# REFUSED DATES BY COMMISSION

## DEATH KNELL OF PROPOSED HAVRE DE GRACE TRACK.

## MANY PROTEST VIGOROUSLY

**Members of the Harford County Body Decide That in Interest to Racing Itself the Additional Course Must Not Be Allowed—Fair Association Makes Gallant Fight for Recognition, But of No Avail—Has Planned to Rush Work for June Meeting.**

Special Dispatch to The American.

Belair, Md., February 1.—The Harford County Racing Commission today sounded the death knell of the proposed new racetrack of the Havre de Grace Fair Association, located on the Harry B. Wolf farm, which adjoins the Harford Agricultural and Breeders' Association track, near Havre de Grace, by refusing to grant its application for racing dates during 1913.

The fair association people made efforts to secure dates at a meeting of the Racing Commission held in Havre de Grace last Saturday, but action was laid over for consideration at the meeting in Havre de Grace this afternoon. Vigorous protests on the part of the people of Havre de Grace and surrounding country were made to the commission for the proposed new track in addition to the Breeders' Association track, as run last year, and in order to do justice to everybody concerned the commission during the past week made searching investigations into the protests filed and concluded today that in the interest of racing itself the additional track must not be allowed.

The Fair Association today made a gallant fight for dates and had ex-Attorney General William Shepard Bryan, Harry B. Wolf and Arthur Elrod, of Baltimore, to plead their cause. Nearly two hours of the commission's time was occupied by speeches on the part of these gentlemen, in which they outlined varied and extensive plans for the new racetrack in the interest of the sporting fraternity.

### Planned to Rush Work.

The plans included attractive grounds, a first-class one-mile track, large and commodious buildings, including grandstand, with a substantial list of stockholders to finance the track and a capital stock of $95,000, and that the plans would be rushed to completion if dates for a spring meet, to begin June 1, were granted.

The refusal, therefore, on the part of the commission to acquiesce in their request came as a knockout blow and paves a clear way for the Harford Agricultural and Breders' Association track meets this year on the same grounds and scale as conducted last year. In taking action against the additional track the commission felt that to permit it would be overdoing the racing spirit, particularly in that immediate neighborhood; that it would be against the interest of legitimate racing in the county and state, as well as against the public spirit in the county in general.

Stevenson A. Williams, counsel to the commission, was present at the meeting today, and when seen at his home tonight he stated that the reason for the commission's refusing to grant dates to the Havre de Grace Fair Association would be drafted in proper shape and would be in shape to be made public on Monday. He further stated that the meeting today was solely taken up with the question of application on the part of the association.

### No Dates Have Been Granted.

The Racing Commission has not granted dates for any race meets to be held in the county this year, although applications for dates have been received from both the Harford Agricultural and Breeders' Association and the Havre de Grace Fair Association. The former association, which controlled the meet at Havre de Grace last year, has applied for dates for the spring meet from April 18 to Ma 1, and also for 15 days to be devoted to racing, beginning June 1, and it is felt here the dates will be granted by the commission at a meeting to be held later on, as it has until the middle of April in which to take definite action.

The attitude of the commission to end the gambling form by adopting the parimutuel system of betting in connection with the Havre de Grace track has had a salient effect throughout the county, and a majority of the people are now in favor of letting the racing go on. The system should succeed in Harford county, provided the association gives it cooperation and support and are satisfied to make little money or stand a loss possibly for a year or two in order to build up horse racing on a sure and permanent basis.

# INTERCOLLEGIATE SHOOTS

## Fourth Week's Scores Announced by National Rifle Board.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Washington, February 1.—The fourth week's scores in the intercollegiate rifle shoots were announced tonight by the National Rifle Board as follows:

Eastern League—Columbia defeated Vermont 916 to 878, Maine defeated Lehigh 836 to 808, Cornell defeated Dartmouth 876 to 875, Massachusetts Aggies defeated Rhode Island State 959 to 907, Princeton defeated Massachusetts Tech, 932 to 916, North Georgia Aggies defeated Norwich 910 to 904, Harvard, with a score of 956, won by default from Clemson.

