A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORL

SIDE LIGHTS ON MANY SPORTS

TY COBB WANTED **ALL-STAR SERIES**

Says Lynch's Talk of Crookedness Shows Him To Be Well-Versed in That Art

DEMANDS AN APOLOGY

Believes President of the National Is Treading on Dangerous Ground at Present.

[By Associated Press.] Toledo, O., Nov. 7.-D. A. Fletcher, of the proposed third league, wrought up over the report that the players were not in favor of the proposed all-star series, despite the ruling of the national commission Sept. 1 against the proposed games.

Fletcher charges that the players but claims he has the evidence to fifteen yards leeway. prove that the club owners by threats of the black list and other means. even to the tieing up of the world's series receipts, disrupted the series.

To bear out his assertion that the players were in favor of this series, Fletcher intends to make public 34 letters he received from such players as Cobb, Evers, Hofman, Collins, Lajoie, Bender and others, all written between the 20th and 30th of September or 20 days after the ruling of the commission against the series. All these letters show that the players were unanimously in favor of the series and many of them severely roast the commission for its ruling.

Ty Cobb's Letter.
The first letter made public today was from Ty Cobb, of Sept. 22. It says in part:

"I have noticed several articles in papers about the national commission's ruling concerning the all-star series. I think they are treading on drome the games, and I think any man who is always looking for crooked work must be well versed in that

"The players who are selected to play in these games are all gentle-fight field. men, as players or men in any line advance to the top of their professions and be crooks, as he states, and I think it was one of the greatest insults that could be offered, and he should be forced to apologize to the players and fans, as Frenchman Will Try to Set New Mark they are interested in the players to that extent.

"I don't like oppression, and if they did not act so sneaking, I would not say this, but we have been wronged, and I don't care if all the to break the New York to Paris motor did not act so sneaking, I would not say this, but we have been

Young Erne Is After Mill With Wolgast

Philadelphia, Nov. 7.—Young Irne, who defeated Sammy Smith at the National Athletic Club here Saturday night, is out in a challenge to Ad Wolgast for the lightweight champion-ship. Erne is willing to meet Wolgast at 133 pounds, ring-

Single

or Double-

Breast

"Peerless Mel" May Have Been Beaten on the Boards, But He Is Still Good Outside.

[By Associated Press.]

New York, Nov. 8 .- Though Harry Gissing, of the New York A. C., the national indoor 600 to 1,000 yards champion, may be Mel Sheppard's superior on the boards, "Peerless Mel"

demonstrated yesterday that he is still the peer of all outdoor middle-distance runners when he defeated Gissing handily in a 500-yard race at the boxer within reaching disgames of the Olympic A. C. at Olym- tance of the featherweight pic Field yesterday. Sheppard's time title, who supports a blind of 1 minute 21-5 seconds was five title, who supports a blind seconds behind his world's record for father, a mother and two the distance.

The race was the feature of the earnings?
games, and four classy runners started Well, that's Johnny Kil-—Sheppard, Gissing, R. T. Edwards, of the New York A. C., the senior metropolitan quarter-mile champion, and gave Abe Attell 10 pounds Rube" Bell, of the Mohawk A. C., the and fought him to a standjunior metropolitan quarter-mile title still in Kansas City. Referee holder. Sheppard and Gissing started Leo Shea gave Attell the from scratch and allowed Edwards a were not only in favor of the series handicap of ten yards, while Bell had verdict, but the crowd de-

SINCE JOHNSON'S WIN lifted Attell's hand after ten

Memphis Story Says Impression Is That Battle Was a Cold-Blooded Frame-Up.

[Associated Press.]

