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RESULTS OF THE BIG LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston, 5; Detroit, 2.

At Boston—

Detroit..... 001001000—2 4 0
Boston..... 004000100—5 7 1
Batteries: Oldham, Cavet and Stanton; Gregg and Cady.

Philadelphia, 5; Chicago, 0.

Chicago..... 000000000—0 8 1
Philadelphia..... 000302000—5 9 1
Batteries: Wolfgang and Mayer; Shawley and Schanz.

At Washington—Cleveland-Washington, postponed, rain.

New York, 2; St. Louis, 1.

At New York—

St. Louis..... 1000000000—1 8 2
New York..... 0100000000—2 9 1
Batteries: Wellman and Agnew; Brown and Sweeney.

American League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	79	37	.681
Boston	65	48	.575
Washington	60	54	.526
Detroit	59	58	.504
Chicago	56	62	.475
St. Louis	54	62	.466
New York	52	63	.457
Cleveland	39	81	.326

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn, 2; Pittsburgh, 1.

At Pittsburgh—First game—

Brooklyn..... 010000000—2 4 1
Pittsburgh..... 010000000—1 6 1
Batteries: Pfeiffer and McCarty; Cooper and Gibson.

Brooklyn, 4; Pittsburgh, 2.

Second game—

Brooklyn..... 003001000—4 11 1
Pittsburgh..... 000110000—2 7 3
Batteries: Ragon and McCarty; Adams and Coleman.

St. Louis, 1; New York, 0.

At St. Louis—First game—

New York..... 000000000—0 4 1
St. Louis..... 100000000—1 7 2
Batteries: Marquard and Meyers; Dock and Snyder.

New York, 4; St. Louis, 0.

Second game—

New York..... 000001021—4 5 1
St. Louis..... 000000000—0 5 7
Batteries: Mathewson and Ayers; Sallee and Wingo.

Chicago, 1; Boston, 0.

At Chicago—

Boston..... 000000000—0 7 1
Chicago..... 000001001—1 6 2
Batteries: Trier and Gowdy; Cheney and Archer.

National League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	60	40	.600
St. Louis	59	41	.591
Philadelphia	59	54	.526
Chicago	51	62	.449
Cincinnati	52	60	.464
Pittsburgh	51	61	.455
Brooklyn	51	61	.455

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Indianapolis, 7; Kansas, 3.

At Kansas City—

Indianapolis..... 021000040—7 11 1
Kansas City..... 100100100—3 7 2
Batteries: Falkenberg and Rairden; Cullop and Easterly.

Baltimore, 2; Pittsburgh, 1.

At Baltimore—

Pittsburgh..... 000000010—1 7 2
Baltimore..... 110000000—2 7 0
Batteries: Cammie and Berry; Quinn and Russell.

Chicago, 2; St. Louis, 1.

At St. Louis—

Chicago..... 001000001—2 9 0
St. Louis..... 001000000—1 6 2
Batteries: Johnson and Wilson; Keupper and Simon.

Brooklyn, 6; Buffalo, 2.

At Brooklyn—

Buffalo..... 100100000—2 6 3
Brooklyn..... 120101010—2 11 1
Batteries: Schultz, Anderson and Blair; Finnan and Land.

Federal League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Indianapolis	64	49	.564
Chicago	63	51	.553
Baltimore	59	52	.532
Brooklyn	56	54	.508
St. Louis	55	55	.500
Kansas City	54	62	.466
St. Louis	52	64	.448
Pittsburg	46	64	.420

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Rochester, 3; Baltimore, 0.

At Rochester—

Baltimore..... 000000000—0 5 2
Rochester..... 020001010—3 7 1
Batteries: Jarman and Irwin; Ep- ham and Willard.

Buffalo, 8; Providence, 2.

At Buffalo—

Providence..... 010010000—3 8 0
Buffalo..... 063012110—8 10 1
Batteries: Ruth and Onslow; Beebe and Lalonde.

Montreal, 2; Newark, 1.

At Montreal—

Newark..... 100000000—1 3 2
Montreal..... 110000000—2 7 3
Batteries: Brown and H. Smith; Richter and J. Smith.

Toronto, 6; Jersey City, 5.

At Toronto—

Jersey City..... 004001010—5 8 1
Toronto..... 220000002—6 11 1
Batteries: Williams and Tyler; Wagner, Rogge and Kelly.