Western League—California defeated Louisiana State 890 to 880, Iowa State defeated Kansas 936 to 831, Purdue defeated U. S. Veterinarians 898 to 852, Michigan Aggies defeated Wisconsin 917 to 896; Washington State, 877, won by default from Missouri; West Virginia defeated Minnesota 917 to 916, Oklahoma A. & M. defeated Nebraska 851 to 848.

# FIFTH WEEK'S SCORES

## Results of Matches in the Interclub Rifle Shoot.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Washington, February 1.—The fifth week's scores in the Interclub rifle shoot were announced as follows tonight by the National Rifle Board:

District of Columbia Association defeated Birmingham Athletic Club 984 to 935; Park Club, Bridgeport, Ct., defeated the Thirteenth Regiment Rifle Club, Brooklyn, 989 to 886; Presque Isle Rifle Club, Erie, Pa., defeated Bangor (Me.) Rifle Association 922 to 758; Warren (Pa.) Rifle Club defeated the New Orleans Rifle and Revolver Club 991 to 922; Manchester (N. H.) Rifle Club defeated the Miles Standish Rifle Club, Portland, Me., 985 to 943.

These scores still leave District of Columbia and Bridgeport, Ct., tied with five wins and none lost.

## Trophies en Route to Sweden.

Special Dispatch to The American.

New York, February 1.—The handsome challenge trophies won by James Thorpe at the Olympic games in Stockholm last July—one presented by the King of Swelen and the other by the Emperor of Russia—are now on their way to Sweden. They are consigned to Christian Hellstrom, secretary of the Swedish Olympic committee, and left on the steamship New York, of the American Line, today. Thorpe also returned to the A. A. U. his all-around championship trophy won at Celtic Park last September, which now goes to Bredemus, formerly of Princeton University.

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# CAUGH HILL WINS THE LEE HANDICAP

## HAS NO TROUBLE IN SCORING AT CHARLESTON.

**Lochiel, On His Race of Tuesday, Is Made Favorite, But He Is Never in Reach of Sullivan Entry—Clothes Brush, at Odds-on Price, Throws Backers Down—Americus Surprises Talent.**

Special Dispatch to The American.

Charleston, S. C., February 1.—Caugh Hill proved an easy winner of the Robert E. Lee Handicap at Palmetto Park today. Lochiel, on his race of Tuesday, was made the favorite, but was never in reach of Caugh Hill.

Clothes Brush, an odds-on favorite, brought up third in the first race, Buxton, on Gardenia, bringing home the bacon. Only two favorites finished first, Merry Lad and Colonel Cook.

The talent overlooked Americus in the finish race, there being little dope available on his past performances. He went to the post with the books showing 15 to 1 against him and finished first with ease.

The largest crowd of the meeting was present today.

### Summary of Events.

First Race—Three-year-olds; six furlongs. Gardenia, 104 (Buxton), 7 to 5, 2 to 5 and out, won; Armor, 107 (Martin), 8 to 1, 3 to 1 and 4 to 5, second; Clothes Brush, 97 (Wolf), 4 to 5, 2 to 5 and out, third. Time, 1:16 2-5. Pretty Molly, Juaquin, Rock Bar and Roseburg IV. also ran.

Second Race—Four-year-olds; five and a half furlongs. Semiquaver, 113 (Pickett), 5 to 1, 5 to 2 and 6 to 5, won; Queen Bee, 108 (Koerner), 4 to 1, 8 to 5 and 9 to 10, second; Elma, 99 (Ford), even, 2 to 5 and out, third. Time, 1:09 2-5. Grace Me, Ben Prior, Tiny Tim, Thetis, Quincy Belle, Cheer Up and Frog also ran.

Third Race—Three-year-olds and up; one mile. Merry Lad, 113 (Ganz), 4 to 5, 2 to 5 and out, won; Husky Lad, 97 (Martin), 11 to 5, 1 to 2 and out, second; Leamance, 100 (Buxton), 8 to 1, 2 to 1 and out, third. Time, 1:42 2-5. Fonta and Effendi also ran.

