

# Boxing Day Loses At Boston

## Note and Comment

Who's Roanoke, anyway? Well, they held Stallings' New York Americans to a tie last Friday, and also held the championship of the Virginia League. Does he don't need to be shown after showing just out those games with Virginia out of the loop.

"How did the boxes come out?" asked a fan over the phone last night who was interested in the boys at Boston. "Lang was bested," said the office boy. "Who beat him?" "Tommy Burns," said the boy, remembering the afternoon cable from Australia, and at the same time assuring the east ender that Hilliard is still in the running for the American amateur championship.

Jack Johnson has another of those "win, lose or draw" contracts. He is the impresario willing to take a chance, and has agreed to pay \$100,000 for the week following his battle with Jeffries—if he is able to stand the trip to Canada, to follow the fray. The plan is to present Johnson on the Victoria foot the week of July 11. It happens at that time to be the conqueror of Jeffries it will be a nice investment for William, who is not—oh, well, the show business at best is a gamble.

As far as Toronto was concerned the interest seemed to be following the Canadian wrestling championships at Winnipeg. Toronto's middleweight contender was eliminated in the preliminary. The Tribune said: "Probably the biggest surprise of the evening was the defeat of Bruce Sutherland, the Toronto crack, who went down at the hands of George Alkins brought his eight champion of Canada, but he will go back east about his crown. The surprise in this bout was due to the local man having it on the champion at every stage. They gingerly surveyed each other at the start, and were wary in opening proceedings. Alkins was a little hugging Alkins brought his man to the mat and from then until he secured a fall, he kept Sutherland on the defensive. The Toronto grappler demonstrated brilliant work in getting away from a half-nelson, but he had no other accomplishments. When Alkins slipped on another and made it good this time. This fall came in six minutes.

Sheephead Bay and Gravesend, where many of America's best horsebreeds are training for the next year, which opens at Aqueduct next Friday, are magnets for hundreds of tourists. The weather is in the splendid condition and the racing weather caused no end of activity. Chief horse breeder, the 12500 Mr. C. Handley, is returning to be run on Friday. A dozen horses will face Starter Cassidy for that time-honored event and the champion sprinter, Jack Atkin, carrying 135 pounds, and ridden by Dave Nield, will be a main attraction. The San horse went north from Florida in great condition, and on the strength of his record, he will be a difficult proposition to beat.

If the bill against art betting is passed at Albany, it is in store for thorough racing in New York State. But if not, the Ontario race will be the only one at any time since the passage of the Art Betting Act in 1908. The various associations have arranged attractive programs, and the race will be held in advance in value, as a rule, over the past year, in any direction to build up the sport once more to the place it held in the early days of the older horses of high class. The best of the year will be the best of the year, and the best of the year will be the best of the year.

**WRESTLING FINAL BOUTS DECIDED AT WINNIPEG**  
WINNIPEG, April 11.—After winning his preliminary bout and the semi-final in the final of the amateur wrestling championship of the Montreal A.A.A. was Francis Egan, a Canadian. The other Canadian, Miller of Ottawa, Ont., was defeated in the bantamweight class final. Both men lost on points, to fall resulting in their bouts.

**Amateur Baseball.**  
The R.C.B. baseball team of the Beavers' Senior League will hold a meeting this evening, April 12, at 7:30 o'clock. All players and those interested are urged to be present on time. The election of officers for the coming season will take place and the tickets for the stag supper being run by the team will be ready for distribution. Each player will be asked to do his share of the work to make the latter a guaranteed success. It will be held Friday, April 2, at the Victoria Hotel, and an entertainment will be given.

The Dufferins defeated the Yale B.C.C. on Saturday by 12 to 11. It was a hard-fought game, the high wind helping the batters considerably. Batteries—Auld, Jackson and Dillon; Nicholson and Woods. Umpire—Willie Faulkner.

The Ravina baseball team would like to arrange a game for next Saturday afternoon with any good city team. Write to W. J. McConkey, secretary, 173 West-ern-avenue.

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# Baseball Toronto 7 Roanoke 1

## Tommy Burns Wins 20 Rounds on Points From Bill Lang

SYDNEY, N.S.W., April 11.—Tommy Burns won points from Bill Lang, heavyweight champion of Australia, in the twentieth round of their fight for the Australian title to-day.

The decision was not popular with the crowd, for the Burns had the better of the first ten rounds, he weakened in the latter half of the fight, while Lang rallied.

The weather was fine and the fight was witnessed by 12,000 persons. The betting was 1 to 1 on Burns when the men entered the ring. Burns tipped the scales at 181 pounds, however, rose and took hands. The referee was Hugh McIntosh.

Both men wore bandages. The first ten rounds were fast, Burns having the better of the first five, but the latter fought back gamely. Lang made a splendid rally in the twelfth, and, receiving a left jab from Burns, he responded with a hard right to the other's jaw. During the last eight rounds Lang fought cautiously, while Burns played the Australian pugilist in nine rounds. He was a little more than a match for Burns, who had claimed the heavy-weight title since it was relinquished by McInosh.

Chief interest in the bout was derived from the fact that Burns is the man whose defeat by Jack Johnson earned for the American colored pugilist the title of heavyweight champion of the world, and afforded him an opportunity to meet Jack J. Jeffries. Johnson met Lang at Melbourne on March 4, 1907, and easily whipped the Victorian pugilist in nine rounds. At Sydney on Dec. 28, 1908, Johnson defeated Burns, who had claimed the heavy-weight title since it was relinquished by McInosh.

This fight was stopped in the fourteenth round, when Burns was practically knocked out by Bill Squires, his fellow-countryman.

**Soccer Gossip.**  
The Albions' Club will hold a meeting to-night at the Empress Hotel at 8.30. All members are requested to be on hand. The committee will also meet at the same time.

