

November

THE LANCASTER GAMES.

A Large Crowd, a Fine Day and a Good Programme.

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MONDAY, JUNE 9, 1884.

READABLE PARAGRAPHS.

THE BOY WHO WOULD NOT GO TO BED.

You may think him a dunce,
 But he begged that for once
 He might sit up all night or as long as he pleased.
 The nurse was in tears,
 With her murmured "My Dears!"
 But only the louder and faster he teased.
 Overhearing the din,
 His father came in.
 "Wish to sit up all night, John?" he wrathfully
 cried.
 "You shall have your request
 Till you've learned we know best.
 Nurse can go. I will stay at this naughty boy's
 side."
 When two hours had passed,
 John grew sleepy at last
 And so tired that he feared he would fall from his
 chair;
 But, attempting to go,
 Heard his father's stern "No!"
 Keep your seat at the table. Your place, sir, is
 there."
 Oh! how slow ticked the clock,
 With its tick-tock
 (For his father insists that the boy keep awake),
 Till quite humbly he said:
 "May I please go to bed?
 I've found you were right, and I made a mistake."
 His father said yes;
 And now you can guess
 If ever that boy did the same thing again.
 No sermon could preach,
 No punishment teach,
 A lesson more clearly than he learned it then.
 Now, boys, when you're told
 That it's bed-time, don't scold,
 And say that you feel just like keeping awake.
 Sitting up all the night
 Isn't such a delight.
 Just try it for once, and you'll own your mistake.
 —N.Y. Independent.

HOW IT IS GUARDED.

It is often said that "if thieves are determined
 to get into a house, they will do so in spite of all you
 can do to prevent them." This is not true. There is
 no private house which cannot be secured by proper
 means.

The first annual celebration of the Lancaster Amateur Athletic Co'y L'U., was held on their new grounds at Lancaster on Saturday afternoon. The day was all that could be desired and the brawny sons and handsome daughters of Glengarry were present in hundreds. The crowd was considerably increased when the Cornwall contingent arrived on the Fire Brigade's excursion per str. Rocket. The athletic sports were carried out in a highly satisfactory manner, and the committee are to be congratulated upon their excellent management. A number of handsome gold and silver medals were given for the various events. The following was the result of the games:

Ladies' bicycle race, half mile—1 Miss Annie Glennie, 2 Miss Louise McPherson. Time 2 10.

Bicycle race, half mile open—1 H J Bowen 2 H A Fraser, Williamstown, 3 J Bolster. 100 yds dash—1 D P J Tobin, 2 John Fraser, Lancaster, 3 Jos Duemo.

Quarter mile race, open—1 Joseph Fournier Cornwall, 2 John Fraser, 3 Jos Duemo, 4 Jos McClear.

Half mile race—1 Tupper McDonald, 2 Malcolm Munroe.

Putting 16 lb shot—1 Robert Watson, 36 ft 4 in; 2 Louis Haines, 36 ft 4 in; 3 J Duemo 30 ft 8 in.

Putting 25 lb shot—1 L Haines, 32 ft 8 in; 2 Robert Watson, 31 ft 6 in; 3 Wm Nicholson, 29 ft 2 ins.

Throwing 56 lb weight—1 Robert Watson, 26 ft; 2 Tupper McDonald, 19 ft 2 in; 3 Peter A McLennan, 18 ft 11 in.

Running hop, step and jump—1 Randy McLennan, 41 ft; 2 Tupper McDonald, 41 ft; 3 Duncan McPherson, Williamstown, 36 ft 6 in; 4 Jos Duemo, 33 ft 7 in. McLennan and McDonald tied at 41 ft and in the deciding competition McLennan won.

Standing broad jump—1 Duncan C McPherson, Williamsto, 9 ft 5 in; 2 Robert Watson 9 ft 14 in.

Running broad jump—1 Randy McLennan, 17 ft 11 ins; Tupper McDonald, 16 ft 8 ins

Running high jump—1 W D McDonald, St Andrews, and Randy McLennan, 5 ft 1 1/2 ins; 2 Sayers, Cornwall, 5 ft. McDonald was protested on the ground that he was a professional.

Vaulting with pole—1 Dunbar Harkness, 8 ft; 2 Robert Watson, 7 ft 11 ins; 3 John Fraser, 7 ft 10 ins.

Hurdle race—1 B Sayers, Cornwall; 2 D P J Tobin.

This race was the cause of considerable discussion. Several bad starts were made, Sayers always getting the advantage. At the third or fourth attempt Sayers and Tobin started, but the other men, Randy McLennan and Tupper McDonald, did not. The starter called the runners back, but they kept on and finished as above. The judges claimed that Sayers did not jump the hurdles fairly, as he swung his feet in the space between the hurdles instead of over them. Sayers would not run over again, and as Tobin refused to accept the first prize, it was awarded to Sayers.

THE LACROSSE MATCH.

The great event of the day was the lacrosse match between the Young Glengarrians and Cornwall Juniors. The field was soft as the result of the recent rains and the ball would not rebound, but both teams put up an excellent game and the match was equal to some of the Senior League contests. The Cornwall Juniors were probably the best Junior team that ever left Cornwall, but in the Glengarry men they found foemen worthy of their skill and courage.

It was about 4.30 p.m. when the teams lined up in the following positions:

Cornwall Juniors.	Young Glengarrians.
D Cameron.....goal....J A B McLennan	
John Tobin.....point....J McGillis	
W McDonald.....cover point....Jos McDonald	
D McDonald.....defence field....D Sutherland	
J J McDonald....."....D C McPherson	
A D McCourt....."....J Fraser	
Jos McClear.....centre....T J McDonald	
W Broderick.....home field....D McPherson	
J Fournier....."....D Harkness	
F O'Neill....."....R Watson	
D Butler.....outside home D T McDonald	
J Milden.....inside home M J McLennan	
Jas Riley.....captain....R T Nicholson	
J A Hunter.....umpires....D J Fraser	

Referee—Randy McLennan.

The first game was a long one and was very hotly contested. The Cornwall team had the best of it and their home showed excellent team play. McLennan repulsed a number of sharp attacks but an unexpected throw from Fournier just as the ball was faced after a foul in front of the flags, found him unprepared and Cornwall scored the first game after about 25 minutes play.

In the second game the Glens showed a marked improvement and though the Cornwall home shot thick and fast, McGillis, who had been changed to goal made some wonderful stops. Then the Glens' field and home began to show up and after fifteen minutes hard play, mostly in their favour, Dunbar Harkness scored.

As the Cornwalls had to leave to catch their boat it was decided to call the match a draw. The teams cheered each other and left the field.

Every man of the twenty-four played good lacrosse, Cameron, the McDonalds, Tobin, McClear and O'Neill being the stars of the Cornwalls, while McGillis, Sutherland, D. C. McPherson, Fraser, Harkness, McDonald and the McLennans are worthy of special mention for the Glengarrians.

FOOTBALL.

A lively game of football was played on the Public School grounds on Monday forenoon between two teams designating themselves as Athletics and Mac-

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