

JOHN L.'S REMINISCENCES.

Paid \$100 for a Meal in French Prison Then Spilt Amount and Dinner With Mitchell—Stage and Pugilism

John L. Sullivan, the once fistic champion, relates some of his experiences. After my arrest for fighting Charley Mitchell in Chantilly, France, the French police put me into one of the toughest jails...

I was told in sign language that it was a terrible crime to feed me with anything better than the prison menu, and it would take a lot of mysterious work to smuggle in the grub...

The claim of Jack O'Brien to several kinds of championships makes me feel like jumping off the water wagon long enough to pick up the whip. Yet Jack seems to be as far from the right as some of the rest of them.

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Poor Fitz! He got his made all a la John L. He got it just about the same way. And his money faded, too.

The country is getting in a bad way for heavy fighters from recent showing, and I am surprised that more men with meat in their bones don't get in and try for the money that is waiting for the man who will come along and fight in the god old way...

There's been so much monkey business that it might be hard for any scrapper to stay with the mitt game, to hang out a sign as a fighter and stick to it.

What do you think would happen to a fighter who would come along at this time and do like John L. did?

The fact is, the ring is changing, but not for the better. They dance around more than they used to do, they don't hit so hard or so often as we did, and things last longer.

My kick is because I picked boxing out of the mud and gave the game standing and character because it was on the level and honest sport every way you took it.

BEAUTIFUL ART PICTURE

ALMOST FREE shows a little girl placing a lump of sugar on a dog's nose and asking him to "talk for it." This large picture is large size, 16 x 20 inches, in eight different colors and finished with lithographed facsimile SCROLLS.

body to make a yell, and I'm not afraid. Although I've drawn the color line pretty tight in my time, none of the Pullman car porters draw the line on me.

HUSBAND WOULD NOT DIE SOON ENOUGH

So Mrs. Stuart Undertook to Assist His Departure From This Vale of Sin and Sorrow

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—A despatch to the World from Gloster, Miss., says: Mrs. Clarke Stuart, wife of a wealthy planter who died yesterday, charged with poisoning her husband for the purpose of collecting a life insurance policy of \$100,000.

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The Anaemic Young Girl

EASILY NOTICED BY HER BLANCHED CHEEKS, BLOODLESS LIPS AND DULL EYES.

Perhaps she is sixteen. Suddenly she seems to lose strength. Her beauty fades because her vitality is steadily decreasing.

Every organ of the body is benefited by Ferrozone. It rebuilds the entire system, makes new tissues, strengthens weak flabby muscles, makes thin people fat and sick people well.

MISTOOK THE MAN.

He apparently was a visitor from the rural districts who was totally unacquainted with city ways.

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The advertisement and the salesman together fight the battle of trade—Nath'l C. Fowler, Jr., Boston.

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DR. OSLER FOUND CANADIAN NEWS

P. E. Island Horse Thieves Get Eight Years.

Says It Is Not a Great Medical Centre.

Declares English University Is Not Up to Standard of Some American Institutions.

BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 23.—That Dr. William Osler is of the opinion that Oxford University is not up to the high standard of some institutions as Johns Hopkins Hospital and others of its kind in America, and that Oxford cannot be a great medical centre, is the sense of an address of the doctor to the medical and chirurgical faculty of Maryland.

"The university is now fairly well equipped for medical courses. There are now two things lacking to make the school complete, and they are a pharmaceutical institute and an institute of hygiene, and it is to be hoped that they will be secured at an early date."

As to the question of the degree, Dr. Osler said he is inclined to favor the attitude toward it that exists generally in American institutions, where more is thought of the kind of work a man does than of his examinations.

Indirectly, the doctor is in English universities of considering the degree as the whole thing. On the other hand, he favored the thoroughness of the English examination. He is lacking in the blood, purifies and cleanses it, and keeps it in perfect order.

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LORD'S DAY LEGISLATION

Nature of the Act Sought—Petitions Now in Circulation Throughout Canada.

