ALL THE NEWS THAT IS NEWS

A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON MANY SPORTS

PET STOCK SHOW A GRAND SUCCESS

One Hundred and Twenty-Five Classes Represent By Over Seven Hundred Exhibits.

THE PRIZE WINNERS

Only a Dozen Loads of Hay Offered, and Market Generally Was Quiet.

The judges at the Western Ontario Pet Stock Association show, now being held at 234 Dundas street, yesterday completed their work. The exhibits totalled well over 700, establishing a new record for an exposition of the kind in this district.

Over 625 pigeons alone were entered, while cats, canaries, rabbits and other pets made up the remainder.

The judges and officials were very well pleased, and not one complaint reached the directors. Everything ran off smoothly; the attendance was large, and the whole affair was very capably conducted.

A Big Show.

One hundred and twenty-five varieties were represented, and breeders from many points in Ontario, including Toronto, Hamilton, Guelph, Preston, St. Thomas and Tillsonburg were on hand with their pets.

Mr. Charles F. Wagner, of Toronto, judged the pigeons, Miss Macbeth, of this city, the cats, Mr. Bart Cottam the canaries, and Mr. W. T. Hodgens the other classes.

The exhibition was conducted by a committee composed of Dr. Pingel, the president; A. J. Morgan, the treasurer, and Mr. W. T. Hodgens, the secretary.

The prizes were awarded by the percentage system, which has been proven to be the most satisfactory to all concerned.

Mr. McAree, of Mimico, had the finest and largest exhibit in the show, according to the officials. He had about 75 pigeons alone entered.

The Prize-Winners.

