ALL THE NEWS THAT IS NEWS

A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON MANY SPORTS

JOHNSON SHOWS SENSE AT LAST

Once Reckless Spender Will Put Some of His Spare Coin in Chicago Real Estate.

HAS LEFT-HAND WALLOP

Mapping Out Plan of Attack and Defence to Meet Peculiar Style of Jeffries.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Jack Johnson, although taking a temporary layoff from theatrical engagements, is using his time to good advantage by looking over some property on the south side which he expects to purchase with the proceeds of his fight with Jeffries on July 4. Realizing that he cannot be champion forever, the big black intends to invest some of his money in real estate. He already has purchased a fine home on the south side, and is figuring on several other pieces of property in the neighborhood.

John Says He's Clever.

Jack cannot understand why it is some people are continually trying to belittle his ability as a fighter. The statements credited to Corbett that Jack has only three good blows, all of which are with his right hand, and that he has not a good wallop in his left, have roused the big black to a point where he claims he will show Corbett and a lot of other people that he is just as clever a fighter and just as hard a hitter as any man in the history of pugilism.

Fears a Change.

Fearing that Jeffries will change his fighting position from a crouch, the champion says he is trying to figure out just what position Jeff will assume when the fight starts. Realizing Corbett's judgment of fighters, Jack fears the ex-champion will teach Jeff another style of defense, which will make it harder for him to land effectively.

Jack admitted he had figured out a style of attack which would enable him to land some punishing blows if Jeff assumed the crouching position. Just what this attack was he would not say, but he intimated the fight would not last long if Jeffries fights him as he did the other men he has met.

Never Extended.

The fact is admitted by the champion that he uses his right to good advantage whenever the occasion arises; but he claims he can hit just as hard with his left. He also asserts he has not met a fighter in the last four years who has forced him to extend himself. He says when he fought Tommy Burns and Stanley Ketcheil he had the feeling that the people thought he was a big, powerful fellow, and ought to whip fighters who were smaller in every way. He said he was content to go along, spar and exchange wallops with his opponents until he found a good chance to put over one of his favorite blows.

Jack has been doing a little light work in the basement of his residence to keep him in condition. He has completed arrangement for his training at Ocean Springs, Cal., two months before the fight.

CITY LEAGUE JUNIORS ARE PRACTICING HARD

St. John's Hockey Players Were Out Last Night—Another Practice on New Year's.

A dozen hockey players showed up at the St. John's A. C. clubhouse last night for practice, all showing good speed for the first time out. Another practice will be held at Anthistle's rink on New Year's Day from 12 to 1 p.m.

The following are requested to turn out: B. Woolley, T. Woolley, J. McColl, Fetherstone, Owen, S. Legg, Wright, H. Sing, Walden, G. Geogehegan, T. McIntyre, A. Callahan and Fetterly.

SUSPENSION OF HAYES AND SHEPHERD UPHELD

Registration Committee of Amateur Athletic Union Sustains Action of Military League.

Philadelphia, Dec. 29.—Following the recent action of the Military Athletic League of Pennsylvania in suspending Melvin W. Shepherd and Wm. J. Hayes, the registration committee of the Atlantic divison of the Amateur Athletic Union today decided to uphold the suspension. Chairman Chadwick at once notified the Metropolitan division of the A. A. U. and the national board of registration of the action taken. The men failed to compete in a local military athletic meet after having agreed, it is alleged, to enter the competition.

BANTAMWEIGHT CHAMP WILL GO ON THE STAGE

Coulon Announces He Will Start Two Months' Theatrical Engagement.

It's a whirl at the Thespian existence for Johnny Coulon, bantam-weight pugilist of the world. Johnny, through his theatrical manager, Barney Green, announced last night that after filling one and possibly two fight engagements in the east, he would start out on a tour of an eastern theatrical circuit. He is to be accompanied by Jim Barry, ex-champ of the same class, and the two will give three-round exhibition bouts in connection with the show.

Some Scrap.

Coulon expects to go on with Patsy Brannigan in Pittsburg about Jan. 10, after which it is likely he will fill a date in Philadelphia about Jan. 22. Following the Philadelphia bout the bantam fighter will make his maiden bow to the public from behind the footlights. Johnny expects to put in about two months on the road, and if that looks good and the opportunity presents itself, he may sign another contract, unless a good fight shows up in the meantime.

