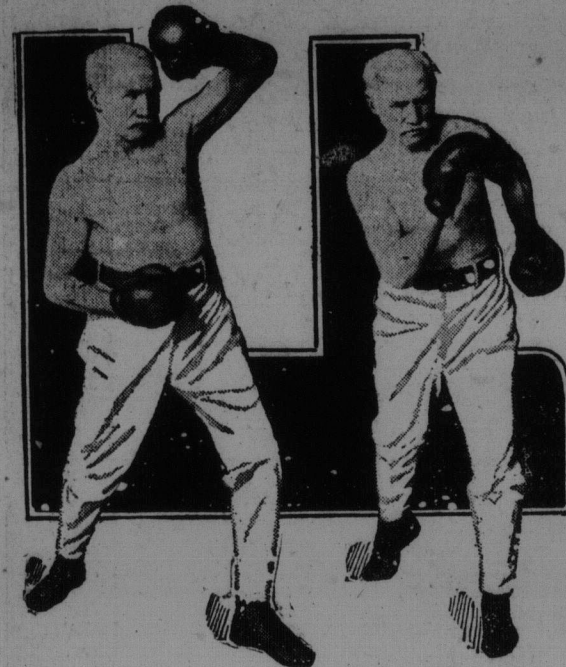


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## Champion Maker Picks Jeff To Win



PROF. MIKE DONOVAN TODAY, FROM PHOTOGRAPHS MADE ESPECIALLY FOR THIS PAPER.

New York, April 24.—In the opinion of Prof. "Mike" Donovan, boxing instructor of the New York Athletic club and one of the greatest living authorities on the fighting game, Jeffries will defeat Johnson.

This is the first expression of opinion this veteran hero of the squared circle has given on the coming battle and he gave it especially for The Standard.

Is "Mike" Donovan's opinion worth anything?

The answer to this question is found in his record. Here it is:

He is 63 years old, and at one time was middleweight champion of the world.

He discovered John L. Sullivan in the fall of 1873, on the stage of the Athenaeum theatre, Boston. After boxing 6 rounds, during which Donovan then a star of the first magnitude, suffered a broken arm trying to stave off the rushes of the Boston boy, he declared Sullivan would be champion of the world. He watched and schooled the youngster, and saw his prophecy come true. Sullivan was his first champion.

In New Orleans, a young fellow named Jas. Corbett asked permission to call upon Donovan at the latter's hotel. He and Donovan boxed and afterward the veteran said to him:

"Young man, you can lick John L. Sullivan."

The statement frightened Corbett, but Donovan took him in hand, and his New York work with him in a gymnasium. He taught him Sullivan's tricks, and not many months later saw Corbett defeat the mighty Sullivan in the arena of the Olympic club, New Orleans. Gentleman Jim was Donovan's second champion.

It was a physical freak with whom he was asked to pose for a photograph, and that Donovan picked as his next conqueror. After posing for the pictures, at the request of a newspaper, Donovan turned to the young man and said: "I'd like to have a setto with you, Fitzsimmons."

And that first meeting in a barn on Long Island, proved to Donovan that he had a world beater. He taught Fitzsimmons the now famous shift, ending in the solar plexus and told him:

"If you perfect this, you can beat Jim Corbett."

When this conversation occurred, Fitzsimmons, although he has conquered Jack Dempsey and Peter Maher was not regarded as dangerous to the heavyweight champion, but that memorable day at Carson, when in the 17th round he executed the shift and landed on Corbett's midsection, he astonished the world and became Donovan's third champion.

Donovan saw Jim Jeffries box once, and declared himself. He predicted the big fellow would defeat Fitzsimmons, and in him picked his fourth champion.

And now another fight is pending for the crown. Logically Mike Donovan is the man to answer the question, "Can Jeffries whip Johnson?" And that is what I asked him.

