

## Late Gossip Of The Sporting World At Home And Abroad

BRITISH  
FOOTBALL  
RESULTS

Saturday Results.  
English cup, second round—Newcastle, 1; Swansea, 1.  
Sheffield Wednesday, 2; Wolverhampton, 0.  
Preston, 2; Southampton, 3.  
Brighton, 0; Birmingham, 0.  
Everton, 4; Bristol City, 0.  
Ipswich, 3; Rochdale, 0.  
Hull, 2; Northampton, 1.  
Bolton, 0; Millwall, 0.  
Bradford City, 1; Middlesboro, 0.  
Manchester City, 1; Aston Villa, 0.  
Norwich, 3; Tottenham Hotspur, 2.  
Queens Park, 1; Leeds, 0.  
Sheffield United, 1; Liverpool, 0.  
Bury, 0; Bradford, 1.  
Burnley, 6; South End, 0.  
Chelsea, 1; Woolwich Arsenal, 0.  
First League.  
Manchester United, 2; Notts County, 2.

Second League.  
Barnsley, 1; Huddersfield, 0.  
Glossop, 0; Grimsby, 0.  
Preston, 1; Blackpool, 0.  
Stockport, 3; Derby, 2.  
Leicester, 1; Clapton, 1.  
Southern League.  
Cardiff, 5; Crystal Palace, 0.  
Swindon, 1; Westham, 1.  
Luton, 3; Gillingham, 1.  
Croydon, 4; Reading, 1.  
Portsmouth, 3; Plymouth, 1.

NOTES OF THE DIAMOND.  
Members of the Chicago Federal League club will leave for spring training at Shreveport, La., on March 6, it has been announced. Eight or ten of last season's players will either be traded or released, it is reported. None of them, however, was taken from the ranks of organized baseball.

"Bert" Baumgartner, a semi-professional player of Cincinnati, has been added to the outfield squad of the Chicago Federals.

Announcement was made Saturday that the sale of the Syracuse franchise in the New York State Baseball league scheduled for this afternoon, would be postponed until February 25. Owners of State League clubs did not want Syracuse to join the International League.

Harry Fritz, utility third baseman of the Chicago Federal League ball club, was sold to the St. Louis Club of that league Saturday. Fritz was with the Philadelphia Athletics until he signed with the Federals in 1913.

UPPER  
CANADA  
HOCKEY

Canadiens, 4; Shamrocks, 3.  
Montreal, Jan. 31.—The Canadiens won their second match of the season at the local arena last night, by defeating the Shamrocks by four goals to three. The Frenchmen had the better of the play for the greater part of the game.

Line-up: Canadiens: Goal, Vezina; Defence, Nubeau and Corbeau; Centre, Laviolette; Left Wing, Berlanquette; Right Wing, Pitre.  
Shamrocks: Goal, Lesueur; Defence, Howard McNamara, C. McNamara; Centre, Roman; Left Wing, Skinner; Right Wing, Deneny.

Ottawa 3, Quebec 1.  
Quebec, Jan. 31.—For the third time this season the Ottawa team defeated Quebec in a well contested game Saturday night, the final being three to one. The game was rough on both sides. The line-up:

Quebec—Moran, goal; Mummery, cover point; Hall, point; Smith, centre; Crawford, left wing; Marks, right wing.  
Ottawa—Benedict, goal; Merrill, cover point; Shore, point; Duford, centre; Durrath, left wing; Broadbent, right wing.

Toronto 3, Wanderers 2.  
Toronto, Jan. 30.—When the Toronto team defeated the Wanderers here to night they pulled themselves level with the Montrealers in second position, leaving the Senators out in front alone. The score was 3 to 2.

The teams:  
Wanderers Goal. Toronto  
McCarthy . . . . . Holmes  
P. Rodgers . . . . . Point  
C. Point . . . . . Carpenter  
S. Cleghorn . . . . . Cameron  
Baker . . . . . Centre  
Right Wing. . . . . Foyston  
Hyland . . . . . Wilson  
Left Wing. . . . . Walker  
Roberts . . . . . Walker

VANDERBILT RACES.  
San Francisco, Jan. 30.—"Eddie" Rickenbacker, winner of the Sioux City Sweepstakes, today signed a contract to drive a Maxwell in the Grand Prize and Vanderbilt races, to be held this month at the Panama-Pacific Exposition. He will have as team mates "Barney" Oldfield and "Billy" Cartson.

WHATEVER TY COBB DOES  
IS DONE HARD AND WELL

"What sort of a fellow is Ty Cobb off the ball field?"  
Hundreds have put the question just that way to persons who have met Cobb socially. They have formed an opinion of Cobb, based on their observation of the man at work, and appear to be seeking corroboration of it by getting an estimate of the great star from one who has met him in private life.

Cobb plays hard, and he plays to win. He is a reservoir filled to the limit with intelligence and energy, and the combination develops amazing power and makes him one of the greatest players the game has ever seen.

As to Cobb off the ball field, what follows is the estimate and opinion of one who had to do with him socially for the greater part of two weeks while Pres. Gaffney and Manager Stallings of the World's Champions were entertaining a hunting party in Georgia recently. The opinion is that it would be difficult to find a more companionable, a more gentlemanly or a more interesting character than this same Cobb.