Losing a little box containing half a sovereign, the old town crier of St. Leonard, near Limoges, announced his loss to the public, appealing for the return of the money. Finding his appeal in vain he took to his bed, and was found dead there, killed by grief.

SCHEER TO BOX ROSS

Detroiter Gets Twelve-Round Go Before Newcastle Club.

Cleveland, Dec. 29.—Tommy Dugan, of Detroit (Freddie Scheer), and Tony Ross, of Newcastle, were matched yesterday to meet in a twelve-round engagement in the Pennsylvania town on Tuesday evening, Jan. 11. Dugan has been doing very little fighting lately, since his trip to the South, and is more than anxious to show his ability in the ring against a fair heavyweight man.

It has been definitely settled that Tommy Kilbane and Eddie Faust will meet in Cleveland on Wednesday evening, Jan. 5. This was decided upon yesterday by the club where the contest takes place.

CLUNE, MAN WHO HELPED FIND SULLIVAN, IS DEAD

He Was the Original Backer of the Former Champion.

Peekskill, N. Y., Dec. 29.—Matthew J. Clune, for many years one of the best known sporting men in the county, is dead at his home here.

Clune was one of the first to recognize John L. Sullivan's ability as a fighter, and was the original backer of that famous pugilist before and after the time he was champion of America.

AMERICAN AND BRITISH POWER BOATS TO RACE

Challenge of Englishmen Is Accepted—Two Boats Coming.

New York, Dec. 29.—The Motor Boat Club of America has accepted the challenge of the British Motor Boat Club for the international cup, and has notified the British challengers that their entry of two boats will be received.

The date fixed for the race is Saturday, Aug. 20, 1910. The course will be selected within the next two weeks.

WOODSTOCK LOSES

City Defeated in Second Trial Against Oxford County.

Toronto, Dec. 30. — The action of the City of Woodstock against the County of Oxford for its share of excessive county taxes collected since 1893 up to the time that Woodstock received its charter as a city, was dismissed by Chief Justice Mulock yesterday at the close of a trial opened at Woodstock on Oct. 28 last and resume in Toronto on the 20th inst.

The City of Woostock alleged that the county has a surplus on hand of $37,000, of which it claimed to be entitled to receive about $5,000, and instituted proceedings for recovery. The action came to trial in Woodstock before Mr. Justice Riddell, who after hearing several witnesses, ruled that unless Woodstock could show that the county was in the position of a trustee it was unnecessary to offer evidence on any other point Mr. George W. Watson, K. C., for Woodstock, objected to be thus restricted, and declined to present any argument. Mr. Justice Riddell thereupon dismissed the action.

SANE DOG, MAD MEN

Flesherton Has an Unusual and Unnecessary Roundup.

Flesherton, Dec. 30.—A collie dog that had been running and was breathing hard, caused considerable excitement near here. He was observed by a farmer, who supposed he was suffering from rabies. The dog was chased over four miles, and led the pursuers, who numbered about twenty, to his home. The pursuers were armed with guns, sticks, etc., but failed to annihilate the dog which was a very valuable one. The dog was not mad, but the men were.

MATTIE CHIMES TAKES FREE-FOR-ALL ON ICE

John McEwen Second, and Major Brino Third—Parker Copped in Matinee Special.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—The following are the results of the second day's racing of the ice meeting given by the Toronto Driving Club at the Dufferin Park ice track:

Free-for-all, purse $200:

Mattie Chimes (Tour)	2	1	1	1
John McEwen (Ray)	1	2	2	2
Major Brino (Hodson)	5	3	3	3
I. X. L. (Leakey)	3	5	5	4
St. Anthony (Burnham)	4	4	4	5

Time—2:21½, 2:22¼, 2:22, 2:24¾.

Matinee special, unfinished:

Parker (McPhee)	2	1	2	1	2
Harry Lee (Farrell)	5	2	1	2	7
Wiry Stanton (Dryden)	4	5	5	3	1
Lou Belle (McDowell)	1	3	6	6	6
Belle Mason (Lock)	3	4	4	7	5
Norma Lee (McBride)	7	7	7	5	3

Time—2:33, 2:31, 2:35, 2:33, 2:37.

