

SNAP-SHOTS AT VARIOUS SPORTS

Old John Turkey departed for parts unknown yesterday, and everybody united in giving him a grand sendoff. Incidentally, it might be remarked, that old Santa has hied himself to the "tall and lofty" for another year.

The Hamilton basketball tossers were handed a lemon for a Christmas present. An outfit from Buffalo played the part of Nick, and nicked the erstwhile champs to the merry tune of 34 to 27. Wonder if the action was premeditated?

One of the officials of the local City Hockey League this morning informed me that at least four teams have entered the league up to date. Four are plenty—if we can't have more—which is only another way of saying that it is politic to be content with little if one can't have much. Looking at the matter in a common sense light, however, it must be said, that as the rink management will only give one night a week over to the exhilarating sport a quartet of teams will just fit in nicely.

Poor Barrie! Likewise happy Canadian Soos: 4 to 12. Need we say more?

That elongated red man, Longboat, captured some more scalps yesterday at Hamilton, and, incidentally, clipped off the course record in so doing. As was expected, the Indian had a walkover, and the matter of handing over the trophy was a mere formality, he having been presented, so 'tis said, with first prize in advance of the event. Be a funny thing (maybe) if the lanky one should take a notion to enter in the Olympic Marathon next year and win out. There would be only one consolation in such an occurrence, and that would be that Hamilton would be deprived of a championship.

A Pittsburg paper says: Quarterback Stevenson of the late Canton professional football team is in hard luck. He came here to consult "Bonesetter" Reese about an injured knee. He says he was to have received \$1,200 for playing with the team this year, but all he got was \$150. He had signed to coach the Virginia Polytechnic team at \$900, but was prevailed upon to go with Canton. "No more professional football for me," he says.

Another argument against professionalism in athletics.

A disgraced barn setto, near New York, recently resulted in the knocking out of the referee. His decision didn't meet the approval of a few tinnor sports present, so they played football with him, and otherwise handled him roughly. A referees' protective union will now be in order. Suggestions should be submitted to Mr. Thomas Burns, en route for the Golden Gate.

Baseball players are, to all intents and purposes, reposing gracefully on that proverbial shelf. In reality they are toasting their shins around the fire-side and popping yarns. Here is one of the latest:

"Billy Sudhoff thought out a trick play when he pitched for the Browns three or four years ago," said a fan while talking of the game the other day. He had a quick, jerky delivery and is fast on his feet. Sudhoff worked on the theory that it is worth while to let one man score when you are a couple of runs ahead if you can put a baserunner out immediately afterward. He unfolded his plan to McAlleer, who didn't enthuse over it. However, Bill waited for a chance to try it.

"He got it in Boston one day. St. Louis was two runs ahead and Boston had runners on second and third with two out. Cy Young was pitching against him, and Cy was the man on second base. There was a good hitter up and it looked like Boston would tie the score. This was about the seventh or eighth innings, if I remember correctly.

"Willie lobbed over a couple outside and watched second base out of the corner of his eye. Cy edged further up toward third until he was half-way between the bases. Rhody Wallace at short was playing well over toward third, so Cy took a big lead. Sudhoff straightened himself as if to pitch, but suddenly he turned and darted toward second base. The man on first scored, but Cy took the balloon for his. He started back to second, dodged, and in a minute he had two infielders on either side of him, and, of course, was caught. A hit would have tied it. I have never seen the same play made in a big league game since."

An exchange says that Bill Squires, Jeffries' next victim (according to certain yellow sheets from across the border), lacks class. It is our humble opinion that he will lack something else if he ever meets the husky ex-Ohioan in the squared arena. There will be more antipodean cuticle permeating the ring-side atmosphere during the encounter than there were dollars spent during the holidays around London. SOUTHPAW.

LISTOWEL TAKES THE FIRST GAME OF THE O. H. A. SEASON

Defeats Preston 7 to 0—Old-Time Rivals Meet at Berlin—Game at Barrie.

