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THE SPORT DEPARTMENT



All the News That Is News

MUTT AND JEFF---The Czar May Stand Strong in Russia, But That Don't Get Him Much Here

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BIG PURSE OFFERED FOR WILLARD-FULTON BOUT

Tom Jones Turns Down \$30,000 for a Ten-Round Go in Milwaukee. [Canadian Press.] New York, March 28.—Tom Jones, manager for Jess Willard, said last night that he had refused an offer of \$30,000 for the heavyweight champion to box ten rounds with Fred Fulton in Milwaukee. The offer, it was said, was made to Jones by Tom Andrews, a Milwaukee promoter, who came here last week to see the Willard-Moran bout. First Andrews offered \$25,000 for a match with Fulton April 26, and when this was turned down he increased the offer. Jones, it was said, notified Andrews that Willard's contract with a circus will take effect April 29 and that he would not take on any engagement which might jeopardize that. Jones added that the circus contract was for \$100,000.

WILLARD FIRMLY FIXED AS HEAVYWEIGHT KING

Champion Stands Head and Shoulders Over Pretenders to the Title—Moran Not Discouraged and Wants Another Chance.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Jess Willard is more firmly seated on his boxing throne than any king who ever lived. Comparisons are odious and peculiarly hard to make over a stretch of years. The heavyweight champion may not be so great a fighter as was John L. Sullivan or Bob Fitzsimmons. Certainly he is not such a master of boxing skill as was James J. Corbett or Kid McCoy, but he stands today head and shoulders above the pretenders to his title. He is dignified, as well as literally. The day of his passing will come, but that day looks far off in the dim and uncertain future.

DETROIT'S OUTFIELD LEADS ON POINTS

Dopester Puts Boston Red Sox Second and Cleveland Last COBB GREATEST OF ALL

Superiority of Georgia Peach Responsible for Placing Detroit at Top.

By Hugh S. Fullerton, AMERICAN LEAGUE OUTFIELDERS.

Table listing American League outfielders and their statistics: Detroit (3605), Boston (3521), Chicago (3428), St. Louis (3355), New York (3238), Philadelphia (3180), Washington (3160), Cleveland (3103).

This is surprising. There is sufficient difference in strength between the two outfields of the American League to decide a pennant race if all other things were equal. A difference of five hundred points between the highest and lowest rated teams is extraordinary, and the odd thing about it is that the lowest rated team, Cleveland, has a pretty fair outfield.

"Lights Out" in O.H.A. Rinks, The "Fall-In" Has Sounded

Hockeyists of Ontario Who Have Not Already Done So Urged to Join the Colors—Let's Get This Affair in Europe Cleaned Up Before the Opening of the Next Hockey Season.

In this the greatest and most critical period in the history of our race, I am quite sure the members of our association who have not as yet offered themselves will at once see the urgent necessity of doing so and thus swelling the number of O.H.A. men who are prepared to aid our common cause.

At that time I stated that in a few weeks the hockey season would be over and in my opinion every hockeyist should then exchange the puck and stick for a rifle and bayonet.

The Ontario Hockey Association clubs have responded nobly to the call. It is estimated that we have some 750 players and club members in khaki. Certainly a magnificent showing and one that no other athletic association in Canada can hope to equal; and yet the call is for more men, and still more men.

PORTLAND ROSEBUDS DEFEAT CANADIENS

Western Champions Get the Fourth Game in Stanley Cup Series.

FINAL GAME THURSDAY

Each Team Now Has Two Games to Its Credit—Last Night's Score 6-5.

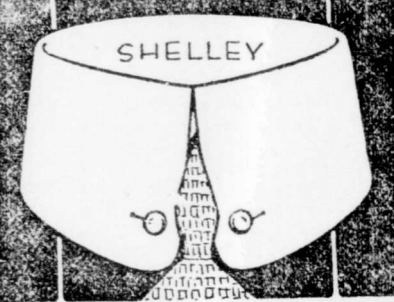
MONTREAL, March 28.—Better generalship and strict attention to playing the game tonight won for the Portland Rosebuds the fourth game of the series for the professional hockey championship of the world and the Stanley cup. The score was 6 to 5. Each club has now two wins to its credit, and the fifth struggle, scheduled for Thursday night, will decide the series.

HOCK DILLON LOSES TO BATTING LEVINSKY

NEW YORK, March 28.—Battling Levinsky of New York outpointed Hock Dillon of Indianapolis in a ten-round bout in Brooklyn tonight. Levinsky weighed 177½ pounds and Dillon 189½.

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News From the Training Camps

CHARLOTTEVILLE, Va., March 28.—Rain today interfered with any outdoor practice for the Nationals. Griffith and his men leave here tomorrow for Washington, where the first of the real exhibition games is scheduled for Wednesday.

ELKS WIN THREE GAMES FROM BRUNSWICKS

The Elks whitewashed the Brunswicks last night in the National Bowling League by defeating them three straight games.

THOMA WINS 'ALL EVENTS' IN TWO-MAN EVENTS THOMAS MARINO WIN FIRST WITH 1,279.

TOLEDO, Ohio, March 28.—America's greatest bowling tournament came to an end here tonight when the last shots in the individual event were rolled shortly before 7 o'clock without displacing the former leaders.

WILLARD'S HAND SWOLLEN TO TWICE ITS NATURAL SIZE

CHICAGO, March 28.—Jess Willard came home to Chicago yesterday with a badly damaged right hand and a broad smile.

The "HARWICK" — a grand coat for the cool days and colder nights of early Spring. Not too heavy, not too light—stylish to a degree—tailored in robust and attractive imported coatings. A garment that is a pleasure to own and a comfort to wear. R. H. & J. DOWLER, Limited

FRANK MORAN PLEASED WITH FIGHT PICTURES

NEW YORK, March 28.—The most interesting spectator at the first showing of the pictures of the Willard-Moran fight was Frank Moran. He watched the mill on the screen with a delighted expression.

WHAT'S THE NEW FLAG?

Watch for the Announcement Within a few Days.

Diamond Glints

The home-run champion of 1915 is Besse of the McAlester, Western Association, team, who has 34 home runs to his credit.

TO PLAY OFF SINGLES IN A. B. C. TOURNAMENT

Three Bowlers Who Are Tied for Top Place Will Roll Tonight.

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