

## Bowling Basket Ball The Turf

# SPORTS

## Baseball The Ring Aquatics

### Wolgast Fights In Two Classes



YOUNG DOUGHERTY AND AD. WOLGAST.

After Wolgast gets through with Johnny Mario at Pittsburg, the light-weight champion's next opponent will be Phil Brock, if a suitable purse is offered. Brock has challenged Wolgast for the title and offers to bet \$5,000 on himself in case a purse is offered them.

Brock's recent victory over fighting Dick Island brought him into the limelight more prominently perhaps than his fights of the past, although he has an exceptionally fine record.

even if he was outpaced by Freddy Welch. In this photograph Wolgast is seen boxing with his sparring partner, Young Dougherty. A peculiar thing about the light-weight champion is that he has never had a sore foot and featherweight limits. When his challenge was accepted by Battling Nelson, Wolgast had challenged Ad. Attol to meet him for the title. The latter has worn so long, but it is not at all probable he will meet feathers again, not at present, anyhow.

### WITH AUTO SPEEDERS

100,000 Automobiles Now Owned in State of New York -- Farming Communities Represented.

With the arrival at Wichita, Kan., yesterday of the Chalmers car, official pathfinder for the Glidden tour, less than one thousand miles of the route remains to be mapped. Today the car will start for Kansas City. It is now announced that the tour will cover a route of more than 2,800 miles.

Entries for the first twenty-four hour race of the season at Brighton Beach, May 13 and 14 closed yesterday. Twelve cars have been named as follows:—Two Buicks, two Stearns, a Rainier, Fiat, Selden, Hough-Rockwell, Marlow, Simplex, Cole & Croton-Keeton. The drivers nominated include Robertson, De Palma, Strang and many other experts.

No better indication of the growing popularity of the automobile and prosperous condition of the Empire State could be asked than the vast number of automobiles which are being purchased, as indicated by the flood of applications for licenses pouring into the office of Samuel S. Koenig, Secretary of State. The interesting feature of it is that they come from the farming regions of Northern and Western New York as well as from New York and the smaller cities. Mr. Koenig estimates that the weekly investment in automobiles in the State during the last few weeks has been at least \$2,000,000.

There are at present more than 100,000 automobiles in the State and the number is increasing almost magically. License No. 100,000 was issued today to Magistrate Peter T. Barlow, of New York. The next one on the list was granted to Lieutenant Governor Horace White.

"Certainly New York must be extremely prosperous," said Secretary Koenig, "and people are deciding to enjoy themselves. The average daily number of applications for licenses is about two hundred and fifty, and this number is increasing. Of course, an increase at this time of year is natural, but there never has been anything like the present upward climb."

"Not only is the millionaire buying automobiles, but also the poor man is investing a little of his savings in the horseless carriage. The records in my office show that the poor man's car is being sold in all parts of the State and in many of the country districts. I have noted a big increase in the number of machines whose owners live in the upper section of the Adirondacks, notably in Clinton, Warren and Essex counties, showing that

### SPORT HERE AND THERE

Second Instalment of Forfeit Money Paid in Showing Gold Pieces--Amherst Ramblers Plan Big Meet.

Abbie Wood, the Montreal distance runner and winner of the Montreal Herald's Round-the-Mountain race in 1907 will compete in the twenty mile Canadian Derby for professional runners at Toronto on Saturday next. Most of the cracks who have been running in the long distance races in the United States lately will compete.

The Ramblers announce Victoria Day sports to be held at Amherst on May 24th, with the sanction of the M. A. A. A. All athletes competing must be registered and number sent with the entry. Entries close May 20th. A fee of 25 cents being charged. A. H. Lamy is secretary. The list of events follows: 100 yard dash (open); 100 yard dash (16 years and under); 220 yard dash (open); 220 yard dash (18 years and under); 440 yard dash (open); one-half mile run (open); one mile run (open); five mile run (open); running broad jump; running high jump; pole vault.