EASTERN SKATING ASSN. THROWN OUT OF UNION

Western Will Be Taken Into International and Will Divide the Territory.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—The Western Skating Association today announced that it had severed all relations with the Eastern Amateur Skating Association, because of the latter's refusal to obey the order of the International Skating Union of America, reinstating Edmund Lamy, of Saranac Lake, N. Y., as amateur skating champion of the United States and Canada. Steps will be taken at once to reorganize the present territory, as the International Union has eliminated the Eastern Association from the governing bodies of skating.

The persistent refusal of the Eastern Association to recognize Lamy as an amateur, and comply with the ruling, caused the International Union to ask the Western Skating Association to enter the east. Sixty members of the Western Skating Association now in the east will be used as the nucleus of the new organization

CLEVELAND PARK HAS NEW SCHEME

Home Pitcher Can Spend Interval Between Innings in the Shelter of Clubhouse.

A TUNNEL WILL BE USED

Built From Bench and Was Intended to Get Players Off the Field Easily.

In building its new baseball park, the Cleveland club plans an innovation that will be welcomed by its home players, and that in inclement weather will give its home pitchers a distinct advantage. The trick is a tunnel from the Cleveland bench to the clubhouse. It was originally designed merely to enable the players, at the close of a game, to reach their dressing-rooms without going through the crowd. Necessity for passing through a bunch of spectators is always a nuisance, the fans frequently becoming offensive when a home club has lost a tough game, and annoyingly exuberant and rough when it has won the same sort.

Another Use.

But it has been discovered that the tunnel can be put to another use. In past years, after a pitcher has finished an inning on a cold day, he has been forced to sit on the bench wrapped up in heavy sweaters, so that his arm would not get cold. But on the new Cleveland park, when he is through pitching, in less than ten seconds he can be in the steam-heated clubhouse, and he needs no sweater whatsoever. This is sure to be a great advantage to a pitcher, and valuable to the club.

BALDWIN SEEKS FINISH FIGHT WITH BRONSON

Chelsea Lightweight Thinks He Can Take Ray's Measure in Conga Battle.

New Orleans, Dec. 29.—Mattie Baldwin, the Chelsea lightweight, who fought Ray Bronson, of Indianapolis, to a draw here last Sunday afternoon, today challenged the Hoosier boy for a 45-round or finish battle. Bronson stands ready to meet the easterner over any old route, and the pair may get together either here or on the coast.

PRES. LYNCH, GRIFFITH AND HEYDLER ARE NAMED

New Rules Committee of National League Appointed Yesterday—Some Alterations Pending.

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 30.—President Thos. J. Lynch and Secretary John Heydler, and Manager Clark Griffith, of the Cincinnati club, constitute the new rules committee appointed yesterday at the National League. These men will hold a series of meetings in New York within the next few weeks, and recommend certain alterations in the rules of the league. Later these alterations in the rules will be considered by the magnates at their meeting in February.

29 THOROUGHBREDS PERISHED IN FIRE

Stable of Valuable Horses on Patchen-Wilkes Farm at Lexington Destroyed Last Night.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 30.—A stable on the Patchen-Wilkes stock farm, belonging to W. E. D. Stokes, of New York, was destroyed by fire last night, and 29 valuable thoroughbreds, also the property of Mr. Stokes, were burned to death. The damage is $40,000.

OLD COUNTRY RESULTS

London, Dec. 29.—Several league matches were played yesterday, resulting as follows:

First Division.

Notts County 2, Blackburn Rovers 2.
Sheffield United 4, Liverpool 2.
Bristol 2, Sunderland 3.

Second Division.

Barnsley 5, Derby County 1.
Birmingham 0, Bradford 1.
Lincoln City 0, Leeds City 0.

Southern Division.

Luton Town 4, Brentford 2.
Brighton and Hove 1, Bristol 0.
Coventry 4, Queen's Park Rangers 0.
Exeter City 3, Reading 1.
Northampton 3, Watford 0.
Swindon 7, Norwich City 1.
Wolverhampton 4, Leicester 1.

Rugby.

