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THE PIRATES WALK PLANK

Runners Up in City Bowling League Taken Into Camp by Newmans--I. L. B. and McAvitys Victors.

The Pirates walked the plank in the City League last evening on Black's alleys, the Newmans attending to the details. The league leaders rolled in real championship form while the buccaneers broadsides were ineffective. Only in the second string when the Newmans got erratic did they have the least chance, but the best they could manage to do was to lead by eight pins. Their opponents came back stronger than ever in the third and rolled rings around them. "Chip" Olive was responsible for the downfall of no less than 283 sticks for his team, which was the best of the evening, with Williams only two behind. Crowley was the star for the Pirates with an average of 94 1-3. The scores were:

Pirates.

Griffith	87	79	83	244—83
Phinney	80	79	87	246—82
McDonald	64	96	84	244—81 1-3
Cronin	76	92	89	257—85 2-3
Crowley	102	84	97	283—94 1-3
	409	430	440	1279

Newmans.

Olive	84	96	103	283—94 1-3
Williams	92	85	104	281—93 2-3
M. Hurley	82	80	113	275—91 2-3
Dean	100	71	65	236—78 2-3
Jones	74	90	91	255—85
	432	422	476	1330

I. L. and B. Victors.

The A. O. H. again licked the dust in the society league series on St. Peter's alleys, last evening. I. L. and B. was the hoodoo taking all four points from the Gaels, although they did not have to roll a stellar game to accomplish the stunt. The Hibernians rolled a decidedly amateurish game, falling short of the 1200 mark. Donnelly was the big noise for the winners with an average of 86 1-3 while Flaherty distinguished and surprised himself by rolling an average of 95 for the losers. Sweeney for the Irishmen, is also deserving of mention having 80 to his credit.

The scores were:

A. O. H.

McDermott	82	72	76	230—76 2-3
Daley	76	68	72	226—75 1-3
Flaherty	105	90	90	285—95
Sweeney	78	84	78	240—80
Dunn	71	78	76	225—75
	412	392	292	1196

I. L. and B.

Daley	74	76	67	217—72 1-3
Donnelly	78	85	91	259—86 1-3
Doherty	77	80	86	243—81
McGivern	93	85	76	254—84 2-3
Harris	100	68	72	245—81 2-3
	423	394	397	1214

McAvity's Win.

In the Commercial League T. McAvity's team won a three point victory from Brock and Patterson's. Each team rolled a good steady game. Warren was high man for the hardware quintette with an average of 85, while Ryan starred for the dry goods men with 86 1-3. The scores were:

Brock and Patterson.

McMichael	74	95	83	252—84
Gale	84	84	66	234—78
Patterson	72	87	93	252—84
Ryan	76	79	72	227—75 2-3
Ryan	94	81	94	259—86 1-3
	390	426	408	1224

T. McAvity.

Foohy	77	99	79	255—85
Warren	92	83	93	268—89 1-3
Everett	78	75	85	238—79 1-3
O'Brien	67	69	101	237—79
Howard	78	80	90	248—82 2-3
	392	406	448	1246

