

THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

Eastern Outdoor Skating Champs

More Than Sixty Entries Received for Championship Races at Newburgh on New Year's Day.

Newburgh, N. Y., Dec. 29.—More than sixty entries including the leading speed skaters of Canada and the east, have been received for the eastern outdoor skating championship meet to be held here on New Year's Day. The entry of several of the fastest of the Montreal A. A. skaters gives an international aspect to the races.

JIMMY WILDE TO FIGHT BABE ASHER

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 27.—Jimmy Wilde, English flyweight champion and "Babe" Asher, bantam champion of the A. E. F., will fight an eight round, no decision, bout here the night of January 8, it was announced tonight. Wilde will train in Milwaukee it was stated.

Johnny Kilbane Outfought By Young Cheney

Titleholder Frequently Forced to Clinch Under Staggering Blows of the Baltimore Boy

Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 29.—Young Cheney, of Baltimore, outfought and outpointed Johnny Kilbane, the featherweight champion, in an eight round bout here tonight, in the opinion of the majority of the New York morning newspaper writers.

Local Bowling

A match game at the Victoria Alloys was played between two teams from St. John's—the Broom-makers and the Brush-makers. The Broom-makers won by three points. The individual scores follow:

Broom-makers.	Brush-makers.
Swanwick .. 90 83 89 262 87 13	453 424 408 1283
McKee .. 94 83 85 243 81	
Rogers .. 90 79 88 255 85	
Fowles .. 90 82 76 253 86	
Lasey .. 89 87 89 265 85 13	

SUGAR REFINERY LEAGUE.

In the Sugar Refinery League on the Y. M. C. A. Alleys last evening the Shipping Department and Raw Sugar House teams broke even with two points each. The individual scores follow:

Shipping Department.	Raw Sugar House.
Leaver .. 105 78 110 293 97 23	413 363 419 1195
Chapman .. 64 78 213 71	
Cunningham .. 79 67 84 230 76 23	
Foley .. 84 72 68 234 74 23	
Maloney .. 74 82 79 235 78 13	

BARBOUR vs. FORD.
Barbour .. 65 69 74 214 79 13
Ford .. 68 80 80 263 87 23
Praxley .. 89 82 83 264 88
McDermott .. 77 81 76 234 78
Hassett .. 78 74 84 236 78 23

WELLINGTON LEAGUE

In the Wellington League match on the G. W. V. A. Alleys last night the Customs team captured three points from the McMillans. The scores follow:

Customs.	McMillans.
Cochran .. 98 79 74 251 83 23	428 418 412 1258
Willett .. 86 90 80 256 85 13	
Bryant .. 81 87 81 249 83	
Wills .. 81 74 96 251 83 23	
Bishop .. 82 88 81 251 83 23	

Over \$100,000 Went Up In Smoke In Early Morning Blaze on Dock Street

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About half an hour after the discovery of the fire, flames were seen bursting from the roof and windows at the rear of the building, having worked through the partitions from the front. It was then quite evident that the building in which the fire was first discovered would be a total loss. The origin of the fire is unknown. The firemen were badly handicapped by the dense smoke which poured from every window in the building, and for a time it looked as if the entire block would fall a prey to the flames, which were rapidly spreading, and it was not until early this morning the fire was got under control. It is understood that the building is owned by the Roger Owen estate of England, of which G. O. D. City is agent. It was impossible to get in communication with Mr. Otty last evening, but it is reported that the building is fairly well covered by insurance. The J. A. Marcus Furniture Company, the heaviest loser of stock, had furniture stored on the upper floors of both buildings. Mr. Marcus said this morning that he could not tell his loss off hand, but he estimated that it would be \$35,000, pretty well covered by insurance.

J. Coffey had a large supply of electrical apparatus on the ground floor, most of which was ruined. His loss will be considerable.

Somewhat similar to the Paradise Row and Mill street fire, the firemen were working under great difficulties from the severe cold which was prevailing last night and this morning. That it would be several hours before the fire was completely extinguished was plainly seen a short time after the discovery of the fire, as the whole interior of the building was crowded with inflammable material. About 1:15 o'clock the fire had worked its way to the furniture store occupied by J. Jacobson, and the firemen's task became more tense. The lower floor of this store was badly damaged by water. The exertions of the Salvage Corps men saved considerable of the stock in the stores occupied by J. Marcus, John Coffey, J. Perchance and J. Jacobson, all of whom sustained heavy losses.

