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NEWS OF SPORT



WELSH WILL ACCEPT ALL FIGHTWEIGHT CHALLENGES

Freddie Proclaims Himself Champion in London-Says Nalson Will Not Listen to Him.

LONDON, Jan. 11—In a long statement to the newspapers Freddie Welch claims the lightweight championship of the world and declares he will meet all comers who challenge him for the title. Welch states that for two years he has tried in vain to get a match with Battling Nelson. He produces proof of the fact that Nelson ignored his challenges and the forfeits made in accordance with the rules of pugilism, and also shows that Nelson is unwilling to accept formal offers for a match made by promoters in California, England and Wales.

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"I have been ready to box any number of rounds to a finish, and to bet \$5,000 on the side. But Nelson has refused even to grant an interview.
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LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine, the world wide Cold and Grip remedy removes cause. Call for full name. Look for

LANGFORD CANNOT BOX

WITH TWIN SULLIVAN

Town Officials Say Jack is No

Opponent for Negro.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 11.—"Sam"

Langford, a negro fighter, according to an edict handed down tonight, will not be permitted to box here unless of formidable opponent looms up outside of six men that have been named by the director of public safety, John Moren. The head of the police department figures that with the exception of Jeffries, Johnson, Ketchel, Papke, Kaufman and "Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, it would be a case of pitting a boy against a glant and that a fatality would result if a bout was allowed to go on with Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For that reason a permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principals. For the principal permit was refused for the Langford as one of the principal permit was refused for the langford as one of the principal permit was refused for the langford in the principal permit was refused for the principal permi

GARRIGAN IS WANTED

The Tigors needed just one more man to assure them of the world's champlombip last year, and with the same man added to Jennikre's present last protection of the potting season of some season se

JOHNSON MEN WANT RING SIDE ODDS

Little Will Wager \$20,000 ox the Colored Champior

at ringside odds on the Jeffries-John-

son fight.

"There is nothing detrimental to the fighting game to be gained by criticism of our actions," said Little. "We are as confident as ever of victory, but why should we tie up thousands of dollars at even money when we are sure that better figures can be obtained. Any man who has the Jeffries end of the fight can come to me and be accommodated, but I insist on a forfeit. Ringside odds is the basis of all betting in this fight. Naturally I hope that Jeffries is a 4 to 1 or greater favorite. It fries is a 4 to 1 or greater favorite. It is not a businesslike proposition for me to declare myself in this way, but I am not piloting "Jack" Johnson around merely to make comments on the scenery of various sections of the

LITTLE DEFENDS JOHNSON.

Those hard night coughs of the children! What shall you give them? Just what your mother gave you, and just what her mother gave her! In some families, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has been the only cough modicine for seventy years. Once in the family, it stays. Keep it on hand.

TORONTO TURNS DOWN

OFFER FOR GRIMSHAW Big Club Wanted Player for \$2,500

Baltimore Will Play Major

A big league club has made an offer of \$2,500 for "Moose" Grimshaw. 'Nothing doing," is the answer Presi-

buyer.

Grimshaw is the Eastern League's leading batter and is worth a good deal more to Toronto than the big league club's offer.

The Baltimore Eastern League team, will play several major league teams, including the Giants, in the Monumental City in April, as indicated by this schedule: March 29, Philadelphia Nationals; March 30 and 31, Athletics; April 6 and 7, New York Giants; April 8, Brooklyn: April 11, Washington, and April 13, Athletics.

CHAMPIONSHIPS TONIGHT

The New Brunswick Skating Championships will be held at the Victoria Rink to-night. Practically all the fast skaters of the city are entered, and scme great skating is expected. The prizes for the events are donated by the La Tour Rowing Club, under the wood work of the control of the contr auspices of which the championships are held. Gold and silver medals are to be given.

Entries for the events closed last night. They are as follows:—

Wood block paver Paving gutters ... Plank sidewalks Ashburn Road ... Boar's Head Road ... Millidgeville Road

220 YARDS DASH. L. Coleman, H. Belyea, C. Campbell, H. McLeod, E. Wright, M. Bell, H. Northrup, E. Ingraham, W. Riley, G. Wiley, A. Tracey.

440 YARDS DASH. L. Coleman, H. Belyea, W. Riley, E. Wright, H. Northrup, E. Ingraham, A. Tracy, H. McLeod, C. Campbell, M. Bell.

880 YARDS RACE. H. Belyea, W. Riley, E. Wright, M. Bell, L. Coleman, G. Wiley, H. North-rup, E. Ingraham, C. Campbell, H. McLeod, A. Tracy.

ONE MILE.
H. Northrup, E. Ingraham, G. Wiley,
H. Belyea, L. Coleman, M. Bell, W.
Riley, C. Campbell, H. McLeod, A.
Tracy.

THREE MILES. H. Belyes, L. Celeman, M. Bell, G. Wiley, H. Northrup, E. Ingraham, C. Campbell, H. McLeod, A. Tracy.

BOYS UNDER 19 YEARS.
G. Wiley, H. L. Collins, H. Garnett,
L. Coleman, E. Ingraham, P. Cunning-

BOYS UNDER 16 YEARS.