Newport 19, Bargarians 0.
Swansea 16, Edinburgh University 0.
Leicester 12, Penarth 6.

Irish League.

Shelburne 2, Bohemians 2.
Cliftonville 1, Derry Celtic 0.
Belfast 1, Distillery 0.
Glentoran 4, Linfield 0.

THREE TEAMS PAID UP

Boys Are Practicing Faithfully for the City League Opening.

The City Hockey League has now three members paid up, the Bank of Toronto boys sending in their contribution today. The others will come along in due time, and then we should have some regular hockey.

This looks like London's year on the ice. There are fast players to burn, and if the city league does not develope some speed merchants there will be another guess coming. The boys are practicing faithfully, and when the bell rings they will be ready. Keep a day or two a week open for the city league.

EGAN TO WILKESBARRE

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Dec. 29.—Chairman Garry Herrmann, of the National commission, today notified President William J. Clymer, of the Wilkesbarre team, that Pitcher Egan has been awarded to the local team. Egan is the twirler secured from Cincinnati last season and then traded to Elmira for Levi Knapp. Elmira tried to retain him, but the commission decided he belonged to Wilkesbarre.

ACTION DROPPED

Wilkesbarre Will Not Contest Case Re Slaving and Ball Players.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Dec. 29.—Manager Clymer, of the New York State League, will not contest the right to sell and buy players under the amendment to the constitution of the United States. It was announced today that the suit of Manager McGeehan, of the Allentown club of the Atlantic League, over the purchase of Pitcher Peloquin by Wilkesbarre, had been amicably settled.

The abrupt ending of what promised to be a notable case in baseball was undoubtedly due to the stand taken by the officers of the National Baseball Association, who were against the position assumed by Manager Clymer, who held that the sale of a baseball player violated the thirteenth amendment to the United States constitution, which prohibits slavery.

"GUNBOAT" SMITH IN 20-ROUND DRAW

Man Scheduled to Become Johnson's Sparring Partner in Fierce Battle.

BURNS HIS OPPONENT

Sailor Had It All His Own Way Till the Twe... when Jack Rallied.

San Francisco, Dec. 30. — "Gunboat" Smith, sailor pugilist, who is scheduled to become Jack Johnson's chief sparring partner when the negro goes into training for his fight with Jeffries, fought a 20-round draw with Jack Burns, of Salinas last night, the battle involving the heavyweight championship of the Pacific coast.

The fight was one of the fiercest ever seen between heavyweights in a San Francisco ring. Smith led up to the twelfth round, and Burns was groggy when he went to his corner.

He came back in the thirteenth with a rush that carried Smith to the ropes and from that time to the end Burns held his own with the former navy champion, at times driving Smith around the ring with a whirlwind of blows that the sailor had hard work to avoid.

LONDON WINS FROM WOODSTOCK 18 TO 3

Local Intermediates Look Like Winners in Opening Match of Hockey Season.

MALLEN A WHIRLWIND

Eighteen-Year-Old Morrisburg Lad Shows Class — Combination Work Won Out.

London opened the local hockey season in the proper manner at the Jubilee Rink last evening, when the intermediate O. H. A. seven dusted the ice with Woodstock in an exhibition game, winning by 18 to 3.

The London boys were weak in but one point, and that can easily be remedied. Crossy, at left wing, is out of condition, having been on the ice only a couple of times this winter. Crow Carrothers took his place at half-time, and figured in the combination play nicely.

Mallen a Wonder.

Mallen, an 18-year-old player, who came from Morrisburg this year, was the class of the team, and shot in a number of goals. On several occasions he took the puck through the entire Woodstock team.

Jimmy Orr, at centre, was another speed merchant. He figured in about half of the total scoring. Prodgers was a topnotcher, and did some fast work.

Ken Casselman There.

Ken Casselman showed up in usual brilliant manner. In the second half he took the puck the entire length of the ice and put it through for a goal.

In the first four minutes of play, London shot two goals to Woodstock's one, and at half-time the tally stood 7 to 2. The combination work of Orr, Mallen and Prodgers was unbeatable.

Bryce and Thompson, on the Woodstock team, worked well together, and scored the first for the losers. The latter was rough in spots and was penalized for tripping.

The Line-Up.