SAYS FRISCO WILL GET BIG FIGHT

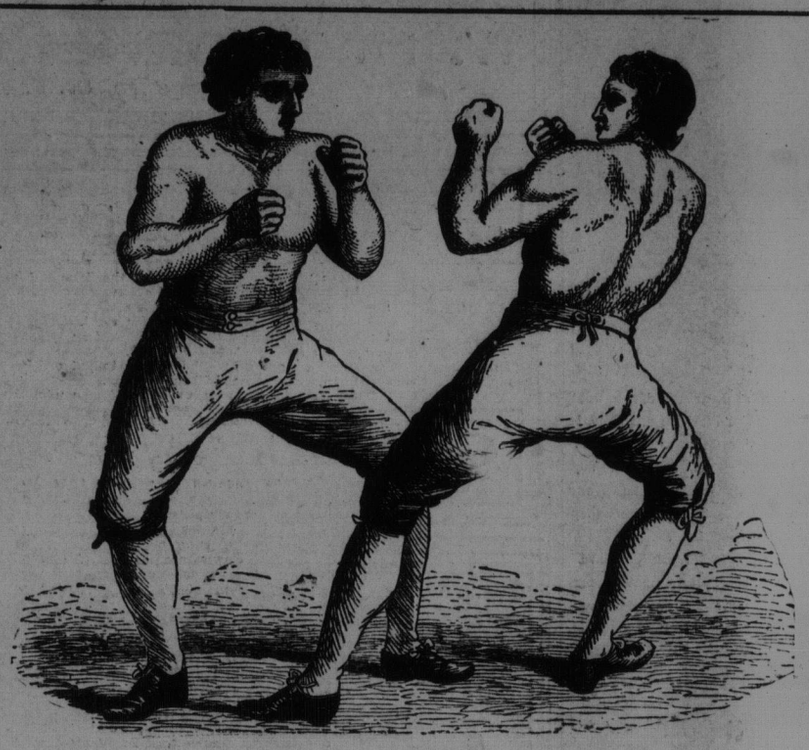
San Francisco, Cal., March 8.—After weeks of negotiation between the joint promoters, it was definitely announced tonight by Tex Rickard and Jack Gleason, that the Jeffries and Johnson fight on July 4th would be held in an arena within the race track enclosure of the California Jockey Club at Emeryville, Alameda County, just across the bay from San Francisco.

LAST NIGHT'S RING RESULTS AT BOSTON

Boston, Mass., March 8.—Boston boys took three of the four bouts at the Armory A. A. tonight. Jim Flynn, of Boston, boxed Morris Harris, of Philadelphia, eight rounds to a decision, while Honey Mellody, of Boston, got a decision from Unk Russell, of Philadelphia. Young Nixon of Cambridge, pummelled Biz Mackey of Cleveland so badly in two rounds that the latter's seconds carried him from the ring. In the final bout, Montana Jack Sullivan defeated Andrew Morris, of East Boston, in eight rounds.

THE FIGHTING GAME

Reviewed by Tip Wright from Ancient Rome to San Francisco.



MENDOZA AND HUMPHRIES.
(From an old print.)

(By Tip Wright.)

CHAPTER IV.

As Broughton brought the fighting game from mere slugging to self-defense, Dan Mendoza founded a more elegant school, in which speed and science offset brute strength.

Mendoza reigned from 1784 to 1798 fighting upward until he reached the top. Critics said he had more elegance than strength. He was five feet seven inches, compactly built and of unquestioned courage.

After his first fight Mendoza was suggested as an opponent for Richard Humphries. They met four times, each winning twice. At the height of his popularity Mendoza toured meeting all comers.

Mendoza died in 1836 aged 73, No. man of his day rivaled him in combining the theory and practice of boxing and if for no other reason he created an epoch. When Mendoza and Humphries fought at Doncaster, hundreds of Yorkshiremen broke down a fence to see the fight gratis, so great was the interest in the men.

No English pugilistic hero was more renowned than Jem Belcher. He was champion from 1800 when he defeated Gamble of Ireland, until defeated by the "Game Chicken" Hen Pearce. Pearce was Belcher's protege. For reasons known best to himself, Jem, who had retired, fought Pearce, and met defeat.

A remarkable fighter was Sam Elias (Dutch Sam) who fought from 1801 to 1814. Sam stripped like a small Fitzsimmons. His hands seemed made of iron, and his great shoulders and arms were feared by men pounds heavier.

Tom Cribb, champion early in the 19th century, was termed a "slow fighter but a sure hitter." Cribb defeated Belcher when that veteran was going back, by a narrow margin. Later he won two furious fights from Molineux the negro.

Molineux was born in Virginia and fought in England against the best, being defeated only by Cribb.

With Tom Spring came a new era in boxing. Spring fought to the champion ship, taking the best men he could get until, after beating Carter, he posted an open challenge for three months, without takers.

When Spring and Langan fought at Worcester, Jan. 7, 1824, 30,000 men were present. The ring was pitched on the race track, which was covered with water but despite the conditions, the crowd remained through two hours and 29 minutes of fighting. Spring beat every man he met and retired.