International League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Providence	70	49	.588
Rochester	70	51	.578
Buffalo	67	51	.568
Baltimore	66	51	.564
Toronto	59	58	.504
Newark	58	58	.500
Montreal	45	78	.375
Jersey City	35	80	.322

Single G, a four-year-old pacer, leads that class in record performance for the year. This horse stopped three beats in 2:08 1/2, 2:08 1/2, and 2:10 1/2 in one of the early Detroit race meets, thereby handing up a record for four-year-old pacers. Since then Single G, has been stepping around the 2:10 mark, and looks like one of the season's real sensations. Present Queen, 1:14, and Hedger, 2:16, also have performed in creditable form.

FAVORITE WON THE KING GEORGE STAKE

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 25.—Lassie McGregor, favorite, won the King George stake, \$5,000, for 214 trotters, the feature of the second Grand Circuit racing day at Fort Erie track this afternoon, after having been held pre- scribed by Margaret Drury.

Grand Opera, who has several big stake events to fill this season, will have to remain in Canada as a result of the conflict in European countries. Grand Opera is owned by Smith and Proctor, of Toronto. Today they re- ceived orders from the Canadian gov- ernment not to take the horse out of Canada. The owners brought Grand Opera to the Canadian track yester- day for the Fort Erie purse stake of \$5,000, the mare finishing third.

Buffalo Road Amateur Drivers' Futur- ty for Three-Year-Olds, Mile Heat, Best Two in Three; Purses \$600.

Lyndon, blk s, by Kentucky Todd, (E. L. White)..... 1 1
Boo Line Worthy, ch f, (H. J. Goodmile)..... 2 2
Lindsay, b g, (Rider-Lattimer)..... 3 3
Miss Zada, b f, (Faully)..... 4 4
Time—2:28, 2:23 1/2.

The King George V, \$5,000, 214 Trot, Three in Five.

Lassie McGregor, b m, by Jay McGregor, (Murphy) 1 1 3 2 1
Margaret Drury, b m, (Cox) 2 1 1 2 1
The Guide, b h, (Geers) 3 2 3 3 3
McCloskey, br g, (McDow- aid)..... 4 4
Time—2:09 1/2, 2:07 1/2, 2:04 1/2, 2:07 1/2, 2:05 1/2.

2:07 Pace, Purses \$1,000; Three in Five

R. H. Breat, b g, by Waponee, (Grady)..... 1 1 1
Frank Patch, br g, (Cox)..... 2 2 2
Ratus, br g, (McDonald)..... 3 3 3
Little Bernice, b f, (Frost)..... 4 4 4
Napoleon Direct, ch g, (Geers) 7 7 2
Garna G, br g, (Garrison)..... 5 4 0
Marietta, blk m, (Murphy)..... 6 6 4
Time—2:07 1/2, 2:05 1/2, 2:05 1/2.

Queen City Stake \$2,000, 208 Trot, Three in Five.

Omara, b g, by Nobless E., (Floyd)..... 3 1 1
Oakdale, gr g, (McDonald)..... 4 4 4
Reussen, ch g, (Geers)..... 4 5 2
The Guide, b g, (Owen)..... 2 3 3 5
May Mack, b m, (Deyers)..... 2 4 3
Lulu Lumine, b m, (Murphy) 6 6 8
Judson Girl, b m, (Cox)..... 7 4 5
Time—2:12, 2:08 1/2, 2:06 1/2, 2:08 1/2.

FOUR CLUBS AFTER PITCHER

Cleveland, Aug. 26.—If the Naps are to obtain George Cunningham, star pitcher of the Northern League, from the Duluth club, they will have to out- bid at least three other major league outfits. Four clubs are anxious for the player's services—Detroit, Chicago, Pittsburgh and the Naps.

RING CHAMPIONS HAVE A POOR SEASON

When Johnny Kilbane, feather- weight champion of the world, an- nounced his intention of fighting Johnny Dundee, his nearest claimant for the title, some time in September, it is almost a certain bet that the Cleveland did not look over the box- ing records for 1914 or he would not have agreed to the match. Why? Be- cause 1914 has been the most disas- trous year in the history of pugilism for champions.

The first and biggest blow came when Ritchie dropped his title to Freddie Welsh. Next in line comes Johnny Coulson's case, the Chicagoan, an being forced to turn over his crown to Kid Williams. Other titles to change hands were as follows: Bombardier Wells lost the heavy- weight championship of Europe. Arthur Pelkey lost the white heavy- weight championship of the world to Gunboat Smith, who in turn lost the title to Georges Carpentier.