Pigeons—Black carrier cocks, J. & T Hatton, Wm. Duffield; hens, same. Carriers, A. O. C., cocks, C. James. Pouters, white, cocks, J. & T. Hatton; hens, L. Thompson, J. & T. Hatton, F. Meyers. Pouters, black pied, cocks, W. T. Hodgens, A. Sutherland, J. & T. Hatton, Wm. Duffield; hens, C. James, A. Sutherland, J. & T. Hatton. Pouters, red pied, cocks, W. T. Hodgens, J. & T. Hatton; hens, W. T. Hodgns. Pouters, yellow pied, cocks, John Barnard, W. T. Hodgens; hens, J. & T. Hatton, John Barnard. Pouters, blue pied, cocks, L. Thompson 1 and 2, C. James 3; hens, L. Thompson, 1, 2 and 3. Pouters, A. O. C., cocks, R. Mills, Wm. Duffield, W. T. Hodgens; hens, J. & T. Hatton, R. Mills, J. Barnard. Pigmy white cocks, W. G. Armstrong; hens, J. & T. Hatton. Blue or black cocks, J. V. McAree, J. & T. Hatton, John Barnard; hens, J. V. McAree, John Barnard, J. & T. Hatton. Pigmy, A. O. C., hens and cocks, J. Chivas. Tumblers, S. F. Almond, cocks, J. Ellwood 1 and 2, J. & T. Hatton; hens, J. Ellwood 1 and 2. Tumblers, S. F. Kite, cocks, J. Ellwood 1 and 2, J. & T. Hatton; hens, J. Ellwood 1 and 2. Tumblers, Agate, cocks, J. Ellwood; hens, J. Ellwood, J. & T. Hatton. Tumblers, A. O. C., cocks, H. H. Pingel; hens, J. Ellwood. Tumblers, L. F. C. L., black, cocks, J. V. McAree 1 and 2, W. Steel 3; hens, J. V. McAree 1 and 2, Bert Sheward 3. Tumblers, L. F. C. L., red or yellow, cocks, J. V. McAree 1 and 2, Bert Sheward 3; hens, J. V. McAree 1 and 2, A. Brickenden 3. Tumblers, rose wing or mottled, cocks, Dr. Stevenson; hens, Bert Sheward. Tumblers, L. F. C. L., A. O. C., cocks, J. V. McAree; hens, J. V. McAree 1 and 2, J. & T. Hatton 3. Black bald cocks, W. T. Hodgens; hens, H. H. Pingell (all). Red or yellow bald cocks and hens, H. H. Pingel (all). Blue or silver bald cocks, H. H. Pingel, W. T. Hodgens; hens, W. T. Hodgens 1 and 2, H. H. Pingel 3. Muff, rose wing or mottle, cocks, J. & T. Hatton, J. Barnard 2 and 3; hens, J. Barnard, J. & T. Hatton. Black muff, cocks, R. Lashbrooke. White muff, cocks, J. Chivas, H. H. Pingel; hens, H. H. Pingel, J. Chivas. Blue or silver muff, cocks, H. H Pingel, J. & T. Hatton 2 and 3; hens, J. & T. Hatton, J. Barnard, H. H. Pingel. Barbs, red, hens, W. Steel. Barbs, A. O. C., hens, W. Steel. Trumpeters, mottle, cocks, W. T. Hodgens, C James, Wm. Duffield; hens, Wm. Duffield, W. T. Hodgens, Dr. Stevenson. Trumpeters, black, cocks, L. McGillivary, Wm. Duffield, John Barnard; hens, Wm. Duffield, R. Lashbrooke. White, cocks, J. & T. Hatton; hens, L. McGillivray. Jacobins, red or yellow, cocks, J. & T. Hatton, J. C. Wilson, W. G. Armstrong; hens, J. & T. Hatton. Black, cocks and hens, W. D. Forbes. White, cocks, J. & T. Hatton; hens, I. Wilson, J. & T. Hatton. A. O. C., cocks, J. & T. Hatton, Ivan Wilson 2 and 3; hens, I. Wilson 1 and 2, Wm. Duffield. Fantails, white, cocks, A. Sutherland, B. Sheward, R. Lashbrooke; hens, B. Sheward, W. G. Armstrong, A. Sutherland. Black, cocks, B. Sheward 1 and 2, W. D. Forbes; hens, B. Sheward 1 and 2, W. G. Armstrong. Blue or silver, cocks, A. Sutherland, B. Sheward; hens, A. Sutherland 1 and 3, W. T. Hodgens 2. Red or yellow, cocks, John Moule; hens, J. & T. Hatton. Saddle Fantail, cocks, B. Sheward 1 and 2, W. T. Hodgens; hens, W. T. Hodgens 1 and 3, B. Sheward 2. Magpie, black, cocks, J. Barnard, W. G. Armstrong, James Durham; hens, W. G. Armstrong, J. Barnard, James Durham. Red, cocks, W. G. Armstrong; R. Mills; hens, F. Meyers, W. G. Armstrong, L. McGillivray. Yellow, cocks, J. & T. Hatton; hens, J. & T. Hatton, W. T. Hodgens. A. O. C., hens, Jas. Durham. Maltese, cocks and hens, J. & T. Hatton. Swallow, black or blue, cocks, W. T. Hodgens, W. D. Forbes; hens, J. T. Heslop, W. D. Forbes, W. T. Hodgens. Red, cocks, W. D. Forbes, R. Mills, J. & T. Hatton; hens, J. & T. Hatton, R. Mills, W. D. Forbes. Yellow, cocks, W. D. Forbes, J. & T. Hatton, W. D Forbes; hens, J. & T. Hatton, W. D. Forbes. Dragoon, blue or silver, cocks, T. Lenehen, H. E. Beattie; hens, H. E Beattie. Grizzle, cocks, W. T. Lenehen, H. E. Beattie, W. T. Lenehen; hens, W. T. Lenehen (all). Check, cocks, J. V. McAree, W. T. Lenehen, J. V. McAree; hens, J. V. McAree 1 and 2, W. T. Lenehen. Black, cocks, H. E Beattie, W. T. Lenehen; hens, W. T. Lenehen. A. O. C., cocks, J. V. McAree; hens, J. V. McAree, W. T. Lenehen, H. E. Beattie. Archangel, cocks, J. & T. Hatton, Dr Stevenson; hens, same. Black Nuns, cocks, W. T. Hodgens, J. & T. Hatton; hens, J. V. McAree, W. T. Hodgens, J. & T. Haton. A. O. C., cocks, J. V. McAree, J. & T. Hatton; hens, J. & T. Hatton. Owl, African white, cocks, J. & T. Hatton; hens, J. & T. Hatton, W. G. Armstrong. A. O. C., cocks, William Stelle. Chinese, blue or silver, J. & T. Hatton. Turbits, blue, B. Sheward. Red, W. D. Forbes. Black, cocks, B. Sheward 1 and 3, J. & T. Hatton 2; hens, B. Sheward 1 and 2, J. & T. Hatton. Frillback, J. & T. Hatton. Homers, blue check, cocks, H. E. Beattie, R. Lashbrooke, L. McGillivray; hens, C. James, H. E. Beattie. Red, cocks, F. Meyers; hens, F. Meyers, H. E. Beattie. Blue, cocks, J. A. Moule; hens, R. Lashbrooke, W. T. Hodgens, Wm. Stelle. White, cocks, H. H. Pingel, W. T. Hodgens; hens, W. T. Hodgens (all). A. O. C., cocks, H. E. Beattie, John Barnard, C. James; hens, John Barnard. Parlor Tumbler, cocks, J. T. Heslop, J. & T. Hatton; hens, same. Doves, cocks, L. McGillivray; hens, same. Largest entry of pigeons, J. & T. Hatton. Sweepstake, Black Tumbler hen, owned by J. V. McAree, Mimico. Reuben Short prize, H. H. Pingel, John Barnard, C. James. Best pair shown by boy under 15 years, H. Pingel. Best blue or black Pouter, W. Thompson; red or yellow pouter, W. T. Hodgens; collection of Pouters, J. & T. Hatton; collection Shortface Tumblers, J. Ellwood; largest collection L. F. C. L. Tumblers, J. V. McAree, also best red or yellow C. L. self Tumblers and best self Tumblers; largest collection of Baldheads, best red or yellow Bald, largest collection of Muff Tumbers and best pair white Muff to H. H. Pingel; best collection Barbs, W. Stelle; Pigmy Pouter, J. V. McAree; largest collection Jacobins, J. Wilson; pair white Fantails, Bert Sheward; six best colored white Fans, W. T. Hodgens; largest collection Magpies, W. G. Armstrong; best pair Turbits, B. Sheward; collection Dragoons, L. V. McAree.