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 7. - After exceptionally clever with more than a year, in which it is both hands and feet, and claimed several thousand dollars were with a wallop in either hand. ost trying to revive the boxing game he is insistent in demandunder laws passed by the last legislature, promoters have thrown up the tell, over a longer route. sponge, and the field is entirely abandoned, for the time being at least. Nearly a dozen clubs were chartered Nearly a dozen clubs were chartered under the new law, the moment Gov. Patterson signed the bill. All have he was wise. He boxed dangerous ground. I notice Mr. lost money, according to their claims, and they blame the Jeffries-Johnson and they blame the Jeffries-Johnson fight for lack of patronage, claiming fight for lack of patronage, claiming lost money, according to their claims, with Attell, something few that general belief in the south was but Kilbane was in and out that the Reno fight was a cold-blood- like a flash and although

ed money-making scheme, and not a This leaves New Orleans practically in sole possession of the southern long range. He appears to

IN ATTEMPT TO LOWER RECORD

in New-York-to-Paris Race.

newspapers know it. The players are record, established in 1907, will be made next spring by Roger Coloreau, an adventurous Frenchman, who is now in New York. He will use a motorcycle instead of an automobile, believing that, barring serious dent, he can lower the record of five months and eighteen days by fully a month. Colordeau is going for the sport of the undertaking, and will bear his own expenses. He will leave shortly for Paris to arrange for supply stations throughout Siberia and Russia. The itinerary will be announced be-

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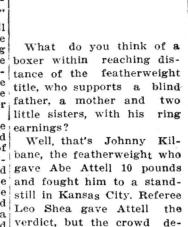
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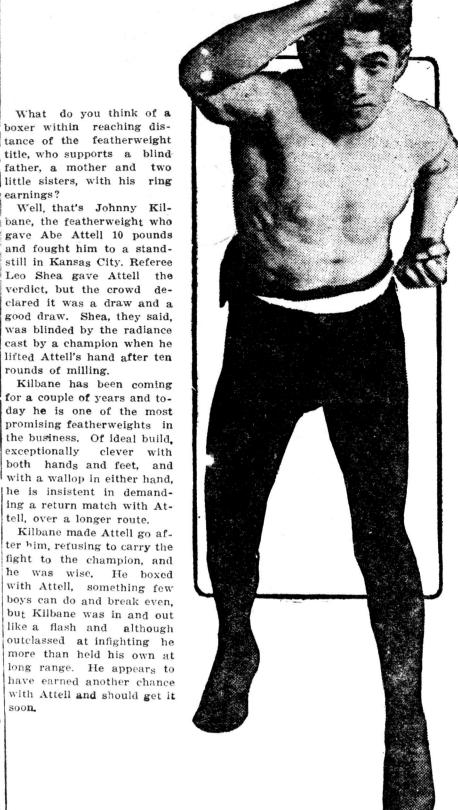
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MEL SHEPPARD OUTRUNS Classy Featherweight Boxer GISSING IN 500-YD. RACE is Good to the "Old Folks" TO HORAN'S LOZIER



rounds of milling. Kilbane has been coming for a couple of years and today he is one of the most promising featherweights in the business. Of ideal build. ing a return match with At-

Kilbane made Attell go after him, refusing to carry the boys can do and break even, outclassed at infighting he more than held his own at have earned another chance with Attell and should get it



JOHNNY KILBANE

RECLASSIFICATION **WORRIES MAGNATES**

Teams in the Little Leagues to be made is known only by President Mike Sexton Secretary J. H.
Farrell and the other officials.

Several accidents to cars marred
the sport but none of the drivers was Want to Jump a Little Higher, Tis Said.

RECENT CENSUS FIGURES

Ball Bosses Using Uncle Sam's Statistics to Back Up Their Arguments.

league other than the majors, will Washington State, Connecticut Asso- mile when the car jumped the track. centre about the reclassification of the ciation, West Virginia, Central New various circuits, according to the population statistics of the latest glean-

out this week, with the advent of the advance guard composed of magnates from the Western League. These notables are due in town next Friday night to gather round at their annual fall powwow Saturday. Just at present President Norris L. O'Neill is breezing around the big cities of the Atlantic seaboard getting down to fighting veight for the combat.

American Association Happy. Little business of any consequence is scheduled by the men behind the be made at the coming meeting of American Association, for this circuit the American League, to be held here enjoyed another era of prosperity dur- in the near future.

President Tom Chivington isn't worried over the future status of his organization. In fact, the A. A. chief is rusticating in a power boat along the noble Tennessee River, while awaiting the call to arms.

Missionaries from the Central League board of arbitration of the National Association relative to the reclassification ceremony, and to this end will stage their fall meeting here Nov. 15, the same day the lawmaking body

the same day the lawmaking body gets under way.