London—Milne, goal; Casselman, coverpoint; Bernhardt, cover; Mallen, rover; Orr, centre; Crossy and Carrothers, left wing; Prodgers, right wing.

Woodstock—Prout, goal; Scott, coverpoint; Thompson, cover; Stone, rover; Bryce, centre; Pascoe, left wing; Henry, right wing.

The officials were: Archie McMahen, referee; Ken Murray, timekeeper, London; G. Joyce, timekeeper, Woodstock; penalty timekeeper, Webber.

O. H. A. PRACTICES

Juniors Will Take the Ice Tonight Fhom 6:15 to 7:15.

The O. H. A. juniors will hold a practice this evening at the Jubilee Rink from 6:15 to 7:15, and every player is expected out in order to get in shape for a match being arranged with the Paris Juniors.

The intermediates will practice either tomorrow or Saturday at noon.

OPENING AT INGERSOLL.

Ingersoll, Dec. 29.—The Ingersoll Intermediates opened tonight with a victory over Listowel, of the Northern League, in an exhibition game, by a score of 15 to 6. The lineup:

Listowel — Goal, L. Yule; point, L. Thompson; coverpoint, S. Thompson; right wing, G. A. Hay; left wing, Kibler; centre, J. G. Burt, rover, C. Thompson.

Ingersoll—Goal, Laird; point, McLean; coverpoint, Hay; centre, Gregory; right wing, McDougall; left wing, Kelly; rover, Mason.

A BULLTERRIER BEST DOG IN SHOW

Miss McKeown's Entry Won Prize When Tickets Were Drawn to Decide Champion.

DR. DRAKE WITHDREW

As He Donated the Cup—Exhibition Was a Record-Breaker—The Prize-Winners.

The exhibition of the London Canine Association closed last evening at the city hall, over thirty classes being represented by about 175 entries.

Competition for the best dog or bitch in the show was very keen, the four judges being divided. The award was made to Kennilworth Kennels, but having donated the cup, Dr. Drake withdrew his entry. Slips were drawn to decide between Miss McKeown and Mr. Love, the former winning.

Following were the prize-winners:

Brindle Bullterriers.

Dogs, puppy—O. Honsmaff, A. Hill, W. T. Suhr. Dogs, novice—S. McCallum, A. Hill, W. T. Suhr. Dogs, open—S. McCallum, J. C. Sloan, A. Hill. Bitches, puppy—C. Sanborn. Bitches, novice—T. Smith, A. Hill, C. Sanbourn. Bitches, open—T. Smith, A. Hill, C. Sanbourn.

Bedlingtons,

Dogs, novice—Dr. Campbell.

Beagles.

Bitches, novice—G. Kelly. Bitches, open—G. Kelly.

Bloodhounds.

Dogs, puppy—Dr. Stevenson. Dogs, novice—Dr. H. A. Stevenson, G. Kelly. Dogs, open—Dr. H. A. Stevenson, G. Kelly.

Boston Bullterriers.

Dogs, open—R. Oke, J. Ferguson. Bitches, novice—T. White, W. O. Ruse, 2 and 3. Bitches, open—R. Oke, T. White, W. O. Ruse.

Collies, Rough.

Dogs, puppy—R. McEwan. Dr. Forester, Wm. Scott. Dogs, novice—R. McEwan, F. H. Laird, V. Bateson. Dogs, open—R. McEwan, Dr. Robinson, F. H. Laird. Bitches, novice—J. W. Laird, Wm. Scott, Miss Armstrong. Bitches, open—R. McEwan, J. W. Laird, D. and S. Roberts.

Cocker Spaniels, Black.

Dogs, puppy—M. Jackson. Dogs, novice—M. Jackson. Dogs, open—M. Jackson.

Cocker Spaniels, Red.

Dogs, puppy—J. Gibson. Dogs, novice—J. Gibson. Dogs, open—J. Gibson. Bitches, novice—J. H. Brooks, W. H. Holland. Bitches, open—J. H. Brooks, W. H. Holland.

Dalmatians.

Dogs, puppy—A. Corbett. Dogs, novice—T. Poole, A. Corbett. Dogs, open—Mrs. T. Poole, A. Corbett. Bitches, novice—W. H. Hanford. Bitches, open—Mr. Coursey, Frank Stevens, W. H. Hanford.