Fourth Race—The Robert E. Lee Handicap; three-year-olds and up; six furlongs. Caugh Hill, 127 (Buxton), 11 to 5, 9 to 10 and 1 to 3, won; Carlton G., 110 (J. Wilson), 3½ to 1, even and 2 to 5, second; Lochiel, 113 (Butwell), 8 to 5, 1 to 2 and 1 to 4, third. Time, 1:14 1-5. Jack Kellogg, Velthorpe, Royal Tea and Southern Shore also ran.

Fifth Race—Four-year-olds and up; five and one-half furlongs. Americus, 111 (Corey), 15 to 1, 6 to 1 and 3 to 1, won; Lord Wells, 111 (J. Hanover), 12 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Premier, 107 (C. Peak), 7 to 5, 3 to 5 and 1 to 3, third. Time, 1:09. Sidon, Claque, Jessupburn, Blitzen, Jr., Theodore Cook and Golden Egg also ran.

Sixth Race—Four-year-olds and up; selling; one mile and 70 yards; Colonel Cook, 108 (McIntyre), even, 1 to 2 and 1 to 4, won; Banorella, 99 (Ford), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, second; Winfred D., 103 (Vanduzen), 10 to 1, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:47 1-5. New River, Irish Kid, Tiger Jim, Sweet Owen and The Squire also ran.

### Entries for Tomorrow.

FIRST RACE—Purse $300; two-year-olds; weights 115 pounds; one-quarter mile.

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| Smiling Face | 112 | Please Welles | 112 |
| Wooden Shoes | 112 | Teddy Keener | 112 |
| 1 Red Rajah | 112 | 3 Ruby Hyams | 112 |
| 1 Ave | 112 | Dick's Pet | 112 |
| Ida Cook | 112 | Gordon | 115 |
| 2 Salvadora | 115 | Scarsdale | 115 |
| 2 Salvation Bey | 115 | Harwood | 115 |

1 Bissell entry; 2 Comstock entry; 3 Joplin entry.

SECOND RACE—Purse $300; four-year-olds and up; selling; five and a half furlongs.

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| *Chilton Squaw | 99 | Fair Atalanta | 114 |
| *Dipper | 100 | Bertis | 104 |
| Abrasion | 104 | Sheriff Grueninger | 105 |
| Miss Primitive | 114 | New Haven | 106 |
| Toison D'Or | 111 | Madman | 109 |

THIRD RACE—Purse $300; three-year-olds; selling; five and a half furlongs.

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| *Fuchsia | 107 | Kelly | 114 |
| *Ella Grane | 107 | Polly Worth | 117 |
| Terra Blanco | 112 | Willis | 117 |
| Ancon | 114 | Frank Hudson | 117 |
| Prince Fonso | 114 | | |

FOURTH RACE—Purse $300; three-year-olds and up; selling; six furlongs.

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| Tarts | 101 | *Right Easy | 112 |
| *Edith Inez | 108 | Sylvestris | 112 |
| *Fatherola | 106 | Wander | 113 |
| *Col. Ashmeade | 112 | Amoret | 117 |

FIFTH RACE—Purse $300; four-year-olds and up; selling; five and a half furlongs.

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| *Inspired | 99 | Blanche Frances | 114 |
| Grace Mc | 100 | Wildweed | 104 |
| *Ben Prior | 101 | Con Curran | 105 |
| *Tiny Tim | 101 | Maurice Reed | 106 |
| Harcourt | 106 | Cynosure | 107 |
| Americus | 109 | | |

SIXTH RACE—Purse $300; four-year-olds and up; selling; one mile and seventy yards.

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| Swarts Hill | 94 | Edna Collins | 104 |
| *Pendant | 95 | Shellbound | 104 |
| *Banorella | 98 | Carlton Club | 104 |
| *Henock | 97 | Pliant | 105 |
| Irish Kid | 106 | Outlan | 104 |
| Heretic | 106 | Camel | 107 |

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather fine; track fast.