Listowel, Dec. 25.—In the first O. H. A. game of the season, played here to-night, the Listowel puck-chasers defeated the Preston juniors by a score of 7 to 0. The game was very fast throughout and the result fairly indicates the strength of the teams. The home team decorated the boards quite frequently on account of minor offences, but on the whole the game was remarkably free from roughness. Mr. L. K. Hacking refereed to the satisfaction of both teams.

PRO. MATCH AT BARRIE.
Barrie, Dec. 25.—Barrie had its first professional hockey match to-night, and notwithstanding double the old tariff of prices, the rink was filled by an enthusiastic crowd. The Canadian Soo troubled the score on the locals, 12 to 4, being in fine condition and playing a fast combination. It was Barrie's first match, and although practically without practice they put up a stiff argument. With Steve Valr on the line-up and steady work for two weeks they will be in good shape for the games with the American Soo and Pittsburgh in January. Geo. and the fastest man on the ice, with Taylor and Walsh next in order. Steve Valr was referee. The teams:
Barrie—Goal, Toose; point, Williams; cover, Gee; center, Martin; rover, Thompson; left, Rowe; right, Redpath.
Soo—Goal, Lehman; point, Brown; cover, McRobbie; center, Walsh; rover, Taylor; left, Wilson; right, Schaeffer.

OLD RIVALS MET.
Berlin, Dec. 25.—Dr. Jack Gibson, of Houghton, refereed tonight an exhibition game of hockey between the old rivals, Galt and Berlin. The rink was comfortably filled with enthusiasts from Galt, Berlin and surrounding towns, who witnessed Galt's defeat in a score of 15 to 2. The visitors were not in it any time during the game, not playing as good hockey as they did last season. Knell, Cochrane and Dumart made some excellent plays, scoring repeatedly, and were continually on Galt's Appleyard, and but for the two McKays the visitors would have been whitewashed. The game was not fea-

tured by any brilliant stunts, but it clearly shows that Berlin has one of the best forward lines in America, and can ever be relied upon to bring laurels to the club. An incident worthy of note took place just before play commenced. It was the presentation of a beautiful framed portrait of the Berlin club to the referee. Eddie Wettlaufer made the address and George M. Dubois made the presentation amidst the tumult of the crowd.

The lineup was:
Galt—Goal, Appleyard; point, Codling; cover, Twatts; rover, MacKenzie; forwards, Cherry, McKay and Allan McKay.
Berlin—Goal, Ellis; point, McGinnis; cover, Gross; forwards, Dumart, Knell, Cochrane, Schmidt.

OFF FOR THE WEST.
Ottawa, Dec. 25.—The Ottawa hockey team, which is to play a series of matches at Winnipeg, left for the west at noon today. The team left without Pulford, Lesiere and McGee of the regular seven, and consequently the team will be as follows: Hague, goal; Moore, point; Spittal, cover point; Westwick, rover; Harry Smith, center; Alf Smith, right wing, and Shore, left wing.

Jack Williams, the star half back of the Rough Riders, went along as spare man; also Paddy Baskerville, treasurer, and George Brown, trainer. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, parents of Alf and Harry, were also aboard. They are enthusiastic lovers of hockey and intend to witness the matches. The players looked in great shape and were given a hearty sendoff. The Ottawas will meet Winnipeg, Victorias and Kenora, and expect to return during the early part of next week.

BASEBALL.
AN INTERNATIONAL GAME.
Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 25.—A special from Stanford says that Captain Presley, of the University baseball team, has received notice from Manager Abe, of Waseda University, accepting the challenge of Stanford for an international baseball contest to be played in Tokyo, Japan, some time in May. The Japanese team played Stanford last year.

