

## LIVE TOPICS OF SPORT AT HOME AND ABROAD

## AMERICAN AND NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES WON AND LOST

## AMERICAN LEAGUE.

**BOSTON, 2; NEW YORK, 1.**  
Boston, April 14.—Wood outpitched Caldwell this afternoon and Boston won from New York, 2 to 1. The New Yorks were the first to score. Dan Yerkas led off with a single, stole second and crossed the plate on two put-outs. The Red Sox had several opportunities to score but sharp fielding and good pitching prevented until the eighth inning. Then Wood doubled and went to third on an out at first. Yerkas fouled to Sweeney and Speaker was purposely passed, Lewis drove a double to right field, sending in two runs. Wood struck out Walter and Hartzell in the ninth and Cree grounded to Janvin. Score:—  
New York . . . 10000000—1 4 1  
Boston . . . 00000002—2 8 0  
Caldwell and Sweeney; Wood and Nunamaker.

## DETROIT, 5; CLEVELAND, 4.

Cleveland, Ohio, April 14.—Kahler was wild, but managed to keep Detroit's hits well scattered until the eighth inning, when two hits, an error and a base on balls allowed Detroit to take the lead and win today's game, 5 to 4. "Cleveland hit Dubuc hard and although Detroit made four errors behind him the locals could get their half of the seventh inning, Cleveland scored two runs on three hits and two errors by Detroit. As in the other two games played Manager Jennings again shifted his line up. Score:—  
Cleveland . . . 001000210—4 13 1  
Detroit . . . 000110002—5 11 4  
Kahler, Steen and Land; Dubuc and Stange.

## ST. LOUIS, 2; CHICAGO, 1.

St. Louis, Mo., April 14.—Wellman pitched fine ball for St. Louis today, shutting out Chicago up to the ninth inning, when he weakened, but managed to retire Chicago with one run. White pitched excellent ball for Chicago, the locals scoring only five hits off his delivery. The eighth inning, when he retired to allow Walsh to bat for him. Score:—  
Chicago . . . 000000001—1 5 2  
St. Louis . . . 00200000—2 7 1  
White, Penz and Scheik; Wellman and Agnew.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE.

**BROOKLYN, 3; NEW YORK, 2.**  
New York, N. Y., April 14.—The Brooklyn National League Baseball Club here today in the first game of a three game series, by a score of 3 to 2. It was a well played and interesting game, featured by splendid pitching by Ames and Allen. After Brooklyn scored a run in the first half of the eighth on an error by Merkle, the Brooklyn pitcher, when the slightly in the second half, when the

SPORTOGRAPHY  
BY  
"GRAVY"

James J. Jeffries, dealer in choice wines, liquors and cigars, Los Angeles, Cal., will be the recipient of congratulations today on his thirty-eighth birthday. Mr. Jeffries has lately been talking of returning to the ring, but upon calm and sober second thought, he has decided that the booze emporium needs all his attention. Jeff's comeback conversation was probably due to an epidemic that was raging a short time ago, and which afflicted Bob Fitzsimmons, Peter Maher, Kid McCoy, Joe Choynski and a lot of other Methuselahs of the ring. If Jeff had kept himself in good condition, however, his thirty-eighth birthday need not have been quite hopeless. Old Jim Mac fought, and fought well, until he was sixty, and Bob Fitzsimmons at thirty-eight, could have put away the best of the present crop of hopes. Jeffries is now said to be riding on the water wagon, as the result of a wager he made about three months ago with Barney Oldfield. Fourteen hundred dollars will be added to Jeff's cash register next January if, in the interval, he keeps off the "hard stuff" and refrains from indulgence in cigarettes. Jeff says that coin is just as good as in his pocket.

## Jim Jeffries is 38 Years Old Today — "King" Cole is 27.

Jim Jeffries was born in Carroll, O., April 15, 1875, the son of an itinerant preacher. He was a boiler maker, and a good rough and tumble scrapper, in his young manhood. His first battle was pulled off twenty years ago with Hank Griffin, a colored boxer, as his opponent. It was staged in Los Angeles, and Jeff won in the fourteenth round by a knockout.

