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BASEBALL MEETING TONIGHT

In the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening at 8 o'clock, a meeting of the representatives of local baseball clubs will be held when arrangements for the coming season will be made. All leagues and clubs are invited to send representatives to this evening's meeting.

ROTHESAY GYMNASIUM COMPETITION

The boys of the Rothesay collegiate school held their annual gymnasium competition on Saturday afternoon and J. Malcolm McAvity was the judge. There was a large crowd present and the exhibition was an excellent one. The winners were as follows:

Seniors—Andrews, 1st; Coster, 2nd. Intermediate—J. Murray, 1st; Humber, 2nd.

Junior—Starr, 1st; H. Murray, 2nd. The prizes will be awarded at the close of the term.

HAYWARD'S WON OVER M'AVITY'S

In the Commercial league on Blacks alleys Saturday night, the contest resulted in a win for the S. Hayward & Co. team, which captured three points from the team of T. McAvity & Sons, leaders in the league. The struggle between the four teams for premier position in the league is greater now than ever before but five points between them.

The score in Saturday's game was:

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LONGBOAT WILL RACE CAMERON

Hamilton, April 8.—Tom Longboat breaking into the running game after a long absence, will probably have Fred Cameron of Amherst, N. S., for his opponent. Longboat will race at Utica and from there will drop down to Boston to meet Cameron, winner of last year's Boston Marathon, about April 25th, at any distance Cameron suggests. This will be the first time these two famous Marathon runners have met. Cameron is a crack at any distance and will give Longboat a tussle for the money. If the winner of this year's Boston Marathon breaks Longboat's record of 2:24.45 for the twenty-five miles, made in 1907, Sol Mintz will send Tom over the course again for a new record.

With the right and down went Harry. It was nearly over, but the latter, by running away, managed to stick it out.

In the tenth Abe again floored his opponent. He was nearly over, but the latter, by running away, managed to stick it out.

Attell is not the only Hebrew who has broken into the ring, history through ability and gameness. Joe Choyneki, a very light man, at 160 pounds in condition, stood off the lumbering Jeffries for twenty rounds in Princeton, and Jeffries that night tipped the beam at 225.

It was a Close Battle. Choyneki looked like a baby alongside the giant, but it was one of the closest things ever decided in the West. Jeffries admitted only last year that Choyneki hit him the hardest punch he had ever received.

Joe hit Jeffries in the mouth and forced the gums in between the teeth. Billy Delaney, who was behind Jeffries, was forced to cut the gums away from the teeth with a penknife.

Kid Herman, of Chicago, is another Jewish fighter, whose ring history will not soon be forgotten. He fought King Abel four rounds in Chicago years ago with a broken jaw and made a draw of it at that.

Look at Kid Goodman of Boston. One of the toughest lightweights ever saw. He met the best boys in the world and the only time he ever was knocked off his feet was last year when he met K. O. Brown.

Joe Bernstein, the Ghetto champ, was the first boy to really hold Terry that after Abe refused to block with it, tore in like a tiger.

There stood little Attell, with nothing but his good right hand to fight with. He went through that round and took an awful grueling. Burns pounded him as he pleased and it looked as though Abe's seconds would throw up the sponge. They did try it during the minute rest, but Abe told them no.

He had gone half the distance, and would fight with one hand rather than throw up the sponge. For the next two rounds Abe did as well as he could with the right hand, but in the ninth, after holding back a few seconds, let

JEWISH SCRAPPERS AMONG THE GAMEST IN THE RING

The Irish boxers have, as a rule, had the reputation of being the gamest lot of mixers on the map, but we'll have to be shown a few things before we'll hand them all the credit.

The Jewish boxers have the reputation of disliking the grueling part of the game. Like the Germans, the fans sort of figure them as through when the tide turns against them, but there are instances, many of them, too, where the Jewish boys have proved themselves regular soldiers when under fire.

What greater exhibition of gameness would you want than that shown by Abe Attell in his battle with Frankie Burns?

In the first place the little Hebrew marvel from the West was forced to make 118 pounds ringside in order to get Burns. His natural fighting weight is 122, but weight counts little with Attell as long as he can get a man to box him.

He has fought men weighing 140 and just to show his superiority. But to get back to the biscuits. Abe made 118 ringside and entered the ring with a sore shoulder. This same left shoulder or collar bone, to be exact, was

broken only a month or so before our West with a gent by the name of Kilbane.