SOMETHING THAT SHOULD BE RUBBED IN—Whenever pain is felt in the limbs or back, take Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil; pour a little in the hand, and applying it to the surface beneath which the pain lies, rub briskly. If the first application does not afford relief, which is not usually the case, keep rubbing. The Oil will gradually penetrate to the affected parts and relief will come.

GREAT GAME THIS; ENDED IN A TIE

President and Vice-President
"Swoop Her Up" at Thistle
Curling Rink.

The Thistle Club's Christmas curling match was played yesterday morning at the rink on Richmond street, and was productive of great sport. The game ended in a tie. A large number of spectators were in attendance, and all were united in declaring that the contest was an excellent one. The teams were captained by President Fulton and Vice-President Thompson, respectively. Summary:
President, J. Fulton, skip.....13
Vice-President, T. P. Best, skip.....7
W. T. Strong, F. Swift, skip.....19
Dr. L. McDonald, skip.....6
Total.....38 Total.....33

CHALLENGES ALL COMERS.
Ottawa, Dec. 25.—Harry Pare, who, for the last six years, has been the champion snowshoe runner of the Ottawa Valley, challenges all comers to a race of one mile or more in January, 1907.

SOME GOOD ONES FOR THE HANDICAPS

Fast Horses Already Named
for Brooklyn and Suburban
Handicap for 1907.

New York, Dec. 25.—Next week's entries will close for the Brooklyn and Suburban handicaps, and a few weeks later Handicapper W. S. Vosburgh will make known the weights. If H. P. Whitney enters Artful and Burgomaster, which now seems probable, they will probably receive the top imposts. Burgomaster is more likely to race than Artful. The Hamburg colt, who looked like the champion 3-year-old of the season when he went wrong last spring, has been coming around nicely since he was fired and blistered. A slightly bound tendon threw him out of training, but John W. Rogers at the time did not relinquish all hope of getting Burgomaster back to the races. The Hamburg colt—a magnificent racehorse in all that the word implies—is wintering well, and has apparently recovered from the disability to such an extent that Mr. Whitney and his trainers believe that he will go to the post early next year. Artful, who went wrong several days before the Brooklyn handicap was run last spring, has not improved so rapidly as Burgomaster, but there is still a chance that she may be able to face the starter again. Accountant, who carried off nearly all the 3-year-old stakes of importance, will surely be named for the handicap, together with the crack 3-year-old mares Whimsical, Flip Flap, Tangle and Running Water; the 3-year-old Ormondale and others of the same age. Of the older division Go-Between, winner of this year's Suburban, and Tokalon, victor in the Brooklyn, will also be found among the big handicap entries. It is an accepted prophecy that T. Hitchcock's (jun.) Salvadore, the champion 2-year-old of 1906, will receive the post of honor among the coming 3-year-olds. The weight assignments for the Suburban, Brooklyn, Brighton, and other big events, for which he will probably be named. Nealon, now owned by Boots Durnell, will also be named for nearly all the distance events to be run in 1907.

THE TURF. JOCKEY KILLED.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 25.—Jockey Lewis was killed at Ascot Park yesterday while riding for E. J. Baldwin. Lewis was in the steeplechase, mounted on Potrero Chico, a Baldwin horse, and fell at the third hurdle. The rider's head struck the ground, fracturing the skull, and he died within an hour. Lewis broke well toward the front with his mount, and when the horse kicked the obstacle the flying horse behind struck the prostrate boy with his hoofs.

Lewis came here from Hungary. Out of five starts on Cazor he won four. The first and last winning of the unfortunate jockey was on that gelding, Lewis, as far as is known, has no relatives, and if none come forward the Jockey Club will arrange the funeral. It appears the boy protested against riding, complaining that he was feeling badly, but the trainer insisted on him taking the mount. The horse which unseated him has a bad record for viciousness.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.
At New Orleans.—Posing 6 to 1, Colquhoun 4 to 5, Lady Esther 8 to 5, Al-Jowmaize 7 to 1, Rather Royal 3 to 1, Col. Bartlett 7 to 2.