Leonard "King" Cole, once a star member of the twirling staff of the Chicago Cubs, was born in Toledo, Iowa, twenty-seven years ago today. His first professional engagement was with Bay City, Mich. Detroit and the St. Louis Cardinals considered him, but decided not to take a chance, but Frank Chance signed him for the Cubs. Cole pitched twenty-four games for Chicago in his first year and won twenty of them.

"Nap" Rucker, the great Brooklyn southpaw, will celebrate today the sixth anniversary of his National League debut, which was in a game with Boston on April 15, 1907. Napoleon was a bit wild, owing to the strangeness of his surroundings and lost his game, three to two.

## MOTOR BOAT WHICH WILL COMPETE IN BERMUDA RACE.



MR. W. T. WHEELER TEL. A BERMUDA RACE ENTRANT.

Now that the time of the start of the Bermuda race approaches scarcely a week passes but that some enthusiastic Corinthian owner of a stanch little motor boat sends in his entry for the blue ribbon event of the deep and others expect their intention of doing so in the near future.

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## PRESIDENT WILSON OPENING SEASON IN THE AMERICAN LEAGUE AT WASHINGTON



PRESIDENT WILSON THROWING IN FIRST BALL. President Wilson was present at the opening game of the American League, between New York and Washington, played at Washington. A monster crowd had gathered to see the first game and, amid loud cheering by thousands, the President threw the first ball in the game.

## ROBINSON PITCHER FOR PITTSBURG



The Pittsburgh Club officials look to Robinson to go his share of work this year. He will be the regular pitcher and will be used against those clubs which are known to be chary of left-handers.

Hank did not get much chance to show last season. Coming from Ft. Worth in the Texas League with the best kind of a reputation, he was held in the background while Lefty Leifield was yet a member of the Pirates. When Lefty, with Tommy Leach, was sent to Chicago, Roby was forced into harness.

He won 12 and lost 7 games, which is pretty good for the first year's work in the big league. This year the Pittsburgh fans expect him to be one of the ranking southpaws.

## THIS DATE IN RING ANNALS

**APRIL 15.**  
1781—Jem Belcher, heavyweight champion of England, born at Bristol.  
1785—John Jackson defeated Mendoza in 3 rounds, winning title in England.  
1875—Jim Jeffries, heavyweight champion, born at Carroll, Ohio.  
1903—Joe Walcott defeated Prof. Mike Donovan in 10 rounds at Boston.  
1907—Sam McVey and Joe Eganette fought 10-round draw at New York.  
1912—Young Jack O'Brien outpointed George Decker in 6 rounds at Philadelphia.  
1912—Knockout. Brown defeated Young Ernie in 10 rounds at New York.  
1912—Owen Moran, English, defeated Freddie Duffy in 12 rounds at Providence, R. I.

## YESTERDAY'S BOWLING ON VIC. ALLEYS

On the Victoria alleys last night the weekly roll-off was won by John Hannon with a score of 14, the prize being a three B pipe. The T. McAvity team defeated the W. H. Thorne Co. Ltd. team, the score being as follows:

T. McAvity and Son, Ltd.	W. H. Thorne Co., Ltd.
Ramsey . . . 77 65 78 218-72 2-3	Folkens . . . 77 72 78 228-76
Hannon . . . 72 73 77 222-74	Henderson . . . 71 68 77 216-72
Cummings . . . 67 69 80 216-72	Mettritt . . . 65 62 93 220-73 1-3
Dixon . . . 81 77 78 236-78 2-3	Bailey . . . 73 65 67 205-68 1-3
MacKenzie . . . 65 67 85 217-72 1-3	Johnson . . . 73 67 50 190-62 1-3

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On Black's alleys last night H. Coram with a score of 102 won the weekly roll-off, the prize being a brass jar.

In the two-men competition White and Beatey took five points from Jordan and Coram; while Harrison and Moore captured four points from Berton and McLeod.