# 100-TO-1 SHOT GOES OVER

## Little Bit Wins at Remunerative Odds on Juarez Track.

Juarez, Mexico, February 1.—Little Bit, a two-year-old bay filly by Transvaal-Grace Dixon, and owned by W. H. Fizer & Co., furnished a genuine surprise this afternoon, when she defeated a big band of maiden youngsters in the opening dash, with the remunerative odds of 100 to 1 against her chances. This was the filly's first start at the meeting and only a few who were aware of her first workouts wagered on her. As it was there were only a few scattering $1 bets to win, while a few others bet on the filly to show. Owner Fizer was one of the latter, as he did not believe his filly could beat Estrella, the hot favorite.

Aside from the victory of the long shot there was little to characterize the rather ordinary card, which was given over almost entirely to the cheaper grade of horses. Abound was the only favorite to earn brackets.

First Race—Three and one-half furlongs. Little Bit, 100, to 1, won; Paw, 3 to 1, second; La Estrallc, 1 to 6, third. Time, 1:41 1-5. Peekaboo, Della Mack, Kiltie, Barbara Lane, Irish Ann, Alabama Bam, Benedict, Meshach also ran.

Second Race—Mile. Hannis, 5 to 1, won; Crex, even, second; Harlem Maid, 7 to 5, third. Time, 1:40 3-5. Ah Moon, M. Cambon, Marine, Dolena, Laymingsten, Aftermath, Lookout, Icarian, Force also ran.

Third Race—Five and one-half furlongs. Palatable, 6 to 1, won; Mother Katcham, even, second; Dynamo, 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:07 2-5. Kid Nelson, Garden of Allah, Loving Mose also ran.

Fourth Race—Mile. Laymingsten, 8 to 1, won; Adolante, 3 to 1, second; C. W. Kennon, 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:39 2-5. Lehigh, Galene Gale, Marsands, Lambertha, Oscuro, Sam Bernard, Chief Desmond, Judge Walton also ran.

Fifth Race—Six furlongs. Hazel C., 4 to 1, won; Shooting Spray, 7 to 10, second; Dave Montgomery, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 2-5. Amohalko, Flying, Transparent, Swede Sam, Sanel, Percy Henderson, Zool, Rose O'Neil, Lonia, Lescar also ran.

Sixth Race—Mile. Royal Meteor, 11 to 5, won; Setback, 1 to 2, second; Dutch Rock, 7 to 10, third. Time, 1:38 1-5. Dudo Prince, Conrad, Hatteras, Zoroaster also ran.

### Card for Today.

FIRST RACE.—Selling; three-year-olds and up; five and one-half furlongs.

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| *Motto Pride | 86 | Fancy | 111 |
| *Tom G | 91 | Orba Smile | 111 |
| Minnie F | 91 | Lily Paxton | 111 |
| Bonanza | 104 | Golden Agnes | 111 |
| Volsel | 108 | Song of Rocks | 111 |
| Tallow Dip | 108 | Cantell | 113 |
| Ishkoodah | 111 | Palma | 113 |

SECOND RACE.—Selling; three-year-olds and up; six furlongs.

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| Just Red | 104 | Oakland | 108 |
| Dominica | 105 | Suffragist | 110 |
| Gold Finn | 107 | | |

THIRD RACE.—Selling; four-year-olds and up; one mile.

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| Gimli | 100 | Little Marchmont | 107 |
| Pipe Vision | 100 | Oswald B | 107 |
| Rake | 102 | Orbed Lad | 115 |
| Lotta Creek | 103 | | |

FOURTH RACE.—Chihuahua Stakes; selling; three-year-olds and up; six furlongs.

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| Ralph Lloyd | 104 | *Maskette | 100 |
| Real Star | 107 | *The Cinder | 112 |
| Stout Heart | 109 | *Palzareta | 112 |

FIFTH RACE.—Purse; four-year-olds and up; six furlongs.