Canaries.

R. B. Heighway, L. McGillivray, J. & T. Hatton, J. A. Moule, C. James and R. Mills were the winners in the canary, parrot and rabbit department.

The cat show was fine and attracted a great deal of attention. H. A. Clark's long-haired black male was a minner in his class, while T. C. Knott's entry took the prize for the female. A. H. Keene won the prize for white males, and W. Lee the prize for blue males. The prize for brown tabby female was carried off by T. C. Knott. Other winners were:

The Cats.

Orange tabby, male, Mrs. Weir; female, Mrs. F. Finnegan, A. H. Keene. Solid color, neuter, Mrs. Luscombe; male kitten, any color, A. H. Keene, Miss E. A. Knott 2 and 3; female, Miss Lee 1 and 3, A. H. Keene 2. Short-haired cats, black, A. H. Keene; female, A. H. Keene; white, Miss K. Smith, Mrs. Weir. Maltese, male, Mrs. Pingel, Miss E. Anderson. Tortoise-shell, female, no first awarded, A. H. Keene 2. Tabby, M. E. Hodgens; female, A. H. Keene. A. O. V., Lulu McLeod; female, Miss McCallum, A. H. Keene; kitten, A. H. Keene, Mrs. Pingel; female, W. Lee. Largest entry, A. H. Keene. Sweepstake, Mrs. Weir.

America has been experimenting with a new 14-inch naval gun. It has a muzzle energy of 65,606 foot tons, and it hurls forth a projectile which will pierce 12-inch steel at a range of five miles.

Local Sporting Gossip

Smirle Lawson, the left half of the champion Varsity Rugby team, and probably the best known player in Canada, was in the city yesterday, representing Toronto University medical faculty at the medical banquet held in the Tecumseh House last night. He received a very warm welcome as the boys were all glad to meet him, and he was very enthusiastic over his treatment by the Meds.

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As the management is reserving the ice for Christmas, there was no hockey practice at the Jubilee Rink last evening. The O. H. A. juniors and intermediates were scheduled to go on, but the arrangements were cancelled. It is expected that the next ice practice will be held the first of next week.

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Hamilton Times: The big basketball game on Christmas night at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, when the fast London team will meet the new local senior team, will be the first big championship game. The London team is in good shape, and will make the locals extend themselves to win out. The basketball committee has selected seven of the best senior men. After the big game Christmas night the team will go to London for a return game on New Year's night. Before the big International League is started games will be played with Varsity, Toronto West End and Central.