Petitions are circulated throughout this city and the country generally asking the senate and house of commons of Canada to enact a law for the observance of the Lord's day.

Many Applicants for Rhodes Scholarship—Diphtheria in Belleville—The Tariff Commission.

CALGARY, Alberta, Jan. 23.—W. H. Latimer, late manager of the Provincial Investment Bureau of Philadelphia, who is wanted there on a charge of swindling, yesterday had a new charge preferred by Attorney A. J. Persig, of Philadelphia, who on his arrival here swore out a warrant against Latimer charging him with embezzling \$102,000.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Jan. 23.—Yesterday Chief Justice Sullivan sentenced George Ledwell and Joseph McCreedy, convicted of horse stealing, horse breaking and larceny, to eight years each in Dorchester penitentiary.

The Abegweit hockey team have accepted an invitation to go to St. John's, where they will leave after the provincial league series is concluded.

The following is a full list of P. E. I. applicants for Rhodes scholarships: A. G. Cameron of Montserrat, student at the Queen University, Kingston; A. R. McLeod, Ulgar, at McGill; Albert Seaman, Charlottetown, at Dalhousie; R. G. Gillis, Summerside, St. Dunstan's; George Webber, Summerside, McGill; J. C. Ballen, Mt. Allison, now teaching in the MacDonald Consolidated School at Hillsboro.

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Picture Post-Cards

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A BLUE LOOKOUT FOR RUSSIA

Is the Opinion of Prominent American in Moscow

He Thinks Popular Government Must Come or There Will Be Signs of Trouble.

MOSCOW, Jan. 23.—Alexander Barry, a naturalized American, who is among the most prominent manufacturers of Moscow, takes an exceedingly gloomy view of the situation, industrially and politically.

It shall not be lawful for any person on that day to engage in any game or contest for gain or for prize or reward, or to be present thereat or to provide, engage in, or be present at any performance at which any fee is charged, directly or indirectly, either for admission to such performance, or for any service or privilege thereat.

It shall not be lawful for any person on that day to run, conduct, or convey by any mode of conveyance any excursion on which passengers are conveyed for hire, and having for its principal or only object the carriage on that day of such passengers for amusement or pleasure, and passengers so conveyed shall not be deemed to be travellers within the meaning of this section.

It shall not be lawful for any person on that day to open to the public any park or pleasure ground or other place maintained for gain, to which an admission fee is charged directly or indirectly, or within which a fee is charged for any service or privilege.

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ARE DYING IN SHACKS

Story of Two Suffering Men in Northern Canada.

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Jan. 23.—Isolated from the world, ill and without food, Charles Hawkins, an Englishman, lies alone in a fragile little shack in the Lake Nepigon district, awaiting food, medicine and a rescue party which is being hurried to him from the Neigon headquarters of the trans-continental survey.

A hundred or more miles to the northwest, in a lonely trapper's shanty, separated by many days' travel from friends and medical aid, J. Beemer lies battling with what may prove a fatal attack of typhoid fever.

Both men were members of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway survey, and, owing to a quarrel with the engineer in charge, decided to walk to civilization. They left camp on Dec. 13, in company with a man named Wilson. On the afternoon of the second day the ice gave way as they were crossing a creek which empties into Lake Wawoneg.

The following morning they were too stiff to move, but on the next day Hawkins and Wilson were able to continue their journey, leaving Beemer in the trapper's shanty.

Three nights Hawkins and Wilson wandered about in the bush trying to find their way, each night taking turns to sit up to keep the fire burning. On the fourth day from camp Hawkins slipped, going down a steep bank and injuring himself so badly that he could not move.

Small hopes are entertained of finding the bodies of the men alive.

QUEBEC, Jan. 23.—Three servants employed by Andrew Joseph, who with his wife is at present in New York, were asphyxiated this morning by escaping coal gas from the furnace.

They were found unconscious on the floor in the basement, showing that they had endeavored to escape from the fatal fumes, but were overcome.

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