Note—In the 5th article Tip Wright will tell about those old English champions Bendigo, Tom Sayers, John C. Heenan and Jem Mace and bring the fighting game down to the days of Paddy Ryan.

TWO FAST GAMES OF BASKETBALL

There were two fast exhibitions of basketball in the Exmouth Y. M. A. hall, last evening. The Exmouth street first team defeated the Moncton Iroquois by the score of 31-16 while the Aberdeen High School of the latter city, took the Exmouth intermediates into camp with the close score of 23-21. The hall was completely filled and many were unable to gain admission.

The first game was called at eight o'clock sharp by Referee Geo. Emery. The railway town boys started out with a fast clip and soon convinced the crowd that they were familiar with the fine points of the game. They were somewhat lighter than their opponents and were somewhat hampered by being unfamiliar with the gymnasium, yet managed at times to outplay the locals. They were up against a little hard luck however, and many of their shots went wide. At half time the score stood, Exmouths 13, Moncton 8.

The second half was even faster than the first, the players putting up a scientific exhibition. The visitors appeared to slow up quite a little, however towards the close of the second half and the final count was 31-16.

The teams lined up as follows:

Moncton		Exmouths
	Forwards.	
Teed		Hipwell
Sears		Wilson
	Centre.	
Cochrane		Gearson
	Defence.	
Ripley		Alexander
Harvey		Lawton

Goals for Exmouth street shot by Wilson 5 field, Hipwell 5 field, 1 penalty Grearson 4 field, 1 penalty, Anexander 1 penalty.

For Moncton, Sears 1 field goal 3 penalties, Teed 2 field, Cochrane 2 field 2 penalties, Ripley 1 penalty.

Aberdeen Wins.

Aberdeen High School and the Exmouth street Intermediate then took the floor and a battle royal ensued. The visitors showed more speed, and perhaps a shade better team work than the locals and to this may be attributed their win. Not until the last moment, and until the last basket had been shot, could the game be forecasted. It was a see-saw match right through, and when the final curtain went down on the struggle, the count stood Moncton 23; Exmouth 21. The lineups were:—

A. H. S.		Exmouth Intermediate
	Forwards.	
Means		Brown
McDonald		Hastings
	Centre.	
Barss		Cribbs
	Defence.	
Trites		Wright
Armstrong		Wetmore

JEFFRIES TO TRAIN IN MOUNTAINS

Los Angeles, March 8.—Jeffries will train for his fight with Johnson at a resort in the mountains near Santa Cruz where a camp will be established on April 1. This announcement was made last night by Sam Berger soon after his arrival here for a conference with the fighter.

Jeffries will leave here tomorrow for a ten days' hunting trip in the Tehaohipi Mountains. After today he will do no more regular training until he goes into camp. Yesterday he did eight miles of road work, running three miles at full speed without apparent effort.

Berger says that Corbett and Gotch will join Jeffries at the Santa Cruz camp on June 1. Until then he will be assisted by Roger Cornell of San Francisco and Armstrong and Burns the wrestler. Until about May he will not do any heavy work.

AMHERST AND HIGH SCHOOL PLAY TONIGHT

Amherst High School will play a return match with Rothesay college in the Queens rink this evening. The game will start at 8 o'clock sharp. A fast match should result as each team is exceptionally fast for its class. They will line up as follows:

Rothesay.		Amherst.
	Goal.	
Kenneth		Martin
	Point.	
Fawcett		Craig
	Cover Point.	
Fillbert		Rogers
	Centre.	
Herbert		Rogers
	Rover.	
McKay		Ward
	Right Wing.	
Mackay		Coates
	Left Wing.	
Stenny		Rogers

CORRIGAN REFUSES TO BARE ARM

Boston, Mar. 8.—Bill Carrigan, ruddy and cheerful, dropped into town yesterday from his home in Lewiston. Bill was looking the picture of health and had one important thing to say. He said: "A few weeks ago I received a notice for all of the Red Sox players to get vaccinated. Here is where I draw a line. Nothing doing on the vaccine for me. I have never been vaccinated and never will be, and the dread of smallpox will never make me bare my arm to a surgeon.