Attell is Game All Right. Abe went into the ring the other night at a low weight, and with a collarbone that he wasn't sure of. He went along swimmingly until the fifth round, and looked like an easy winner.

In the sixth, however, after a tough mixup, he came out of the clinch with his left arm hanging by his side. His opponent, thinking it was a pull on, refused to mingle at first, but noticing that after Abe refused to block with it, tore in like a tiger.

Two Hebrew boxers now hold titles in England. Young Josephs holds the welterweight title, while Matt Wells holds the Lonsdale belt for the lightweight honors. Freddie Welsh could do nothing with Matt.

Gus Fisher, last year with Portland, is full of blarney and has a reputation of talking many a batter out of hits, when back of the plate.

Ski-Jumpers Rival Birds



FRANCIS KEMPE JUMPING 132 FEET ON SKIS.

HOW ONE WOMAN PROPOSES TO RUN A GREAT BALL TEAM

Cleveland, April 8.—Mrs. Helen Hathaway Robinson Britton, owner of the St. Louis National Baseball Club, and the only woman baseball manager in the country, declares that baseball players ought to keep their uniforms cleaner in fact ought to have them washed and pressed once in a while.

The player who gets tobacco juice on his uniform, uses rough language or acts in an ungentlemanly way will not make a hit with Mrs. Britton. She declares that all players should run to and from their positions between innings. A clean, fast game, in clean uniforms, in a clean attractive park—that is this baseball woman's diamond creed.

"It is playing more than natural," said Mrs. Britton, "that I should have the highest tribunal in baseball matters. First of all, I am a firm believer in the national commission as the highest tribunal in baseball matters. You know there must be a head to all great enterprises, and I consider baseball one of the greatest enterprises in our country."

"While President August Herrmann, Byron Baneroff Johnson and Thomas J. Lynch have handled the intricate questions that have come before them with rare good judgment, there is no reason in the world why a committee of women could not do it as well."

Wants Clean Ball Parks.

"Some of the best business people in our country, you know, are women. I have always been a home woman—that is, I like to look after my household. I want things bright and clean. There is no reason why baseball parks should not be kept in the same spick and span condition."

"I used to travel about the country a great deal with my father, Frank DeWane Robinson, and my uncle, Stanley Robinson, first and second owners of the Cleveland club of the National league and later as owners of the St. Louis Cardinals. I always remarked that an improvement of great importance could be made in the baseball business by more cleanliness and tidiness in the parks."

"I have noticed that in later years there has been a movement towards cleaning up the parks in which baseball is played, and this, I have no doubt, has added to the attractiveness of the game. The modern steel concrete plants are far more pleasing to the eye than the wooden stands and bleachers."

"I would not only have the baseball parks cleaner, but I should endeavor to induce the players themselves to

"AD" WOLGAST WILL GET BIG BIT OF MONEY

Ad Wolgast, instead of being a poor money maker as a champion, promises to gather in the coin faster than did Battling Nelson in his best days. Start with the first Brown fight, Feb. 8, and including the Moran fight on July 4, Wolgast will have made \$54,000 in a little less than five months. He got \$6,000 for the first Brown fight, \$7,000 for the second Brown, \$4,500 or more for the Mennis battle, \$7,500 for Lagrave, \$8,000 for Hogan, \$7,500 for Burns and \$12,000 for Moran. The gold never clicked faster than that for any champion of the lightweights. Tom Jones probably is smiling broadly at the man who said he had stuck all these long months with a dead one. Wolgast is the liveliest dead one Jones ever picked up.

BASEBALL NOTES.

According to the eastern league schedule the Province team will jump from Providence to Toronto, a distance of 589 miles, three times during the season.

The Syracuse club is after Jube, the former Amherst outfielder, who is now with the New York Americans and who played last season in the eastern league.

Tuck Turner of the Cleveland team says he would quit the game if he were fined financially to live in comfort. Tuck has been troubled with a lame arm for several seasons.

Dolly Gray and Bill Otey, the two port side hurlers with the Senators, are practicing to obtain control. Gray is almost as steady as the best right handers, but Otey has some distance to travel yet.

Jiggs Donohue will not go to the Grand Rapids team the coming season contrary to reports. His brother will play ball with the Grand Rapids team but Jiggs will not.

