

## LIVE TOPICS OF SPORT AT HOME AND ABROAD

## EVERY BOXER PUTS CLAIM ON SOME TITLE

(By Otto C. Photo.)

Denver, June 25.—Only a short time ago Mr. Featherweight dwelt in an abode alone. He was master of all he surveyed. But things have suddenly changed, and the elusive little class now lives in a duplex building.

In other words, Johnny Kilbane was the sole possessor of the title and in undisputed control of the same. Now along comes Johnny Dundee and battles him. Well, it's a fifty-fifty proposition now. As a reminder, Kilbane now only holds a working interest in the title.

True, he didn't lose it; neither did he win it again. Dundee didn't win it either, but he worked so well that Referee Eytan declared him in as a partner on the thing. So, at best, it's a muddled or rather queer condition that exists in that department of the game.

The firm title to the prize should now read Kilbane & Dundee, holders of the world's featherweight title. So that both boys must content themselves with half a loaf—which, after all, is better than no loaf at all.

## How Titles Are Muddled.

Speaking of championship titles, was there ever a time when the different emblems were in so chaotic a condition? Take them right down the line from the heavyweights to the flyweights, and not a single representative of any of the departments holds an undisputed right to the title here.

Never before has such a thing been apparent in pugilism, and it seems rather astounding to those who have never given this angle a fleeting thought.

When we look back a few years and realize the hard-fought battles and the strenuous routes the champions were compelled to travel over to gain their positions, and then see hurriedly over the present crop—well, deliver us from expressing our candid opinion for it would not look well, print.

In the featherweight realm we have the laughable conditions of a divided or split title, with two men claiming it. It was originally won by Kilbane from Arel. But it was one of those decision affairs, without a decisive ending, that stamps the winner as a bona fide representative.

## How Times Have Changed.

After reviewing the different classes about us, it's like a fresh spring breeze to recall the classes of a few years ago, and see the grand list of names that represented the different divisions.

Each and every one a champion in the full meaning of the term, and each and every title won by actual conflict within the ring, with a knockout accompaniment to clutch it and keep it free from dispute.

Heavyweight champion—James J. Corbett.

Middleweight champion—Robert Fitzsimmons.

Welterweight champion—Tommy Ryan.

Lightweight champion—Joe Gans.

Featherweight champion—George Dixon.

Bantamweight champion—Jimmy Barry.

What a grand list, and what real champions they all were. What a great lot of rivals they were forced to win their laurels from. Any of the contenders of that time would have easily been champion today if he had the present lot to deal with.

## CABEL AND EDNA B. RACE FOR BIG STAKE

Dover, N. H., June 25.—The pacing stallion Cabel, 2:11 1/4, was shipped from here this morning by express for Rockingham Park, where on Thursday afternoon he is to meet Edna B., 2:16 1/4, in a match race for \$2,500 a side.

Walter Cox received word this forenoon from the stockholder that the backs of the mare had posted the balance of their money and the son of Gamblett Wilkes was at once started for the racing ground in charge of assistant trainer Ted Horan.

Followers of the Cox stable are strong in their belief that Cabel will win, but most of them have a wholesome regard for the grey mare. It will be the stallion's first race over a mile track, but he has been thoroughly schooled over the big ring at Granite State Park, and as he is fit for his Grand Circuit engagements, it is not strange that Cabel has many who favor his chances.

Over in Manchester, where Edna B. is owned, they consider the race over with the result the same as last fall at Waterville, when the mare won in straight heats.

## FITZSIMMONS PREPARES RODEL.

New York, June 25.—Robert Fitzsimmons has agreed to box privately with George Rodel, the Boer heavy-weight in preparation for the latter's ten round glove fight with Gunboat Smith in the Garden, Friday night. Jimmy Johnston, Rodel's manager, believes the freckled Cornishman can be of much assistance in the Boer's camp. Fitz, as a matter of fact, has a high opinion of Rodel and helped to advise him how to beat Soldier Kearns in the Garden several years ago.

Smith, because of Rodel's claim that he nearly blinded the Gunboat in a bout last winter, is working harder than usual to be fit and ready. He says that Rodel will be stopped this time inside of six rounds. Both men received many visitors at their training camp yesterday.

