SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

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Furore in Sporting Life. London, Oct. 25—A far reaching decision has been rendered by the House of Lords in a ruling that money paid by check in settlement of a gambling debt is recoverable by the loser. This opens an avenue for possible litigation involving hundreds of thousands of pounds sterling, and if all losers were to insist upon their rights under the law it would mean the ruln of scores of the bookmakers who do a big búsiness at all bookmakers who do a big business at all the race meetings. The makmakers have called a special meeting to consider the FOOTBALL.

Want Financial Statement. Mant Financial Statement

Montal, Oct. 26—"Please let me know by wire when we may expect to get financial statement including Scottish team's tour. This is important." This was a telegram despatched yesterday by President Tom Mitchell of the Quebec Football Association to Secretary Roy, of the dominion football association at Winnipeg. Members of the Quebec association express impatience at the delay in presentation of the statement.

St. F. X. Defeats Kings. St. Francis Xavier University football team defeated King's in the first game of the Eastern Intercollegiate League played in Windsor yesterday by a score of 3 to 0. While there was no brilliant individual playing the work of the winners' half line was praiseworthy. line was praiseworthy.

Off For Game With Acadia.

The U. N. B. football team passed enroute to Wolfville, N. S., where they will meet Acadia college fifteen in the 1-st game of the Western section of the recollegiate League, which will be d Thursday afternoon.

Leitch Sisters Defeated.

Miss Maripn Hollins, national woman golf champion and Mrs. W. A. Gavin, metropolitan champion, yesterday defeated Miss Cecil Lettch, British, French and Canadian title-holder, and her sister, Edith, by one up in a four ball foresome at the Baltursol, New Jersey, gold club course.

BOWLING. Games Last Evening. In the Commercial League the Post Office quintette took three points from Emerson & Fisher. The winners totaled 1,315 and the losers 1,294.

In the Clerical League the Red Rose team split even with McClary's, each taking two points. The former totaled 1,161 and the latter 1,183.

In a second game played in this league R. P. & W. F. Starr took all four points from McClary's. The winners totaled 1,280 and the losers 1,196.

City League Tonight. The City League will be officially opened this evening on Black's alleys then the Lions and Sweeps will meet.

RICKET. Australia Wins. London, Oct. 26—(Canadian Press)—A Reuter cable from Johannesburg, South Africa, dated yesterday, says the Australian cricket team defeated the Transvaal team yesterday by nine wickets. The scores were: Transvaal, 178; Australia, 273.

MONTREAL MAY GET NEXT BIG TITLE FIGHT

Some Inside News of Late Dempsey Bout Has Now Come Out.

A review issue of The Brooklyn Eagle of the following:
According to Joe Page, the well-known baseball and racing man of Montreal, who is following his annual custom of taking in the World's Series, there was no bluff at all in the numerous stories to the effect that Montreal, Quebec, was bidding for the Jack Dempsey-Georges Carpentier bout for the heavyweight boxing championship of this footstool before the bout eventually was held at Boyle's Thirty Acres, Jersey City.

Furthermore, the veracious Page, whose word is good in sporting circles all over the United States and Canada, if activities of the reformers, or other untoward incidents, should close New Jersey and other U. S. arenas to future heavyweight championship bouts, Montreal will get the plum.

When Montreal first old for the Dempsey-Carpentier fisticuffs the action was regarded as merely an advertising scheme on the part of the enterprising citizens of that town to put it on the map. Such bids for big bouts had been made by hustling and progressive citizens of other places for advertising purposes. In fact, it was sat sort of wide-awake hustler who unded the Jess Willard-Jack Dempsey out of July 4, 1919, to advertise Cleveland, Ohio. Montreal being in Canada, and by no means famous on this side of the border as a boxing center, was not heeded seriously except by a few sporting writers.

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hard in the deal, although he was not mentioned, and they knew that he had a habit of getting results.

Discussing the Montreal bid, Page revealed just how close it came to going through. Quoth he:

"How near we came to landing the Dempsey-Carpentier bout for Canada was proved when Tex Rickard visited Montreal when he was trying to pick a site. We showed Tex \$100,000 in cold cash in a safe deposit vault, and the signed papers tieing up for him the remaining \$400,000 which the Montreal promoters guaranteed him if he would let them stage the event. Rickard saw that coin and the papers, and knew right away that Montreal was not bluffing.

"Rickard told the Montreal men that he was at that time figuring on Boyle's Tirty Acres at Jersey City, but was not sure he would be able to go through with the match in New Jersey. He added that if the Jersey City plan fell through Montreal would get the attraction. As the reformers in the United States invariably attack every heavyweight bout of importance, you need not be surprised if the next big one is held in Canada.

"It was not generally understood by the United States sporting writers that the Montreal bid did not mean that the bout was projected for Montreal itself. Montreal boosters were the capitalists, but the scene of the

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