Owing to the great variety of the shades which have hitherto been used in the wearing of the Harvard College color, the corporation has decided that a single official crimson is necessary, and has authorized it for all faculty purposes. It is of the color of arterial blood, being more purple and much richer than the shade now in use. As soon as enough handkerchiefs of the exact color have been dyed they will be distributed and displayed. Thereafter all material used in flags, sweaters, or other athletic insignia must conform as nearly as possible to the new official crimson.

On Tuesday "Tex" Rickard and "Jack" Gleason, heaped \$30,000 in \$25 gold pieces in the counter of the Metropolitan bank, at San Francisco as the second instalment of the forfeit for the Jeffries-Johnson fight. Whether it was merely a whim of the promoters or a well planned advertising scheme is a question but at any rate, the gold was heaped in a glittering pile at the receiving window, while Rickard, Gleason, "Jack" Johnson and others gazed about it to pose for a picture. Johnson's "golden smile" flashed across the stack of coin from his post behind the window rivalled the heap in brilliancy.

The rich farmers are being won over to the automobile. "New York State today has more owners of automobiles than any other State in the Union, and more than in all New England put together. The industry is one of the greatest in the United States and is constantly increasing."

### IN ST. JOHN ON WORLD TOUR NOW COMPLETE

Montreal Walker Has Met With Trying Experience Since Visit to this City--Existed on 6d per Day.

When it comes to long trips, Edward Payen Weston is not the only pebble on the beach. Many moons ago there passed through St. John Joseph Lebreque of Montreal, who for a wager is making a 6,000 mile tramp around the world, which has already occupied three years, three months and ten days, and he now on the tramp in England. Throughout the tour he has covered thirty miles a day on an average and according to the conditions of his wager he is due back in Montreal on the first of June next. From Hull he proceeds to Manchester and then to Liverpool, where he expects to meet his mother and sail back on May 14th on the White Star liner Megantic to Montreal to claim his reward.

Since leaving St. John Lebreque has been in many climes and met with varied adventures.

A Trying Time. During his tour through the Midlands, Lebreque, who is only 29 years of age, appears to have experienced a trying time. Landing at Southampton on March 28th, he walked to London, where he was given his 72nd pair of boots by the proprietor of a leading evening newspaper. He then walked through Barnet, Luton, Bedford, Northampton, Market Harborough, Leicester, Loughborough, Nottingham, Newark, Lincoln, Market Rasen, and Grimsby to Hull. When on the country road near Loughborough the young Canadian said two men attacked him and deprived him of his only sixpence. He was unable to defend himself and had to walk a further distance of sixty miles before he was given another "small" contribution for food.

Stabbed by a German. In Brazil he was also attacked by a German because he refused to disarm. He was stabbed with a knife in the right arm, but the wound was fortunately not serious. The German, however, was nevertheless punished for the outrageous assault. "From the very first day I set out," said Lebreque, "I have never had a sore foot or a day's illness. I am already six months ahead of Welsh and ought to win the \$500."

Gift From Pope. While in Rome Lebreque received from the pope a gold tag, and a piece of the cross of the crucifixion. It is of triangular shape, and is supposed to contain a portion of the cross of the crucifixion. After visiting Cherbourg, Lebreque proceeded to Germany, where he was refused admission, the authorities believing he was a spy. In other parts of the country he has been well received. For the past three months he has been living on fruit and vegetables. The conditions of the wages for which Lebreque is making the tramp are that Lebreque and his companion were to exist on 6d per day. They were not to beg, nor ask any one for tobacco or matches, neither were they to carry a knife and fork. The only contributions they could receive were those given to them without asking. This is certainly a hazardous task, but Lebreque has now overcome the worst, although he has lost a considerable amount of weight since he first set out.

### REVIVAL AS FIGHT GOES ON

New York Minister Plans to Have Procession of 10,000 Church Members Past the Ringside.

New York, May 5.—Under the leadership of Rev. Dr. John Wesley Hill of the Metropolitan Temple, a large evangelical campaign has been planned as a protest against the Jeffries-Johnson fight on July 4.

An effort is to be made to enlist the co-operation of a number of religious organizations in a demonstration on the same lines as the procession led through Chicago's Tremont by Gypsy Smith.