"That old wing is too valuable for me to allow any doctor or surgeon to jab virus into my system, and I shall never take any chances with the whip in this way. I believe I am the only one of the Red Sox squal to decline to be vaccinated, but even if it costs me my position with the team I shall refuse to be vaccinated. While a schoolboy in Lewiston I was forced to leave school on account of the same thing, but it afterwards turned out all right. At that time there was a smallpox scare in the city and everyone had to be vaccinated, but I refused and had to quit school.

"I am going south, however, with all the confidence in the world, and the last year's scare that the Highlanders gave the baseball world does not frighten me a particle. The crisp wintery weather of Maine has toughened me to a great extent, and I feel prepared to face the longest and most arduous season that ever confronted any player for I realize what we are up against this year.

"We will have to hustle from the start to land anywhere near that bunting this year. Detroit and the Athletics will make us hustle, and just keep your eye on Hugh Duffy. That boy is some manager and he will make every team in the American league go the pace before he is through.

WESTERN CHAMPIONS BEATEN

Halifax, March 8.—The Swastikas of Windsor, the champions of the Western N. S. League, met their first defeat of the season in Dartmouth tonight, having been beaten by the D. B. C. A. by a score of 4 to 1. This was the last game of the Western League.

NOTIONS OF THE ATHLETES

Naming the Amateur--Summer Baseball An Abomination---Toronto Varsity Hockey 7 in Free Fight.

New York, March 8.—J. R. Golden, physical director of Pennsylvania State College, who made open charges at the annual meeting of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America, in this city, a few days ago, that commercialism still flourished so far as baseball was concerned in the big Eastern colleges, should be called on to be more explicit in the interests of amateur sport. Mr. Golden was quoted as saying that he knew students at three of the colleges of the so-called "big six" who have played summer baseball with men from Pennsylvania State. In speaking of the "big six" he referred to Yale, Harvard, Princeton, Pennsylvania, Cornell and probably Dartmouth, and at these colleges summer baseball for a money consideration is under the ban. In fairness to the three institutions which are not indirectly charged with harboring ineligible players, Mr. Golden should name specific cases and not cast a slur on all six in defending the practice at his own university.

Commercialism which is only another word for professionalism in this case should not be tolerated in college athletics. It opens the way to many evils, not the least of which is the fostering of a wrong spirit and the snuffing out of fair competition. Golden says: "We try to be on the level and on the square and to play in the open at Pennsylvania State, and we throw nothing in the way of our men playing baseball, if they play it well enough to play it professionally for whatever they can get out of it in the summer." That part about being on the square sounds well enough and it is true that it shuts the door against the evils of deceit and prevarication, but it is simply no defence at all to the crying evil of semi-professionalism. If a man must be allowed to commit one offence in order to prevent his committing another, even though it may be a greater one, it is time for a rehabilitation of college athletic morals.

Never since hockey was first introduced into New York has there been such a disgraceful affair as marked the game last Monday night at the St. Nicholas Rink, when the contending teams, the Wanderers of New York and the seven from Toronto University, engaged in a free fight toward the end of the contest. Unfortunately, the home team was largely, if not altogether to blame. A repitition of such tactics will cause the officials of the league to take drastic action and bar certain men from the game here. As it was, two of the officials, on behalf of the organization, apologized to the Toronto players for the treatment they had received. There is absolutely no excuse for some of the unfair tricks pulled off in two or three games this season by the Wanderers. The assistant referee has been culpable to some extent, as his sole duty is to watch the players, but in nine cases out of ten he is following the puck. If proper punishment was meted out to the offending players there would be a quick end to the foul work. The game is rough enough at best, but viciousness should not be tolerated. Those who support the game do not go to the rink to see a prize fight.