## ATHLETES WILL COMPETE IN CHAMPIOSHIPS



T. MEREDITH

July 4 will see all the amateur athletes of note in Chicago, where the National A. A. U. championships will be held. From the way the men have been preparing and the fast time that has been made so far this year it looks as if many records will go to smash. This year has brought two new men to the front in athletics, A. S. Robinson, the schoolboy sprinter, and Powers, the runner, who ran Kiviat off his feet. The men in the above illustration are sure to give a good account of themselves at the two day track and field meet at the "Windy City."

## THIS DATE IN RING ANNALS

June 26.

1905—Jack Johnson fought a 6-round no-decision bout with Jack Munroe in Philadelphia. The black man had the better of the argument. Munroe had for a time laid claim to the heavyweight championship by reason of his alleged defeat of Jim Jeffries in a 4-round bout staged in Butte, Mont., in 1902. He got so chesty about it that Jeff gave him a chance to make good in San Francisco a couple of years later. Munroe was knocked out in the 2nd round. He was never again a contender for a title, but for a time was taken seriously by the front.

1908—Jimmy Walsh defeated Jimmy Carroll in 11 rounds at San Francisco.

1909—Sam McVey defeated Jim Barry, foul, in 15 rounds at Paris.

## BASEBALL SCHEDULE FOR JULY

July 1—Bangor at Fredericton (two games).

July 1—St. Croix at St. John (two games).

July 2—St. John at Bangor.

July 3—St. Croix at Fredericton.

July 4—Fredericton at Calais (two games).

July 4—St. John at Bangor (two games).

July 5—Fredericton at St. John.

July 5—Bangor at St. Stephen.

July 6—Bangor at Fredericton.

July 7—Bangor at St. John.

July 8—Bangor at St. John.

July 9—Fredericton at St. Stephen.

July 10—Bangor at Calais.

July 10—St. John at Fredericton.

July 11—Fredericton at Bangor.

July 12—Fredericton at Bangor.

July 12—St. Croix at St. John.

July 13—St. Croix at St. John.

July 14—St. Croix at Fredericton.

July 15—Bangor at St. John.

July 16—Bangor at St. Stephen.

July 17—Bangor at Calais.

July 17—St. John at Fredericton.

July 18—Fredericton at St. John.

July 19—St. Croix at Bangor.

July 19—Fredericton at St. John.

July 21—St. Croix at St. John.

July 22—St. John at Bangor.

July 22—St. Croix at Fredericton.

July 23—St. John at Bangor.

July 24—Bangor at Fredericton.

July 25—Bangor at St. John.

July 26—Bangor at St. John.

July 26—Fredericton at St. Stephen.

July 28—St. Croix at Fredericton.

July 29—St. Croix at St. John.

July 30—Bangor at St. Stephen.

July 31—St. John at Fredericton.

N. B. & M. League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
St. Croix	11	6	.647
St. John	15	9	.625
Fredericton	12	9	.600
Bangor	3	18	.143

Games This Week.

Thursday—St. John at Fredericton.

Friday—St. Croix at St. John; Fredericton at Bangor.

Saturday—St. Croix at St. John; Fredericton at Bangor.

Costly.

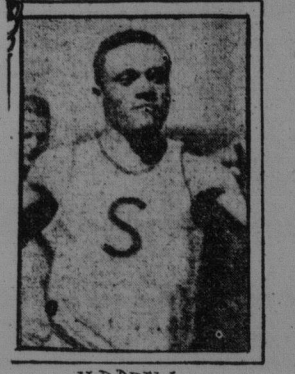
Miss Eke—Ah, what a change one little woman can make in a man's life! Mr. Wye—Yes, and by George, what a heap of change she requires while doing it.



