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THE TIMES-STAR SPORT REVIEW

Breezy Briefs on Current Pastimes on Events of Interest to Fans.

It is surprising how much interest is manifested locally in the big football matches in the States. A number of enquiries have been received concerning the Yale-Harvard football match, which is to be staged in Cambridge Saturday afternoon. This game is also attracting attention in many of the eastern States, and the result will be awaited with interest. Yale is conceded to be so far superior to Harvard that it seems certain they will have little difficulty winning. The big question of the day is on the score. One Wall street firm has wagered $2,000 that Yale will not secure more than 16 points, while other offers of 5 to 4 are being placed that Harvard will score. From this it is evident that Harvard supporters have little confidence in their team. This is certainly quite a change from the days when Haughton was coach.

Ralph Greenleaf of Philadelphia, world's champion pocket billiard player, evidently decided that the Billiard League officials were serious when they threatened to punish him if he persisted in playing Shoemaker, former amateur billiard champion, in a special 750 point match. This series was to have started last night, but was called off. Greenfield would be very foolish to antagonize the Billiard League officials, for they have arranged many matches for him, which proved highly satisfactory from a remunerative standpoint.

Whether or not "Young" Stribling "is a flash in the pan" will be determined in Boston next Monday night when he meets Joe Eagan. His credited victory over Mike McTigue gave Stribling more notoriety than he would have earned had he been fighting second raters for a year. In Eagan he is meeting a boxer of merit and he will have to show ring science as well as hitting ability if he hopes to eliminate him. Eagan is one of the most popular boxers in the "Hub,' and his friends are confident that he will quickly despatch the Macon "flash."

Many writers seem to have a mania to create dissention. One sport editor in the States keeps harping about "breakers ahead for Frank Chance," the newly appointed leader of the White Sox. When he was first appointed to handle the Chicago American League team reports were current that Eddie Collins, Harry Hooper and Ray Schalk were all peeved, because they had been entertaining hopes for the managerial berth. Collins has since denied that he had any desire to manage the club, while Hooper is not the type who opposes the wishes of his superiors. He is one of the most gentlemanly players in the majors, and his retiring disposition belies these rumors. As far as Schalk is concerned, there may or may not be truth in the statement that he would like to be at the helm. It is questionable if Schalk has the qualifications to handle a major league team. There is no denying that he is a clever catcher, but it has yet to be proven that he will blossom into a leader. There is no denying that Chance has a contract ahead of him if he entertains hopes of building up a pennant contender, but with some of the old reliables and an abundance of youngsters to pick from, he may "come across" with a surprise. Ball players are usually temperamental and if some keep reading that they are dissatisfied they may begin to believe they have a grievance. A manager's path at the best of times is not strewn with roses, so why try and make it harder for him even if he is on an opposing club.

From all indications Jack Britton will have to realize that "Father Time is taking his toll," and that his days in the roped arena are numbered. Although he displayed ring craft and courage in his recent bout with Frankie Schoell in Boston, he was only a reminder of that once great fighter. The spring is gone from his legs and his "pep" has departed, leaving behind a head full of knowledge but a body incapable of standing the strain. When a boxer like Schoell can win a decision over him it is time he packed the gloves away. It is a sad but true story which all athletes must face, namely, "that youth will be served.'

TO HOLD HOCKEY AND BASKETBALL ANNUALS TONIGHT

Hockey and basketball for the approaching winter season will be lined up at annual meetings this evening of the City Hockey League and the City Basketball League. The hockey annual will be held in the Board of Trade rooms at 7.30 o'clock sharp

The basketball annual will be held in the Y. M. C. I. at 8 o'clock with delegates present from St. George A. A., Trojans and Y. M. C. I. Efforts will be made to arrange a fair schedule and start the league at once. The winner in this league will qualify to play-off for the Maritime title.

The St. George A. A. A. will hold a special meeting at 8.30 this evening in the Dunlop Tire Co. office, Prince William street.

WHEN THE WILD BULL BATTLES THE "APE MAN"

The ape man of Bolivia, self styled, comes forward to do battle in the prize ring.

He is an Indian giant and his little playmates call him Camacho.

The yard stick shows that Camacho is seven feet tall and proportionately full.