"The two most level-headed men in the ring today," he replied, "are Battling Nelson and Jim Jeffries. They do not enter into debaucheries. Jeffries in this respect is almost as steady as Nelson, which is saying a good deal. 'Jeffries is heavier than Johnson, too, and this weight will help him. I have received the opinion of eminent physicians who have recently thoroughly examined Jeffries. They concluded that he is in as good form as he has ever been."

"Don't you think Jeffries is too old to have the necessary endurance?" I asked him.

"No, no. Some of the greatest battles in ring history have been fought by men past thirty. Tom Sayers fought a draw with John C. Heenan in 1860, when he was 36 and Heenan 31. It went 40 rounds and was one of the most desperate fights in history. 'Jeffries is heavier than Johnson, too, and this weight will help him. Moreover, Johnson seems to be mainly a defensive fighter, and this would not be to his advantage in this fight, for the man who defeats Jeffries must bring the fight to him. 'Johnson will find a different man than Ketchell and Burns who are much lighter and so inferior to Johnson that he beat them at will. 'I have given this matter careful consideration, and am inclined to feel confident that the supremacy of the white man in the ring is going to be continued in the name of Jas. J. Jeffries."

## PIRATES WIN FROM ST. LOUIS

Giants Defeat Brooklyn—Red Sox and Doves Both in Losing Column—The Sunday Games.

National League.  
Pittsburg, April 23.—Five singles and a free base off Cannitz with Byrne's error in the first inning gave St. Louis a 4 to 0 lead, which Pittsburg did not overcome until the seventh. A hit by Miles with the bases filled, wrought a local victory, and in the eighth two runs not needed, made the score 7 to 4. The score by innings:  
Pittsburg . . . . . 000011230—7-6-1  
St. Louis . . . . . 400000000—4-3-3  
Batteries—Cannitz, Moore and Gibson; Hammon and Brennan. Time: 1:45. Umpires, O'Day and Brennan.

New York 5; Brooklyn 4.  
New York, April 23.—The New York Nationals played a great uphill game and beat Brooklyn 5 to 4. The latter scored four runs in the third inning on two hits and by poor fielding by the locals. But in the ninth the New Yorks came from behind and won the game. Myers doubled the score, and a hit into the bleachers by Crandall sent in the winning run.  
Brooklyn . . . . . 004000000—4-4-1  
New York . . . . . 000020003—5-6-5  
Batteries—Bergner and Erwin; Ames, Drucke, Crandall and Myers. Time, 2 hours. Umpires Klem and Kane.

Philadelphia, 4; Boston, 0.  
Philadelphia, April 23.—Philadelphia again defeated Boston today, this time 4 to 0, the victory being the sixth straight one for the home team. McQuillan was very effective and he was given excellent support. Errors by Boston helped the home team to pile up runs. The score:  
Boston . . . . . 000000000—0-4-1  
Philadelphia . . . . . 00001213—4-8-1  
Batteries—Brown, Ritchie and Smith; McQuillan and Dooin. Time—1:56. Umpires—Ridger and Smiale.

## SMALLEST UMPIRE THIS



Barney Briceland.

East Liverpool, O., April 24.—Barney Briceland, who will umpire in the Central league this season, will be the smallest indicator holder on any ball field in the country. He stands less than five feet in height.

Briceland is light in weight, but is all grit. He was worked in the Ohio-Penn league as a substitute and at one time held an indicator in one of the western leagues. Briceland is a potter by trade and is a native of this city.

## THE OUTLOOK FOR BASEBALL

Prospects Not So Bright Now As Earlier in Year—St. John and Clippers to Play Series.

Baseball seems to be the sole topic among the sporting fraternity just at present. From the dyed in the wool fan down to the eight-year-old, they are all conjecturing what is going to be presented for the amusement when the curtain is finally raised upon the drama of the diamond.