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Captain Anson in discussing players past and present said the other day: "It makes me smile when I read in the papers that Ty Cobb, Hans Wagner, and John Kling never had equals on the diamond. Let me say that Cobb never saw the day he could run bases, hit and field like Mike Kelly and Bill Lange. Wagner is a star, but he is no better than Ed. Williamson when the latter played shortstop for my Chicago team. As far as Kling is concerned, I'll admit he's a splendid catcher, but Buck Ewing had him beaten every way. You can't tell me that there are any better players now than twenty years ago or that the game is any faster. The younger generation of fans, of course, never had a chance to see the old stars, but they can take it from me that the great players of the past have never been equalled.—New York Sun.

HOCKEY PARAGRAPHS

The Welland club will play their O. H. A. games in St. Catharines. Their rink was burned last summer.

Percy Borland is playing with the Galt pros., because, having played with and against professionals, he is ineligible to play in the O. H. A.

Dobson, of Queen's, one of the fastest forwards playing the game, is out again this season.

Stuart Christie, right outside of the Ottawa football team, the best forward in the Interprovincial League, turned out with the Cliffsides last night. His knee, which was injured in the Ottawa-Tiger game at Toronto, is better, and he will be able to stand the pace. Ramsay, a Maritime Province man, was also out.

The Cliffsides have accepted an invitation to visit Amherst, N. S., where they will play on Jan. 1, leaving Ottawa next Thursday night. Twelve men will go along, and other games will also be arranged down east.

Lindsay Warder: Peterboro's chances in the intermediate series look good. They have the nucleus of an all-round septet of hockey players, and the men are by no means novices. Last year the Lindsay champions had to play no speedier team than the Peterboro aggregation, and the Petes have the majority of the old team on their this year's lineup.

The Toronto Canoe Club is arranging a game with the Cleveland A. Athletic Club in the American city. The local club wrote some time ago to the management of the team, and an answer is expected in the course of a few days. If the terms are accepted the game will likely take place on New Year's Eve.

McSloy, the 'Varsity player, had the misfortune to have a small bone in his hand sprained at the team's practice on Tuesday. The injury is not at all serious, but it will keep him out of the game for a couple of weeks.

Beulah Davidson, of Osgoode Hall, will likely take his place on the team for the game with the New York Athletic Club on Dec. 28.

FRANK ISBELL MAY BE LEAGUE PRESIDENT

Has Been Offered Position in Central Kansas Organization.

Wichita, Kas., Dec. 23.—Frank Isbell, of the Chicago American League team, has received a proposition from the stockholders of the Central Kansas Baseball League, asking him if he will accept the presidency of the organization and he has replied that if satisfactory terms can be made he will accept.

Isbell said that if he did not take the place he would remain with the Wichita Western League team as manager and would play with the team. He anticipates no trouble in securing his release from the Chicago Americans.

THE SENIORS WON

Glanworth Men Met on the Ideal Alleys Yesterday—The Scores.

The Glanworth seniors won from the juniors of the same place on the Ideal Alleys yesterday by 34 pins. McLaughlin, of the seniors, had high score of 383, on his team, while Simpson led the two teams with 395. The scores:

Glanworth Seniors.

Brodie	124	106	147	377
Turnbull	118	144	99	361
Vanshke	143	124	112	379
McLaughlin	140	126	117	383
	525	500	475	1,500

Glanworth Juniors.

Smith	117	119	135	371
Simpson	108	111	176	395
Taylor	114	32	109	355
Cawsey	89	135	121	345
	428	497	541	1,466

ATTELL VS. MOWATT

Two Matched for 10-Rounds at Catch Weights.

Kansas City, Dec. 23—Abe Attell and Tommy Mowatt, of Kansas City, will box ten rounds before the Twin Cities Athletic Club here next Monday night. The match will be at catch weights.

Much interest is attached to the bout because Mowatt has been out of the ring for four years and upon his showing in this fight largely depends whether he will re-enter the boxing game.

JEFFRIES HISSED AT GALVESTON, TEX.

White Champion Got Too Boastful in Jack Johnston's Home Town.

JAMES WAS REAL NOISY

Says Black Man Has Been Shouting Too Much Hot Air and That Fight Will End Early.