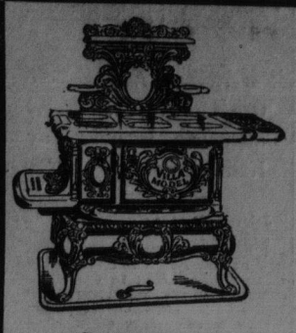
This from "The Indianapolis News" of a few days ago: "For years the attendance of students at the morning services in the chapel of Michigan Agricultural College has been notoriously scanty. Tuesday afternoon some one put up a lot of printed posters on the campus announcing that Jack Johnson would give a talk in the chapel yesterday morning at the regular hour of service. As a result the chapel was jammed to the rafters. But Jack was far away." It might be suggested: "Boys will be boys," or as "The Cornell Daily Sun" says: "'Twas ever thus."

CRESCENTS WIN FROM NORTH SYDNEY

Special to The Standard.

Halifax, N. S., March 8.—In a gruelling hockey match here tonight the Crescents of Halifax defeated the North Sydney Victorias by a score of 4 to 3 and thus captured the professional championship of the Maritime Provinces. The game was the most exciting ever played in this city despite the fact that the ice was in very poor condition. In the first half the Victorias had much the better of the play and when the gong sounded the score stood 1 to 1. With the opening of the second half the Crescents rushed matters and rolled up the score in quick succession. The Victorias worked hard to win, but the best they could do was to score two goals.

The commons committee has endorsed Mr. F. D. Monk's bill respecting co-operative societies with some amendments. This is the bill which has been so venomously opposed by representatives of the retail merchants associations.



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High water	10.07 a. m.
Low water	4.20 p. m.
High water	10.35 p. m.

Arrived—Yesterday.

Str Calvin Austin, 2853, Allan from Boston via Maine ports, W. G. Lee, Pass and mdse.

Cleared—Yesterday.

Schr Abbie C Stubbs, (Am) 295, McLean for City Island for orders, Stetson Cutler and Co., 389,953 feet spruce deals.

Vessels Bound to St. John.

Steamers.

Manchester Mariner, Mar. 3.
Virginian, Liverpool, sld Mar 4th.
Corinthian, Havre, sld. February 28.
Athenia, Glasgow, sld. Feb. 26.
Manchester Shipper, Manchester sld Feb. 18.
Kanawha, London, sld. Feb. 20.
Corsican, Liverpool, sld Feb. 18.
Kamfjord, Galway, sld. Jan. 24.
Montreal, London, sld Feb. 18.
Monmouth, Bristol, sld. Feb. 21.
Inishowen Head, Belfast, Feb. 19,
Lake Champlain, Liverpool, sld. Mar. 2.

Schooners.

King Josiah, Boston sld. March 1st.

Vessels in Port.

Steamers.

Bornu, 2074, J H Scammell and Co.
Dahome, 1552, Wm Thomson and Co.
Cape Breton, 1109, RP and WF Starr
Louisburg, 1181, R P and W F Starr.
Snestad, 1488, Wm Thomson and Co.
A F Lucas, 3252, Imperial Oil Co.
Trojan, 2580, J H Scammell and Co.
Bornu, 2074, J H Scammell and Co.
Ravola, 124, J W Smith.
Lakonia, R Reford Co.
Empress of Britain, 8020, C P R.
Pomeranian, 1700, Wm Thomson and Co.
Hesperian, 6124, Wm Thomson and Co.

Schooners.

Aldine, 292, A. W. Adams.
Arthur M Gibson, 299, J W Smith.
Abbie C Stubbs, 295, J Splane Co.
Clayola, 123, J W Smith.
Domain, 91, C. M. Kerrison.
E Merriam, 331, A W Adams.
Eva C, 250, A W Adams.
Genevieve, 124, A W Adams.
Henry H Chamberlain, 204, A W Adams.
Hunter, 187, D J Purdy.
Harold B Cousens, 360, P McIntyre.
Ida M Barton, 102, C M Kerrison.
Isaiah K Stetson, 271, J W Smith.
J L Colwell, 99, J W Smith.
Laura C. Hall, 99, C. M. Kerrison.
Jennie C, 98, A W Adams.
H. J. Logan, Howard.
Lotus, 98, C M Kerrison.
Lizzie H Partrick, 412, master.
Margaret May Riley, 240, A W Adams.
Nettie Shipman, 287, A W Adams.
Norombega, 266, master.
Otis Miller, 98, J Smith.
Oriole, 124, J Splane and Co.
Ruth Robinson, 425, A W Adams.
Romeo, 111, P McIntyre.
Sallie E Ludlam, 199, D J Purdy.
Tay, 124, master.
Wm L Elkin, 299, J W Smith.