Tom Cowler Trims Up Al Reich

The Englishman Wins in the Third of a Scheduled Eight Round Co.

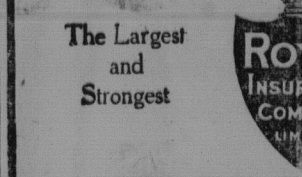
Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 29.—In a scheduled eight-round bout here tonight Tom Cowler, the English heavyweight, won in the third round from Al Reich, of New York, who was disqualified when his seconds sprayed him with water while on the canvas. Cowler weighed 212 pounds, and Reich 208.

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Many Entries For Swimming Meet In Y.M.C.A. Tonight

Entries were still coming in late last night for the big C. S. E. T. swimming meet that is to take place tonight at the Y. M. C. A. between all the churches. All entries must be by 7:45 sharp.

The entries for the junior events open to 16 years or under, are: 25 yds. speed, Johnson, Conley, Coleman, Love, Smith, Stewart, Rank, Back stroke swim: Hunt, Johnson, Conley, Love.

Breast stroke, Johnson, Innis, Conley, Hunt, Coleman, Love, Curran, W. R. Smith, R. F. Smith.

Long plunge, Curran, Innis, Johnson.

25 yards speed, Conley, Coleman, Love, Curran.

Senior events, over 16 years: 25 yards speed, Coleman, Patison, Peer, Ellison, Malcolm, Kerr, Hawker.

Breast stroke, Libby, Hawker, Coleman, Patison, Peer, Ellison, Malcolm.

Back stroke, Sibby, Hawker, Kerr, Malcolm, Coleman, Holder, Patison, Peer, Ellison.

Long plunge, Sibby, Coleman, Kerr, Hawker.

Next dive, Sibby, Coleman, Kerr, Patison, Peer, Ellison.

75 yards speed, Holder, Ellison, Kerr, Hawker.

Relay, Trinity, St. Mary's, St. David's, Centenary.

The Moncton Y. M. C. A. Intercollegiate have made arrangements to play the St. John Senior Y. M. C. A. team on New Year's night in this city.

St. Andrew's Church Seniors of the City Basket Ball League, will play a team composed of old St. John High School boys now at U. N. B. This latter team had a work out last night at the Y. M. C. A. Some good play was expected for New Year's night.

England: Amanda, Jamaica; F. W. Roebing, Portland, Me.

Greenock, Dec. 29.—Arrived: Str. Prororian, St. John.

Liverpool, Dec. 29.—Arrd. steamer Cedric, New York.

West Hartlepool, Dec. 29.—Arrd. Str. Hornsea, Parrsboro.

COMMISSIONERS OF PENSIONS TO VISIT ENGLAND

Making the Trip to Arrange for the Better Handling of the Work Required of the Board Across Seas.

Ottawa, Dec. 29.—Colonel John Thompson and Major Stanley B. Corlette, of the Board of Pension Commissioners, are leaving this week for England in connection with the transfer of payments to pensioners resident in Great Britain from Canada instead of from London, as at present. Incidentally it is expected to effect a considerable saving to Canada by the reduction of the staff at the London office. Payments from Canada will begin by February 1, it is anticipated.

It is expected at present that the pensioners in Britain will be paid in English currency instead of dollars and cents, as it is thought that this will be better in the end for the majority of the pensioners on the other side.

While in England Major Corlette expects to investigate particularly the cases of dependent pensioners, of whom there are some 5,000 or 6,000 in the British Isles. There have been complaints that the awards to some of these persons were in need of adjustment in view of the present high cost of living, and the whole matter will be taken up by the Commissioners while they are on the ground.

WELL KNOWN HOCKEY PLAYER INJURED

Special to The Standard.

St. Stephen, N. B., Dec. 29.—George Walker, of this town, formerly of Fredericton, met with a painful accident tonight. While practicing hockey his stick came in contact with a post on the side of the rink, striking him in the side, breaking one rib and fracturing another.

Dr. McPhail's Joke. (Hamilton Spectator.)

Professor McPhail, of McGill, Montreal, professes to believe that the plagues of the world are the result of the future hope of Canada. Aw, gwan, now prof! Quit yer kiddin'!

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