HOLIDAY HANDICAP TO ALLOW-MAIZE.
New Orleans, La., Dec. 25.—Despite a biting north wind and generally raw day a large crowd witnessed the races at the fair grounds track today. The Christmas handicap, the feature of the day, was won easily by Allowmaize, the favorite, Gild running third.

SKIPS NAMED FOR TANKARD.
Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 25.—John McNabb and Dr. F. D. Robertson will skip the local curling club teams that will compete for the Ontario tankard, one of the highest honors that can be won by a curling club.

It was a fast and rough game, the locals putting up a hard fight towards the end.

HAMILTON TO TOUR.
Detroit, Dec. 25.—On Jan. 10 the champion basketball team of Canada, Hamilton Y. M. C. A., will meet the local "X" at the Light Guard armory. The A. A. ruling will govern the game. Last season the Detroit team played this squad under Canadian rules and lost. This game will be in the annual western trip of the Canadian five. On Jan. 9 they play London, Ont., and the next day the local team will be taken on. Jan. 11 is open and on the 12th comes a game with the Central Y. M. C. A. of Chicago. Eight men will be carried on this trip.

LONGBOAT WON IN LAST MILE

Indian Captured the Road
Race at Hamilton from
Cummings, of Toronto.

Hamilton, Dec. 25.—The ten-mile road race held today over the Herald course was won by Thomas Longboat, the Indian, who won the Herald race on Thanksgiving Day and the Ward race in Toronto a couple of weeks later. For the greater part of the journey it was nip and tuck between Longboat and Cummings, of Toronto. The two ran neck and neck until about a mile from the finishing line, when the Indian sprinted away from the Toronto runner and finished by himself. His time, 54:50, was a record for the course. Cummings finished second and George Adams third. The order in which the others finished was: Donald McQuail, Hamilton; Joe Charles, Muskoka; Charles Sims, Hamilton; W. A. Cranston, Hamilton; W. H. Wood, Brantford; John Lee, Toronto; Charles E. Petch, Toronto; Clara Pierce, Toronto; A. Smith, Hamilton; A. V. Smith, Hamilton; Charles Cook, Hamilton; Edward Seymour, Toronto; Norman Henderson, Hamilton; J. Sharon, St. Catharines; Thomas H. Ireland, Burlington. There were 25 starters.

THE PLAYERS ARE THE BEST JUDGES

Manager Lajoie Does Not Be-
lieve in Fixed Set of Rules
for Their Spring Training.

Anent training plans, Manager Lajoie, of the Cleveland Blues, expressed himself as follows:
"To my mind most of the big league players are the best judges as to how they should train. Most of the men in the league now do not wait until reporting time to start to get into shape, but really take a little preliminary work prior to going south. At least, that was the case of our fellows last spring, every one of whom reported in fairly good condition."
"Now while one man may need to work hard for about six hours a day, when he strikes the training camp, another will find two or three hours sufficient. When a manager has a lot of willing workers such as Cleveland has, there is no need of the manager telling them how long or how hard they should train. I leave that part of the programme to each player. He knows that to earn his money he must get into shape, and the condition of the Cleveland team the past two seasons has shown me that the players will work all right. No team in the league has been in better shape at the start of the season. Our pitchers have set the pace for the league at the outset and our batting and fielding has not lacked class with the bell ring."

"But as I said before, the work that one man needs might knock out another. Take Bay, for instance; it would be ridiculous for him to go through the stunts that I do. Elmer Flick is always down to weight when he reports, and there is no reason why he should take as much exercise as Wakefield, who takes on considerable weight during the winter. And so on through the entire list. The youngsters, of course, need more coaching as to how they should train, but there is no need of chasing them around until their tongues are hanging out."