Although the "men behind the scenes" are disinclined to give out anything officially, it is generally known by those in close touch with the game, that the City Amateur League will not be organized. About a month ago much was made about the proposed organization of a Senior City League. The fans rejoiced for the promised league looked strong upon paper, and were expected to set the diamond on fire. Lately, however, little has been heard about them, and it would appear as if they had gone and pulled off the Rip Van Winkle stunt. Nothing can be learned officially as to what the intention of last year's champion Marathons are. It is said that many of the Greeks best players will be seen upon the lineup of other teams.

Many of the wise ones are telling, however, that they will be reorganizing.

The Intersociety League will open on May 13 and is expected to be stronger than ever. McBrines "Clippers" which played a fast article of ball last season, and who are hailed by many of the experts to be the fastest bunch in the city, will again be on deck. To a Standard man yesterday Manager McBrine when asked about the possible lineup of his team said: "I cannot make any definite statement just yet. My team will be strengthened considerably, especially on the base mound. We expect to start in practicing this week.

A series of games will be played between the Clippers and the St. Johns, who will be under the leadership of Chas. Tilley.

The E. D. C. grounds have been secured by the management of the teams, and the first game of the series will be played on May 21. A double-header will in all probability be arranged for May 24, and three games a week will be pulled off there after.

The use of the grounds has been secured for two evenings and one afternoon a week.

## ARAZE WINS QUEENS CO. HANDICAP

Aqueduct, April 23.—Before a crowd equally as large as that of the opening day, Arazé, showing marked improvement, won the Queens county handicap, 1 mile in the good time of 1:29.45. Arazé carried 109 pounds, but was practically neglected in betting by public at 7 to 2. Prince Ahmed was the favorite at 5 to 2 and had he not been crowded in the stretch turn when he was forced to pull out and come to the outside, he probably would have won. The victory was by half a length in good time.

Fourth race—Queens county handicap, three year olds and up, value \$1500, one mile.  
Arazé, 109, Glass, 7 to 2, 6 to 5, 1 to 2, win; Prince Ahmed, 110, Taplin, 5 to 2, even, 1 to 2, second; Magazine, 107, Langan, 6 to 1, 1 to 2, even. Time—1:39.45.

Fifth race, 3 year olds and up, \$400 added, 7 furlongs:  
Berkeley, 117, Garner, 1 to 2, 2 to 1, win; Ed Ball, 117, Logan, 1 to 2, 2 to 1, second; Grania, 114, McGovern, 50 to 1, 10 to 1, even, third. Time—1:27.25.

Sixth race, maiden, \$400, added, 4 furlongs:  
Phonix, 107, Glass, 5 to 1, 2 to 1, even, win; Dartmouth, McGee, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, second; Plutera, 106, Langan, 30 to 1, 10 to 1, 5 to 1, third. Time—1:44.

## SIX FRENCH AVIATORS FLY OVER SEA

Nice, France, April 23.—Six aeroplans made successful flights over the sea from Nice to Cape Ferrat and return, today, a total distance of about 15 miles. Hubert Latham made the best time which was 16 minutes, 46.35 seconds. A seventh aeronaat, M. Riems d'ick, started, but fell with his machine into the water from which he was rescued uninjured by a torpedo boat.

## VAULTING FEATURE OF THIS MEET

New Haven, April 23.—The pole vaulting of Robert Gardner, the sophomore, who is the national golf champion, was the only feature of the spring track meet held at Yale this afternoon. Gardner did 12 feet 4 inches apparently without effort and did not try to go higher as no one approached that mark.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

Boston, Mass., April 23.—Philadelphia won from Boston today 5 to 3. Carrigan's home run in the 7th tied the score for the locals. Both pitchers were helped out of tight places by sensational fielding and Smiale.

Philadelphia . . . . . 00010200000—3-10-0  
Boston . . . . . 00010020000—3-10-0  
Batteries—Cicotte and Carrigan; Plank and Livingston. Time—2:05. Umpires—Connolly and Dinewen.