The score follows:

Jordan . . . 73 88 74 92 83-410 82

Coram . . . 87 85 83 86 84-425 85

Total 160 173 157 178 167 835

White . . . 81 100 94 100 87-462 92 2-3

Beatey . . . 94 84 93 80-443 88 3-3

Total 173 194 178 193 167-905

Berton . . . 95 87 84 85 86-438 87 1-5

McLeod . . . 89 86 90 72 85-423 84 3-5

Total 175 183 174 167 178 859

Harrison . . . 80 82 86 103 101-452 90 2-5

Moore . . . 82 88 106 88 94-455 83 3-5

Total 162 180 192 191 195-920

Tonight's Games.

City League—Nationals vs. Insurance.

In the two men competition—Archibald and Scott vs. Logan and Norris.

MOHA AND DILLON MATCHED.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 14.—Bob Moha, Milwaukee, and Jack Dillon, Indianapolis, signed articles today for a ten round boxing contest before the South Side Athletic Club on April 28th, they will weigh in at 165 pounds.

## M'DONALD THE WINNER IN LAST NIGHT'S MATCH

Between seven and eight hundred people, some of them women, attended the wrestling match in the Queens rink last night and all were loud in their remarks of having witnessed one of the best wrestling exhibitions that has ever been put on in this city.

The contestants were Dan McDonald, of Sydney, who is the champion middleweight of Canada, and Norman Taylor, the Massachusetts strong man who holds the championship for that State. Both men were very evenly matched, and while Taylor appeared to be the stronger of the two, McDonald had it on him in science. Taylor made a great showing against the champion and was aggressive from start to finish and for a total stranger in the city he made a great many admirers. The two showed a great deal of cleverness and from the time they stepped on the mat until they retired to their dressing rooms there was not an idle moment; there was something doing all the time and the large crowd were very much interested.

It was one of the most orderly audiences that has ever appeared at an athletic exhibition in this city and as each wrestler would get an advantage over his opponent there was not a round of applause.

Time after time it looked as if one or the other would have his shoulders pinned to the mat and the excitement at these occasions was intense but the wrestler would be able to work clear and then he was greeted with the applause desired.

The first fall went to Taylor after a struggle of 23 minutes and he managed to throw McDonald with a hammer lock and half Nelson. After a ten minutes' rest the men went at it again and it went for 22 minutes when McDonald managed to get a toe hold on Taylor and finally pinned the American's shoulders to the mat.

After another intermission of ten minutes there was a game struggle for the final fall which went to McDonald, who got another toe hold on his opponent. The last fall which went to McDonald was another toe hold on his opponent. The last fall which gave McDonald the match, was made in 21 minutes.

James McCafferty of the West End proved a most efficient referee and Daniel Connolly, the well known baseball umpire, was the timer. Wrestling was certainly a fine sport and many of those in attendance last night said that it was the first time that they

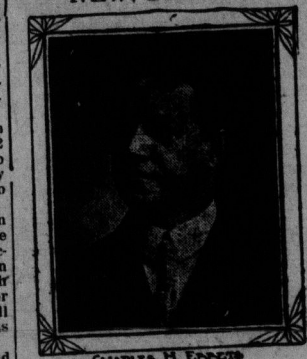
had seen a wrestling match and were very much pleased with it.

Before the bout took place last night a telegram was read from Sam Anderson, the champion middleweight of the United States, who challenged the winner of the match. McDonald has not decided whether he will accept the challenge. Taylor also asked for a return match and McDonald said that he would consider the matter.

On Saturday afternoon a dark complexioned man arrived in the city from a Nova Scotia town and had dangling to his suit case a set of boxing gloves. He was at the rink last night and said his name was Allen, and was the champion of the Western States and wished to challenge the winner of the bout. It might be stated that he is not the champion of the West, he is not in the class of first-rated wrestlers, and that his action of last night is about all of the notice that will be taken of him, as he is not taken seriously by either Taylor or McDonald.

What St. John sports wish to see are real wrestlers, but if Allen is looking for a bout he can be accommodated by Taylor, who says he will wrestle him in private for a side bet and guarantee to throw him seven times within an hour.

## BROOKLYN HAS NEW BALL PARK



Charles H. Ebbets, president of the Brooklyn National League Baseball Club, is responsible for the new ball park which has recently been completed.

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