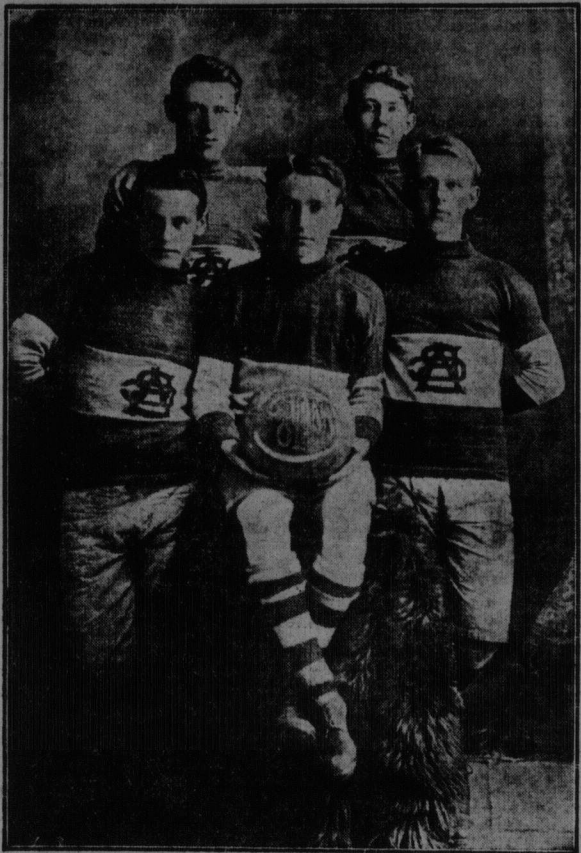


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SPORTS

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Claim Championship Of North Country



ANDOVER BASKETBALL TEAM.

From left to right, top row: Jas. Porter, Wilmet Curry. Centre: Sanford Jamer. Bottom row: Burton MacAlary, L. McKnight.

Although St. John is recognized as the home of speedy triangle players, it is doubtful indeed if they could take the measure of the above Andover aggregation, who have a record of wins to their credit as long as the moral law. The fact that they have lowered the colors of all the ball-tossers in every town and burg in Northern Maine and New Brunswick justifies their claim to championship of that part of the country and marks them out as some class basketballers. During the entire season not a single defeat was sustained upon their own floors, while such a classy bunch as the Hartland quintette was forced to take of 37-1. Their claim to the championship of Northern Maine is based upon the

MARTIN OUT WITH BALL TEAM TOO

In reference to the city baseball league, James "Slasher" Martin called at The Standard office last evening, and stated that he had a team which he would like to enter in the league in competition with the teams formed by Charles P. Tiley and James McBride. He also said that George Dunham of South End, well known through his successful connection with several local teams, also has a team. Mr. Martin when asked as to the personnel of his team, said that a number of the North End players would be in it, and he would make no more definite statement than to say: "If we can gain a chance to play in the league we can easily satisfy the fans whether we have the goods or not." Mr. Martin said he would like to meet Mr. Tiley at any time convenient to him and discuss the formation of the league.

SCRIBNER TROPHY FOR THE JUNIORS

A meeting of the Junior Baseball League was held in the Y. M. C. A. last evening. Representatives were present from the Y. M. C. A. Business Boys, High School, Pirates and Y. M. B. A. It was announced that the Scribner Trophy will be put up for the winner of the junior league. It is expected that the league will be composed of at least six teams. A meeting will be held on Monday, when a committee will be appointed to make final arrangements and draw up a schedule of games.

Lovers of sport in Carleton are taking interest in the formation of a baseball league embracing five teams, to be known as the "West Side Baseball League." Meetings have been held lately, and the project discussed, as well as a selection of W. D. Baskin, Norman McLeod and Clarence Myles as officers. Mr. Baskin is president.

LONGBOAT FOR JEFF'S CAMP. Hamilton, Ont., April 22.—Tom Longboat, the Indian runner, is to go to California to help train Jeffries in his road work in preparation for his fight with Johnson.

NOTIONS OF THE ATHLETES

The Matter of Jeff's Weight Bothering the Fight Centres — Johnson's Training Plans Papke Heard From.