Galveston, Texas, Dec. 23.—Jim Jeffries was hissed here when he declared himself a better man than Johnson and bragged he would make short work of the black man if he ever got him in the ring. He declared Johnson is no fighter, and that the battle will not last long, and that when it is over Johnson will be up on the shelf a dead one.

"I could whip him today," said Jeffries. "When I get him in the ring I intend to knock his block off. He has been shouting too much hot air, and it will not take me long to put him to sleep."

Some of the sports who saw Jeffries declare he is not the man he was when he won the championship.

DE ORO CHALLENGES THE WHOLE OUTFIT

Will Match Himself for $2,000 Against Hoppe, Cline, Demarest, Sutton, Slosson, Cutler and Morningstar.

New York, Dec. 23.—Alfred de Oro, world's three-cushion billiard champion, angry at the published threats of Willie Hoppe and other balk-line players to enter the around-the-table field and wrest his title from him, has issued a sweeping challenge to the whole outfit of professional balk-line players. He will match himself for $2,000 a side at any number of points and under any conditions the taker of the challenge may care to name. In addition to Hoppe the defi is directed at Cline, Demarest, Sutton, Slosson, Cutler and Morningstar.

BRITISH WRITS OUT ON JANUARY 10TH

London, Dec. 23.—The general elections writs will be issued on Jan. 10. This announcement was officially made today, and means that voting will take place on the 15th and onward, extending over a period of nearly two weeks.

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE APPROVES RELEASES

Ratifies Trades of Boston, Cincinnati and Brooklyn Clubs.

New York, Dec. 23.—The following releases have been approved by the National League:

By Boston — Unconditionally, Alfred Shaw; to Sioux City, (W. L.), Fred B. Stem.

By Cincinnati—To Fort Wayne (C. L.), Pearl Stanley and Carl Manda; to Memphis (S. L.), Jas. A. Lafitte; to Buffalo (E. L.), C. K. Carmichael and John Dubuc.

By Brooklyn—To Mobile (S. L.), Jos. E. Dunn and George E. Bittrolf; to Milwaukee (A. A.), Wilbur Schardt; to Chattanooga (S. L.), Forbes Alcock and Fred Miller; to New Haven (Ct. L.), Andrew Herbst and George Sherwood.

COMISKEY RELEASES THREE

Fiene, Rowan and Johnson All Go Back to Minors.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Three members of the Chicago Americans were disposed of today by President Charles A. Comiskey. Pitcher Fiene was sent back to the Minneapolis American Association team and Outfielder Johnson and Infielder Rowan were returned to the Peoria Three-I. League team.

DENIES SLAVERY CHARGE

Herrmann Says Clymer Was Trying to Dodge Payment.

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 23.—"If Billy Clymer thinks he can stall us by claiming that we are violating the thirteenth amendment in baseball contracts he'll find he's a small toad in a big puddle," said President Herrmann, of the Reds, tonight. Clymer is the owner of the Wilkesbarre, Pa., team, and has brought action, it is said, to show that the contract system is little better than slavery. He doesn't want to pay $200 for a certain player he has secured. Herrmann says that contracts between clubs and players are almost the same as between employees and employers in other lines of business, and that Clymer can't prove they make slavery.

BROOKLYN ASKS WAIVERS

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 23. — The fight for National League baseball players for next season started this afternoon, when word was received from the president's office in New York asking the Phillies to waive claim on no fewer than 14 players now on the market. Notwithstanding the fact that such men as Alperman, Barger and Starnagel are on the list, the Phillies waived on all. The players on whom waivers were asked by Brooklyn were Alperman, Clement, Marshall, Starnagel, Barger, Holly, McCormick, Tonjes, Bradley, Buemiller, Holmes, Kuetzer, Pattee and Redmond.

A French chemist has recently proclaimed that cider is an antidote for typhoid fever. The acid in it is the agent, as it destroys the germs.

"MY HARDEST AND BEST FIGHT WAS WITH BIG HANK GRIFFEN"

BY JACK JOHNSON.

Heavyweight Champion of the World.

One of the hardest battles and one which I consider of the best in my career in the prize ring, I fought against Hank Griffen, a colored man, at Oakland, Cal., in 1902. We went 15 rounds, the decision going to me.