One of the propositions before the Central Leaguers is the ousting of Zanesville and Wheeling in favor of Springfield and Danville of the "Three I" League.

Quincy Wants to Move.

There is a strong possibility of Quincy, champions of the Central Association, advancing into faster com-

Association, advancing into faster com-pany next season. Fans of the city have set up a great hue and cry demanding the club piloted to victory last summer by Bade Myers be boosted to "Three I" Society.

Just at present the Quincy fans appear to be keen for the "Three I"

thing, while the directors say they are through with the national pastime unless they can secure a "Three franchise. Arguments in favor of the transfer will be presented at the National Association meeting, thereby furnishing the men of that organization with fresh food for contemplation.

Such a mere trifle as \$2,500, in the

have pledged this amount to support the Central Association flag winners. Task Is No Picnic. It isn't going to be any picnic, this

job of reclassifying all the leagues controlled by the National Association. How many changes are liable to be made is known only by Presi-The leagues of Class B. will probably stand as hitched, with the Northwestern, Tri-State, New York State, New England, Connecticut, "Three mon led New England, Connecticut, "Three mon led, running 76 miles an hour and I," Central and California all in line. In Class C. the association will ponder quette-Buick, Church, despite the hooover the futures of the Western As-sociation, Western Canada, Ohio-Penn- was close up. sylvania, South Atlantic, Texas and Virginia circuits.

Battles galore are expected to crop BAN JOHNSON MOVES

Will Try to Put Rule Through to Compel President to Publish Lists of Stockholders.

[Associated Press.]

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 7 .- A determined effort to kill syndicate baseball will

President Ban Johnson will strive to have a rule passed making it the duty of the president of every to make a public list of its stockholders. If the act is passed at the American League meeting an effort will be made to have the National League take hold of the matter also.

London Meets Petrolea Saturday

Toronto, Nov. 7.-Parkdale Juniors, winners of the local groups, will now meet Alerts of Hamilton in home and home semi-final games at the Alerts next Saturday, and at Parkdales

London and Petrolea, winners of the two western districts, will play home and home games next Saturday and Nov. 19. Where the first game will take place has not yet been decided. In the senior series Parkdale has defaulted.

The old, old story, told times without number, and repeated over and over again for the last 36 years, but it is always a welcome story to those in search of health-There is nothing event the association demands this in the world that cures coughs and sum to grant the transfer, will not colds as quickly as Chamberlain's FAURIA, National Cigar Store, yet Cough Remedy. Sold by all dealers. 5

GREAT RACE GOES ARGOS CLAIM M'MASTER

Winner Averages 72 Miles an Hour Throughout 250-Mile Track Grind.

BURMAN'S BUICK SECOND

affixed to R. V. Church's Simplex, and HARRY LEWIS the number was regarded as a hoodoo by drivers and spectators. When the big 13 began to swing

the first 25 miles, several other engines got balky and had to be stopped at the pits and coaxed into ac-

straightway it appeared that they were nearly all blowing tires.

scene of this smash, hidden from the grandstand to break down. Disbrow pushed his car through the same hole in the fence that No. 13 had made.

This caused the true, but misleading, report that "Disbrow had grope."

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The face, which findly downed his opponent. Nelson went to the floor three times in the first round. It worth of skins. He sold 60,000 rations the face, was counted out.

Skins for \$16.000, and eight silver for skins for \$500 each.

report that "Disbrow had gone through the fence," and for 15 minutes there was anxiety in learning the harmless manner in which Disbrow did the feat.

Burman Commences. Burman, driving a Marquette-Buick, could not shake off the tire hoo-

doo, stopping just nine times with tires ripped off. After his two most dangerous rivals, Harroun and Dawson, had quit the track with engine trouble. Burman began a mad chase after Horan whose even driving had put him ahead

With Burman in striking distance of Horan, both stopped on even terms with flat tires, but Burman's helpers for the second time during the afternoon grabbed up the wrong tire, which did not fit, and lost all his hard won gains trying to put it on. Horan meanwhile drove into a safe lead. Burman's time was one minute, six

seconds slower. Joe Matson, Simplex, was third; Ralph Beardsley, Simplex, fourth. Ralph Mulford (Simplex) fifth, tak-Burt Adams (McFarlan) vth taki Meeting Closed.