RAMBLERS.

Wilson 78 85 102 265—88 1-3

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Mitchell 77 81 83 241—80 1-3

B. B. Johnson of the American Leigher announced today that the amplicantor the coming season would be the saind as last. The double umpire system will be continued in all games.

This evening's game is between the will be continued in all games.

This evening's game is between the Wilson and Accountants.

Eugent O'Brien, who arrived in the city yesterday, Chims' that he was relieved of about \$75 between Moneton and St. John. He placed the money in a wallet in his inside pocket at Moneton and did not discover the loss until he took out the was asleep in the second class car and was probably relieved then.

This evening's game is between the Willow Circles, St. John Circles, St

H. Vail, vice leader, F. Matson, past leader; T. D. Vincent, R. secretary; A. H. Case, F. secretary; Tr. G. North-rup, treasurer; C. H. James, chaplain; J. T. Steeves, marshall; E. E. Mar-shall, warden; W. J. Irwin, guard; W. J. Fraser, sentry; F. Watson, H.

ESTIMATES FOR 1910 ARE CLIMBING HIGHER

Works Boards

ormer Needs \$7,704 and Latter \$7,870 Mere Than Last Year-Fire Dept.

An increased expenditure of \$15,544 by the Board of Public Works and the Safety Board will help materially to boost the tax rate this year. The estimates are given below:

The Board of Public Works of the Common Council met yesterday afternoon and recommended to the Common Council the departmental estimates for he ensuing year. The estimates mount to \$78,350, an increase of \$7850

amount to \$78,350, an increase of \$7830 over those of last year.

The increase is made up largely of necessary expenditure on work that cannot be allowed to be neglected. The city engineer presented the following estimates, which were passed by the Board. The following table presents the estimates of 1910 and those of

\$8,000 \$6,500 7,000 5,335 4,000 3,500 15,000 10,670 700 500 4,000 3,700 treet repair, etc.

year's operations of the street rail-



Comfort Made in At 2 for 25c. you can buy MSTA this shape in Elk Brand named "RUTLAND."

THINKS HE HAS FOUND THE GARDEN OF EDEN

Figures for Safety and Public Diplomat Favors Dasis Northwest of Bagdad

> Overflow on the Plains by Gollapse of Dykes Along the River.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12. A cable despatch from Constantinople says that according to the Journal De Stamboul, Sir William Willcocks, the British adviser to the Minister of Public Works, thinks he has determined the exact site of the Garden of Eden.

He places it at Hairlah, a flourisning oasis some 250 kilometres northwest of Bagdad.

Through this site the Euphartes runs and is divided into four arms, representing the four rivers of Eden. Sir William suggests that the deluge was merely the flooding of the entire plain between the Euphartes and the Tigris owing to these rivers breaking down the arrigation dykes which had been built by the pastoral dwellers on the plain.

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at the Carnival on Monday Night, were supplied by the St. John Costume Company, 143 Union Street. Get your Costumes there for the next, carnival. Call, write or 'Phone Number Main 1438

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A Great Big Race Meet Tonight

LATOUR CHAMPIONSPIPS Don't Miss This Evening's Exciting Races. All the Fast Ones Are Entered. Entry List will be Found in Another

ORPHEUM The Bost Yet at the ORPHEUM Great Barbeau Family Everybody is talking about them 200 People waited half an hour last night to buy their tickets WARNING: Come Early.

The GEM-Waterloo St.

Don't fail to see today's and Thursday's programme at the GEM—a complete change of subjects. "A Game of Bluff" a picture worth seeing—of court days, of beautiful scenery, and magnificent garments. A strong comedy drama "The Dead Man," containing a strong cast of actors; and a great comedy picture "A New Kind of Athlete." In addition two other subjects. Mrs. Gibson in splendid song success. A programme worth while.

KING MENELIK IS AGAIN REPORTED LEAD

Report Says Death Occurred Dec. 23-News Concealed o Avoid Inter-

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THE TWO

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Commander Peary is the Founder of the North Pole without doubt, so is the Maritime Restaurant the fountain head for all people that are feeling hungry. We are prepared to meet all requirements of that kind, and can safely say we give more for 25c than any other one restaurant in the city of St. John. Our motto "try us,

LOCOMOTIVE FUEL

NEW YORK, Jan. 11—Oil burning locomotives are more or loss of a failure, according to the New York Central, which, after a season's trial, has elected in favor of coal as the most economical fuel. The company asked the public service commission to rescind an order for the installation of oil-burning locomotives within the forest preserve in the Adirondack region not later than April 15, 1910.

"The conditions in Mexico and the southwest of this country are entirely different," explained Howard Ingersoli, assistant to the general manager of the Central Lines today. "Our experiments show that the oil will not run properly in cold weather, which necessitates the changing back to coal for the winter months. To equip each coak burning locomotive with apparatus for oil costs \$700."

The company has cleared a space coal burning locomotive with apparatus for oil costs \$700."

The company has cleared a space 100 feet wide on each side of its track all through the forest preserves to lessen the danger of forest fires when coal is used."

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