Camacho wants to fight Firpo.

It might make a great fight.

"In this corner, gents, Firpo, the wild bull of the Pampas; in the other corner, Camacho, the savage orang-outang of the Punas. Both boys are members of this club."

Pays Money to Pitch

Unique Experience of Pete Donohue, Star of Red's Staff.

Promotes Game in Texas and Gets a Tough Break With Rain

PETE DONOHUE

Fort Worth, Tex.—Ever hear of a major league pitching star paying $5.85 to pitch a game on a barnstorming trip?

No!

Well, that's what happened to Peter J. Donohue, pitching star of the Cincinnati Nationals, who was the feature performer in a barnstorming game between the Fort Worth All Stars and a club at Leonard, Tex., led by Topper Rigney, Detroit shortstop.

You see it all came about this way:

Pete agreed to pitch the game for the Fort Worth club and the team departed for Leonard via the automobile route. It was agreed that the company which furnished the automobiles would be paid a certain sum.

The boys were off for Leonard one was automatically off.

Saturday morning. It ordinarily takes about four hours to make the 100-mile trip. But it rained all night and bad roads slowed the automobiles up. As a result, the team arrived in Leonard an hour after time for the game to start.

The guarantee on Saturday's game Sunday, it rained hard all morning. But the boys didn't care—they had rain insurance. If Jupe Pluve would only turn on the faucet from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. for 10 inches the team would collect $1,250.

Unfortunately it stopped before the insurance time limit. The sun came out. But only 300 fans were out to see the game.

At 4.15 p.m.—fifteen minutes after the insurance policy expired!—it rained cats and dogs. The game was called off in the third inning, the fans got their money back and the players were left holding the sack.

Then they all had to pitch in to pay the automobile company!

Pete says it was the first time he'd ever paid for the privilege of pitching a baseball game.

By the way, Pete left here Nov. 6 for Los Angeles to winter in the Land of Sunshine. He will try to take on some fat at the expense of Garry Herrmann, president of the Reds.

TO PLAY FOR THE WORLD'S TITLE

Loser of Hoppe - Cochrane Match will be Recognized as First Challenger.

New York, Nov. 22.—The loser of the play-off for the world's 18.2 balkline billiard championship, which will be held in Chicago on Dec. 17, 18 and 19, will be rated second in the tournament standing and as a result will be the recognized challenger, it has been decided officially. It has been ruled that the play-off is a continuation of the international tournament which ended in a tie between Willie Hoppe and Welker Cochran here on Nov. 5.

It means now that Hoppe and Cochran will clash twice in 1,500-point matches, for the loser of the play-off is virtually certain to exercise his right to challenge It originally was the belief that Young Jake Schaefer, who finished third in the tournament, would be recognized as the challenger of the play-off winner.

Schaefer has not given up hope of getting another chance to win the title before spring, and doubtless he will be accommodated. In the event Hoppe wins both the play-off and the challenge match, he can be counted upon to give Schaefer his chance, for only a few days ago Hoppe said that should he be successful in retaining his title he would honor the challenges of recognized players. And Schaefer is the one player that he would not avoid, he intimated.

However, Cochran may be the man who will have much to say about future challenge matches. He has gained confidence as a result of his recent tournament success and his decisive victories over Hoppe and Schaefer have done much to inspire him. Shortly before leaving for California he said that he had partially convinced the billiard world that he was championship timber and that he hoped to leave no doubt as to this after the play-off and the challenge matches with Hoppe. Cochran always has been a spectacular, but not a consistent player His sensational work against Hoppe and Schaefer, in which he registered his best average, has served to convince him that his two greatest rivals are not unbeatable.

Cochran's one ambition has been to be called the world's champion. He has been playing in world's tournaments for more than five years and the victory he scored over Hoppe this year was the first time that he ever defeated Hoppe. Cochran felt badly over his great form reversal in his match against Erich Hagenlacher in which he lost his only game in the tournament and thereby lost his chance to gain the world's title outright.

Schaefer took his defeat keenly, but has not lost heart. He worked hard to regain the title, gave up all his exhibition work in public and concentrated in private in perfecting his game. His only setbacks were at the hands of Hoppe and Cochran and he lost to Hoppe after he seemed to have victory within his grasp.

