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ALL THE NEWS OF THE SEASON'S SPORTS.

BASEBALL NEWS OF VARIOUS DIAMONDS

THE RING.

Britt-White Bout

Jimmy Britt and Jabez White are ready for their battle, which is scheduled for Friday in San Francisco, but as yet the authorities have not given the necessary official sanction in the shape of a permit for Woodward's Pavilion. The latest news from San Francisco was that the Board of Supervisors had refused by a very close vote to give the permit.

But the fighters hope to hold their battle just the same, and have continued their training all the time. There is a strong tip that the necessary sanction will be granted this week. Spike Sullivan, who fought White in England, says that Jabez has a very good chance to beat Britt.

But a big majority of the sports say that the victory will go to the Californian. It will be White's first and probably only battle in this country. The contest has not as yet aroused any great enthusiasm, but by the night of the battle it is expected that the sports will evince great interest and attend the meeting in big style.

Eddie Smith to Referee

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 2.—Eddie Smith of Oakland has been chosen to referee the international boxing bout between Jimmy Britt and Jabez White, which will take place in this city next Friday night.

Jeffries to Retire

CINCINNATI, May 2.—James J. Jeffries, champion heavyweight pugilist, will retire from the prize ring and from the stage and go into business with his brother, Jack, in California, according to a statement made by him today to the Times-Star. He will leave the stage May 15, arrangements having been made to cancel all engagements after that date. Jeffries takes this action at the request of his wife. In addition to this Jeffries says that pugilism does not pay.

Ring Notes

Articles of agreement for a 20-round battle to take place in Spokane, on May 12, have been signed by Martin Duffy, the Chicago welterweight, to meet Billy Melloy of Boston. The weight of the contest has been decided on as 142 pounds, weight in at 3 o'clock. Duffy is expected to go for a knockout. He anticipates a match with the latter man and has done some slight training.

This will be the second clash of the two boxers. In their first go Melloy scored the verdict by a knockout in four rounds after a hard battle. Duffy is claimed, last his fight by neglecting his training.

In speaking of goodness in the ring it is a noticeable fact that people frequently get the impression that the game fighter is the one who is able to stand up and take a punching for round after round. It is a fact, however, that some of the greatest fighters we have ever had have been felled over by comparatively light blows on the jaw, which only goes to show how differently constituted are the "toughs." There was Kid Lauger, who, when at his best, had the reputation of being able to take more punishment than any two ordinary fighters. And there were none gamier. Joe Choynick and Bob Fitzsimmons are easily toppled over, but the latter is a hard man to knock out.

Tom Sharkey once contended that fighters never get knocked out, and that those who are put in the ring are put there to be put in. He was right. But Thomas had to change his tune after Robinson and Fitzsimmons got through with him. It is logical to assume that every fighter can be knocked out if hit in the right spot with the proper force, but that Italian boxer in Philadelphia, Joe Grim, sort of dispels this illusion.

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HORSE NOTES

A 3-year-old filly by Bonnie Direct (2:06) out of Morris (2:12), dam of Robins (2:12), trotted a mile in 2:22, last half in 1:05, last quarter in 32, recently.

Peter the Great, 2:07, is the only stallion that has the double distinction of having won the Kentucky Futurity and a winner of that great stake.

Sherlock Wilkes, 2:22, is dead. This son of Red Wilkes was for many years the property of James O. Gray, and took his record at Old Forge in 1895. He was the sire of George, 2:02, and four other 2:15 performers.

White Ethan Allen, 2:15, has but six performers in the 2:30 list, yet no less than 88 others of his get took records from 2:30 to 2:50, and most of these were made from 30 to 35 years ago according to Russell's Morgan Horse and Register.

Eastern parties recently purchased from Robert Smith of Sweet Marie, 2:04, the fast trotting mare Idylwild, 3, 2:17, by McKinney, 2:11, and she will be placed in W. C. Anderson's hands to be raced. It is said that Idylwild had more speed than Sweet Marie a year ago, when both were being worked at the Los Angeles track.

Only two trotters won more heats in 2:10 or better last season than did Snyder McGregor, 2:07, by Gilman McGregor, son of Robert McGregor. Sweet Marie won 1904. Trotter won ten heats in 2:10 or better, and Dr. Sweet McGregor won eight heats in 2:10 or better. From this showing it may easily be learned just how good a trotter one must have to win even a few heats in 2:10 or better.

We have always been told that when a horse falls down the proper thing to keep him from kicking is to sit on his hind, but in one of the London courts the other day a judge, of the name of Alderson, condemned that as a very foolish proceeding and said the proper thing to do when a horse is down is to take hold of his ear and keep his nose up in the air. He said, "A horse cannot kick when his nose is in the air; I have seen a lady keep a horse quiet that way without using her gloves."—English paper.