The present plans are for a procession of 10,000 while will pass through the camp of the fight, with singing hymns and gathering recruits for gospel revival meetings and prayers during Sunday July 3 and the day of the fight.

Ben Leonard, Cal., May 5.—Joe Choynski had his first try out with J. J. Jeffries today, and at the close of the three round bout, he said that while he was in excellent shape him-

### New Boat Club In Marble Cove

New Aquatic Organization Got Away to Good Start at Big Meeting Last Evening--Committee Empowered to Lease Site for Club House--Neptunes Offer Equipment.

The second meeting of the St. John Boat Club was held in Temple Hall, Main street, last evening. There was a large attendance of motor boat and yacht owners as well as several gentlemen interested in aquatic sport.

Commodore S. P. Gerow presided. Judging from the large number present it is apparent that a great many people interested in rowing and water sports were only awaiting the formation of the club. The committee appointed to select a proper boat site reported that the Marble Cove site at the foot of Cedar street can be leased for five years at \$25 a year. The committee was empowered to conclude the negotiations for the leasing of the site. It is proposed to build a large new boat house of two stories to be about 2000 feet in diameter. A club house will also be erected, and although the exact spot where it will be located has not yet been decided upon, it is proposed that it shall be built near the foot of the hill, projecting over the water so that canoes can be given space under it. The boat house will be two stories high, and nothing will be left undone to make it up-to-date in every respect. It is hoped that the building will be complete and all ready for use by July 1st.

A constitution and by-laws for the club which was prepared by a com-

mittee was unanimously adopted last evening. A communication was read by the secretary from the trustees of the Neptune Rowing Club offering the Neptune boat house containing boats and other equipment valued at \$1300 for the sum of \$300. A committee was appointed to look into the offer and report at the next meeting of the club. The report of the other members of the executive showed that the membership of the club was increasing by leaps and bounds. Already there is a membership of more than 200. Commodore S. P. Gerow said that already several letters had been received by the club from persons in Montreal and Toronto, who formerly belonged here, offering to put up prizes should races be arranged. The club proposes holding its first regatta on Saturday afternoon of June 18th and no effort will be spared to make the affair the most successful of its kind held here in many years. On July 31st a motor boat cruise will be held up river. The motor boat race to be held on the occasion of the regatta is already exciting a great deal of interest and it is said that practically every motor boat in the North End will be entered. The club will meet again next Thursday evening.

### YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL GAMES

Brooklyn, May 5.—Although outbatted, Boston took the opening game of the series here today, 1 to 0. Mattie kept the hits well scattered and was favored by excellent support at all points. A remarkable one-handed catch by Sweeney, which he turned into a double play, saved the game in the sixth. Barger was equally effective except in the fifth. The score: Boston . . . . . 000010000—1 6 0 Brooklyn . . . . . 000000000—0 6 0  
At Pittsburgh: Pittsburgh . . . . . 000000000—0 2 2 Chicago . . . . . 001000001—2 5 0  
At New York: Philadelphia . . . . . 020000001—9 16 9 New York . . . . . 000000003—3 4 3  
At Detroit: Detroit . . . . . 020000000—10 9 1 Batteries—Walker and Street; Morgan and Livingston. Time—1:42. Umpires—Connolly and Dineen.  
Detroit . . . . . 000000000—5 8 3 Chicago . . . . . 003000000—3 8 2  
Batteries—Browning, Summers and Stange; Scott, Young and Wilson. Time 1:50. Umpires—Perrine and O'Loughlin.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.  
Cleveland, O., May 5.—Score: Cleveland . . . . . 000001001—2 6 0 St. Louis . . . . . 000000010—1 3 0  
Batteries—Clegg and Clarke; Gilligan, Powell and Killifer. Time—1:54. Umpires—Koyne and Sheridan.  
Philadelphia, May 5.—Score: Philadelphia . . . . . 000000100—1 4 5 Philadelphia . . . . . 020000200—10 9 1 Batteries—Walker and Street; Morgan and Livingston. Time—1:42. Umpires—Connolly and Dineen.  
Detroit . . . . . 000000000—5 8 3 Chicago . . . . . 003000000—3 8 2  
Batteries—Browning, Summers and Stange; Scott, Young and Wilson. Time 1:50. Umpires—Perrine and O'Loughlin.