Hoppe, as usual, has little to say. He missed his chance to win the tournament outright when he was checked by Cochran, but he was fortunate to remain in the running and it was only rare skill and great courage that enabled him to vanquish both Horemans and Schaefer. In each match he was forced to play an uphill game in order to survive. He has not let down since the tournament ended. He said the opposition has improved to such an extent that any kind of a slump would mean the end of his reign as champion. He realizes that he has two important matches ahead of him, those against Cochran, and that in the event of victory that he must prepare for Schaefer, recognized as one of the greatest match player in the game.

U. N. B. RECEIVES THE CLARK TROPHY

Presentation Is Followed by Announcement of Offer of Another Cup.

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 23.—The Clark trophy emblematic of the championship of the western section of the Maritime Intercollegiate Rugby Football League, was presented last night to Frederick J. Reid, president of the U. N. B. Amateur A. A. for all time by virtue of U. N. B.'s three consecutive wins during the seasons of 1921-22-23. J. Blaine Pugh, the local trustee, made the presentation at the annual football banquet last night. Messages from Dr. Bigelow, of Mount Allison and Dr. H. T. Dewolfe, of Acadia University, the other two trustees of the cup, who concurred, were received.

The presentation was followed by the announcement that three graduates of the U. N. B. had combined to offer another cup to replace the Clark trophy in competition by U. N. B., Mt. Allison and Acadia universities. The names of the donors were not given.

C. CARTER HEADS E. END BOYS' CLUB

The East End Boys' Club is assured of a good tumblers' class this season. The reason for this statement was given by the general superintendent, Miss Emma I. Heffer, last evening when she told of the surprise arrival of Leo McIntyre, on of the crack tumblers in the Boys' Club, who has been absent in Boston, and decided that St. John is not a bad place to live in after all. Walter Evans, who is leading the boys in athletics again this season, has chosen four other boys making a class of five, that will present a bold front in any exhibition that may be declared this winter.

As three of the leader corps boys had resigned, three others were chosen from the intermediates as follows: George McLaughlin, Clement Moore and Norman Drew. New officers were also elected as follows: President, Cecil Carter; vice-president, William McLaughlin; secretary, James Merlin. Matthew Garnett was made chairman of the visitors' welcome committee.

James Merlin, who had been in St. Stephen, was another glad surprise to the club, as he has returned to the city for the winter. There is a general feeling of optimism at the club.

CAMERA SHOWS ZEV WAS BEATEN

Slow Motion Picture Discloses In Memoriam Leading by Inches.

New York, Nov. 23.—Slow motion pictures of the Zev-In Memoriam match race Saturday at Churchill Downs, Louisville, exhibited by the Pathe Company, show In Memoriam an apparent victor by a half head, although part, at least, of this margin was due to the location of the camera six feet beyond the finish line. The judges declared Zev winner by a nose in one of the most thrilling thoroughbred races in history.

Calculation of the camera's location to the wire and distance from the horses at the finish gives In Memoriam an advance of about four inches in the pictures, according to an explanation made by Emanuel Cohen, Pathe editor, to newspapermen who witnessed a special showing of the films. Discounting this, however, it was pointed out, In Memoriam apparently had a lead of approximately eight inches, inasmuch as the margin actually apparent in the pictures is about 12 inches.

Mr. Cohen emphasized, however, that this explanation was purely from a technical viewpoint, based upon the revelations of the camera's eye. He refused to commit himself personally one way or the other regarding the outcome of the race.

The pictures show that Zev got off to a bad start, veering wide at the barrier and losing considerable ground. Jockey Earl Sands, up on the conqueror of Papyrus, and Mack Garner, who piloted In Memoriam, both whipped their mounts frantically in a driving finish.

BLAME OPPONENTS' PANTS FOR BIG FOOTBALL SCORE

St. Louis, Nov. 23.—It was the rubber pants of the Mountaineers that contributed to the 48 to 0 victory of West Virginia last Saturday, say the grid men of St. Louis University.