ICEBOATS MAKE FAST TIME ON TORONTO DAY

Toronto, Dec. 25.—Ten miles in 19 minutes and 25 seconds to a dead heat was the result of the first race of the season on Toronto Bay yesterday between Hec McDonald's King Edward and Joe Tymon's Island Queen. The breeze and ice were both good. King Edward led half way and then Island Queen took the lead and held it until the King started down the home stretch and nipped her a quarter mile out. They saw-sawed all the way in and finished even up. The tie will be sailed off today at 3 p.m., with Captain Joe Goodwin's new boat as an added attraction. The race was a fast and exciting one, and the spectators were well pleased to see the iceboats making such good time. The race was won by Hec McDonald's King Edward, a speed skelter imported by Prof. Fourner, the iceboat racing season promises to produce the keenest of sport.

BASKETBALL.
Hamilton, Dec. 25.—The fast basketball team of the Buffalo Y. M. C. A. tonight defeated the local Y. M. C. A. team by a score of 34 to 27.

The result was considerable of a surprise, as the locals were the winners when the same teams met in Buffalo a few weeks ago.

The first half of tonight's game was played under American rules and the second half under Canadian rules. The half time score was 12 to 9 in the visitors' favor.

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BOXERS START IN TOO EARLY

McGovern, Corbett, Hanlon and
Others Took Up Their Ring
Career at Tender Age.

Down for the count, and out for good! Six one-time light-weight top-notchers—Young Corbett, Kid Lavigne, Jimmy Britt, Frankie Neil, Eddie Hanlon and Terry McGovern. And they are all young. Lavigne is the only one over 30, and he has been the only one over 30, and he is just down for years. Two of them are just past their teens. The rose-strewn path and the flowing bowl did it in most cases. Added to this, the youngsters start in too early. They get terrific beatings before nature has made them rugged enough to withstand such treatment. They can stand it for a while, but the breakdown comes sooner or later. Then their careers are ended. They are old men just when they should be in their prime.

Take Terry McGovern. He donned at gloves at 18. At 21 he was the champion, and had lost the title at 22. Within two years he was as near a physical wreck as is possible for a man to be and recover. Drink did it. He was sent to the hills to a retreat and came back looking fairly good. He was in the limelight again recently on the strength of the showing he made against Jimmy Britt and against Young Corbett in that six-round go at Philadelphia. But Terry could not stay good. Now he is in an asylum guarded by three keepers. Instead of a padded ring, it is a padded cell for Terry.

Then there is young Corbett, whom Terry was matched to fight at Hamilton in January. He was fighting at 17. At 21 he was the best in the land and looked good for years. But he was whipped by Jimmy Britt and has hit the bogan and ever since. He is only 28 now, but he is not even a second rate any more when it comes to a light-weight possibility. Gay life was his ruin.

Jimmy Britt was in the professional ring at 22; he had the championship belt safely stowed in his locker at 25. Only a year and a half later he took the count from Battling Nelson, and has never had a knock-in since. Eddie Hanlon was the youngest of them when he started. He was only 15 at the time of his first victory. He battled his way up to the top until he met young Corbett at 18. He got an awful drubbing in that fight, and has been going backward ever since. He is only 21 now, but he can't stand a good hard punch. In fact, he is easy money for class 2 men.

"Kid" Lavigne—the same "kid" who is trying to break into the easy money graft right now. He is one with a checkered career. Lavigne is now 36, but he has passed through the same mill. He was fighting at 19 and was good for years. Dissipation wrecked him at last and he was whipped four times in his 23rd year. Since then he has gone the usual pace until the last few months, when he says he has straightened up.

Frankie Neil, once king of the ban tams, as game a little scrapper as ever landed a right to the jaw. But he started to soon. He was fighting at 17. He was whipped by Eddie Hanlon at 19, but he was a good kid yet when he met and was defeated by Joe Bowler for the championship of the world. Since then Abe Attell and Harry Baker have both showed him up. He must be content hereafter to fight with the others in the once-were-but-are-no-more class.