This race closed the meeting, the remainder of today's programme being called off. The race was good all the way.

good speed, and did most of the leadthe sport, but none of the drivers was At ten miles Ray Harroun's Marmon led, running 76 miles an hour and

Burman Throws Tire.

No. 13 was not to be denied its pre-Twenty-six leagues and associations rogatives, however, and Church stopare ranked in Class D, and few ped at 20 miles with the first tire Chicago, Nov. 7.—Uncle Sam's latest

Chicago, No

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Uncle Sam's latest census is going to play a leading role at the annual sitting of the National Baseball Association, scheduled for Nov. 15 in this city.

In fact, the bulk of the business to come up at this council which will attract delegates from practically every Trolley, Cotton States, S. W. Texas, running in eighth position on his 40th league other than the majors, will Southern Michigan, Eastern Callfor-nia, Central Association, Carolina Association, Kansas, Blue Grass, N. E. Arkansas, Wisconsin-Holman, M. L. N. K., Minnesota, Nebraska, Central California, Indiana-Michigan, M. L. N. K., This was the first accident of the three days' racing. Church and his will attract delegates from practically every Washington State, Connecticut Asso-mile when the car jumped the track, at the grandstand.

Thirteen got in its last deadly work while hidden behind a hill on the back stretch. Church's car plunged through the fence and smashed up badly. This was the first accident of the three days' racing. Church and his washington State, Connecticut Asso-mile when the car jumped the track. At 50 miles Harroun led his neares

rival, team-mate Dawson, by 21/2 miles Burman stopped twice, by tire troub was four miles behind Harroun. The AGAINST SYNDICATES was four fines being Harroon. The time for 50 miles: 39 minutes 32.50 seconds. Both the Pope-Hartfords, with Basle and Disbrow, were out of the race on account of engine trouble. Eighty Miles an Hour.

At 100 miles Ray Harroun was leading Dawson, his nearest competitor by about three miles, with both men going at an 80-mile gait. Harroun's time for the 100 miles was 1 hour 20 minutes and 10.65 seconds.

W. J. Stoddart's Fiat's steering gear broke on one of the turns and he went through the fence but was unhurt Stoddard is a prominent Atlanta businessman.

Harroun lost his lead during a tire change, and Dawson went into first place, leading at the 150th mile. Just after the 150 miles, Burman, who had suffered more tire trouble, regained third place from Joe Horan. Time for 150 miles: 2 hours 17 minutes 9% seconds.

Burman Takes Lead. At 175 miles Burman's wild driving, assisted by engine trouble on both the Marmons, gave him first place but a tire tore to pieces, and put him in second with Joe Horan's Lozier leading. At 200 miles Horan led with Burmar

three miles behind. Harroun and Dawson, with engine trouble, were then 10 miles back. Joe Matson's Simplex was third, four miles behind the leader Horan's time: 2 hours 45 minutes 1.05 seconds. Dawson quite the race on account of engine trouble. Harding's Stoddard-Dayton also dropped out. Ninety-Five Miles an Hour.

Burman, running fully 95 miles an hour on the straightaways, and averaging 80, including turns, cut Horan's lead to less than two miles at the 225mile mark. Ten miles from the finish Horan still

led Burman by a little over two miles with the latter gaining constantly Harroun had dropped out with engine

ROBBED THEM OF GAME

Formal Protest Drawn Up at Executive Meeting at Toronto Last Night.

[G. N. W. Dispatch.]

"Wild Bob" Tears Off Tires Running
95 Miles an Hour, But Gets into
Money.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 7.—Joe Horan, going steadily at 72 miles an hour in a Lozier car, today won the 250-mile speedway grand prize, together with \$3,000 in cash.

No. 13, in letters two feet high, was affixed to R. V. Church's Simplex, and affixed to R. V. Church's Simplex, and affixed to R. V. Church's Simplex, and approach in the Ottawa hockey club to make storm of the Interprovential to T. D. Finn, secretary of the Interprovential Union.

At an executive meeting tonight a formal protest was drawn up and forwarded to T. D. Finn, secretary of the Interprovential Union.