New York, April 22.—The mystery as to the exact weight of Jeffries still puzzles the fight critics. The watchful Berger announced at the training camp on Monday that Jeffries would weigh not less than 225 pounds when he steps into the ring at Emeryville on July 4. Berger handed out this bit of important information after Jeffries had been on the scales in a private room with shutters drawn and doors locked. Incidentally the word was passed that the boxer-maker had lost ten pounds since beginning work at Rowdennan. Photographs of Jeffries received here by veteran ring followers who saw him at his best when he whipped Fitzsimmons at Coney Island nearly eleven years ago would seem to indicate the presence of many pounds of superfluous flesh. In fact these pictures make Jeff appear bigger and heavier in every way than when he came here in 1908 to box ten rounds with Bob Armstrong and Steve O'Donnell the same night.

Jeffries on that occasion weighed 245 pounds stripped. He got on the scales in the Lenox A. C. weighing room twenty minutes before he was called to the ring and tipped the beam at that figure. A year later Jeffries again nearly three months of the hardest kind of work reduced to 205. He got on the scales in the railroad station at Allentown, N. J., one week before he met Fitz and wearing a sleeveless jersey, trousers and light rubber-soled shoes made the beam tilt at 200 pounds. When he climbed through the ropes at Coney Island to win the world's championship from the Cornishman Jeff's trainer, Billy Delaney, said he was down to the 204 mark. It is a matter of record that the big Californian never weighed less than 215 pounds in any of his subsequent fights and that when he went twenty-five rounds to get a decision over Tom Sharkey in the Lenox A. C. he scaled at 220. He weighed 225 for the first fight with Corbett and 221 for the fight with Kuhnlin on the coast. When the stopped Fitzsimmons in their second battle Jeff weighed close to 224.

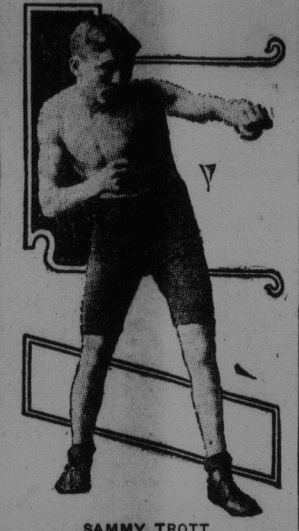
Because of his successful fighting at these weights Jeffries probably has decided to get down to the 225 pound mark. If he weighs 245 or 250 at the present time, which seems to be the prevalent opinion of those at his training camp, it will not be a gruelling hardship for him to take off fifteen or twenty pounds in the next eight or nine weeks. But if it is true, according to Berger's statement, that Jeffries has lost ten pounds since the first week in this month, the natural question is "How much did Jeffries weigh a year ago last March when he first started on the vaudeville circuit?" Jeffries refused to make public the real figures then, as now, but there are persons well posted who claim that Jeff's long weight to be made known before, as fight fans all over the country are clamoring for a reply to the oft-repeated query: "How much did Jeff weigh when he first started on the vaudeville circuit?" Jeffries refused to make public the real figures then, as now, but there are persons well posted who claim that Jeff's long weight to be made known before, as fight fans all over the country are clamoring for a reply to the oft-repeated query: "How much did Jeff weigh when he first started on the vaudeville circuit?"

Johnson when he arrives at his quarters near Frisco will follow a systematic plan. He will take a run of ten miles at 8 a. m., followed by a rubdown and breakfast at 7.30. He will punch the bag, play handball, use the pulleys and wrestle from 10 until noon. A plunge in the swimming pool will follow. There will be no fancy looking glass boxing, but ten or fifteen rounds of hard fighting at top speed with his sparring partner. There will be more wrestling, bag punching and exercise with the medicine ball before the day's work is over. The supper hour will begin at 6 o'clock, after which Johnson will take matters easy until 10, the time for rest of eight hours "in the hay." Johnson referred to being with Kuhnlin in a hurry about reducing. He weighs about 224 pounds at the present time and says he will be under 200 at the ringside. Johnson leaves Chicago tomorrow for the Coast.

