

STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

Page for the Kiddies

Smile Kiddies, Smile

Mental Depression.
"You seem gloomy, my friend, fear you are suffering from nervous depression."
"I don't naturally this way, doc. It is just reading the literature in your anteroom, that's all."

Teacher (to class)—What is the largest river in Africa?
"Small Bay—The Nile, sir."
Teacher—And what are its tributaries called?
"Boy—Juveniles, sir—Boston Globe."

Brown—"Now, what would you do if you were in my shoes, Miss Cutting?"
"Miss Cutting—"I'd point the toes towards the front door and give them a start."

Hayes—"Sandstone" has asked me to lend him a couple of pounds, and I don't know whether to do it or not, would you?"
"Gays (earnestly)—"I would, old man. He has invited me to dinner this evening."

He—"Oh, pray, Miss Dimples, don't call me Mr. Brooks."
"She—"Oh, but our acquaintance has been so brief." (Evidently) "Why shouldn't I call you Mr. Brooks?"
"He—"Oh, only because my name's Somersett."

Photographer's Assistant—"Mrs. Perkins has sent her new pictures back, sir, and says she won't pay the bill. They don't look like her, she says."
"Photographer—"Mrs. Perkins? Don't look like her, eh? Well, I ought to charge her double if that's true."

Poor old Professor Dreamer went home the other night, and he knew there was something he wanted to do, but didn't remember at all.
"Oh, yes," after thinking about two hours he realized that he had wanted to go to bed early."

What Ailed Them.
A rural editor received this question from one of his readers:
"What is the matter with my hens? Every morning I find one of them laid out stiff and cold on the hen-house floor."
Next day this answer duly appeared in the query column:
"Your fowls are suffering from the death. It is an old disease, and the only treatment that we can prescribe is burial."

Father—"You are very backward in your arithmetic. When I was your age I was doing cube root."
"Boy—"What's that?"
"Father—"What? You don't even know what it is? Dear me, that's terrible. Here, give me your pencil. Now, we'll take, say, 1, 2, 3, 4, and find the cube root. First you divide—say, you let me see—um—yes—no, well, never mind—after all, perhaps you're too young to understand it."

Tommy Knew.
"Now," said the schoolmaster, glancing round the small class of more or less bright-looking boys during a reading-lesson, "can any of you tell me what is the meaning of 'divers diseases'?"
Their silence reigned for a few minutes, while the master scanned the faces of his scholars, in the vain hope that he might see a ray of dawning intelligence on one of them.
"Yes, Tommy?" he said, eagerly, to a little chap holding up his hand. "Don't be shy. You generally have an answer for everything. Come now, speak up!"
"Please, sir," said Tommy, with superb confidence, "divers diseases is water on the brain!"

A Cute Dog.
A man who was looking after a large dog in a friend's house, and who was annoyed by the animal's always sitting in his best armchair.
One day an idea struck him. He clamped into the room and found the dog in his usual seat, so he walked up to the window and called: "Cats! cats!"
Up jumped the dog and rushed to the window, while the man went and sat in the chair.
A few days later the dog entered the room while his master was sitting in his armchair. Going to the window he barked loudly.
The man got up to see what was the matter, and the dog secured the chair.

A Mixed-Up Meaning.
It was the first day of school, and the roll was being called. Each one answered "present" until Willis's name was called. He burst into tears. When the teacher asked the cause, he sobbed:
"Please, I haven't any present but I'll bring one tomorrow."

Encouraging.
The caddies employed on some well-known golf links generally speak their minds freely. An illustration of this is given with much gusto by a gentleman who was never a very clever player at the popular game.
"He had gone to the place for a holiday, and in the cool of the first evening he journeyed out to have a round of the links. When he had covered some of the distance with far from brilliant strokes, he remarked to his caddie:
"I say, caddie, do you know a 'Mr. D.' who sometimes plays here?"
"Yes," replied the caddie.
"And does he—does he play a strong game?" pursued the golfer, anxiously.
"A strong game!" exclaimed the caddie, with contempt. "The man can't hit the ball. He can't play a decent stroke."
"Ah," said the golfer, in a tone of relief. "That's all right. I've to play him tomorrow in the first round of the visitors' tournament."
"He's a strong game," thought the caddie, "he's best yet!"

Must Report When Disease Is Found

Department of Health Intends to Do Its Best to Stamp Out the Disease.

Dr. J. F. L. Brown, district health officer, informs The Standard that an erroneous idea is being held regarding the application of the new health act regarding the suppression and reporting of all cases of venereal diseases.

Though all doctors are required under the act to report every case that comes under their observation, and keep reporting progress until the patient is classed as cured or non-infectious, the board knows the individual patient by case number only, so personal relations entering into the matter whatever.

However, if the person affected refuses to report, or if he does not comply with the law and neglects to report progress after his case has been taken up, of course the matter must be taken up with that offender individually, for the department of health intends to stamp out this evil as completely as possible.