English Bulls.

Dogs, novice—V. Jackson. Dogs, open—V. Jackson. Bitches, puppy, novice and open, J. McCall.

English Setters.

Dogs, puppy—W. Smith. Dogs, novice—W. Smith, A. S. Blackburn, 2 and 3. Dogs, open—H. Clark and Humpidge, W. Smith. Bitches, puppy—H. Clark and Humpidge. Bitches, novice—A. S. Blackburn, H. Clark, G. Bowman.

English Bull Terriers.

Dogs, puppy—G. W. Sherlock. Dogs, novice—G. Burgess, L. Sage, G. W. Sherlock. Dogs, open—G. Burgess, L. Sage, G. W. Sherlock. Bitches, puppy—T. White, A. Sutton, Duckworth. Bitches, novice—Burgess, T. White, A. Sutton. Bitches, open—Miss McKeown, D. Tbody, F. Burton.

Foxterrier, Wire-Haired.

Dogs, puppy—H. E. Beattie, J. Grant, H. C. Becher. Dogs, novice—H. E. Beattie, J. Grant, H. C. Becher. Dogs, open—J. Grant, H. E. Beattie, H. C. Becher. Bitches, puppy—Miss Lena Short, Miss B. M. Spry. Bitches, novice—J. J. Biggs, J. Dillon, Miss Spry. Bitches, open—J. J. Biggs, Miss Spry.

Foxterriers, Smooth.

Dogs, puppy—W. G. Francis. Dogs, novice—Kennilworth Kennels, 1 and 2; Mrs. Westbury. Dogs, open—Kennilworth Kennels, 1 and 2; Mrs. Westbury. Bitches, puppy—Glenmore Kennels, Kennilworth Kennels. Bitches, novice—Kennilworth Kennels, Blemore Kennels, Mrs. Westbury. Bitches, open—Kennilworth Keanels, Mrs. Westbury, 2 and 3.

Foxhounds, American.

Dogs, puppy—C. Deacon 2. Dogs, novice—C. Deacon 2. Dogs, open—C. Deacon 2. Bitches, novice—J. W. McCallum, G. Kelly. Bitches, open, J. W. McCallum, G. Kelly.

Greyhounds.

Dogs, novice—A. L. Klein. Dogs, open—A. L. Klein, H. E. Straitch, A. M. Learn. Bitches, open—A. L. Klein.

Great Danes.

Dogs, novice—Mrs. Geo. Langley. Dogs, open—Mrs. Geo. Langley.

Irish Setters.

Dogs, novice—Dr. Stevenson. Dogs, open—Dr. Stevenson. Bitches, open—G. Bowman.

Italian Greyhounds.

Dogs, novice—Dr. C. H. Ball, St. Thomas. Dogs, open—Dr. Ball. Bitches, puppy—Dr. Ball, 1, 2 and 3. Bitches, novice—Dr. Ball. Bitches, open — Dr. Ball.

Irish Terriers.

Dogs, puppy—H. Lauder, Mrs. Minnes. Dogs, novice—H. Lauder, Mrs. Minnes. Bitches, puppy, novice and open—L. Collins.

Manchesters.

Dogs—puppy, novice and open—G. Insell.

Newfoundlands.

Dogs, puppy—Mrs. Finch. Bitches, Mrs. Finch.

Pointers.

Dogs, novice—W. A. Brock. Dogs, open—W. A. Brock, W. H. Short. Bitches, open—C. A. Love, St. Thomas.

Poodles.

Bitches, puppy—C. Brennan. Bitches, novice—C. Brennan. Bitches, open—Mrs. Lockray, C. Brennan.

Pugs.

Dogs, novice—E. Langford. Dogs, open—E. Langford.

Pomeranians.

Bitches, open—A. M. Learn, 1 and 2.

Russian Wolfhounds.

Dogs, open—Dr. Tillmann. Bitches, open—Dr. Tillmann.

Scotch Terriers.

Dogs, puppy—Miss Madge. Dogs, novice—J. D. Eagan, J. D. Eagan, Miss Madge. Dogs, open—J. D. Eagan, J. D. Eagan, Miss Madge. Bitches, novice—J. D. Eagan, J. D. Eagan. Bitches, open—J. D. Eagan, J. D. Eagan.