EASTERN LEAGUE.  
At Baltimore—Rochester, 12; Baltimore, 9.  
At Newark—Buffalo, 2; Newark, 1.  
At Jersey City—Toronto, 5; Jersey City, 4.

TUFTS, 4; BOWDOIN, 3.  
Medford, Mass., May 5.—Tufts defeated Bowdoin 4 to 3 today, by extending the game to 10 innings. Dickson, with two out and two men on bases, who had been passed, knocked a lift to right field in the last inning and won for Tufts. Both teams fielded well. Atwood was knocked out of the box in the 6th inning. The score by innings:  
Tufts . . . . . 3000000001—4 4 2 Bowdoin . . . . . 000102000—3 3 2  
Batteries—Atwood, Martin and Larkins; Means and Wilson. Umpire—Henry. Time—2 hours.

Jeffries gave Choynski, who has assumed charge of the boxing end of the training camp every chance to make a good showing in the opening exercises, and while Joe displayed much of his old time cleverness, Jeffries was much the faster and showed it by knocking out Choynski in the first round. Choynski and Panke were taken on for the first time. Jeffries has always been averse to the prying eyes of strangers on such occasions.  
Panke donned the gloves first, Jeffries being as gentle with the middle weight as possible.

### GOT PRIZES ALL 'ROUND AT BLACKS

It was a right happy crowd of pin artists that assembled in Black's bowling alley last evening, the occasion being the last monthly meeting for the season of the St. John Bowling Club. The four winners in the roll were:  
H. Black . . . . . 96 117—213 J. Hurley . . . . . 114 90—204 H. C. Olive . . . . . 107 91—198 M. Law . . . . . 104 94—198 M. Law and H. C. Olive tied for 3rd place.  
All those taking part, however, were presented with prizes. "Tommy" Wilson was the recipient of a very appropriate gift he being presented with two rolls of cotton batting. Mr. Isaac Day was presented with a well filled purse by those present in recognition of his efficient service in the capacity of official league referee during the season. Several speeches were made and refreshments served during the evening.

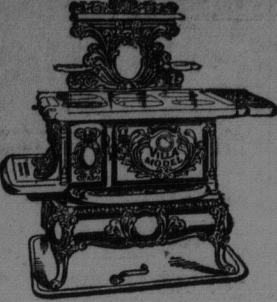
The fans should witness some tall scoring this evening when in the two men league series. Olive and Gregory will clash with Wilson and Black.

### HORSMAN HOME FROM AMHERST

J. F. Horsman of the Y. M. C. A. Harriers, who ran in the ten mile race at Amherst, returned to the city yesterday. The St. John runner feels that he did exceedingly well, and is much pleased over the fact that he secured in lowering his previous records. His time for the ten miles was 56 minutes and 34 seconds.  
Horsman did his first ten mile race, and each time he had succeeded in reducing his time. Horsman boys had given him a great reception, and that he hoped to run there again on some other occasion. He stated the report in an evening paper that the course was not ten miles was measured and the distance was shown to be ten miles.

### JOHNSON IS TAKING THINGS EASY

San Francisco, Cal., May 5.—Jack Johnson is at leisure. Since he has been in San Francisco he has divided his time between spells of business and pleasure, mostly pleasure. He objects to mention of any sort of work and objects to any disturbance of his tranquil existence. His egotism is ready for him but he passes it by without even peeping in, finding more benefit in the sun-drenched windswept beach.  
All that he cares for by way of diversion from his simple life is his automobile. When he is not sleeping or walking he is at the steering wheel of his touring car.  
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### The Mercantile Marine