THE Y.M.C.A. "HIKERS" TO GO IT AGAIN

In the Y. M. C. A. rooms Saturday night about 15 Gypsy hikers who last year walked from St. John to Fredericton, met and enjoyed an excellent banquet.

Wm. McIntosh, curator of the Natural History Society was a guest, with Mr. Moore, of the boys' branch. After the dinner those present adjourned to another room where Mr. McIntosh presented maps and plans of the trip from Woodstock to St. John and he gave a description of the country.

It was shown however, that there were few good chances for camping between Woodstock and Fredericton and it was decided that this year the Hikers will go to Fredericton and take two weeks making the return trip. They will go up the Oromocto to French Lake, to Kingsville, Port-Belle, Jemseg, Belleisle and will tramp over the hills and come out on the Kennebecasis.

It is expected that the tramp will take place during the second and third week in July.

During the evening E. J. Robertson showed an album containing six dozen photographs taken during last year's hike.

Those present are very enthusiastic over the proposed tramp this season and a large party is expected to attend. It will be an enjoyable outing.

BROOKLYN SOUTHPAW IS STAR PERFORMER



Rucker is Brooklyn's best left-handed pitcher. With a winning club he would shine brightly, but with a club that finished sixth he had little chance to shine last year, especially when he was frequently pitted against the best slappers on the opposing teams. Rucker has been the hero of some wonderful games, and if Brooklyn manages to finish up among the leaders he will doubtless shine brilliantly.

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STARS FOR MARATHON HOLD BACK

Boston, Mass., April 7.—Of the 23 distance runners who have sent in their entries for the Boston Athletic Association's Marathon race on April 9, most are local youngsters, who in the past have figured prominently in long races.

As in the past the runners with reputations are holding off their entries until they have a chance to find what condition they are going to be in.

Most of them, such men as Rupert L. Keith and David H. Hunter, of the Boylston A. A., of Boston; Lorne V. Hudson, of Foxboro; Herbert Clark, of Haverhill, and John F. Maher, of the County Clare A. A., of Boston, are entered for their first race.

Albert H. Ellis, of Brockton, R. F. Piggott, of Melford and Michael Donagan, of Boston, were contestants a year ago. Piggott, representing at that time the Cambridge Gym, finished 12th, while Ellis was 22nd.

Joseph O'Brien, a sturdy runner, who will wear No. 6 in the race, will represent the New Jersey A. A. and is said to be a coming long distance man.

William Royett, of the Pastime A. C. of New York will again come on to Boston to try and capture the race. Royett is the winner of one of the numerous club Marathons over around New York, and a dangerous man to back him will be a dangerous man to head.

The entries to date with their numbers are:

- 1—Albert H. Ellis, Brockton.
- 2—Rupert L. Keith, Boylston A. A., Boston.
- 3—David H. Hunter, Boylston A. A., Boston.
- 4—Lorne V. Hudson, Foxboro.
- 5—Israel Saklan, Dorchester Y. M. C. A.
- 6—Joseph O'Brien, New Jersey A. A., Jersey City.
- 7—C. G. Perrault, Malden.
- 8—A. Montevetro, Delhi, New York.
- 9—William Shannon, Pittsburg A. A., Pittsburg.
- 10—Joseph Santonasso, North End A. A., Boston.
- 11—Herbert Clark, Haverhill.
- 12—Michael Donagan, Boston.
- 13—Robert A. Stone, St. Joseph's T. A. A., Boston.
- 14—R. P. Piggott, Melford.
- 15—John Gamba, Boston.
- 16—James M. Lawson, Revereville Y. M. C. A., Revere.
- 17—John Walsh, Brookline Gym, Brookline.
- 18—Clifton Horna, Haverhill.
- 19—William Royett, Pastime A. C., New York.
- 20—Mike Thomas, Charlotetown, P. E. I.
- 21—James Henkan, North Dorchester A. A.
- 22—John F. Maher, County Clare Association, Boston.

BRANTFORD FAVORS ARBITRATION TREATY.

Brantford, April 7.—At a largely attended meeting of the Brantford municipal council the arbitration treaty proposals were heartily endorsed by resolution, the belief being expressed that such a treaty between Great Britain and the United States would find hearty support by the people of both nations and give these countries exceptional influence in leading the world towards universal peace.

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