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| Upright | 100 | Irish Gentleman | 108 |
| Jim Basey | 108 | Round the World | 115 |

SIXTH RACE.—Selling; four-year-olds and up; 1⅛ miles.

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| Wadsworth II | 97 | John Louis | 105 |
| Gelico | 102 | Black Mate | 105 |
| Pedro | 102 | Console | 110 |
| Shorty Northcut | 102 | | |

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather clear; track fast.

# TWO RACES WON BY M'LEAN

## Chicago Skater Stars in Canadian Amateur Championships.

Montreal, February 1.—Robert McLean, of Chicago, the American champion, won two of the six races here today at the Canadian Amateur Skating Championship. McLean finished first in the mile and half events and was second in the 220 yards and 440 yards. The races were skated in a 30-mile wind, with a temperature below zero.

Summary:

220-yard Championship—Won by W. H. Jackson, Montreal; second, R. McLean, Chicago; third, A. O'Sickey, Cleveland. Time, 22 2-5 seconds.

880-yard Championship — Won by R. McLean; second, W. Gunderson, Chicago; third, A. O'Sickey. Time, 1:27.

440-yard Championship—Won by R. T. Logan, Montreal; second, R. McLean; third, W. Gunderson. Time, 40 1-5 seconds.

One Mile Championship—Won by R. McLean; second, B. O'Sickey; third, R. L. Wheeler, Montreal. Time, 3:06 2-5.

Two-mile Championship—Won by R. L. Wheeler; second, A. O'Sickey; third, D. Drew, Montreal. Time, 7 minutes 3 seconds.

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50c Weekly — NOTHING DOWN — Women's & Misses' $25 SUITS — $11.85

This season's very best models, in serges, cheviots, diagonals, worsteds and mixtures, mostly black, navy and brown. A limited number of each style, but all sizes for women and misses in the assortment.

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50c Weekly — NOTHING DOWN — Women's $35 Plush COATS — $15.00

These include some of the handsomest coats we have shown this season; of rich sealette plush, with collars and cuffs and prettily trimmed down the front and around the bottom with Kaucasian Lamb; finished with large silk ornament at the front; all sizes.

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Suits of pure worsted that have been selling for $20.00, and a number of cheviots that have been $22.00 right along. Half-Yearly Clearance Price..... **$14.90**

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Our entire stock of $12 Black and Oxford Velvet Collar Dress Overcoats. Half-Yearly Clearance Price..... **$9.50**

The entire stock of $15.00 and a number of $18.00 Overcoats. Half-Yearly Clearance Price..... **$11.90**

All our $20.00 and $22.00 Overcoats in friezes, vicunas, unfinished worsteds and thibets, in both black and Oxford. Half-Yearly Clearance Price..... **$14.90**

Fine $25.00 Dress Overcoats in medium and heavy weights; some with velvet collars and some with collars of the same cloth. Half-Yearly Clearance Price..... **$17.90**

All our $35.00 Overcoats; these are lined with Skinner's guaranteed silks. Half-Yearly Clearance Price..... **$25.00**

### Fur-lined Overcoats

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| $35.00 Coats, Piece Marmot, lined | $23.50 |
| $50.00 Coats, Blended Muskrat, lined | $38.00 |
| $65.00 Coats, Muskrat, lined | $45.00 |
| $75.00 Coats, full skin, Marmot lined | $50.00 |
| $75.00 Coats, Southern Muskrat, lined | $50.00 |
| $100 Coats, very fine Muskrat, lined | $70.00 |
| $150.00 Coats, Black Muskrat, lined | $115.00 |
| $200.00 Coats, Mink, lined | $135.00 |

**Entire Stock of Men's Trousers at Exactly Half.**

### Half-Yearly Clearance of Fancy Overcoats

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| $15 Overcoats (and some worth $18) | $9.00 |
| $18 Overcoats (and some worth $20) | $12.00 |
| $20 Overcoats (and some worth $22) | $13.50 |
| $22 Overcoats (and some worth $25) | $14.50 |
| $25 Overcoats | $16.50 |
| $30 Overcoats | $19.50 |
| $35 and $40 Overcoats | $22.50 |

