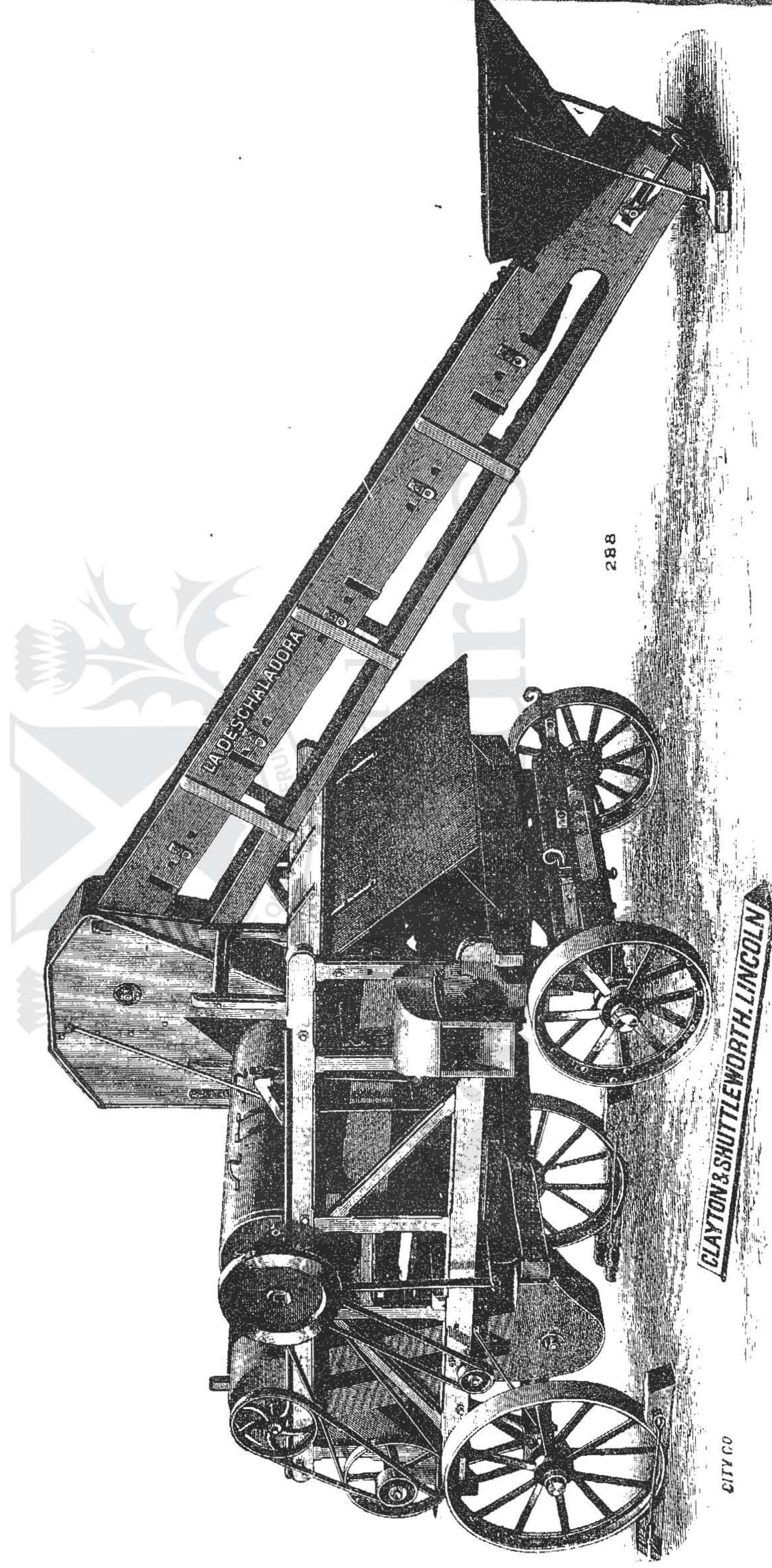
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