And these six are only samples.

EFFECT OF WATER ON COAL.

It is often asserted that water on bituminous coal both aids combustion and "makes the coal last." Housewives, office men who live where this coal is used, and who are compelled to maintain stove or furnace fires, are firm believers, as a rule, in this paradox. That water on coal cannot do both, these people must know if they but thoughtfully considered it a minute.

The facts are these (and anyone may easily verify them): In a light fire, that is to say, a stove or house furnace, water sprinkled on large lump coal really tends to burn more rapidly. It soaks into the strata, into the porous surface, and, being there converted into steam, the lump is split into parts, or the surface becomes corrugated or cavernous, thus offering a larger area of carbon to the active oxygen of the air. If the water is in excess of the amount which will do this, it then no longer aids combustion, but retards it. Again, if the coal is fine, a small dampness, nothing approaching wetness, however, may increase combustion by holding the particles apart, thus permitting the oxygen to reach them.

In short, says the Scientific American, water on coal favors combustion, when it does favor it, only by assisting the oxygen of the air to find more ready access to the surfaces of the carbon.

GENDER IN ENGLISH.

A very good story is current anent the recent visit of Japanese naval officers to England. A certain hostess, we will not specify exactly at which port, where the ship's companies of the Katori and Kashima spent some time, has done all in her power to make the visit of a group of officers, with whom she came more prominently in contact, of a pleasant nature. With feelings of gratitude her guests came to express their final thanks, and the spokesman of the group, after recording united appreciation of what she had done, expressed the fear that they had "cockroached" much of her valuable time. The kindly hostess had made them so much her friends that she had arrived at suggesting corrections in occasional lapses of the English language. She gracefully acknowledged the thanks, and intimated that far from "cockroaching" on her time, what she had been permitted to do had been to her a great pleasure. The correction was noted, and her guest with profuse apologies said he was greatly sorry that in addressing a lady he had overlooked to use the feminine form—Bangkok Times.

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Arrive from the east—*4 a.m., 10:45 a.m., *11 a.m., *11:20 a.m., 6:25 p.m., *7:47 p.m., 12 p.m.
Arrive from the west—*12:15 a.m., *3:20 a.m., *11:20 a.m., 1:25 p.m., *4:10 p.m., *6:25 p.m.

Depart for the east—12:20 a.m., *3:25 a.m., 8:10 a.m., *11:30 a.m., 2:05 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:55 p.m. (Eastern Flyer). The trains leaving at 8:10 a.m. and 2:05 p.m. stop at all stations. The 8:10 a.m. local, and the 11:20 a.m. and 4:25 p.m. expresses have through coaches for Toronto. The Eastern Flyer at 6:55 p.m. stops only at Ingersoll, Woodstock, Brantford and Hamilton, and goes to Toronto and Montreal.

Depart for the west—*4:15 a.m., 7:40 a.m., *11:10 a.m., *11:32 a.m., 1:55 p.m., 8:01 p.m.
The 7:40 a.m. and the 1:55 p.m. trains stop at all stations. The 4:15 a.m., 11:32 a.m., and 8:01 p.m. expresses run through to Chicago without change.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.
Arrive—10:40 a.m., *4 p.m., 6:50 p.m. (Eastern Flyer), stops only at Chatham and Glencoe, 11 p.m.

Depart—6:35 a.m., *11:25 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 7:54 p.m. (International Limited stops only at Glencoe and Chatham.)

STRATFORD BRANCH.
Arrive—10:40 a.m., 10:55 a.m., 1:25 p.m., 6:35 p.m., 10:55 p.m.
Depart—6:20 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 5 p.m.

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Depart—For the east—*5:05 a.m., 8:45 a.m., *7:25 p.m., END the west—*11:28 a.m., *8:10 p.m., *11:35 p.m. Trains marked thus * run daily. Those not so marked run daily except Sunday.

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