He hunts, he shoots, he plays poker and he reads, all very much after the style that he plays baseball. His wife is a Georgia girl and they have two children, a boy and a girl, the eldest five years old. They live in Augusta during the winter.

While Cobb is a model family man, he finds time to do a lot of hunting in the off-season, and so does not have to spend more of his time at spring training to get into condition for the baseball season. As a matter of fact, he is in condition right now.

He was in the Gaffney-Stallings party at Haddock, and never lost a minute of daylight in the hunt. One of the plantation hands, whom Mr. Stallings sent with him as a guide, was walked off his feet the first day, and sidestepped the assignment thereafter.

"He is too hard a man to follow," was his comment when they came in at dark, barely able to drag one foot after the other.

Cobb rarely missed a bird, and generally brought home from twenty to thirty quail each day. He owns three splendid bird dogs, and thinks the dogs understand each other and work in perfect harmony.

Ty must have been given quite a shock one evening in connection with these dogs; but he showed his nerve as usual and never batted an eyelid. They all had had a hard day's work,

and before going to dinner Ty called a pickaninny, who had the care of dogs and guns, and said:  
"Mose, I want you to give my dogs a nice supper tonight."

"I have, sir. I gave them all a fine supper," said Mose.

An hour or so later, when the crowd was sitting around the fireplace talking baseball, Mose's voice was heard in the hall.

"Mister Ty, your dog done choke."

Knowing how much Cobb thought of his dogs, every eye was cast in his direction, expecting to see him hit the roof. He sat as rigid as a stone man, for what seemed like 10 seconds. Every one else present seemed speechless and paralyzed, and Mose's eyes were bulging out of their sockets as he stood in the doorway.

"Ty" finally broke the silence by inquiring in the most matter-of-fact way, "Is he dead?"

"Not yet," came back Mose.

In what seemed to be mighty deliberate fashion Cobb walked from the room, and almost before the others present had found their voices he walked back again and sat down as cool as ice.

"What was the matter with the dog?" some one asked.

"Had a bone in his throat. I pulled it out," said Cobb, and he then took up the conversation where it had been interrupted by the announcement of Mose.

Ty made it a point to see that his dogs were washed and dried before he changed his own clothes, on days that they came in wet and tired.

It did not appear that he ever tired. Just an incident to show the wonderful physical condition of the man at the present time: One day the hunting party, which was going to some cover in the woods, had a mishap. Going over a trail in the lowlands, which for a considerable distance was covered with water knee-deep, the going was so rough that the whiffetrees on one of the wagons broke; the horse got clear and left the party marooned.

Sam Crane, who was one of those left in the middle of the lake, already had a pretty bad cold and did not care to add to his trouble by wetting his feet. Sam must weigh about 225 pounds, but Cobb took him on his back, at the same time carrying his own gun and ammunition, and packed the load a distance of 75 yards, with the water up around his knees the greater part of the distance, and landed Sam high and dry without turning a hair.

It was not long after this that one

FEDERAL  
MINOR  
LEAGUE

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 31.—President James A. Gilmore of the Federal Baseball League, has made the announcement here that the Federals would have a minor league in New England. He declined to indicate definitely the cities which would be selected for teams, but said it was planned to put teams in those places where organized baseball is now playing.

He said he had received already a dozen inquiries in regard to the proposed league, from men with money and found conditions in New England much more favorable for such an organization than he had supposed.

of the dogs loaned by one of the townspeople flushed a covey of quail on which Cobb's dogs had come to a point and were working on.

It was the second or third time he had done the same thing that day, he evidently being jealous of Ty's dogs and out to steal their points.

After flushing the birds, the dog took to chasing them, and Ty took to chasing the dog, being peevish over the way Jimmy was spoiling the chances of getting a shot by being too ambitious. Ty was yelling to him to stop, but the dog kept on, and so did Ty.

The stern chase went on for half a mile, the latter part of which the dog was doing his best to outrun Ty, knowing what was coming to him; but Ty finally caught him.

There was an interesting minute or two for Jimmy, and he spent the rest of the day in the wagon. Cobb never went around the bases much faster than he went after that dog.

He did not riding in the wagons, and that night was as fresh as a daisy, surprising everyone with his knowledge of history, ancient and modern, which showed that he had done much careful reading.

Lately he has taken to playing billiards and Stallings says Ty will never stop until he becomes expert at the game, as he is in every other one that he has ever tackled.

Down in Brunswick, Ga., the party visited the High School and Cobb made a very nice speech to the boys and girls there. To the boys he said:

"Whatever you undertake do with all your might; work hard, play hard. There is no discredit in being beaten by a stronger opponent, but you should see to it that there are none stronger than you, if that be possible."

ST. ANDREW'S  
BONSPEIL  
SATURDAY

The second bonspiel among the members of the St. Andrew's Curling Club took place Saturday afternoon and evening and proved a most enjoyable event for the curlers. There was no less than sixteen rinks playing and as each rink is composed of four men it means that sixty-four curlers were engaged. As soon as a rink was defeated it was counted out of the bonspiel and the winning rink would have to meet another winning

New York, Jan. 31.—Jack Britton of Chicago, outpointed and outfought "Kid" Graves of Milwaukee, in a very fast and clever ten-round bout in the bonspiel and the winning rink would have to meet another winning

Britton won from Graves

weighed 139 and Graves 142 pounds.

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