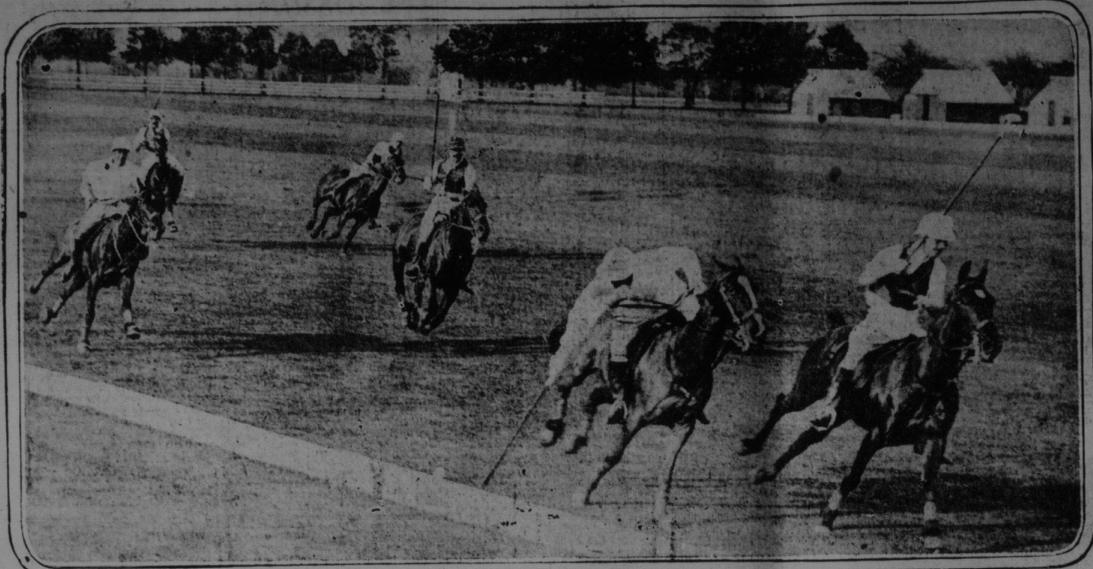


LIVE TOPICS OF SPORT AT HOME AND ABROAD

SCENES VIEWED AT THE DAILY PRACTICE OF THE AMERICAN POLO TEAM.



L. E. STODDARD DRIVING THE BALL BACK TO D. MILLBURN, FOXHALL KEENE RIDING TO HEAD MILLBURN OFF

Louis Stoddard, who is making a strong bid for a place on the American polo team, is seen in this picture making a back hand shot close to the boards. His object is to get the ball back to Mr. Millburn, who is riding up to make a long hit. Mr. Keene is rushing in to head off Mr. Millburn from the ball. Note Mr. Keene's cap. It is his mascot, and he is never seen in a game without it. The team is being worked hard in preparation for the match with England in June.

A NEW PITCHER FOR FREDERICTON

Fredrickton, May 29.—Manager Bob Santley has lined out for some new pitchers for the Fredericton team. Connie Mack, the manager of the Athletics, has recommended a Philadelphia pitcher named Havenor and "Bugs" Brown of the Rhode Island International City League, and "Red" Walker, recently let out by the Lynn club, with which team he visited the provinces last fall, have also been offered berths with the Aces. Catcher Mike String is to be released to either Banor or the St. Croix Club, "Red" Murphy becoming first of the string of catchers. Inlanders O'Callahan and Fallon are likely to be let out this week. Jack Fryer joins the team at Banor tomorrow and will play shortstop. Hoffman will be carried as an extra infielder for the present.

MONCTON BASEBALL LEAGUE.

Moncton, N. B., May 29.—A senior baseball league was organized last evening. The officers are F. W. Sumner, president; Harold N. Price, vice-president; C. Boudreau, treasurer; C. M. Lockhart, secretary; D. A. McBeath and S. L. T. Harrison, auditors.

An old reprobate of seventy, protested with outstretched hands to Justice Hawkins against a sentence of twenty years' penal servitude, or "slavery," as his severe, but upright, lordship loved to call it. "Oh, my lord, my lord, I can never do it." "Never mind," came the answer. "Never mind, do as much as you can."

THIS DATE IN RING ANNALS

May 30, 1908.—Paddy Ryan won title by defeating Joe Goss in 87 rounds at Collier's Station, W. Va.
1908.—Jim Barry and Tony Ross fought 12-round draw at Newcastle.
1910.—Freddie Welsh and Packer McFarland fought 20-round draw at London.
1911.—Johnny Kilbane and Jimmy Walsh fought 12-round draw at Canton.
1911.—Sam Langford defeated Ralph Calloway in 4 rounds at Syracuse.

MAX AITKEN PRIZE.

Newcastle, May 29.—Sir Maxwell Aitken gave a prize of \$40 last year to the student in grade eleven, Harkins Academy, who led the class at the matriculation held in July. There were six competitors. The result was so satisfactory to Sir Maxwell that he has written Principal L. R. Hetherington, stating the prize will be an annual affair. Sir Maxwell is an Alumnus of this school. He is now on an ocean liner coming to Canada.