Washington, D. C.; New York, 0.  
Washington, April 23.—Darkness and rain stopped the Washington and New York game here today at the end of the sixth inning; neither side having scored a run. Walker and Vaughan had a pitcher's duel the local man having a shade the better of the fight.  
Washington . . . . . 000000—0-3-1  
New York . . . . . 000000—0-2-0  
Batteries—Walker and Street; Vaughan and Sweeney. Time—1:05. Umpires—Evans and Egan.

St. Louis—Chicago-St. Louis game postponed, snow.

## COLLEGE GAMES

At Exeter—Colby, 12; Phillips-Exeter, 2.  
At Williamsstown—Williams, 1; Trinity, 0.  
At West Point—West Point, 4; Wesleyan, 0.  
At Andover—Phillips-Andover, 6; New Hampshire State College, 0.  
At Amherst—Amherst, 8; Tufts, 0.  
At Philadelphia—Pennsylvania, 5; Niagara, 2.  
At Ithaca—Cornell, 3; Columbia, 1.  
At Cleveland—Detroit, 6; Cleveland, 0.  
At Worcester—Holycross, 4; Hartford, 2.  
At New Haven, Yale, 6; University of Vermont, 3.  
At Lewiston, Me.—Bates, 5; Bowdoin, 2.

SUNDAY GAMES.  
Eastern League.  
At Newark—Rochester, 5; Newark, 4.

National League.  
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 10; St. Louis, 6.  
At Chicago—Chicago-Pittsburg, rain.  
American League.  
At Detroit—Detroit-Cleveland, wet grounds.  
At St. Louis—Chicago-St. Louis, cold weather.

DONLIN COMING BACK.  
Chicago, Ill., April 23.—Mike Donlin last night said he would make formal application for reinstatement as a member of the New York baseball club of the national league. Donlin's announcement followed a conference with Garry Herrmann, chairman of the national commission, who said that Donlin's request would be granted.

## BARNESLEY AND NEWCASTLE TIE

Opposing Teams Only Able to Secure One Goal Each in Final Game at Crystal Palace.

Special to The Standard.  
London, April 23.—Barnesley and Newcastle tied the score with a goal each in the final game today for the football association cup championship. The match was played at the Crystal Palace and attracted an attendance of about 80,000 persons, hardly put to the record of crowds usually congregating for the annual picnic at the mecca of football enthusiasts.

About 150 special trains brought between 50,000 and 60,000 spectators.

The following are the results of today's football matches in England:  
First division—Bristol W., 0; Tottenham H., 2; Chelsea, 2; Bury, 0; Everton, 3; Manchester U., 3; Middlesbrough, 2; Liverpool, 2; Nottingham F., 0; Sheffield U., 6; Sunderland, 1; Bradford City, 0; Woolwich A., 1; Preston N. E., 2; Blackburn, 3; Sheffield, 1.

Second division—Bradford, 2; Gainsboro, 0; Derby county, 3; Birmingham, 1; Grimsby T., 1; Westhampton U., 0; Hull city, 5; West Bromwich A., 1; Leicester F. C., 1; Manchester U., 1; Leeds city, 0; Stockport, C., 5; Glossop, 0; Lincoln city, 2; Fulham, 2; Blackpool, 1; Oldham A., 3.

Southern league—Brentford, 2; Millwall, 0; Brighton and H., 3; Swindon T., 1; Bristol R., 1; Northampton, 0; Coventry C., 6; Crusion C., 1; Exeter C., 2; Crystal Palace, 0; South End U., 0; Leyton, 0; Westham U., 1; Luton T., 2; Norwich C., 1; S. Brompton, 0; Reading, 2; Plymouth, 0, 2. Portsmouth, 1; Walsley, 0; Watford, 2; Southampton, 2.