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Patent Colt Shoes; styles which we are discontinuing; all are narrow widths, AA, A and B only; $3.50 to $5.00 values now..... **$1.95**

Gunmetal Calf Bluchers; $4.00 value..... **$2.95**

Tan Willow Calf Bluchers; $4.50 value..... **$2.95**

Boys' $2.50 and $3.00 Goodyear Welt Shoes..... **$1.95**

$4.00 and $5.00 high-grade samples; all one size, 7-B only.... **$1.95**

Florsheim $5.00 Shoes, now.... **$3.50**

### ½-Yearly Clearance of Men's Hats

127 Soft Hats that sold up to $3.00. Now..... **$1.00**

$3.00 Fur Caps..... **$1.95**

$5.00 Fur Caps..... **$2.85**

$6.00 Fur Caps..... **$3.95**

Plush, Corduroy, Chinchilla and Cloth Fur Ear-Band Caps, sold up to $1.00. Now..... **45c**

Entire stock of Black Derbies and Soft Hats (except Stetson's) reduced as follows:

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$4.00 Hats..... **$2.55**

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| 50c Fancy Neckwear (including knitted) | 25¢ |
| $1.00 Fancy Neckwear (including knitted) | 50¢ |
| $1.50 Fancy Neckwear (including knitted) | 75¢ |
| $2.00 Fancy Neckwear (including knitted) | $1.00 |
| $2.50 Fancy Neckwear (including knitted) | $1.25 |
| $3.00 Fancy Neckwear (including knitted) | $1.50 |
| 25c and 50c Scarf Pins | 15¢ |
| 50c and $1.00 Jewelry Boxes | 25¢ |
| 50c Lisle Web and Silk Suspenders | 25¢ |
| 10c Collar Buttons | 5¢ |
| 25c Krementz Buttons | 12½¢ |
| 50c Ways' Mercerized Silk Mufflers | 25¢ |
| Entire stock $2.50 White Sweaters | $1.25 |
| Entire stock $3.50 White Sweaters | $1.75 |
| $2.50 Umbrellas | $1.25 |
| Entire stock Ladies' Beaded Bags, worth up to $5.00 | $1.00 |
| Street Vests; sold up to $5.00. Now | $1.55 |
| $1.50 and $2.00 Domet Pajamas | $1.00 |
| $1.50 Butcher Coats, striped or plaid | 75¢ |
| Smoking Jackets, sold up to $10 | $2.50 |
| 50c Perpetual Calendars | 15¢ |
| 50c, $1.00 and $1.50 Ink Stands | 35¢ |
| $2.00 Tie or Glove Cases, slightly soiled | 50¢ |
| 25c Black and Colored Half Hose | 15¢ |
| Men's 50c and $1.00 Silk Half Hose; some have slight imperfections. Now | 29¢ |
| Men's Fancy Half Hose; none worth less than 50c; all perfect (5 for 90¢) | 19¢ |
| Men's Black and Fancy Half Hose; none worth less than 15c (3 for 25¢) | 9¢ |
| Plain White and Satin Stripe Effect Handkerchiefs; none worth less than 15c | 11¢ |
| Men's Sample White Handkerchiefs, sold at 10c and 15c | 6¢ |
| Entire stock Initial Handkerchiefs, sold at 25c. Now | 16¢ |
| $3.50 White Sweaters (entire stock) | $1.75 |
| $2.50 White Sweaters (entire stock) | $1.25 |
| Entire stock $3.50 Street Vests | $2.15 |
| Entire stock $5.00 Street Vests | $3.35 |
| Entire stock of $1.50 Tan and Gray Kid Gloves (except Fownes') | $1.15 |
| Entire stock of $2.00 and $2.50 Tan and Gray Kid Lined and Unlined Gloves (except Fownes') | $1.35 |
| $1.15 Tan Kid Gloves | 89¢ |
| $3.00 Fawn and White Wool Shirts and Drawers | All at $1.15 |
| $1.50 Vindex Mesh Shirts and Drawers | All at $1.15 |
| Men's $1.50 Gray Worsted Rib Shirts and Drawers | All at $1.15 |
| Men's $2.00 Salmon Wool Rib Shirts and Drawers | All at $1.15 |
| Men's $1.50 Imported Cotton Rib Shirts and Drawers | $2.00 per Suit |
| Men's $2.00 Mercerized Silk Shirts & Drawers | $2.00 per Suit |
| $1.00 Cotton Rib Shirts and Drawers | 69¢ |
| All of our 50c Cotton Ribbed Shirts and Drawers | 35¢ |
| $2.50 Worsted Rib Union Suits | $1.55 |
| $1.00 Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers ($1.50 Suit) | 79¢ |
| Men's Lightweight Gray Wool Shirts and Drawers; silk stripe and all perfect; regular price $1.50. Now | 89¢ |
| $7.50 English Slip-On Raincoats | $5.50 |
| $5.00 Slip-On Rubber Coats | $2.95 |
| $1.50 and $2.00 Domet Pajamas | $1.00 |
| Finest Madras Pajamas that sold at $2.50, including a complete sample line of high-grade Pajamas. Now | $1.45 |
| 400 pairs of $1.50 and $2.00 Pajamas, half of which are fine white madras. Now | $1.15 |
| Men's Sample Night Robes; worth up to $2.50. Now | 95¢ |
| Men's Sample Night Robes; worth up to $1.00. Now | 59¢ |