The T. and D. intermediate game scheduled for Wednesday evening between All Saints and Albions has been postponed indefinitely. The Albions are unable to get their team together.

In the Association football match yesterday, Wales defeated Ireland, the score being 10 to 1.

In the Association match of the First Division of the English League yesterday, the Blackburn Rovers scored 2 and Everton 1. In the Southern League match, Millwall scored 1 and Swindon 0.

**Sporting Notes.**  
Writing a "round robin" urging the New York Legislature to defeat the bill prohibiting art betting on horse races, many breeders of thoroughbred horses in Kentucky yesterday sent a telegram from Lexington to State Senator E. T. Brock, et al., chairman of the codes committee. The breeders declare that a law against art betting would strike a vital blow at the horse breeding industry, which is crippled by antagonistic legislation.

The London committee recently formed to raise \$50,000 to purchase ponies with which to equip an English polo team to be sent to the United States, in an endeavor to win back the International Cup, already has obtained subscriptions amounting to \$15,000. A long list of the subscribers to the fund is published.

**Nominations to the Preakness Stake.**  
One of the chief events to be run at the Preakness meeting, has been made public. They number thirty-one, and as the race is this year a handicap, Dalmanina may be at top weight, for he is the best of the seven-odd entered. Others are August Belmont's Starbuck, E. E. Cassatt's Medallion, \$10,000 cost; Chas. S. Stable's Martinez, D. L. McDonogh's Busy, Mrs. J. A. Schell's Plover, and the public, Mark's California, Col. Turret and R. Schreiber's Sager. The weights will be announced April 15. A long list of the gross value of the stake will be \$275,000 and the jockey Club will add a \$500 cup.

## LANG STOPS HIS MAN IN THE SECOND ROUND

Christie Scores Knock Out in First—McEwan Wins His Bout by Decision.

BOSTON, Mass., April 11.—(Special.)—The Canadian boys were a big attraction at the opening of the national amateur boxing championships, which were held here to-night before a tremendous crowd. The speed and skill shown by the boxers from Toronto proved a revelation to the spectators. Their performance would have done credit to professionals.

All of the Toronto boys, with the exception of R. Day in the heavyweight class, won their trial bouts with comparative ease. The trial, particular star, however, was Hilliard, who was a match against George Moynihan of New York in the 16-pound class. Lang showed remarkable ability in his opponent, for his opponent. He floored him in the first round and was beating Moynihan so badly in the second that the referee stopped the bout. It was the general opinion of those who saw Lang perform to-night that he has a good chance to win the championship in his class.

Another Toronto boy who showed to great advantage was C. Christie in the 125-pound class. He knocked out Joe Casey of Boston in one round. Christie was a very rugged boy in F. Christie of New York. Christie displayed the same cleverness as his team-mates, being very fast on his feet, with a clever left hand. He earned the decision at the end of three fast rounds.

In the heavyweight class, R. Day of Toronto lost the decision to Kendall Salisbury, the New England amateur champion, in three slugging rounds. Day came in about 8 o'clock this morning, arriving in Cleveland to-night. The distance is a little over fifty miles.

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## American Cut Vests

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SPORTING NOTES.

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Steve Almsuit scored with 51, Dave Craig scored with 58, while little Jimmy Egan, anchor man for the Dominions, tried to carry the whole team in on his back with 53. The score:

|               |     |     |      |      |
|---------------|-----|-----|------|------|
| Tigers        | 1   | 2   | 3    | T.L. |
| H.V. Williams | 141 | 150 | 479  |      |
| Dawson        | 140 | 117 | 257  |      |
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| Everest       | 138 | 124 | 262  |      |
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# N. L. U. Aftermath

## Oddfellows' Break Record.

In the I.O.O.F. League last night on the Atheneum alleys the Centrals made a new record for the league season, both for single and three game scores. Every man on the Centrals was over the 50 mark, with Clarke leading with 85. Needless to say with such rolling they won all three games from the Societas. Following is the score:

|            |     |      |      |      |
|------------|-----|------|------|------|
| Central    | 1   | 2    | 3    | T.L. |
| Mitra      | 157 | 216  | 373  |      |
| Williamson | 205 | 178  | 383  |      |
| Wise       | 200 | 183  | 383  |      |
| Farrington | 201 | 232  | 433  |      |
| Clark      | 201 | 232  | 433  |      |
| Totals     | 911 | 1052 | 2063 |      |

**P. W. Ellis Two-Man League.**  
In P. W. Ellis' Two-Man League, last night on the Atheneum alleys, the Unions won two from the Victorias. Following is the score:

|            |     |     |     |      |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Unions     | 1   | 2   | 3   | T.L. |
| Butler     | 133 | 191 | 324 |      |
| Farrington | 133 | 191 | 324 |      |
| Totals     | 266 | 382 | 648 |      |

**Domination Duckpin.**  
In the Dominion Duckpin League last night the Kids won three from McCaul's. The score:

|           |     |     |     |      |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| McCaul's  | 1   | 2   | 3   | T.L. |
| Stewart   | 83  | 99  | 182 |      |
| Anderson  | 75  | 104 | 179 |      |
| H. McCaul | 90  | 75  | 165 |      |
| Totals    | 448 | 478 | 926 |      |

**Kid Meters has been matched to meet Frank Carroll in a ten-round bout within the next two weeks in Hamilton. The agreement calls for both men to make 125 pounds at 3 o'clock on the afternoon of the match and the purse will be divided 70 per cent to the winner and 30 per cent to the loser.**

**Beaches Alleys.**  
The captains of the five and two-men tenpin league at the Beaches alleys are requested to meet at the alleys to-morrow night.

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