A. KIVIAI



HANNES KOEHLEMAINEN



H. DREW



"MATT" McGRATH

## SPORTOGRAPHY "GRAVY"

Just to give the reformers a temporary relief from contemplating the horrors and brutality of boxing, the following announcement of a bull fight to be staged in Santander, Spain, may be worth publication:

"Attention.—The attention of all tourists and lovers of sport is called to the bull fight to be given in Santander, the capital of the province of Santander, on the Bay of Biscay, in Northern Spain, on the twenty-sixth day of June. This will be the greatest bull fight in history, and it is probable that there will never be another so grand a scale. Instead of the usual six bulls, the customary number, no less than eighteen bulls will be killed. Six bullfighters, all numbered among the most famous in Spain, with their suites, have been engaged, and it will be an all-star engagement from beginning to end. The bull fight will occupy the entire day, commencing early in the morning and ending only at sundown, with an intermission of two hours for luncheon. The prospects are of the brightest for the full success of this gigantic undertaking, and Spaniards, and the visitors of the country, will see a festival such as has never before been presented, and scarcely will be repeated."

The small bills supply additional details regarding this great sporting event. It is predicted that no less than fifty, and possibly as many as a hundred horses will be killed before the day's festivities are over. As the six matadors are the nimblest and most expert in Spain, it is hardly to be hoped that any of them will be slain, although that is of course quite possible. Among their host of picadors and assistants, however, it is almost certain that some will fall before the vengeance of the bulls. Even an ordinary bull fight is not quite complete without the death or wounding of a picador, and this "greatest bull fight in history" should, to be a "full success," be marked by several human sacrifices.

It is quite too bad that the Plaza de Toros in Santander is so far away, and that we must be deprived of witnessing so delightful a spectacle.

Incidentally, it may be mentioned that the brutal boxing game is unknown in Spain. The Castilian spirit shrinks from rude personal combat with the fists, such as is indulged in by the Anglo-Saxon "pigs." All the same, it is suggested that a few boxers might make good missionaries in Spain.

## BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago, 4; St. Louis, 1.

At Chicago: St. Louis . . . 00001000—1 7 0 Chicago . . . 10030000—4 10 2 Batteries—Ahl, Stone and Agnew; Scott and Schalk.

New York, 5; Boston, 2.

At Boston: New York . . . 00101021—3 4 1 Boston . . . 00011000—2 5 4 Batteries—Ford and Sweeney; Wood and Nunnemaker.

Philadelphia, 14; Washington, 2.

At Washington: Philadelphia . . . 00400043—14 20 0 Washington . . . 00010100—2 5 2 Batteries—Bush, Bender, Lapp and Schang; Johnson, Galla, Alasmith and Williams.

Detroit, 4; Cleveland, 2.

At Detroit: Cleveland . . . 00000002—2 7 1 Detroit . . . 10010203—4 9 1 Batteries—Cullop, Blanding and O'Neill; Dubeu and Stange.

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## HUGH HIGH A DETROIT OUTFIELDER

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In Hugh High it appears as if the Detroit Tigers have picked up a young outfielder of marked ability. In the games that he has played for the one-time American League champions he has displayed himself like a big leaguer.

During the off season of 1911-12 he was on the reserve list of the New York Giants, but McGraw could not find a place for him and he was sent back to the Hartford Club of the Connecticut League. He led that organization in hitting last season, batting for an average of .327.

Providence 7; Toronto 3.

At Providence: Providence . . . 60000100—7 9 1 Toronto . . . 01000200—3 7 2 Batteries—Laffite and J. Onslow; Lush, Goulet and Baum.

New York-Boston Broke Even.

At New York—First game—New York . . . 00000000—1 5 2 Boston . . . 00010203—2 9 0 Batteries—Rudolph and Whaling and Brown; Demaree, Meyers and Hart.

Second game—Boston . . . 00300010—4 8 1 New York . . . 03000000—3 6 1 Batteries—Purdue and Brown; Marquard and Meyers.

National League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
Philadelphia	35	17	.673
New York	35	23	.603
Brooklyn	30	26	.538
Chicago	32	29	.525
Pittsburgh	25	32	.438
Boston	25	33	.431
St. Louis	25	36	.410
Cincinnati	22	39	.361

## BANGOR IS TO HAVE NEW MANAGER

Bangor, June 25.—The directors of the Bangor baseball club have under consideration no less than three possibilities for a manager to succeed George Magoon. Frank H. Connaughton, the well known New England leaguer, arrived in Bangor today and will talk with the directors. Coogan, who coached Bowdoin to the championship this year, after a long and successful career with Cornell, is also a possibility and Bobby Fitzmaurice, the well known New England leaguer, who turned out a fine team at the Massachusetts Agricultural college this year, also would like to come to Bangor.