Toy Terriers.

Bitches, puppy—S. Marsh. Bitches, novice—S. Marsh. Bitches, open — S. Marsh.

English Foxhounds.

Dogs, novice—Glenmore Kennels. Dogs, open — Glenmore Kennels. Bitches, novice — Glenmore Kennels. Bitches, open—Glenmore Kennels.

Special Black Poodles.

First—G. A. Henry.

Scotch Terriers.

White West Highland, dog, puppy, novice and open, Dr. Niven.

Yorkshire Terriers.

Dogs, puppy—Miss W. Darch. Novice and open—Miss Madge. Bitches, puppy and novice—C. Brennan. Open, Miss Madge, 1 and 2.

Specials.

Brindle Bullterriers—S. McCallum.
Boston Bullterriers—R. Oke.
Collies, Rough—R. McEwen.
Collie, dog, puppy—R. McEwen.
Collie, bitch—R. McEwen.
Cocker Spaniel, Black—M. Jackson.
Cocker Spaniel, Red—J. Gibson.
Dalmatians, dog—T. Poole.
Dalmatians, bitch—Mr. Coursey
English Bulls—J. McColl.
English Setter, puppy, bitch—Clark & Humpridge.
English Setter, bitch—A. S. Blackburn.
English Setter, dog—Clark & Humpridge.
English Bullterriers, dog—G. Burgess, L. Sage.
English Bullterrier, bitch — Miss McKeown, Daniel Thody.
Foxterrier, Wire-Hair — J. J. Biggs, H. E. Beattie.
Foxterrier, Smooth, dog—Kenilworth Kennels.
Foxterrier, Smooth, bitch — Kenilworth Kennels.
American Foxhounds — J. W. McCallum.
Greyhounds—A. L. Klein.
Great Dane—Mrs. Langley.
Italian Greyhound—Dr. C. H. Ball.
Irish Terriers—H. Lauder.
Pointer—C. A. Love.
Poodles—Mrs. Lockrey.
Russian Wolfhound—Dr. Tillmann.
Scotch Terrier—J. D. Eagan.
Yorkshire Terrier—Miss Madge.

The Judges.

Judges—D. Lynn, Port Huron; Mrs. Waters, St. Thomas; A. J. Taylor, Toronto; Dr. Niven, city; Daniel Thody, city.

NEW YEAR'S ROAD RACE

Many Entries Received for Martin Event at St. Catharines.

St. Catharines, Dec. 29.—The Martin New Year's road race is going to be a record breaker, judging from the complete official entries, which were given out this morning as follows:

John Chittim, Chatham; W. A. C. Stead, Toronto; Don McCuaig, Hamilton; Boylen, West End, Toronto; Selers, West End; Ellis, Hamilton; James George, Beaverton; George Richards, Hamilton; Johnson, Merritton; Edmonstone and Gregory, St. Catharines; Saunders, Skinner, Don. Sheridan, Richardson, Wilkinson, Henney and Murray, Vermont A. C., Toronto; Corkley, Carlton, Woods, Black, Sloan, Buxton, McCormack, Begley and Lawson, I. C. A; C. Toronto; Brown, St. Catharines; S. Allan, St. Catharines; Waud C. Howard, Central Y. M. C. A.; Toronto; Johnson, unattached, Merritton; Holden, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Hewlett, Niagara Falls; Snow, Oshweken; Summers, Burlington; Averley, Stratford; Watts, University of Toronto; Tressider, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; MacFarland, St. Catharines; J. M. Allen, Niagara Falls; Boucock, Merritton, H. Allen, St. Catharines; Burns, Hamilton; Leo O'Neil l, St. Mary's L. and A. Club, Toronto.

MAPLETON MATTERS

Christmas Entertainment in Schoolhouse—Municipal Candidates.

Mapleton, Dec. 29.—Miss Lulu Finch is visiting Miss Grace Penhale, of St. Thomas.

Miss Alma Bray, of Woodstock, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Ansel Bray

W. F. Charlton, of Toronto, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Charlton.

Misses Zelman and Mamie Brown are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Andrew Munro, of Brownesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Cloes, of New Sarum, spent Christmas with the latter's father, Mr. John H. Charlton.