British Ports.

Brow Head, March 8.—Signalled: Str Montcalm from St. John, N. B., for Bristol.

Liverpool, March 8.—Arrived: Str Manchester Importer, fom St. John, N. B., for Manchester.

Lizard, March 8.—Passed: Str Sardinian from St. John, N. B., and Halifax for Havre and London.

Foreign Ports.

City Island, N. Y., March 8.—Bound east: Str Rosalind from New York for Halifax and St. Johns, N. F.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., March 8.—Ard and sld: Schs Luther T. Garretson from Elizabethport for Portland; L. A. Plummer from New York for Bucksport. Ard: Schs Carrie C. Ware from South Amboy for Boothbay; Samuel Castnor, jr., from Perth Amboy for Eastport.

Rockland, Me., March 8.—Ard: Schs Jordan L. Mott from New York; Chas S. Klinck from Hurricane for New York; Hastings from Rockport for Boston; Evolution (Br.) from St. John, N. B., for do.

Saunderstown, R. I., March 8.—Sld: Sch Cora Green from New York for eastern port.

SAILING TO ST. JOHN.

Allan Line.

From Liverpool	From St. John
Feb. 24—Hesperian	Mar. 12
Mar. 4—Virginian	Mar. 18
Mar. 10—Tunisian	Mar. 25
Mar. 18—Victorian	Apr. 1
Mar. 24—Corsician	Apr. 1
April 1—Virginian	Apr. 15
April 7—Tunisian	Apr. 22
April 15—Victorian	Apr. 29

Manchester Line

From Manchester	From St. John
Feb 17—Manchester Shipper	Mar. 12
Mar. 3—Manchester Mariner	Mar. 26
Mar. 17—Manchester Importer	Apr. 9
Mar. 31—Manchester Shipper	Apr. 23

C. P. R.

From Liverpool	From St. John
Feb. 25—Empress of Britain	Mar. 11
Mar. 2—Lake Champlain	Mar. 19
Mar. 11—Empress of Ireland	Mar. 25
Mar. 16—Lake Manitoba	Apr. 2
Mar. 25—Empress of Britain	Apr. 8
Mar. 30—Lake Erie	Apr. 16
Apr. 8—Empress of Ireland	Apr. 22
Apr. 13—Lake Champlain	Apr. 30
Apr. 22—Empress of Britain	May 6

Donaldson Line.

From Glasgow	From St. John
Feb. 19—Lakonia	Mar. 10
Feb. 26—Athenia	Mar. 17
Mar. 5—Kastilia	Mar. 24
Mar. 12—Salacia	Mar. 31

Marine Notes.

Manchester Shipper from Manchester with general cargo was two days overdue at Halifax yesterday.

The Furness Line steamship Rappahannock now on her way to London from this port, took away a cargo valued at $64,622. Among her freight is 39,945 bushels of wheat. She went via Halifax, at which port she took on board a large apple shipment.

The large U. S. schr Lizzie Patrick, Capt. Breen, has been chartered to load lumber at Weymouth Bridge, N. S., for Cienfuegos.

The U. S. schr Abbie C. Stubbs, Capt McLean, cleared from here yesterday for City Island for orders, with 389,953 feet spruce deals from Stetson, Cutler and Co.

SALOON KEEPER MUST MAKE BUSINESS PAY

Montreal, March 8.—To order a saloon keeper to make his business pay, or quit, was the unique action of the council of Ville St. Paul today. He was granted a license on the following conditions:

"The licensee must not sell in his store anything but liquor and no other merchandise, and if he cannot make a living in this way his license will be cancelled."

A majoity of the commons committee on the anti-betting bill favor it, and will report it to the house at Ottawa.

At Montreal, yesterday, three arrests were made in connection with the cloakmaker's strike, charges being intimidation and interference with strike-breakers.