The "rainy day trousers" were used for the first time by the West Virginia crew. Just when the St. Louis players thought they had a death grip on the husky Mountaineers' rubber pants, made slik by the rain, the St. Louis boys would go down, but the West Virginians would stay up.

The rubber pants are said to be an invention of the West Virginia coach.

JOE DUGGAN IN HOSPITAL.

New York, Nov. 23.—Joe Dugan, star third baseman of the world's champion New York Yankees, last Tuesday underwent an operation for a knee injury familiarly known among athletes as a "double lock." It is described as a variety of dislocation in the left knee and not considered serious.

GAMES IN CITY BOWLING LEAGUES

Results of Last Evening's Candle Pin Matches on Local Alleys.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE.

James Pender & Co. outfit took four points from the N. B. Power Co. quintette in a Commercial League fixture last night. The scores were:

James Pender—				Total.	Avg.
Burns	108	87	78	273	91
Bell	77	79	82	238	79 1-3
Vincent	75	77	69	221	73 2-3
Yeomans	77	83	80	240	80
Lemmon	89	86	96	271	90 1-3
	426	412	405	1243	

N. B. Power Co.—				Total.	Avg.
H. Hoyt	79	72	76	227	75 2-3
J. Hoyt	70	66	65	201	67
Boyce	71	72	75	218	72 2-3
Wilson	81	76	84	241	80 1-3
Cosgrove	87	82	75	244	81 1-3
	388	368	375	1131	

CLERICAL LEAGUE.

In the Clerical League last evening, Canadian National Express took part in a double-header winning three points from the Schofield Paper Co. quintette and losing three points to the T. S. Simms outfit. The scores were:

Can. Nat. Express—				Total.	Avg.
Parfitt	80	76	74	230	76 2-3
Collins	79	98	79	256	84 2-3
Saunders	67	78	86	231	77
Poole	77	115	86	278	92 2-3
Hunter	91	91	84	266	88 2-3
	394	456	409	1259	

Schofield Paper Co.—				Total.	Avg.
Whitcomb	71	63	85	219	73
Crowley	81	73	63	217	72 1-3
Campbell	84	75	82	241	80 1-3
Smith	78	107	80	265	88 1-3
Hunter	74	91	110	275	91 2-3
	388	409	420	1217	

Can. Nat. Express—				Total.	Avg.
Bustin	76	93	75	244	81 1-3
Poole	75	80	94	249	83
Parfitt	95	86	68	239	79 2-3
Collins	79	80	74	233	77 2-3
Hunter	88	88	84	260	86 2-3
	413	417	395	1225	

T. S. Simms, Ltd.—				Total.	Avg.
Shenpard	87	83	98	268	89 1-3
H. Tower	88	84	93	265	88 1-3
Calder	60	78	79	217	72 1-3
Olin	84	100	84	268	89 2-3
R. Tower	80	82	95	257	85 2-3
	399	427	449	1275	

CITY LEAGUE.

The Victorias stamped themselves as dangerous contenders for the championship of the City League by taking all four points from the Y. M. C. I. last night by a margin of 79 pins. Beatteay and Bruce Winchester were high men. The scores were:

Victorias—				Total.	Avg.
Beatteay	81	103	101	285	95
Covey	78	76	91	245	81 2-3
Thurston	102	87	76	265	88 1-3
Winchester	89	101	85	275	91 2-3
Sommerville	91	94	88	273	91
	441	461	441	1343	

Y. M. C. I.—				Total.	Avg.
Olive	87	79	86	252	84
Griffiths	76	76	90	242	80 2-3
Jenkins	87	93	94	274	91 1-3
McDonald	79	80	79	238	79 1-3
Harrington	85	91	82	258	86
	414	419	431	1264	

C. P. R. LEAGUE.

In the C. P. League last night, the Telegraph Department team took three points from the Passenger Department quintette. The scores were:

Telegraph Dept.—				Total.	Avg.
Johnson	79	81	70	230	76 2-3
Judge	78	100	84	262	87 1-3
Moran	76	70	74	220	73 1-3
Emery	66	81	83	230	76 2-3
McLaughlin	86	84	82	252	84
	385	416	393	1194	

Passenger Dept.—				Total.	Avg.
Greig	68	75	76	219	73
Paisley	78	73	81	232	77 1-3
Dummy	66	70	74	210	70
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Cleary	102	96	81	279	93
Flower	81	84	79	244	81 1-3
	859	404	406	1169	

INTER-SOCIETY.