George Thompson, of the Medical College, London, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson.

Misses Clara Wismer, Stella Warwick, Violet Brown, Lulu Finch, Sarah and Kathleen Moore, students at the Aylmer Collegiate Institute, are spending the vacation at their homes here.

A Christmas entertainment was held in the school house Thursday evening. An excellent programme was given, consisting of vocal solos by Misses Mabel and Eva Warwick, Mabel Bancroft and Clara Wismer; recitations were given by Misses Lulu Finch, Georgian Lenentine and Eljeva Moore and Willie Louks, and Ross McCaulley. This was interspersed with several good dialogues and tableaus, with colored illuminations, which were very pretty. The proceeds were $13 45.

The nominations for the township of South Dorchester are: For reeve, J. J. Mitchell and D. D. Finch; councillors, P. Andrews, John Charlton, E. G. Legg, Wm. Taylor, S. Dowes, Thomas Harow. Messrs. Dowes and Harow are new men in the field.

D. D. Finch, who has served the past five years as councillor successfully, solicits your vote and influence as reeve for the township of South Dorchester in the coming election for 1910.—(Advertisement.)

BOUT CANCELLED.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 29.—Battling Nelson will not be able to meet Dick Hyland in a boxing contest here until February. This cancels the proposed match, as Hyland cannot be here at that time. Willie Gibbs, of Philadelphia, and Leddy Peppers, of Kansas City, will meet here in a ten-round bout before the Empire Athletic Club next Saturday afternoon, the forfeit money having been duly posted.

AMERICAN ASSOC. NAMES PRESIDENT

Thomas Chivington, of Louisville, Beats Out O'Brien, of Milwaukee, on First Ballot.

SCHEDULE OF 168 GAMES

Decided Upon for Next Season—Not Much Trading Done at Meeting.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Thomas M. Chivington, of Louisville, today was elected the president of the American Association of Baseball Clubs over Joseph D. O'Brien, of Milwaukee, incumbent, at the annual meeting of the association. Chivington won the office for one year on the first ballot by five votes to three. He announced that the association headquarters would be removed from Milwaukee to Chicago about Feb. 1. O'Brien received the votes of Milwaukee, St. Paul and Minneapolis.

The association decided to play 168 games in 1910, elected W. R. Armour, of Toledo, vice-president, and decided to hold the schedule meeting in Chicago at the time of the American League meeting, about the middle of February.

Little Trading.

While there were many American Association and other magnates at the meeting, there was little trading done. Roger Bresnahan, manager of the St. Louis Nationals, was the only major leaguer present. He was trying to dispose of some of his surplus youngsters.

Pitcher Packard, of the Louisville team, was sold to Columbus.

It was announced that four men of the Chicago Americans were sold to the San Francisco Pacific Coast League club. The men sold were: Catcher Warring, formerly of the Guthrie, Okla., team; Pitcher Harry Stewart, of the Houston, Tex., team; Pitcher Frank Miller, of Des Pacific coast product.

SECRETARY HEWITT ISSUES INSTRUCTIONS

O. H. A. Rules Being Sent Out From Toronto to the Referees.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—The usual instructions on the conduct and management of hockey matches have been issued to O. H. A. referees from the office of W. A. Hewitt, secretary.

Outstanding are found the new requirements adopted at the annual meeting, by which captains must wear distinguishing armlet; the scoring of a goal not rendered void by a foul to head it off, and penalized or injured players off the ice may not resume play until by the consent of the penalty timekeeper. Referees are instructed to rigidly enforce the rules on roughness, and imperatively report all cases of questionable conduct to the association.

JUAREZ TRACK THERE TO STAY

Juarez, Mexico, Dec. 29.—The directors of the Jockey Club yesterday increased the capital stock $200,000 for necessary improvements, including a clubhouse, which will be started next spring.

DROPPED DEAD.

Guelph, Dec. 29.—Peter Anderson, a well-known citizen of Guelph, who for 25 years was one of the city's prominent merchants, dropped dead on the street in Manchester, Mich., where he was making a business visit in the interests of his company.

He is survived by his widow, one daughter at home, and a son who is a missionary in India.

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