Dave Smith lost the heavyweight, middleweight and lightweight cham- pionship of Australia.

Wells Lost "Weiter" Crown

Matt Wells lost the welterweight title to Harry Stone.

Hughie Mehegan lost the light- weight crown of Australia to Freddie Welsh.

Jack Harrison lost the middle- weight championship of England.

Tom Driscoll forced to vacate the featherweight title of Europe in favor of Kid Louis.

Pigger Stanley lost the bantam- weight title to Benny, who, in turn, lost to Johnny Hughes.

Johnny Hughes lost his belt to Charley Le Dour.

It will be seen from this table of facts that Kilbane and Jack John- son were about the only recognized title-holders of any division to retain their laurels during this season of strife, and the season is not yet over.

Held Kilbane to Draw.

To make matters worse from a Cleveland standpoint Kilbane has no- thing to speak of as regards form over his Italian opponent to be. They fought a draw in their last mix-up and previous to that Philadelphia crit- ics say the New Yorker shaded the champ when they met in a no decision bout in that city.

Dundee, by the way, is one of the breaks of the ring. Built betwixt and between the light and featherweight limit, the Kid battles 133 pounders next. He has been getting much the worst of the going in any of his contests, in fact, records show he has won nearly all of his bouts during the last year, the biggest feather in his cap being a popular decision over Charley White of New Orleans. Three weeks previous to this he drew with Kilbane, so it will be seen Dundee is not picking "suckers."

Boxes Like Wolfpat.

Besides being peculiar in build, his ring style can also be classed as freshish. In a few words he is a "shell" fighter, more on the order of Ad Wolgast than anyone we know of, only more so on the "cover-up" stuff. He hides behind two long arm until his opponent gets fresh and leaves an opening, and then this Gotham "kid" sticks out a left hand that cannot be best for speed and accuracy. When it is said that Dundee's left is even faster than that used by White, it gives some idea of how good it really is.

Besides this crackling left, Johnny has the faculty of popping it out like a piston rod. It was once said that he can land this left wallop three times while he is in the air for he generally takes a flying jump toward his rival when the proper opening presents itself.

Is Given Wide Berth.

Many of our up to date if not first class lightweight heavyweights at Dundee's title dreams more because of his low weight than of weakness in the ring. However, when the record book shows that he has beaten every alleged top-notch sent against him, the different division leaders have good cause to give him a wide berth.

Everything taken into consideration, it must be said for Kilbane that he did not pick a "soft mark" when he de- cided to risk his title against the Italian. This is a risky year for cham- pions.

SHAMROCK IN PETITCOAT

New York, Aug. 24.—Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock IV, challenger for the America Cup, emerged from the water yesterday afternoon at a ship- yard in South Brooklyn. She was taken into one of the dry docks, block- ed and braced, and then, before the water vanished from around her, a canvas petticoat extending from stem to stern below the water line, was rigged on her, that her peculiar lines might be protected from prying eyes. She is to be hoisted over for the win- ter.

The steam yacht Erin, with nearly all of the Shamrock's crew, will leave for England Monday. Colonel Neill, representative from the Shamrock owner, the Earl of Harwick and the others of the party aboard the Erin, and the challenger when she arrived here, will return on board her. All hands expressed a hope to return next year and take part in the races for the cup.

Colonel Neill said the Shamrock IV, was seriously considered by British yachtsmen who knew to have an ex- cellent show against the selected de- fender, and that she would prove a surprise to many, despite her unusual appearance above the water line.

BOXERS WERE HARRIED BY THE OLD COPS

"To Gehenna with the cops" was the slogan of the boxers of 40 or 50 years ago, and many and shrewd were their tricks in escaping the vigilance of those functionaries. About half a century ago the British authorities carried on such a crusade against the game that many of the leading lights of pugilism, including such men as Jim Mace, Tom Allen, Joe Coburn, Joe Worrald and Ned Baldwin sought pastures new in America. They were given a hearty welcome by the sports of the States and Canada, but even in the land of the free the tide of public opinion soon turned against their game. In 1871 Mace and Coburn were prevented by the Canadian police from settling an argument, but found New Orleans more tolerant. A little later Maryland, an early centre of boxing in America, also put its kibosh on the sport, and just 42 years ago, August 13, 1872, Mace and Ned Baldwin, or Edward O' Baldwin, were arrested by the Baltimore cops and placed under heavy bonds not to fight in Maryland.