Griffen was a man about six feet four inches in height, and at that time he had the longest reach of any man in the boxing game. If he were fighting today he would outreach any man in the business.

This same Griffen fought Jim Jeffries 17 rounds of hard milling, and afterward Jeffries acknowledged that if it had not been for Billy Gallagher, Griffen might have been hailed as the winner.

Griffen had an awkward punch and one that carried plenty of steam with it. It would puzzle the best of them to get away from that punch, and, combined with Griffen's ability to take punishment and keep on fighting, made him a dangerous man for any fighter to monkey with.

JACK JOHNSON.

In that fight Griffen and I fought toe to toe, give and take, and I want to say right here that I had to travel my best to win. I did not knock out Griffen, but was declared the winner.

JACK JOHNSON.

Afterward I fought Griffen in Los Angeles, Cal., for Tom McCarey, who at this time was handling the big fellow. I was then under the management of Frank Cariallo, of Bakersfield. This fight, like the first one, was a hard battle that went 20 rounds, and I was declared the winner.

In this fight I was able to avoid that punch of Griffen's, which had bothered me so much in the first fight. At that time I was not as well developed, nor did I have the physique I now have, and it is probable that men who in the earlier days gave me considerable trouble, would not bother me so much now.

Among the battles I have on my record is one with Jack Jeffries, brother of the man I am now signed to fight. I beat Jack Jeffries just the same as I intend to beat Jim Jeffries when we meet.

Jack Johnson

NATIONAL LEAGUERS MAY GO ON STRIKE

Do Not Favor Playing 168-Game Schedule During Next Season.

SAY MONEY WILL TALK

But if Magnates Decline to Boost the Pay Checks War Will Follow.

Chicago, Dec. 23. — The Record-Herald this morning says:

National League ball players may go on a general strike when contract signing season rolls around.

There's something more than a mere suggestion of budding strife behind the players' side of that 168-game schedule in 1910. Several big leaguers discussing the problem yesterday expressed curiosity over their probable fate as regards salary increase.

Talk of war seemed to be the only right and proper source of relief in the event the magnates decline to boost the pay checks in proportion with the extra games.

TURF RESULTS

Tampa.

Canopian 4 to 5, Malecon 2 to 1, Alvise 8 to 1.

Bonnie B. even, St. Denoil 4 to 1, Catrine Montour 4 to 1.

Earl of Richmond 3 to 5, Masks and Faces 7 to 1, Hurlock 20 to 1.

Escutcheon 15 to 1, Beth Goodwin 3 to 1, Lou Lanier 4 to 1.

Lens even, Orphan Lad 10 to 1, Bronte 6 to 1.

Vanen 3 to 5, Cassowary 7 to 2, Great Jubilee 3 to 1.

Jacksonville.

Dixie Knight 6 to 5, Sou 11 to 5, Gypsy Girl 20 to 1.

Anderson 6 to 1, Many Colors 10 to 1, May Amelia even.

Font 11 to 5, Robin Grey 11 to 5, Eustay 100 to 1.

LaSalle 6 to 1, George W. Lebolt 5 to 2, La Gloria 6 to 5.

Ragman 1 to 2, Admonish 9 to 1, Belleview 9 to 2.

Cunning 5 to 1, County Clerk 13 to 5, Billy Pullman 8 to 5.

Oakland.

Silk 6 to 2, Pride of Lismore 5 to 1, Cantem 2 to 1.

Chantilly 5 to 1, Gossiper II. 9 to 2, Little Buttercup 15 to 1.

Rosslane 4 to 5, Bishop W. 2 to 1, Follie L. 10 to 1.

Hamper 10 to 1, Sewell 4 to 1, Cloudlight 11 to 5.

Dr. Mayer 10 to 1, Sink Spring 13 to 5, Steel 13 to 5.

Elmda Lee 7 to 2, No Quarter 12 to 5, Jillettee 8 to 1.

Seventh Regiment "At Home."

Major Campbell and the officers of the Seventh Fusiliers will hold an "At Home" on New Year's, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., in the officers' mess at the Armories.

'VARSITY OF MICHIGAN HAS FOOTBALL SCANDAL

Board of Control Orders Joy Miller To Return "M" Cap and Sweater and Apologies to Other Teams.