In the New York market the demand for fine middle and harness horses is phenomenal and far beyond the capacity of local mediums of supply. The trade finds itself overwhelmed with orders. No season are shipments of horses received than buy one map them up at prices which, a few weeks ago, would have been considered extraordinary. Prices are soaring, as the available supply gets shorter, and it is no exaggeration to predict a famine before the season is far advanced unless the great west can meet the unusual demand. The drain upon the large wholesale concerns is severe, and it is admitted that horses suitable for the higher class markets are lamentably scarce.

Hints to Pipe-Smokers.

Don't pack the tobacco too tightly in your pipe. For a comfortable smoke put in Reckitt's Plug Smoking Tobacco fairly loosely and press it gently down in the bowl occasionally while smoking.

Follows regarding speed. First the greyhound with a record of 34 miles per hour, both the race horse 32, American thoroughbred antelope 30, Jack rabbit 28, fox 26, coyote 24, fochound 22, and American grey wolf 20. A man's best speed works out at about 14 miles an hour. These animal speeds were determined by actual observation with a stop watch.

The Frederickton Gleaner says:—Dick Tibbits is certainly doing himself justice this season. A dispatch published in the Philadelphia Record says:—

"COATESVILLE, Pa., April 24.—(Continued) was given a scare today by the Susquehanna University team. The locals won in the ninth. The features of the game were the playing of Mauch at second and Tibbits at right."

The summary of the game shows that Coatesville had eight runs of which Tibbits scored 3, 12 hits of which Tibbits had 4, and that Dick also had 3 put outs and one assist. He played right field. That is certainly playing some and Dick is making a great start.

North Enders are Ready

The Portland baseball team held a meeting last evening at Con. Rogan's on Main street and completed organization for the coming season. The lineup of the team was decided on at last night's meeting as follows:—

George and Phyllis—Pitchers. McLeod (Capt.)—Catcher. Fris—First base. Howard—Second base. Dwyer—Third base. Mahoney—Short stop.

Britt, Brown, Malcolm and MacDonald—Outfielders. Manager Hane, who was for a time thinking of bringing out an opposition line, has come to terms with the boys and one of the conditions of the Portlanders entering the league will be the even division of the game between the Victoria and Shamrock grounds. These latter will be put in good condition; and it is only fair to the followers of the game in that section of the city that these grounds be also used. Con. Rogan will act as manager of the team, and Leo Howard as secretary. The Portlanders start practicing tomorrow evening on the Shamrock grounds.

National League

BOSTON, May 2.—New York won a loosely played game in ten innings from Boston today, 7 to 6. Both teams batted hard, but played poorly in the field. Young lost the game by throwing home instead of to first with two out in the eighth inning, allowing the visitors to tie the score. The winning run resulted from a two-bagger, a sacrifice hit, and an out-field fly. The score:—

New York. 10
Boston. 6
R.H.E. 1-1-3
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ST. LOUIS, May 2. R.H.E. Philadelphia. 10
Pittsburg. 6
R.H.E. 1-1-3
Philadelphia. 10
Pittsburg. 6
R.H.E. 1-1-3

BROOKLYN, May 2. R.H.E. Philadelphia. 10
Pittsburg. 6
R.H.E. 1-1-3
Philadelphia. 10
Pittsburg. 6
R.H.E. 1-1-3

PHILADELPHIA, May 2. R.H.E. Philadelphia. 10
Pittsburg. 6
R.H.E. 1-1-3
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Pittsburg. 6
R.H.E. 1-1-3

AMERICAN LEAGUE
NEW YORK, May 2.—The local American league baseball team suffered another defeat at the hands of the champions from Boston here today, by the decisive score of 9 to 6. The visitors batted and played very hard in the second inning and Powell replaced him during the remainder of the game. The score:—

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Philadelphia. 10
Pittsburg. 6
R.H.E. 1-1-3

DETROIT, May 2. R.H.E. Detroit. 10
St. Louis. 6
R.H.E. 1-1-3
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BETTERIES—Brewer and Sullivan; Morgan and Weaver. Time 1:50. Umpire, Sheridan. Attendance, 2,200.

CHICAGO, May 2. Innings: Chicago. 10
Cleveland. 6
R.H.E. 1-1-3
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Cleveland. 6
R.H.E. 1-1-3

AMERICAN LEAGUE Standing
Chicago. 8
Washington. 6
Philadelphia. 6
Cleveland. 6
St. Louis. 6
Boston. 6
New York. 6

not a doubt of it. The athletes have taken four out of six from the champions, and the Washingtons are out of seven. Now come eight battles with the New York Americans, and unless the Bostonians put up a far different article of ball than they have so far they will not break even on the series.

ROCHESTER—Rochester, 6; Montreal, 2. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 6; Toronto, 5. At Newark—Newark, 1; Jersey City, 0.

Eastern League
At Baltimore—Baltimore, 6; Providence, 2. At Rochester—Rochester, 6; Montreal, 2. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 6; Toronto, 5. At Newark—Newark, 1; Jersey City, 0.