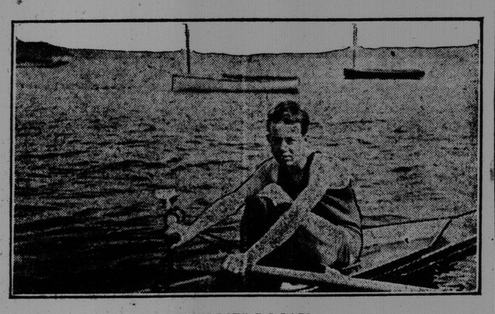
St. George A. A. A.—				Total.	Avg.
Carleton	80	102	75	257	85 2-3
Norris	97	72	84	253	84 1-3
Pike	85	90	83	258	86
Seely	74	73	79	226	75 1-3
Jenkins	108	98	103	309	103
	444	445	424	1303	

G. W. V. A.—				Total.	Avg.
Roberts	80	83	101	264	88
Ryan	78	82	83	243	81
Irving	80	88	111	279	93
Sweeney	80	93	98	271	90 1-3
Clark	106	102	84	292	97 1-3
	424	448	477	1349	

Hangs Up Motorcycle Record.

Philadelphia, Nov. 22.—A new world record on a motorcycle was established near here recently by John "Red" Wolverton, captain of the Ace racing team. Hurtling his four cylinder machine over a straightaway course of a mile, Wolverton attained an average of 130 miles an hour. An electric timing device was used and the test was witnessed by officials of the Motorcycling and Allied Trades Association.

St. John Boy Honored



"WILLIE" LOGAN

To William Logan, classy young local sculler, and Canadian boy champion skater, goes the honor of being the first Canadian to have his picture and record published in the Nestor Johnson Mfg. Company's booklet containing interesting data on racing, hockey and figure skating. Emerson & Fisher, Ltd., local agents for the Nestor Johnson Mfg. Co., were largely instrumental in having this accomplished. When the agent of the company was here some time ago it was brought to his attention that Willie Logan won the Canadian and National championships last winter and was entitled to recognition. As a result his picture and record appears in their latest edition.

Logan won the Maritime boy championship in 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1923. He was crowned boy champion of Canada in 1922 and successfully defended his title last season. In addition he won the championship for boys in the National meet. He holds the boys' record for 440 yards, time 40 1-5 secs.; the boys' record for 220 yards, time 1 sec., and the boys' record for the mile, time 3.06. He has already won twenty-two cups and twenty-four medals in championship competitions. His many admirers are keenly interested in his progress and have high hopes that he will some day emulate the record of his father and win the International title.

PRINCIPAL MYLES SUPPORTS IDEA

Is in Hearty Accord With the Better English Campaign.

W. J. S. Myles, principal of the High School, was pleased with Miss Rosamond M. DeWolfe Archibald when she had the opportunity of a chat with him yesterday afternoon. Mr. Myles, when asked last evening as to his opinion of the methods used by this clever young teacher, said that he knew little as yet of her methods, but he was heartily in accord with her principles as outlined to him. He is looking forward eagerly to hearing these methods explained today. He is delighted with the ideas put forward by Miss Archibald and is doing all in his power to interest the children of the schools to attend the Imperial today. Further than this, Mr. Myles says that he hopes the parents of the children will be largely represented in the audience. He believes the great advantages of the educational system will be assured when there is complete co-operation between the home and the schools.

In the matter of better use of the English language, Mr. Myles also spoke of the reflection of the home on the child attending school and vice versa. If Miss Archibald's method can bring about this reflection of better speech, forming a co-operative link, Mr. Myles feels that a great advance will be made in the mode of speech everywhere. He was very proud to state that the High School orchestra will play today at the Imperial for Miss Archibald's lecture and demonstration.

The young girls of the Standard Business College will appear in uniform, and a banner has been prepared by the artist of the Imperial staff, Arthur Stringer. This banner will be used in the official box. W. H. Golding is doing all in his power to assist Miss Archibald in her efforts to get her splendid idea before the public.