Edward O' Baldwin, the Irish giant, and a prominent aspirant to the cham- pionship, had more than his share of trouble with the police on both sides of the Atlantic. He was first matched with Mace in 1867 in England, but the bobbies carried Jim and his back- ers away to the goal. The Irishman was also bound over to keep the peace and soon left for America. His first bout on this side was with Joe Worn- ald, and was pulled off in a vacant field facing a church in a Boston sub- urb. The fans had tombstones for seats.

Before the first round was finished the Boston bluecoats swarmed down on the field and Baldwin was arrested, and spent 18 months behind the bars. The Irish giant had many more ex- periences with the cops, and came to a tragic end in 1875, when he was shot by his partner in their saloon. Bal- dwin was buried in Brookline, Mass. Many later boxers had much more difficulty in finding a place to settle their differences. Texas, Indian Ter- ritory, Mexico, Florida and Kansas put their kibosh on the Corbett-Fitzsim- mons bout in 1896, before the battle was finally staged in tolerant Nevada. Sullivan and Kilrain had to pull off

THIS DATE IN RING ANNALS

1894—Jack McAuliffe defeated Young Griffo in 10 rounds at New York. In the opinion of many who wit- nessed the battle, Griffo was en- titled to the decision and the light-weight championship of the world, and he was certainly one of the cleverest boxers the ring has ever known. McAuliffe's session with Griffo was his last important bout, and in 1895 he retired undefeated and turned the title over to Kid Lavigne.

Griffo, whose real name was Al- bert Griffiths, was a native of Australia, and had never been defeated when he came to Amer- ica in 1893. Most of his best battles on this side were draws, although he defeated Ike Weir, the featherweight champion, Billy Murphy and others. He held his own with Joe Gans, with Kid Lavigne twice, with George Dixon three times, and with Sol- ly Smith, Tommy White and others. As long as he retained his speed and science not a man living of his weight could beat him.

1889—George La Blanche knocked out Jack Dempsey in 32nd round at San Francisco, winning middle- weight championship.

1894—George Dixon defeated Johnny Griffo in 25 rounds at Boston.

TEAM HAS LOST \$10,000.

New Haven, Aug. 25.—The directors of the Eastern Baseball Association have voted to transfer all the home games of the New Britain club to other cities on the circuit. The atten- dance has been so poor in New Brit- ain that the team has lost about \$10,000, it is said.

The league voted to pay back sal- aries to the players amounting to \$1,800. It was also agreed that the New Britain team should receive one- half of the gross receipts of all games played for the remainder of the season.

Their fight in 1889 at Richburg, Miss., because none of the centres of popu- lation would permit the session. John L. and Mitchell had 1 og to France, and in 1896 Fitzsimmons and Maher hiked all over the South before they finally fought at Langtry, Texas.

WILL MATCH WILLARD WITH JACK JOHNSON

New York, Aug. 26.—Jess Willard now looms up as the next opponent of Jack Johnson for the heavyweight title of the world.

The big fellow syndicate in town with Jack Curley as his new manager, Curley represents a arrival of four wealthy local followers of the game, each of whom has offered to contrib- ute \$10,000 toward financing the match.

"Johnson is due for a beating," said Curley, "and Willard is the man who can give it to him. At least those whom I represent are as confident of this as I am, and we are going after the match."

Willard's new manager says that \$10,000 will be posted Wednesday as a guarantee of good faith on Will- ard's part, and that this amount will go as a side wager on the result of the battle. The other \$30,000 is to guarantee Johnson's end of the pur- chase. Just who will hold the \$10,000 is not known, but Curley says that it will probably be placed in the hands of William A. Brady.

Bids will be asked for holding the fight, and the promoters will be sat- isfied even if their share of the re- cepts is nothing. They are after Johnson's title, and believe that Will- ard is the man to take it.

Under present conditions, either Mexico or Australia would seem the most likely places to hold the fight, according to Curley.

HORSE NOTES.

They've shot a lot of holes this year into the old theory that it is dangerous to work a pacing horse in his four-year-old form. This season still is young, yet more than a dozen trotters and pacers that were foaled in 1910 have gone to record marks this year, without any apparent injury to health. Lord Brussels went a mile in 2:09 1/2 early in June on the Lexington track, making the first "under 2:10 mark" for trotters this year. He is a four-year- old, Peter Pearl, 2:16 1/2; Earlwood L., 2:15 1/2, and J. D. S., 2:14 1/2, are other trotters who have done some fine work so far, and all of them will be good purse winners.

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