The protest is based on what the Argost claim were two very bad decisions by Referee McMaster, the fact that the last touchdown, paying that amount for any one man. Tom Phillips got \$1,800 for holding down left wing for the red, white and black three seasons ago, but the highest salary paid last year was handed over to Bruce Stewart, who succeeded in extracting \$1,500 from the Ottawa hockey club to make such an offer to Johnston. If anyone did so, Johnston will find himself the victim. The Ottawa club has never thought of paying that amount for any one man. Tom Phillips got \$1,800 for holding down left wing for the red, white and black three seasons ago, but the highest salary paid last year was handed over to Bruce Stewart, who succeeded in extracting \$1,500 from the Ottawa hockey club to make such an offer to Johnston. If anyone did so, Johnston will find himself the victim. The Ottawa hockey club to make to T. D. Finn, secretary of the Interprovence to the such an offer to Johnston. If anyone did to T. D. Finn, secretary of the Interprovence to the such an offer to Johnston. If anyone did to T. D. Finn, secretary of the Interprovence to T. D. F

SCORES KNOCKOUT but Will likely of economical basis.

round the track with the leaders in Beat Fighting Dick Nelson in a Bout at Schenectady, N. Y.

[Associated Press.]

Schenectady, N. Y., Nov. 7.-In a fight Ralph Mulford's Lozier sheared a claimed to be for the welterweight champin on its cam rod, the delay put- pionship of the world, Harry Lewis, of ting it beyond the reach of the \$3,- New York, knocked out "Fighting Dick" Then No. 13 blew a tire, and Nelson here tonight in the second round Hudson's Bay Company in this city, straightway it appeared that they were nearly all blowing tires.

Thirteen Again.

Finally after No. 13 had jumped the track on its fortieth mile, Louis Disbrow's Pope Hartford chose the Disbrow's Pope Hartford chose the Company in this city, and representative of Cassiar district in the Provincial Legislature, has been Nelson, and was the master of the fight at every stage. The first round opened the Hudson's Bay Company with jurfast and then Lewis landed the first of isdiction over all Western Canada.

FAMOUS DOG DIES.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 8.-Greystone Blue Charm, a collie dog for which the owner, W. H. McDermott, a few days ago refused \$1,000, the winner of the international ribbon at Cincinnati recently, and one of the world's most valuable dogs, died here last night. The dog was imported from England, and, although but 3 years old, had won 152 blue ribbons in this country and in England

CAN'T AFFORD BIG **HOCKEY SALARIES**

Ottawa, Renfrew, and Eastern Clubs Will Go on a More Economical Basis This Coming Winter.

Ottawa, Oct. 7.-Mr. L. N. Bate, vicepresident of the Ottawas, gave a denial Toronto, Nov. 7.—The Argos are not go- today to the yarn emanating from Monig to sit back and see the big four championships taken away from them by reason of their defeat at Ottawa on Saturday

—not if they can prevent it.

At an executive meeting tonight a for-

after last year's experience.

Renfrew is out after a team already, but will likely operate one on a more

IRISH LEAGUE GAMES.

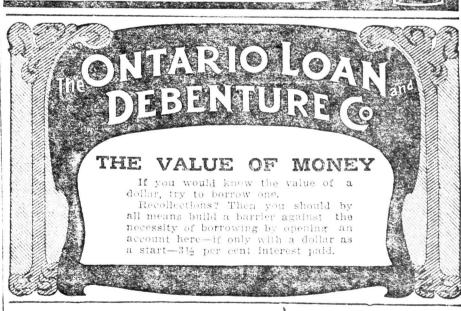
sults of Saturday's games in the Irish League: Bohemians 9, Glentoran 1. Belfast Celtic 3, Cliftonville 9. Linfield 6, Shelbourne 1.

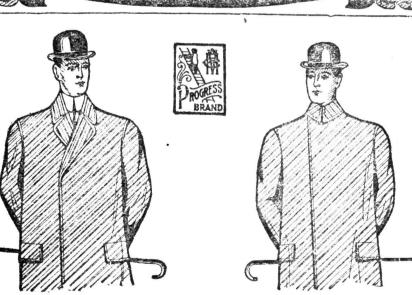
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