Connaughton is the only one of the three who is in actual playing trim. He played all last season with New Bedford, at second base figuring in 113 games, at second base, with a batting average of .245 and fielding average of .947. Connaughton is widely known as well up on inside baseball and there is a feeling among the directors that he is just the man needed to steady the team and develop what is now a fine outfit of individual players. Both Coogan and Fitzmaurice are fine coaches as their work has proven.

If a deal is closed with Connaughton he will take hold of the team at once and probably work out with them today. It is expected that Bangor will play the Easterns at South Brewer, Thursday night.

Although the team did not win any games on the last trip, it showed some good baseball and there is no doubt but what a little tuning-up will make a great improvement.

The fans are already hungry for more baseball and the man who always swears that he will not go to another game will be in the front seat for the games with Fredericton, for Friday and Saturday.

PRIEST GETS BOXING LICENSE.

New York, June 25.—The Rev. Fr. P. H. Heffernan, rector of the Catholic church of Sayville, L. I., was granted an amateur license by the state boxing commission today to conduct the Sayville A. C. and hold boxing matches under its auspices.

Father Heffernan will open the club to young men of all religious denominations and the enterprise has the support, it is said, of clergymen of the other denominations in the town.

## CARLETON DEFEATED ROCKLAND

In the City League last night the Carleton team sprung a surprise on the fans by defeating the Rocklands, 6-2. The game went eight full innings and after the second inning the ball was of a high order, only two runs being made by each team during the remainder of the contest. The Carletons had made four runs off Megarity in the first two innings when he was replaced by Dunlap. Dunlap pitched a good game giving the Carletons only four hits and striking out nine men. Much of the credit for the Carleton's win is due to Seely, their southpaw twirler, who held the Rocklands to one lone hit. Chase's spectacular catch of a long fly to left was a feature of the game.

Eddie Ramsay umpired satisfactorily.

Score:

Team	AB	R	B	H	P	O	A	E
Sharkey, c.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hansen, cf.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cunningham, rf.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ramsay, 3b.	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	1
Donnelly, 2b.	2	0	1	2	2	1	0	1
Chase, lf.	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Ewing, 1b.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gillespie, ss.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Megarity, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dunlap, p.	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Elliot, 1b.	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	22	2	1	24	17	3	0	0

Carleton.

Team	AB	R	B	H	P	O	A	E
Baker, cf.	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Courtney, rf.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy, rf.	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wiley, 1b.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ramsay, 3b.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Carleton, 2b.	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Conners, ss.	4	1	1	2	2	2	0	0
Seely, p.	3	1	0	1	6	0	0	0
Perry, c.	4	0	1	5	1	0	0	0
Totals	35	6	8	24	12	3	0	0

The St. Peters and F. M. A. teams play this evening.

THE GIRL OF THE GAME.

She has the "curves"—she has the speed.

She also has "control" to dangle; if it should please she'll try "the squeeze."

Provided it's the proper angle.

She likes a "fast one round the waist" A "salary whip" that's trained and steady.

A "home-run guy" whose batting eye is on "the plate" when meals are ready.

"The diamond?" Yes, it goes with her.

A "good catch" finds her mitts exposed, and large Lechorn hat trimmed with pansies.

She carried a shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley.

Miss Margaret Kennedy was bridesmaid and wore a grey tailored suit and Lechorn hat, with pink roses. She also carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Arthur Frawley, cousin of the groom, did the honors of the ceremony.

For him, after the ceremony the happy couple repaired to the home of the bride, 350 Haymarket Square, where a dainty breakfast was served.

The bride received many handsome presents. Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill left on the Boston boat for Boston and New York, returning by way of Montreal and Toronto. They will reside in St. George.

UHLAN TROTTERING FAST.

Cleveland, June 25.—Judged by the form he is showing here in his work-outs, Uhlán, C. K. Billings' trotter, has a good chance of succeeding when he tries for a world's record to wagon at the opening of the Grand Circuit races here in July.

Today Uhlán circled the oval at North Randall in 2:04 1/2. The world's record of two minutes is held by himself. Trotting to a sulky. The great gelding did the mile in 2:03 1/2.

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