### Lounging Robes & Smoking Jackets ½ Price

Our entire stock of $1.00 Fancy Shirts, negligee, stiff or pleated bosom. Now... 69¢ (3 for $2.00)

Fine Madras and Percale Shirts, negligee or pleated, and all suitable for spring and summer wear. These shirts sold at $1.50 and $2.00. Now..... $1.15 (3 for $3.00)

In this lot all are finest Shirts made—mostly silk and linen, and many made of imported piece goods. Now..... $1.95

Men's $2.00 Blue Flannel Shirts..... $1.38

*This is a Good Store for Women to Shop for Men*

### ½-Yearly Clearance in the Boys' and Youths' Dept.

**Boys' Overcoats**

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| Our finest $15.00 and $18.00 Overcoats | $10.50 |
| All $10.00 Overcoats | $7.50 |
| All $7.50 and $8.50 Overcoats | $5.50 |
| All $6.00 and $7.00 Overcoats | $4.50 |
| All $5.00 Overcoats | $3.85 |

**Youths' Norfolk Coats and Long Trousers**
Sizes 16 to 19 years.
(SECOND FLOOR.)

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| $12.00 Coat and Trousers | $8.50 |
| $15.00 Coat and Trousers | $10.50 |

**Boys' Separate Knickerbockers**
Fancy Colors.

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| $1.00 Knickerbockers | 78¢ |
| $1.50 Knickerbockers | $1.10 |

**Boys' Suits**

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| $15.00 Suits | $10.50 |
| $12.00 Suits | $8.75 |
| $10.00 Suits | $7.50 |
| $7.50 Suits | $5.75 |
| $6.00 and $7.00 Suits | $4.75 |
| $5.00 and $6.00 Suits | $3.85 |

**Boys' $2.50, $3 and $3.50 Washable Suits**

Russian and Sailor Blouse styles..... $1.75

**Boys' Cravenette Raincoats**

$12.00 Coats..... $8.00
$15.00 Coats..... $10.00

Small lot of Boys' and Youths' $7.50, $10.00 and $12.00 Slip-On Raincoats—some small and large sizes in the lot. $5.00