## SAYS SYRIAN IS AFRAID OF M'DONALD

Perth, N. B., April 22, 1910.  
To the Editor of the Standard:—  
Sir—While playing at Fort Kent, Maine, last Wednesday, I read an article in the Standard that made me smile. It related to Geo. Nedetz, a Syrian wrestler, and made him say that he had met Dan McDonald, the Cape Breton wrestler, during the past few weeks. Dan McDonald has been in vaudeville for several months past, and meeting all comers. Geo. Nedetz had not been one of the men who has met Dan during the time he has been under my management, and I do not believe that you could draw the little Syrian on the mat with McDonald with a yoke of oxen.

I stand ready to match Dan McDonald with any middle weight wrestler in the world, Sam Anderson or young Hacken-Schmidt preferred.

Hoping you will give this space in your sporting news, I remain,  
Very truly yours,  
Billy St. Clair.

## WESTWIND SAILS FOR GERMANY

Bristol, April 23.—The Westward, the finest schooner yacht ever turned out from a Bristol shipyard, sailed late today for England and Germany, where she will race the most famous European yachts of her type, among them the Kaiser's Meteor IV. The Westward had aboard her owner, Alexander Cochrane, of New York.

The yacht is built of steel throughout and is believed to be one of the speediest yachts of her class ever launched here. Three weeks ago in her first and only speed trial, she sailed in a heavy wind from Bristol to Newport 11 miles, in 38 minutes.

## HAYWARDS WIN OUT FROM I.C.R.

After romping away with the first string the I. C. R. bowling team blew up and allowed that S. Hayward quieted to win the remaining point with comparative ease, on Black's ally's Saturday evening. By winning the three points the Hayward bow artists have taken another stride in the direction of the silverware, and they are beginning to take on the appearance of winners.

Arrowsmith bowled a great game for the winners, while Law also did good work. For the tritmen, Nugent did splendid execution, Nichols likewise being in good form.

The scores were:

I. C. R.	
Gillard	84
Nugent	88
Stevens	79
McManus	90
Nichols	81
422 399 419 1240	
S. Hayward Co.	
Sullivan	69
Crowmell	82
Arrowsmith	89
Bartsch	73
Law	82
395 414 437 1246	

BOUT A DRAW.  
New Orleans, April 23.—The ten round bout between Jim Keurick, heavyweight champion of England, and Patsy Brannagan, of Pittsburg, before the New Orleans A. C., tonight was declared a draw.

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### THE MERCANTILE MARINE

DAILY ALMANAC.

Sun rises today . . . . . 5:27 a. m.  
Sun sets today . . . . . 7:17 p. m.  
Sun rises tomorrow . . . . . 5:25 a. m.  
Sun sets tomorrow . . . . . 7:18 p. m.  
High water . . . . . 9:11 a. m.  
Low water . . . . . 6:18 a. m.  
High water . . . . . 12:32 p. m.  
Low water . . . . . 9:37 p. m.

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.

Arrived—Saturday.  
Schr Harry Miller, 246, Barton, Fred Ericson, A. W. Adams, bal.  
Coastwise—Schr Erie May, 67, Dixon, Riversdale, Yarmouth Packet, 76 Morrell, Yarmouth.

Cleared—Saturday.  
Str Waverley, Campe, Brow Head for orders, W. M. Mackay.  
Schr Eva C Haux, Maitland fo, to load lumber at Black Rock for New York.  
Coastwise—Schr Sea King, Copp, Alma; Acadian, Comeau, Meteghan; Yarmouth Packet, Morrell, Yarmouth; Emily R Sullivan.

Arrived—Yesterday.  
Str Victorian from Liverpool via Halifax.

Vessels Bound to St. John.  
Steamers.  
Shenandoah, London, sid, April 21st.  
Ruth Robinson, Calais, sid, April 23

Schooners.  
Lila B. Hirte, Barbados, sid April 4.

Foreign Ports.  
Cardenas, April 22.—Sailed—Str. Cumaxa, Dalton for Norfolk.  
Pensacola, April 22.—Sailed—Str. Platan, Harris for Galveston and Mediterranean.