"There will be a fierce wrangle unless Jack Welsh is selected to referee," says Johnson. "Welsh is square and I know he will not give me the worst of it. All I ask is an even break. He is a home coming as was never extended to any other two citizens. They more than deserve a hearty welcome and while we down in this province receive over his achievements we know also that in and about the great city of Boston there are thousands of Canadians whose hearts will glow with pride at the thought that it was a Nova Scotia boy who took first place in the big race and as a result they will square their shoulders more proudly and in the hearts once again feel a glow of pride in their native land."

The value of such a signal triumph cannot well be overestimated and we know that every citizen of this town appreciates the splendid achievement of modest, plucky Freddie Cameron.

Coming Newsboy



SAMMY TROTTER.

Columbus, O., April 22.—Two years ago Sammy Trotter was selling newspapers on the streets of Columbus. Now he makes more in one night than he did in a year shouting "Extra!"

The rise of the "Newsboy Champion" has been so rapid that it would make almost any other boxer swell up. Not so with Trotter. His pals of the old days are his pals of today, and every newsboy here is his ardent supporter.

Trotter's success has been due to the care he has taken of himself. He has never touched a drop of liquor or smoked a cigarette, pipe or cigar. His latest accomplishment is a newspaper decision in a 16-round battle. Trotter has participated in 20 battles. He has not been defeated and has never been floored by an opponent.

AMHERST AND WHERE FRED CAMERON FITS

Referring to Cameron's win at Boston, the Amherst News says editorially: "The doughty Cameron has furnished Amherst with the biggest advertisement that the town ever received. There are hundreds of thousands of people tonight reading the story of Cameron's great triumph who never before heard of Amherst."

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ATHLETICS WIN FROM BOSTON

Red Sox Defeated 3-0 in Well Played Game—Phillies Win Over Doves—Other Games Yesterday.

Boston, April 22.—Philadelphia shut out Boston 3 to 0 in a well-played game this afternoon. Krause was particularly effective with men on bases. A two bagger an out first and a single gave Philadelphia one run in the sixth. In the ninth an error by McConnell, an attempted sacrifice and a successful sacrifice gave the visitors two more runs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Philadelphia, Pa., April 22.—Earl Moore's wonderful pitching was the feature of Philadelphia's 3 to 0 victory over Boston today. Only one hit, a two bagger by Herzog, was made off Moore in seven innings after which he retired in favor of Humphreys, who allowed no hits in the last two innings. Philadelphia won by mixing hits with White's passes and Boston's errors. The score:
Boston.....00000000—0 5 2
Philadelphia.....000001002—3 7 2

EASTERN LEAGUE.
At Baltimore—Buffalo 3; Baltimore 7.
At Jersey City—Montreal 3; Jersey City 7.
At Providence—Toronto 2; Providence 3.
At Newark—Rochester 0; Newark 2.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.
At New Bedford—New Bedford 4; Haverhill 3, 11 innings.
At Fall River—Fall River 2; Lynn 1.
At Lowell—Lowell 2; Worcester 1.

HEBNER A VERITABLE MERMAN

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A committee to take charge of the track stalls, buildings and ground was appointed as follows: Alderman H. C. Jewett, chairman; John S. Allen and J. H. Fleming.

Applications from trainers Harvey McCoy, Jack Leonard, Sandy Stewart and Tommy Raymond for stalls for their training stables were accepted.

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WHAT WILL WALLOPS BE WORTH

By Tip Wright.

How much will punches be worth in the big fight?

The stake, \$101,000 and the picture receipts, which have been estimated at \$500,000 for each man's share, mean that the fighters will realize jointly \$1,010,000, providing, of course the pictures bring as much as they are expected to.

Suppose one of the men lands a knock out blow with the first punch. No man would have made money so fast as he in all the world's history. Or suppose the fight goes the unexpected distance of 45 rounds. In this event the value per punch would be greatly reduced. But the fight has been narrowed to 15 rounds by men who should be experts if experience is worth anything.