DAILY ALMANAC.  
Sun rises today . . . . . 5:31 a. m.  
Sun sets today . . . . . 7:30 p. m.  
Sun rises tomorrow . . . . . 5:19 a. m.  
Sun sets tomorrow . . . . . 7:21 p. m.  
High water . . . . . 9:10 a. m.  
Low water . . . . . 2:33 a. m.  
High water . . . . . 9:40 p. m.  
Low water . . . . . 3:19 p. m.  
PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.  
Arrived.  
Coastwise—Stmr. Connors Bros. 49. Warnock, Chance Harbor; schrs. Maitland, 44, Dexter, Hillsboro; Annie Blanche, 68, Smith, Apple River, cleared.  
Coastwise—Stmr. Connors Bros. Warnock, Chance Harbor; schrs. Francis, 68, Gesner, Bridgetown; R. P. S. 74, Baird, Wolfville; Maudie, 25, Bearsville, Port Lorne.  
Vessels Bound to St. John.  
Steamers.  
Indrani, Glasgow, sld April 30. Shenandoah, Halifax, May 3. Ocasio, Bermuda, May 2. Terschelling, chartered.  
Briantline.  
Marconi, Barbados, sld April 12. Schooners.  
George Pearl, New York, April 25. Charles Lulling, New York, May 1. Yokuto, Bermuda, May 1. Harry Lewis, New York and Malakias, May 3.  
King Joseph, New Haven, sld April 27.  
Romeo, Salem, sld April 28. Queta, New York via Portland, sld May 1.  
Vessels to Port.  
Steamers.  
Trebia, 2343, Wm Thomson and Co. Pontiac, 2072, J. H. Scamell and Co.  
Oquirrhing, 1638, Wm Thomson and Co.  
Schooners.  
Arthur M. Gibson, 298, J. W. Smith. Jessie Lena, 279, R. C. Elkin. Vera B. Roberts, 124, J. W. Smith. Earl Grey, 379, J. A. Smith. Lucia Porter, 225, Peter McIntyre. W. H. Waters, 93, Master. Cayola, 123, J. W. Smith. John Beckman, 359, J. Splane and Co.  
Lilla B. Hirtle, 69, J. W. Smith. W. Cooper, 150, A. W. Adams. Wanda, 272, J. W. Smith. Elma, 299, A. W. Adams. Priscilla, 101, A. W. Adams. Preference, 242, Gale, Masters.  
Canadian Ports.  
Windsor—Arrived, April 29. Schr. Ruth Robinson, Whelpie, Calais; May 2. Schr. Mary E. Pinnell, Faye, Mill bridge.  
Tusket—Arrived, May 2. Bark Urania, Rosario to load lumber for River Plate.  
British Ports.  
Mersey—May 5, sld, Stmr. Manchester Commerce, St. John. Liverpool, May 4—Sailed, str. Cornishman, Montreal.  
Queensdown, May 5—Sailed str. Oceanic, New York.  
Lizard, May 5—Passed str. Ulunda, St. Johns, N.F. for London.  
Gibraltar, May 1—Sailed, str. Alala (from Genoa) for Halifax.  
Bristol, May 5—Arr: Str. Monmouth from St. John, N. B. Liverpool, May 5—Sld: Str. Tunisian for Montreal.  
Foreign Ports.  
New York, May 5, Sld: Sch. Mersey for Halifax.  
Portland, Me., May 5—Sld: Sch. Rising Billow for Yarmouth, N. S. Philadelphia, Arl: 42THUTHTHTH Delaware Breakwater, May 5. Passed out: Str. Silgastad from Philadelphia for Sydney, C.B.; C. B. Trym do for Pictou, N. S.  
City Island, N.Y., May 5—Bound that Monday had been chosen for beginning the conditioning season. Johnson will be put on a routine schedule and from then until the day of the fight he will be carefully watched and handled by his trainers.

### JULY 29-30 RACE DATES FOR CHATHAM

Frederickton, May 5.—His Honor Lt. Governor, who arrived here last evening from Chatham, made the official announcement that it had been decided to hold a midsummer race meeting on the Chatham track this summer, and the date was awarded at the Maritime Circuit meeting, July 29th and 30th, would be adhered to.

His Honor also stated that a programme of races would not be made up until next Tuesday evening when the race committee of the association at Chatham will meet.

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