### Boys' Furnishings and Children's Hats

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| Boys' 75c Flannelette Pajamas sizes 4 to 18 years | 59¢ |
| Boys' $1.00 Soft Striped Sousette Blouses, with separate collar and turned-back cuffs (3 for $2.00) | 69¢ |
| Children's 50c and 60c Shirts or Drawers; broken lots; sizes 24, 26 and 28 | 35¢ |
| Boys' $1.00 Fancy Madras Shirts; sizes 12 to 14 neck (3 for $2.00) | 69¢ |
| Boys' 25c Suspenders | 17¢ |
| Children's $3.00, $3.50 and $5.00 Hats—French felt, fur beaver and Austrian velour | $1.00 |
| Boys' 25c and 50c Woolen Gloves now 18¢ and | 38¢ |
| Children's $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00 Felt and Cloth Hats | 50¢ |
| Boys' 50c Silk Four-in-Hand Ties | 18¢ |
| All of our Boys' and Youths' Bath and Lounging Robes 25 per cent. off | |
| Small lot of Boys' 25c Fast-Black Stockings; sizes 6, 7, 9½ only | 15¢ |

BALTIMORE AND HANOVER
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# WILL WORK HARD FOR BIG REGATTA

## BALTIMORE HAS GOOD CHANCE TO GET EVENT.

**Commodore C. Wood Rolph Will Call a Meeting of the Patapsco Navy Within the Next Week to Make a Formal Bid for the National Aquatic Tests—Philadelphia and Boston Are Trying to Land the Affair.**

C. Wood Rolph, who was elected commodore of the Patapsco Navy at the annual meeting of that body held recently, will call a meeting within a week of the naval board for the purpose of making a bid for the national regatta. Rolph feels that the time is ripe for Baltimore to again hold the national regatta at the Spring Garden course. Philadelphia and Boston are at work trying to land the big event, which will no doubt be held in the East this year. With these two cities fighting for the honor, Commodore Rolph thinks that Baltimore's chances for landing the big aquatic event are excellent. This view is also held by a number of prominent oarsmen, who have assured Commodore Rolph of their hearty co-operation should the navy be successful in landing the regatta.

The meeting of the executive committee of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen will be held in New York, Saturday, March 15. This body will decide when the regatta is to be held, so the local oarsmen must be up and doing in order to beat out Boston and Philadelphia.

Baltimore had the regatta in 1905 and it was the most successful affair ever held by the national body. The naval board pulled off one of the most spectacular events ever held in any regatta, when New York and Philadelphia contended for the intercity octopede race. The Quakers had lined up a crew of the best scullers ever produced by the City of Brotherly Love and the New Yorkers presented the best of Gotham. This was at a time when both cities had a number of scullers of more than local reputation and those who witnessed the race voted it the most spectacular ever held in this country. Commodore Rolph is the right man in the right place at this time. He is an old rowing man, both in the sense of being an enthusiastic devotee of the sport and having been active competition in regattas. He is one of the few men in this country whose activities for the benefit of the sport extends in both the active and the executive field. He is also captain of the Ariel Rowing Club. For years Rolph has looked after the fortunes of the white and blue oarsmen on the water, and much of the success of that club has been due to his efforts.

Last year, without the aid of a professional coach, the Ariel Rowing Club had one of the most successful seasons in its long and eventful history. Willing all the big events on the card of the regatta of the Middle States Association, as well as championship of the Patapsco River by defeating the Arundels in three out of five events in the annual regatta. Much of the credit for this success is due C. W. Rolph, who picked the crews and coached the men. He was ably assisted by Hanz R. Hall, Jr.

This was the first experiment of amateur coaching by a local club, and from the success attained, it will be a long time before the Ariels go back to professional coaching.

Should the national regatta be held in Baltimore, Commodore Rolph, with his long experience and good judgment, will be an invaluable aid to the cause, and it goes almost without saying that he will throw his customary energy and enterprise behind the project. The result is sure to be one of the greatest and most spectacular rowing regattas ever held in this country.

## Football Only Profitable Sport.

Chicago, February 1.—Football is the only sport which is profitable at the University of Chicago, according to an official report issued today. The game netted $52,000 last year at a cost of $25,000. The total athletic receipts were $67,026 and the expenditures $66,484.

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