Detroit, Dec. 24.—James Joy Miller, recently elected captain of the Michigan football team for 1910 has been declared ineligible by the board of control of the university, and will be asked to return his "M" cap and sweater, and will also be unable to lead the maize and blue eleven in 1910.

That Miller was not a "bona fide" student of the university when he played on the team during the last football season is the verdict of the board, and for this reason apologies have been offered to Marquette, Syracuse, Notre Dame, Pennsylvania and Minnesota, against whom Miller played this year.

Less than two weeks ago the fact that Miller was ineligible became noised about the campus at Ann Arbor. The board of control immediately took steps to confess the matter.

NELSON IS LOOKING FOR FORFEIT MONEY

Battler Is Waiting for Milwaukee Fighter to Bind Match.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Battling Nelson stands ready to close for a fight with Ad Wolgast in America as soon as the Milwaukee youngster posts a forfeit to bind the match. This statement was made by the champion last night after reading a dispatch from Los Angeles that Wolgast was begging for a chance to land the title.

JACK GLEASON SAYS 'FRISCO GETS FIGHT

Rickard's Partner Says Salt Lake City Will Not Get Jeff-Johnson Go.

San Francisco, Dec. 23.—Jack Gleason, Tex Rickard's partner in the Jeffries-Johnson fight, said: "The fight will not take place at Salt Lake City, and I am willing to deposit money if anybody wants to take a chance on the bet. San Francisco is the best sporting town in the country, and I'm for it." Gleason said Rickard was talking for effect or had been misquoted. He said the only way Salt Lake City could get the fight was by its people guaranteeing a purse of $101,000.

POLE INJURES OPPONENT

Turner Put Out of Wrestling by Zbyszko at Ottumwa, Iowa.

Ottumwa, Iowa, Dec. 23. — When Zbyszko, the Polish wrestler, lifted George Turner, of Kellogg, Iowa, and threw him to the mat, a muscle in Turner's right shoulder snapped, and the Iowan was put out of the handicap match here tonight. Zbyszko took the first fall in 20:22, with a body hold and bar lock. Turner was unable to continue the match, in which Zbyszko agree to throw his adversary three times in an hour. One thousand people saw the bout.

Irvine King, of Grovetown, Ga., has a turkey gobbler sitting on about five dozen eggs, three dozen of which are guinea eggs.

UTAH'S GOVERNOR EVASIVE ON FIGHT

Executive Spry Says Salt Lake City May Not Be Scene of Battle.

IT ALL DEPENDS ON JEFF

Altitude of Mormon Town, He Thinks Would Be Too High For the Californian.

Philadelphia, Dec. 23.—"I do not think the Jeffries-Johnson prize fight will ever be held in Salt Lake City," said Governor William Spry of Utah, this afternoon.

The governor and his party arrived in this city today to attend the launching of the battleship Utah, which is said to be the largest in the world. The launching will take place from the shipyard of the New York Shipbuilding Company at Camden, N.J., Friday morning.

When seen the governor would not commit himself, but his evasive answers left little doubt in the minds of his hearers as to the real meaning of his reply. In order to make matters sure, however, he was asked directly whether or not he would permit the fight to be pulled off in Salt Lake City.

"It is not a question of what I in my official capacity should allow," said he smilingly. "The fact is this: Jeffries has been fighting in San Francisco, and really, gentlemen, I do not think that he would be able to fight in the high altitude of Salt Lake City." Other than this the governor would not commit himself.

WINDSOR WANTS RACES

Prepare a Petition Against Any Legislation.

Windsor, Dec. 23.—Windsor's objection to the proposed legislation against race tracks will be brought before the Canadian Government in the form of a petition being circulated and which will be submitted before the proposed legislation comes under discussion. It points out that the holding of races affects a profitable market for farm products, and that negotiations are now being made to secure the free use of the present track for a Windsor fall fair. A large number of signatures have been secured, and the petition will probably be brought before the Government by the local members of parliament.

70 ATHLETES SUSPENDED

Buffalo Men Recently Signed "Round Robin" for Better Prizes.

Buffalo, Dec. 23.—Seventy Buffalo athletes have been suspended from the American Athletic Union. The men recently signed a "round robin" addressed to the officers of the local regimental associations asking for an increase in the value of the prizes given at the winter indoor meets.