Valley League
The Valley Amateur Baseball League was formed last evening. Delegates from the Valley Stars, Rockwoods, Valley Athletics, Sussex, and Mutual teams met last evening in the rooms of the Douglas avenue Christian church, and arrangements were made to start the league games next Monday evening. The games will cover a period of eight weeks.

Connecticut League
At New London—New London, 3; Bridgeport, 6. At Norwich—Norwich, 22; New Haven, 4. At Springfield—Springfield, 7; Meriden, 1. At Hartford—Hartford, 2; Holyoke, 1.

Why Boston Don't Win
"What all the champions?" is the query one hears most frequently, owing to the way the team has been handled so far. A record of ten defeats in 13 games played is not a very creditable one, and calls for explanation, says the Herald. The changes made in the club this season as compared with last, were of a nature that led one to believe the club would again make matters merry for all comers. It has not been so, however, up to date.

Nothing of a serious nature ails the club. The principal reason for the poor showing seems to be that we have had so little baseball weather. The conditions seem to suit the other clubs better than they did our own. Then the pitchers, as a whole, are not down to championship form, but the principal trouble with the team is the inability to hit the ball safely. The game of Saturday was lost, it is true, but the way the ball was hit afforded the belief that the boys were getting their eyes on the ball and would be heard from by and by.

The Champions are famous for their staying powers. Though they have started off poorly, they are not daunted. They are but a matter of a few defeats behind the other clubs and a first-class rally will help them out, into the thick of the fight.

Of the players, the only man who has met all expectations is Albert Solbach. In fielding, batting and base running Solbach has easily proved his superiority to his fellows, so far as his work in the games has been concerned, and he cannot be put off the team, if position goes by quality. Manager Collins has also hit the ball well. He is in splendid shape this season. Collins has not played the ball generally grandly, but his hitting has been very weak.

Leahane batted so poorly in the south that Grinnahan should have been placed in his position from the very first championship game and been given an opportunity to show what he could do.

Grinnahan is young and ambitious. He is a first-class batsman and is perfectly capable of attending to the duties of first baseman. He is young blood and must have it if it is to be a factor in the race for the championship, and doubtless Manager Collins realizes that fact.

Other clubs are stronger by comparison.

BOWLING

Saturday Night's Game
In the seventh game of the five-pin bowling contest, in Fisher's alley last Saturday night, Capt. C. Nichols' team won from Capt. Galbraith's by 9 pins. The score was as follows:

TU. Ave.
F. Appleby. 30 31 24 28 29 13
H. Safford. 34 27 28 29 33
T. McLean. 23 31 34 30 30
J. Daley. 27 41 30 28 32 23
C. Nichols (Capt.). 30 32 40 11 37
Total pin fall. 468

TU. Ave.
S. Fry. 30 34 36 100 83 13
V. Mullins. 18 40 28 91 30 13
W. Fitzpatrick. 32 34 26 91 30 13
W. K. Galbraith. 32 28 27 85 28 13
J. Galbraith. 30 31 40 110 38 23

The next game will be played this evening between teams captained by A. King and J. Galbraith.

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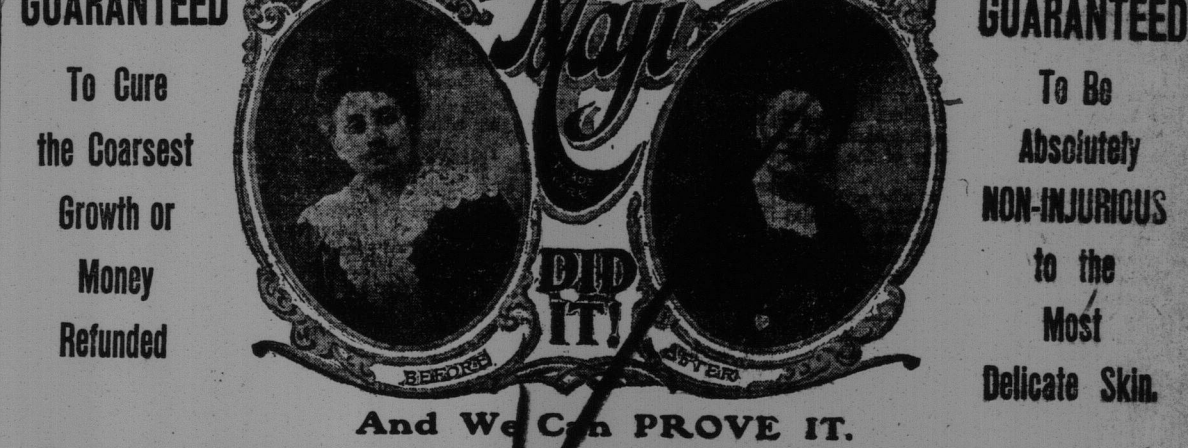
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