TO CHANGE INSURANCE SYSTEM.

San Francisco, May 29.—The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen in convention here has approved the change in the organization's insurance methods. All policies hereafter will be paid in full when the holders reach the age of 70. A new policy for \$2000, available after August 1, was agreed to and the two lower grades of policies now in effect were raised \$50 and \$100 respectively. The increases will be added Aug. 1.



EMPIRE NAVY PLUG CHEWING TOBACCO

The Chief Gunner.

What the Chief Gunner Says:

"There are two occasions when a gunner feels perfectly happy,—one is when his shot hits the target and the other is when he can enjoy a chew of Empire Navy Plug Chewing Tobacco."

AMERICAN, NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.			
City	Won	Lost	
Rochester, 8; Montreal, 6.			
At Rochester:			
Rochester	10700000-8		
Montreal	31020000-8		
Batteries: Wilhelm, Quinn and Williams; Mason, McGray, Dale and Burns.			
Toronto, 3; Buffalo, 2.			
At Buffalo:			
Buffalo	090110000-2		
Toronto	200900010-3		
Batteries: Gervais and Gowdy; Brown and Graham.			
Newark, 6; Baltimore, 1.			
At Baltimore:			
Newark	110220000-6		
Baltimore	00000000-0		
Batteries: Sharkey and Egan; Altchison and Higgins.			
National League Standing.			
City	Won	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	22	8	.732
Brooklyn	19	14	.574
Chicago	20	18	.526
New York	17	16	.515
St. Louis	18	19	.486
Pittsburg	17	20	.459
Boston	13	18	.419
Cincinnati	12	25	.324
AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
Washington 5; Boston 2.			
At Washington:			
Boston	000100001-2	10	4
Washington	10301000x-5	9	1
Batteries: O'Brien, Leonard and Carrigan; Mullin and Henry.			
Cleveland 4; St. Louis 3.			
At Cleveland:			
Cleveland	01010004x-6	12	2
St. Louis	020000001-3	5	3
Batteries: Falkenberg and Carlsch; Stone and Alexander.			
At Philadelphia:			
New York	102200000-5	8	1
Philadelphia	110602101-6	15	0
Batteries: Bush and Lapp.			
Chicago 3; Detroit 2.			
At Chicago:			
Detroit	0010000100-2	10	2
Chicago	0000011001-3	7	2
Batteries: Willett and Stange; Russell and Schalk.			
American League Standing.			
City	Won	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	25	10	.714
Cleveland	27	12	.692
Chicago	22	18	.550
Washington	20	16	.556
Boston	15	20	.429
St. Louis	18	26	.409
Detroit	16	25	.392
New York	9	25	.264

SPORTOGRAPHY BY "GRAVY"

Paddy Ryan Got \$250 for an 87 Round Championship Bout 33 Years Ago Today.

The "high cost of living" may serve as a partial excuse for the exorbitant financial demands of the present crop of boxers, but the true friends of the game would like to see the fighters manifest a little more of the sporting spirit and a little less commercialism. In the old days, real world champions were satisfied with smaller purses than are now demanded by third-rate has-beens or never-will-bees. As an example, there was the Paddy Ryan-Joe Goss battle for the heavyweight championship of the world, which was pulled off at Collier Station, W. Va., just thirty-three years ago today, May 30, 1880. It was fought out with bare knuckles and went eighty-seven rounds before Ryan won the victory and the title. There probably isn't a heavyweight living today who would go through such an ordeal for less than fifty thousand dollars—and you can't blame them a great deal, at that. Yet Ryan cleaned up less than \$250 for his hard-won victory. Nobody wants to revive the bare-knuckle game, and it is to the credit of present day fans that they have no desire for such long and grueling exhibitions. At the same time, a little of the love of sport and sterling heroism of these old gladiators would work a decided improvement in the boxers of today. Ryan's case was by no means exceptional. "Nonpareil" Jack Dempsey cleared only \$10 or so from one of

the hardest battles. Heenan made a trip to England to fight Sayers for the championship of the world for a thousand dollars, out of which he had to pay expenses. Sullivan received much less than that for whipping Ryan in Mississippi.

Reuben Oldring, who plays in the garden for the Philadelphia Athletics, was born in New York twenty-nine years ago today. "Rube" commenced his baseball career as a scout for the Bronx and in Hoboken, which makes his front moniker peculiarly apropos. His first league experience was with Montgomery, in the Southern circuit. Toward the close of the 1905 season he returned to his native city and played for a time with the Yankees. The Athletics had a prior claim, however, and Oldring was awarded to Philadelphia by the national commission. Rube is speedy, and is one of the hardest swinging hitters in the pastime.