Then comes the question, how many blows will be struck per round? No one can answer this question. The fighters couldn't begin to give an estimate. Johnson has won most of his fights by putting up a defensive battle, beating men as they came on. Jim Jeffries has made his opponents fight the fight to him, and with his peculiar crouch, adopted as the result of his stunts, he has been able to ward to reach. Either Jeffries or Johnson will have to overcome the waiting tendency when they meet, and I believe Jeffries will force the fight.

With his wonderful left hand Jeffries, if he recovers his judgment of distance, his sharpshooters' eye, will take the lead unless I am much mistaken.

Suppose, for argument, Jeffries lands four solid blows per round, and Johnson, whose boxing ability no one questions, is able to counter blow for blow, lands another four.

This estimate does not include the number of blows that land grazingly, or fail to get to vital points. In 15 rounds each man would land sixty punches, a total of 120. Jeffries, perhaps, can deliver a thousand-pound blow, if set, but in the rapid action of battle he will have but small chance to get set, especially with a man like Johnson, who, unless he changes his entire plan of campaign, will refuse to carry the fight to Jeff.

It is probable that with his right hand Johnson can punch just as hard as Jeffries can with his left. It is this right hand, used for an upset, that has won Johnson's battles.

Let these men land their favorite punch on a vital spot at anything like their full strength, and the money is as good as counted.

Suppose Jeffries in the course of 15 rounds lands 60 punches of varying weight, or Johnson lands the same number, and the last blow brings the knockout for which this enormous sum is offered. The winner will receive for each punch \$1,262.50 per punch as his share of the stake money, and on top of this must be added the estimated value of the moving picture money, which will be worth \$8,233.33, making a total value of each wallop \$9,495.83.

It's worth being punched for, isn't it?

Ben Lomond, Calif., April 21.—Jim Jeffries in his training bouts is showing little inclination to box. He would rather rough it.

Following his three rounds with Bob Armstrong yesterday Jeffries remarked that he preferred fifteen rounds of fast fighting to two rounds of sparring. This penchant of the big fighter for heavy work brings up the question where are to be found the opponents luskly enough to face Jeffries.

It is easy seen that Armstrong entertains no such preference for real fighting as Jeffries voiced, at least not in the ring with his present huge adversary.

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TAILENDERS WIN OUT IN BOWLING

Macaulay Bros. surprised themselves and incidentally the McAvity quintette on Black's alleys last evening, when the black tailenders won out over the hardware men to the tune of 3-1 by way of interest, the losers rolling a wretched game.

Macaulay Bros.
McLean.....81 84 83 248-82 2-3
G. Smith.....95 70 77 242-80 2-3
McCann.....83 77 79 239-79 2-3
Latham.....62 82 86 230-76 2-3
W. Smith.....76 86 79 241-80 1-3

T. McAvity.
O'Brien.....59 72 100-261-87
Triffo.....68 68 72 208-69 1-3
McGrath.....71 69 76 216-72
Harrison.....98 73 79 250-83 1-3
Foohy.....71 95 86 252-84

High School Losses.
The St. John High School bowling team met their Waterloo on Black's alleys last evening, at the hands of Black's alleys juniors. The game was contested tough and nail throughout however, and only two thin sticks separated the teams when the smoke of battle cleared. The match was for the grand total and the final score stood 1173-1175. Welch rolled the best game for the studious ones, while he did the clever stunts for the Black's.

The scores:
High Schools.
Marshall.....67 77 78 222-74
Morgan.....80 74 86 240-81 1-3
Welch.....81 90 81 252-84
Machum.....72 86 81 239-79 2-3
Fahst.....75 79 66 220-70 1-3

Black's Alley Jrs.
Brennan.....76 73 75 224-74 2-3
Jones.....72 70 69 211-70 1-3
Coll.....74 73 109 256-85 1-3
Scott.....79 76 97 252-84
Clair.....72 78 82 232-77 1-3

Standing of Commercial League
Won Lost P.C.
S. Hayward.....34 10 772
W. C. H.....32 14 866
Brook and Paterson.....26 22 541
C. P. R.....23 24 538
J. M. Humphrey.....25 23 520
T. McAvity.....20 28 416
M. H. A.....15 25 375
Waterbury and Rising.....16 32 333
Macaulay Bros.....16 32 333