

THE DAILY MAIL SPORTING SECTION

News of Sport at Home and Abroad.

CURLING

A match between captains had been arranged for last night, but did not take place as a couple were unable to attend.

The employees of the R. N. Co. played a second match at the rink Saturday, when the winners of the previous contest were again victorious. They meet again shortly, but the players will be reverse. The skips will lead and the leaders will act as "skip". Perhaps this will make a difference in the results.

HOCKEY

The three college teams had a practice at the Prince's Rink this morning.

The young ladies are taking an active interest in hockey again this winter. A match between the fair ones is being arranged to take place shortly.

It was generally understood that the league matches would start last evening, and that the Vics and Crescents would open the season. The match did not take place, however, as the Feildians and St. Bon's have not completed their four practices. They will have their final rehearsal this evening, and the initial contest will take place to-morrow night. The game should be an exciting one, as both are looked upon as likely champions.

There is trouble in the Hockey League and some of the enthusiasts are of the opinion that it will mean the breaking up of the League. The Crescents have registered a player and some of the league officials say he should not be permitted to, because of a transaction which happened two years ago. A special meeting of the League takes place to-day to consider the matter and what the outcome will be remains to be seen.

OFFICERS OF TEAMS

The officers of the various League teams this season are as follows:
Crescents
 Captain—Gus Herder.
 Vice-Captain—R. Stick.
 Secretary—C. Thomas.
 Delegate—A. Joy.

Victorias

Captain—C. Ford.
 Vice-Captain—J. C. Parsons.
 Delegate and Secretary—S. Long.

Feildians

Captain—E. Pinsent.
 Vice-Captain—C. Strong.
 Secretary—A. Raley.
 Delegate—E. Collier.

St. Bon's

Captain—J. Higgins.
 Vice-Captain—M. Power.
 Secretary—J. St. John.
 Delegate—S. Walsh.

SERIOUSLY HURT IN RING CONTEST

Racine, Wis., Jan. 15.—Jack Racer, Californian boxer suffered concussion of the brain when he was knocked out by Barney Richter, in the sixth round of a scheduled eight round bout here last night. For several minutes Racer was unable to leave his ring and later again lapsed into unconsciousness. He was taken to a hospital where it was said his condition was serious.

JACK JOHNSON AND MORAN MATCHED

Paris, Jan. 15.—Jack Johnson and Moran have been matched to fight. The articles were signed in the Paris Dauphine in the Bois de Boulogne. Johnson arrived here in a racing motor car and a long discussion of the terms ensued. Johnson raised numerous objections, one of which was his demand to be paid interest on the amount of the check which is not payable until the day of the fight.

Johnson agreed not to fight anybody else before meeting Moran in the ring, and if the colored pugilist fails to fight he is to forfeit the \$35,000 for his training expenses. The signatures to the articles were finally affixed in the midst of dozens of champagne bottles and in the presence of many managers, promoters, boxing men and other sportsmen, and Johnson and Moran then drank each other's health in goblets of champagne. Three moving picture machines were working during the negotiations.

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SOUTH AFRICAN STRIKE

The strike of the railway men is said to be due to the policy of retrenchment put into effect by the South African railway administration, in pursuance of which hundreds of employes in Pretoria, Bloemfontein, Durban, Salt River and elsewhere have been dismissed.

FAKED HIS PICTURE

"Jack" Binns, the wireless operator hero of the steamer Republic disaster in 1909, will receive \$12,500 because a moving picture concern exploited a fake portrait of him. The Court of Appeals in Albany, N.Y. last week upheld the judgment for that amount, obtained against the Vitagraph Company. Two days after the collision the Vitagraph showed a moving picture of the accident with an intended portrait of Binns.

SKATING RECORDS ARE BROKEN TWICE

Christiania, Jan. 11.—Oscar Mathiesen to-day set two new world's skating records. He covered 500 meters in two minutes and nineteen and a half seconds.

The previous records were forty-four and one fifth seconds and two minutes and twenty-three fifths seconds, respectively.

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