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Over 130 varieties
to please every palate

Only Red Hot
Iron Kept Black
Panther In Cage

Wildest Beast In Captivity
Claws Bared Apart
Nearly Escapes In Mid-Ocean.

New York, Dec. 7.—The seas were placid on the trip that the United Fruit liner Pastores, from Port Limon and Havana, finished at this port yesterday, but thirteen wild animals gave the voyagers some thrills quite as stimulating as those of a tropical hurricane for a few hours on Friday, when Asia, the only black panther in captivity, made an effort to get out of his iron barred wooden cage.

Capt. Tom Wilmoth, animal trainer, heard the panther snarling and roaring and went to the cage and found that the panther had twisted two bars and was poking his head between them trying to widen the aperture by the power of his mighty shoulders. Capt. Wilmoth immediately called to the "black devil, who can lick twice his weight in royal Bengal tigers" (Captain Tom's own words), and went after hot irons and the ship's carpenter.

Meanwhile the passengers, other than thirteen circus freaks used to being shipwrecked by the wild animals, began to feel a little upset over the roaring of five lions, six tigers (all guaranteed royal Bengal), one American panther, and one lion cub. A lion that got his tail caught between a wooden cover of his cage and the floor, contributed the largest share to the pandemonium. When Captain Tom appeared on deck with hot irons and the carpenter he first released the lion's tail and cut out some of the viciousness of the animal.

Then he presented the red hot end of the iron to the black panther, who backed out of the opening he had showed and through and let the carpenter, a little nervous, do the job that was not strictly in his nautical line, make the cage secure against any future effort of the panther to get loose. Tom said that the panther slept through all the disturbance, and the iron-jawed man pool-pooed the incident, remarking that if he once got his teeth in the throat of the panther, the Ringling Bros. and Barnum and Bailey show would stand to lose one of its manager assets.

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Georges Carpentier Coming To States

Arrives in February to Begin Training—Will Fight Tom Gibbons Next March.

New York, Dec. 7.—Georges Carpentier, world's lightweight champion, is expected to arrive in the United States early in February to begin training for his bout with Tom Gibbons of St. Paul, scheduled for next March. Promoter Tex Rickard was informed today.

The French idol, who was defeated last summer by Jack Dempsey, was reported as planning to cross the ocean immediately after his bout with George Cook, Australian heavyweight, in London, Jan. 12. He is to meet Gibbons in New York.

Continuation of Ryan Investigation

H. A. Allen, Foreman on Lock Joint Pipe Company Contract, Tells How Work Was Conducted.

At the Ryan investigation held evening in City Hall with Commissioner James presiding, the witness H. A. Allen, foreman on the Ryan investigation, was present. Allen, who was questioned by Mr. H. A. Allen, foreman on the Ryan investigation, was present. Allen, who was questioned by Mr. H. A. Allen, foreman on the Ryan investigation, was present.

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Business Men's Classes Crowded

Much Activity in the Y. M. C. A. in All Branches of Athletics.

Business Men's Classes are crowded during the winter months. The Y. M. C. A. has a large number of men taking the Business Men's class this year and learning to play the game of volleyball.

The Y. M. C. A. have been conducting a Senior Ladies' Swimming class on Friday mornings, with a good attendance. The Y. M. C. A. Young Ladies' League have two three-quarter games of an hour period per week on the floor for gym work and basketball practice. These classes have been directed by Mr. Ray Pendleton.

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Boxing and Wrestling
These classes are in full swing. The wrestling is being handled by Mr. Oliver W. Wood. A wrestling tournament is planned for the 21st of December, open to the city and five or six outside clubs are expected to compete.

Volley Ball
The Business Men's Volley-Ball League is being played every Saturday afternoon, and the first series is under way. A reorganization of teams and players will probably be required for the second series.

General
The fact that on one Saturday in November, over four hundred people used the swimming pool is a sure indication that the building is being put to its capacity use. It is interesting also to note the spread of Y. M. C. A. influence in the community.

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Physical Dept. of The Y. M. C. A.

Monthly Report Issued by Physical Instructor Shows Splendid Results.

A fair idea of the splendid work being done by the physical department of the Y. M. C. A. and of the manner in which the work is growing may be obtained from the monthly report of that department for the month of November, which has recently been issued by the physical instructor, William Bowles, and which follows, with a comparison of the classes of the two preceding years.

Class Attendance.
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Bowling Results In Local Leagues

WELLINGTON LEAGUE.
In the Wellington League series, on the G. W. Y. A. alley last night, the Canadian National Railway team took all four points from the Schofield Paper Company, Ltd. The scores follow:

Schofield Paper Co., Ltd.
Hayter 82 81 89 253 34
Crosby 81 75 82 238 79 13
Hall 74 83 77 234 78
Dickson 76 69 78 232 74 13
Campbell 88 86 81 260 86 23

Canadian National Railway.
Stevens 81 87 76 244 81 13
Lawson 87 87 89 273 91
Wall 69 81 85 240 83
Donay 74 68 77 220 72 13
Storoy 106 92 105 304 101 13

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE
In the Commercial League game on Black's alley, last evening, the Sugar Refinery team took three points from the Post Office aggregation. The scores follow:

Sugar Refinery
Archibald 85 82 85 253 67 13
Fleming 78 83 68 226 76 13
Donovan 87 100 90 277 82 13
Howard 79 79 106 264 88
Armstrong 75 84 74 234 81 13

Post Office
Brennan 80 84 74 238 79 13
O'Leary 73 81 81 235 73 13
Roberts 85 81 75 241 80 13
Clark 96 80 90 276 82
Shannon 80 81 75 241 81

Imperial Optical Co.
Cunningham 88 87 74 259 86
MacDonald 70 76 82 230 76 23
Rockwell 79 74 84 241 80 13
McIntyre 75 85 77 233 77 13
Stanton 80 80 86 252 84

Y. M. C. A. HOUSE LEAGUE
In the Y. M. C. A. House League, last evening, the Owls took all four points from the Falcons. The scores follow:

Owls
McCafferty 76 81 126 283 94 13
Fitzpatrick 90 97 81 278 92 23
McClary 97 73 84 264 88
McDonald 88 94 86 268 89 13
Garvin 91 93 88 273 90 23

Falcons
McGee 77 76 85 238 79 13
McGrath 76 84 105 275 81 23
Sinclair 87 90 96 273 91
Nixon 87 81 82 260 86 23
Power 87 83 75 247 83 13

Garrison Averages
Averages of those playing four games and over with 77 and up to and including December 31.

Corpl. Morgan 6 86 7 18
Evans 8 85 3
Belmont 8 85 3
J. H. Munroe 9 84 9
W. Munroe 8 84 10 24
K. Jones 9 84 10 24
W. Jones 9 84 10 24
Duffy 9 79 20 27
Markham 9 79 20 27
D. Arthur 7 78 6 7
W. G. Stegmann 9 78 7 9
Johnston 6 78 24
McNulty 9 78 11 27
G. Landry 9 78 5 27
W. L. Kelly 4 78 1 12
D. Ricketts 9 77 26 2