A Fight Fiasco in Quebec City

The Quebec Chronicle, in speaking of the recent fiasco in that city, in which Eugene Brossseau and Young Brusso, of Revere, Mass., were the participants, says:

"The main attraction at the Arena last night, which was supposed to have been a ten-round bout between Eugene Brossseau, of Montreal, and Johnny Wilson, of Boston, proved to be a complete fiasco. The man who fought Brossseau, or tried to fight him, did not land more than ten blows during the three rounds that he was in the ring, but spent most of the time in running round the ring with his gloves in front of his face, trying to avoid punishment. Brossseau tried hard to get his glove away from his face in order to land the sleep-producer, but was unable to do so. He went down in the third for a count of nine from a little jab to the stomach, and when he got up, he got a real crack to the jaw, and was out to all appearances, but was saved by the gong. He refused to come up for the fourth round."

LITTLE BITS OF SPORT CHATTER

Buck Freeman, who used to hold the home-run record before Babe Ruth knew how to swing a club, is now an umpire. Wonder will Babe follow in Buck's footsteps after he gets through with the game.

Down in Providence report has it that a new \$400,000 boxing club is going to be built. They are stealing some of the Boston stuff. The old Boston Arena has been going to be built for it, these many moons, but no building as yet has appeared. Hope Providence hasn't contracted the Boston habit.

Apparently it isn't safe to cast off any of the big league twirlers, especially if they happen to have worn Red Sox uniform before. Ray Caldwell came back and did the prodigious stunt against the Yanks, and of the no-hit variety, too. Now they are wondering how he got away with it.

Glad to see the baseball heroes, Babe Ruth and Honus Wagner, butting into the movies. Doug Fairbanks, Billy Hart and Charley Chaplin have things pretty much their own way. Now let some of the real big leaguers have a chance.

Irish Patsy Kline failed to show up for his bout against Lew Tender in the Philly ball park the other night, so Phil Glassman decided to call off the whole show. We'll have to hear Patsy in mind if he ever happens to sign up for an appearance in this town.

Jimmy Coffey, the Roscommon Giant, is back on his native heath and recently slaughtered our old friend "Cyclone" Bill Warren in two rounds. Warren is the boy who had \$3,000 to bet on himself to beat one Bill Pendegast at the old Cyclorama building. Warren had the spendthrifts all frightened, and none would take a dollar of his money, but when Pendegast knocked out the Cyclone in about half a minute, there was an outburst of weeping and groaning such as has seldom been seen at a rigside.

Jack Coyne, war hero and one of the contenders for Jack Britton's welterweight crown, returned to the ring with a bang the other night, having recently come out of the hospital after many months' confinement because of receiving 100 shrapnel wounds in action in the Argonne forest. Coyne has been cited. He got back into the fight game by stopping Joe McCartney in a bout at Harrison, N. J., and he says he is now ready to go after the welterweight championship of the world.

Some Athletic Titles Reviewed

H. Lambe, a Canadian, Won A. A. U. Titles in Half Mile and Mile.

In 1876 H. Lambe, a Canadian, won the A. A. U. titles in the half-mile and the mile in 2m. 10s. and 4m. 51 1/2s., respectively. Johnny Cregan, of Princeton and the New York A. C., was the next man to double in these events. In 1897 he won the half in 1m. 53 3/5s. and the mile in 4m. 27 3/5s. Jimmy Lightbody, of the Chicago A. A., was the last man to win these two championships. That was in 1905, but he did not have to show great class, as he won the half in 2m. 3 3/5s. and the mile in 4m. 48 4/5s.

Cregan has the great distinction of double wins in the 880 and mile in both the A. A. U. and the intercollegiate meets. In 1895 at Berkeley Oval he duplicated his performance in the A. A. U. meet of the year before, and his times were 1m. 53 2/5s. and 4m. 22 3/5s. Guy Haskins, of Penn., won in 1m. 57 4/5s. and 4m. 20 3/5s. in 1907 out on the Harvard Stadium track.

But the "daddy of 'em all" was John Paul Jones, of Cornell, who in 1911 on an ideal day and track ran the half in 1m. 45 4/5s., after winning the mile in the then world's amateur record of 4m. 18 2/5s.

Grand Circuit Declared Off

Horses Shipped to Columbus, Ohio—Rain Greatly Marred Races at Syracuse.

SYRACUSE, Sept. 12.—The Grand Circuit programme of nine races, scheduled for today, was declared off because of rain, and the horses were shipped to Columbus, Ohio. Edward F. ("Pop") Geers, who was injured Monday when his colt, Heglar, bolted through the fence, left with his associates for the Ohio city. He may not, however, be able to drive next week.

The last game of the season in the St. John City Baseball League will be played today on the Queen Square Diamond, when the Carleton team and the Y. M. C. I. will meet. The game starts at 2.15.

BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Chicago 7; Philadelphia 0.
At Philadelphia—
Chicago000010005—10 8
Philadelphia09000999—0 5 3
Wilkinson and Schalk; York, Roberts, Noyes and Perkins, Styles.
At New York—St. Louis-New York game postponed, wet grounds.
Cleveland 4; Boston 3.
At Boston—
Cleveland00000010—4 8 0
Boston20100000—3 7 1
Coveleskie and O'Neill; Thomas, Jones, Russ and Schanz.
Washington 4; Detroit 0.
At Washington—
Detroit00000000—0 4 0
Washington00011105—4 10 0
Boland, Love and Alsmith; Johnson and Ghartry.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Cincinnati 6; Boston 5.
At Cincinnati—
Boston00400010—5 12 1
Cincinnati10020003—6 12 0
Pillingim and O'Neill, Gowdy; Eller, Fisher and Wingo, Ralvden.
New York 6; St. Louis 5.
At St. Louis—
New York30200010—6 5 2
St. Louis10000002—5 13 2
Tony and Snyder; May, Woodward, Tuero, Jacobs and Clemens, Dloster.
Chicago 3; Brooklyn 1.
At Chicago—First game—
Brooklyn00000010—1 10 0
Chicago20000103—3 4 1
Pfeiffer and M. Wheat; Vaughn and Kiltner.
Brooklyn 5; Chicago 4.
Second game—
Brooklyn00100002—5 16 3
Chicago02100010—4 8 3
Mitchell and Krueger; Hendrix and O'Farrell.
Philadelphia 8; Pittsburg 5.
At Pittsburg—
Philadelphia00003030—6 10 2
Pittsburg00010103—5 5 1
Cantwell and Clarke; Miller, Pender Wisner and Schumacher.
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.
Baltimore 6; Jersey City 3.
At Baltimore—
Jersey City00011001—3 10 0
Baltimore20001030—6 13 0
Frank and Egan; Devalis and Hudgins.
Jersey City 4; Baltimore 3.
Second game—
Jersey City01200001—4 6 0
Baltimore00020000—3 4 0
Devallis and Hyde; Seibold and Letter, Schaufele.

Ban Johnson On The Stand

Hearing in New York's Suit to Restrain Johnson from Interfering With Use of Mays.

New York, Sept. 11.—Ban Johnson, president of the American League, admitted today on the witness stand before Referee Gillespie, that he was interested in the Boston American League Club, while that club was owned from 1911 to 1914 by James McAleer and Robert McKay. The latter, now deceased, formerly was Johnson's personal secretary.

The fact that Johnson had been interested in the Boston club was admitted by Johnson when he was questioned as to his alleged animosity against Harry Frazee, the present Boston owner, said to have been reflected in the case of Mays. Johnson defended Mays' suit to restrain Johnson from interfering with the use of Plicher Carl Mays, recently purchased from Boston.

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Johnson said he did not suspend Mays immediately upon learning of his alleged insubordination because he was waiting to see what the Boston club would do in the matter. He said that he suspended the player after he had read a newspaper account of his sale to the New York club. He also defended his right to employ umpires in getting facts concerning discipline on the field, and said he was within his rights in requesting Umpire Hildebrand to question Boston ball players and ascertain all the facts in regard to Mays leaving the field in the game played in Chicago on July 15.

Colonels Ruppert and Huston, owners of the New York club, and Harry

Lansdowne Park Races Yesterday

Lucy L. Won 2.26 Pace in Three Straight Heat—Jim Fletcher Best Three Year Old.

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—Today's races at Lansdowne Park resulted as follows:
2.26 Pace, Purse \$500.
Lucy L. J. T. Payette, (Collins) 1 1 1
Dan Elger, G. S. McOoll, (McColl), 2 3 3
Spler O'Leary, Fred Tracey, O'Leary, (Peacock), 4 4 3
Steve Ayers, C. Sabrdelle, North Bay, (McDowell), 6 2 3
Justo The Great, Griffin, Brockville, (McPherson), 3 5 9
Time—2.15 1/2, 2.15 1/2, 2.16 1/2.
Cott's Race, Three Year Olds and Under, Purse \$400.
Jim Fletcher, Manchester Farm, (Warren), 3 1 1
Jack O'Leary, E. Brisbois, (Brisbois), 1 2 5
Justin Farnum, J. Stewart, (Stewart), 2 4 2
Roger B. A. Proulx, (Proulx), 4 2 4
Jim Gano, (Eason), 4 5 4
Time—2.31 1/2, 2.31 1/2, 2.29 1/2.

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New York Won Championship

National Junior Track and Field Meet of A. A. U. Held at Philadelphia Yesterday.

Philadelphia, Penn., Sept. 12.—The New York Athletic National Club won the national junior track and field championship of the Amateur Athletic Union here today on Franklin Field with a score of 34 points. The Boston Athletic Association was second with 30 points, while the Meadowbrook Club, of Philadelphia, and the Multnomah A. C., of Portland, Oregon, tied for third place with 18 points each.

Winning both the mile and half-mile runs in an A. A. U. or intercollegiate championship meet is a great big task for one man. I do not know how many men have tried to turn the trick, but I do know that only three men have been successful in the A. A. U. meets and the same number in the "intercollegiate," and these organizations have been conducting championships from 1876 down.

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