Marine Notes.  
Allen Line str Virginian from St. John and Halifax arrived at Liverpool on Friday with pass and gen cargo.  
Str Manchester Importer arrived at Manchester on Friday last from St. John with gen cargo.  
Schr Francis Goodwin Capt Lane cleared from St. George Saturday with 12,430 bundles of wood pulp for Norfolk, Conn.  
The crew of the Elder-Dempster liner Bornu was paid off Thursday afternoon. Most of the crew will remain with the steamer on her new route, however. After discharging cargo she is going into the dry dock. She will be taken over by Bowring Bros, for the Red Cross Line on May 2. The Mummon, which takes her place, is expected to leave this port for Mexico about May 25.—Halifax Herald.

A W Hendry, of Liverpool, N.S., one of the largest ship owners in the province and the manager of many of the finest schooners calling at this port, have secured a site from the town of Lunenburg for a large shipbuilding yard. He will engage in shipbuilding in that town on an extensive scale. All the south shore shippers have all the business they can handle. It was

stated at a recent meeting of the Dartmouth ferry commission that a Shelburne shipbuilder who was a short time ago in the field for the construction of a new ferry steamer was now too busy to undertake such a contract. So busy are the Lunenburg county yards that a Riverport captain recently had a schooner built at Port Greenville—Halifax Herald.

Recent Charters.  
Br str Pontiac, 2072 tons, from St. John NB to west Britain or east Ireland with deals; private terms; May loading.  
Annapolis Royal, N. S., April 23.—Captain John W. Snow of Port Wade has purchased from W. E. Smith, of Port LaTour, N. S., the schooner Claude B. Daley. She arrived at Port Wade this week. The Claude B. Daley was built at Surette's Island, N. S., in 1904, and is forty-five feet long, fifteen feet wide, seven feet deep and registers twenty-five tons.  
Schooner Emerald, Capt. Rupert MacWhinnie, is ready to sail for the fishing grounds with a full crew. The Emerald has just come off the slip and has been thoroughly gone over.  
Schooner Defender, Captain M. G. Crooker, arrived at Digby Wednesday night, from Freeport to load cargo for St. John.  
The cost of repairs to the Nova Scotia ship, J. D. Everest, at St. Thomas, is estimated at thirty-one thousand dollars. The cargo is being transhipped by steamer.  
Schooners Bobs, Capt. Burrell, for Clementsport and Florence E. Melanson, Capt. Melanson, for Kingsport, cleared from Boston, Monday.  
Ship Acme, Capt. Park, from Philadelphia, for San Diego was spoken Jan. 31, in latitude 33, South, Longitude, 50 west.  
Schooner Onward, Capt. Johnson, with wood and piling, sailed for Boston, Thursday.  
Schooner Ianna, Captain Hicks, sailed from Yarmouth for Westport on Thursday.  
Bark Sival, Capt. Oslen, from Arendal for Weymouth, passed St. Catherine's Point, March 31st.  
Schooner Jennie A. Pickles, cleared from Liverpool for Havannah on Monday, carrying lumber shipped by The Pickles Lumber Co. Annapolis.  
Schooner Valdire, Captain Johnson, from Boston for Bear River, was at Salsen, Mass., last week.  
Ship Astral, Captain J. W. Dunham, sailed from New York for San Francisco, April 15th.  
Schooner Wilfred L. Snow, Captain Herbert Johnson, is off Digby ready to sail for the fishing grounds.  
Schooner Minn German, Captain Trahan, arrived at Barbadoes from Porto Rico, April 5th.  
Schooner Annie, Captain Donette, arrived at Boston from Salmon River, Saturday morning.  
Schooner Catherine arrived at Havannah from Meteghan, April 8th.  
Schooner Francis A. Rice arrived at Boston from Bellevue's Cove, Friday,