JAPAN FORCED TO REDUCE OLYMPIC TEAM

Paris, Nov. 22.—The Japanese Olympic committee notified the French Olympic committee that because of the earthquake the number of athletes to be sent by Japan to next year's Olympic games will be reduced from thirty, as originally intended, to ten.

The French committee has received an official notification of Spain's intention to take part in the games.

PAL REED TO MEET BOGASH

Have Been Matched for a Bout in Boston.

Boston, Nov. 23.—Louis Bogash of Bridgeport and Pal Reed, the "fighting parson," who gave former Champion Johnny Wilson a real battle last week, have been matched to clash at Mechanics' building, Friday evening, Nov. 30.

The match looms up as one of the best middleweight attractions of the year, and as Bogash always has been a big favorite here, it is expected that the bout will prove popular with the fans.

An effort was made to obtain Tommy Loughran of Philadelphia to meet Bogash, but the Philly boxer refused to mingle with the hard hitting Bridgeport middleweight.

Since Bogash won a referee's decision over Jock Malone recently, middleweights refuse to meet him. A Boston referee was in the ring in this bout and he was loud in his praise of the work of Bogash.

Although there will be plenty of fighting in Boston next week, the appearance of Bogash will prove a crowning event. As Reed is now fighting better than ever, as he demonstrated against Wilson, the match looms up as one of the choicest fistic morsels of the season.

IS THROUGH WITH THE BRIGHT LIGHTS

Champion Greb Promises He Will Reform.

Pittsburg, Penn., Nov. 23.—Harry Greb will defend his middleweight title for the first time since he won it from Johnny Wilson on Aug. 31, when he takes on Bryan Downey of Columbus at Pittsburg on Dec. 3. It will also be the first decision fight in Pittsburg.

Greb admits that he was basking in the white lights and neglecting training too much in the past. He says he is getting old and that he cannot travel the pace he formerly did. He has promised his Pittsburg backers that he will be in condition for the Downey fight and that he is not going to take any chances with the Columbus lad.

The middleweight champion's friends, however, are pursuing the watchful waiting policy. They want to see if Greb really means it before they take any fliers. The memory of how he was taking the count with Soldier Jones the other day still sticks.

Greb declares he will never fight Wilson in New York. He is willing to accommodate Gene Tunney in the metropolis. He figures he can take care of the others in this State, since Pennsylvania is now permitting decision fights.

ARE OUT FOR CLEAN HOCKEY

Hope to Eliminate Practices Which Mar Fine Winter Sport.

(Montreal Gazette.)

At the postponed annual meeting of the National Hockey League, which is to be held in Ottawa on December 1, certain proposals are to be submitted by the Ottawa Hockey Association looking to the elimination of practices which have seriously marred this fine winter game in recent seasons and have disgusted the lovers of clean sport. It should scarcely be necessary to state that the public who follow professional hockey, and support it, want to see the game decently played; they have no love for deliberate rowdyism and not the smallest admiration for players who indulge in it. Such players are, fortunately, in the minority, but that is reason enough why they should not be permitted to bring the game into disrepute; if they cannot or will not play the game as it should be played, they should be put out of it, and kept out. The proposals of the Ottawa Association will, if adopted clothe the president of the N. H. L. with practically unlimited authority in dealing with offending players. The details are for the League representatives to determine, but the principle is one in regard to which there should be no difference of opinion, nor should there be any hesitation in adopting and enforcing whatever drastic remedies are considered necessary. That existing penalties are not sufficiently severe is proven in the frequency and flagrancy of the examples of bad sportsmanship which lovers of good hockey have had so much reason to deplore. Hockey can be made a clean game, just as professional baseball—the most highly organized and commercialized of all sports—has been made clean. There have been violations of the ethics of baseball, some of minor importance, and some very few that have been scandalous, but the delinquents, under the rule of Commissioner Landis, have been dealt with vigorously and impartially, and the more serious offences have ended the baseball careers of major league players, with the result that baseball is as clean a sport as any that is played on this continent. The same can be true of hockey. The game is fast and, in some degree, a dangerous one; accidents cannot always be prevented, but deliberate thug-work can and ought to be stopped.

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