SYDNEY OFFER FOR GALLANT.
Promoter Snowy Baker of Sydney, Australia, is still after Manager Aleck McLean to bring Gilbert Gallant to the Antipodes. Yesterday McLean received a cable making him a good offer for Gallant for five bouts in Sydney, but he called Baker that he would not accept the offer until cleared only \$10 or so from one of

WILL DESIGN AMERICA CUP DEFENDER

Bristol, R. I., May 29.—"Nat" Herreshoff, designer of many successful defenders of the America Cup, will probably build a candidate for the defense of the cup next year against Sir Thomas Lipton, and a syndicate made up of Cornelius Vanderbilt, C. Oliver Iselin and some of the other older members of the New York Yacht Club will furnish the funds.

That Mr. Herreshoff has expressed a willingness to accept a commission from the syndicate was learned tonight on his return from New York after a long conference requested by members of the New York Yacht Club who have been prominent in financing other cup races.

BOWLING ON BLACK'S YESTERDAY

Last night in the two men competition on Black's alleys Ferguson and Belyea captured the six points from Norris and Logan.

The score follows:

Ferguson	83	84	84	108	90	449	89	4	5
Belyea	87	93	91	106	87	464	92	4	5
Norris	170	177	175	214	177	903			
Logan	81	77	81	86	81	406	81	3	5

Total 165 155 164 164 156—804

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SENATE AND RESPONSIBLE GOVERNMENT

Conduct of Liberals in Red Chamber Jeopardizing People's Liberty

LAURIER TRYING TO FORCE HIS WAY BACK

Sir Wilfrid and His Melodramatic Counsellors Now Face to Face with Themselves—Personal Ambition the Reason for their Action.

(Quebec Chronicle.)

We are never done praising the men who fought for responsible government in our British North American provinces and prepared the way for its perpetuation in the confederacy of our present-day Canadian commonwealth. To every Canadian it stands as the veritable Magna Charta of our political freedom. It has provided a way for the voice of the people to make of no avail the curvettings of the political hood-winkers and self-seekers. It is an assurance of fair play in our party ascendancies. And if, as the Toronto Globe and the Halifax Chronicle would lead us to infer, Sir Wilfrid Laurier has been taking part in the bringing about of a "combining" of his partisan friends in the Senate, to rescue himself from the effects of the "mistake of his life," then is there a decided imperilling, by such conduct of one, if not more, of the fundamental principles of responsible government.

Indeed, it is easy to perceive what has been running in the ex-premier's mind for some time back, in regard to how he was going to force an appeal to the country, and what it might be the country's saviour, as a means of giving him another throw of the dice. Even before the Borden government had been elected, Sir Wilfrid had started his game of forcing his way back to the premiership. In face of his repeated "rejection" declarations that he would never demean himself by accepting the leadership of the opposition, he has now, in the presence of a new over the inconsistency, accepted the position at the salary formerly fixed by himself. Thereafter, he has begun his campaign in the towns and villages of Ontario, in favor of resuscitating "Reciprocity" as an international question, in spite of the deathly silence that has been maintained at the hands of the people in terms of responsible government.

Then it was that the suspicion arose in the minds of many whether Sir Wilfrid had a proper and abiding respect for the principles of responsible government. And now that suspicion has deepened into a certainty, through the encouragement he has lately been giving his followers in the House of Commons—very much against their inclinations in some instances—to applaud the melodramatic stunts staged by Messrs. Emmerson and Borden, which proposal has been treated as headless folly generally does end, in making fools of the men in guarding it.

The Toronto Globe and the Halifax Chronicle assure us that there are Senators, enough and to spare, who are not to be taken in by the pleadings of Sir Wilfrid to have them reject the Navy Aid Bill. Does this mean that the ex-premier is to be taken as one who lives in Canada is not of it, nor can be, on account of some birth-mark he is always fondling in some secret place of his go-up? Yesterday we said that the Senate is now face to face with itself; and just as certainly has Sir Wilfrid Laurier come face to face with himself, as one who would willingly enough set aside the terms of responsible government in his efforts to have another throw at the dice, in the question that presents itself forcibly to every constituency in the land: Are the members of the Senate, any or all of them, prepared to help out Sir Wilfrid in his great gaming venture? Are they prepared to set aside even for the moment, the principles of responsible government—setting up Sir Wilfrid's whim of trying to get back to power, in direct opposition to the voice of the people as expressed by the House of Commons?

Let us have another general election? Is the demand of Sir Wilfrid and his birds of prey, in fact he would have a general election every week-end, or rather till he should by any chance be placed in power again? But his melodramatic counsellors, hardly be thinking, in their hysteria, of what another general election, so soon after the last, would mean for them. The majority of the Senate cannot but have their suspicions, with the rest of us, as to what would happen were the Senate to break in upon the principles of responsible government in order that an ex-premier should be placed in authority over the constitutionally selected prime minister of Canada. Mr. Borden is at present prime minister. Sir Wilfrid Laurier happens to be ex-premier.

Mr. Borden has a majority in the House of Commons; Sir Wilfrid would have, in his own hand, the guidance of a majority in the Senate. But the majority which stands behind the prime minister's back has the direct guarantee of the voice of the people while the majority of the ex-premier would boast himself in charge of, on the score of friendship, can only be taken as the voice of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Should, therefore, the Senate think of violating out of shape the very first principle of responsible government by voting down the Navy Aid

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