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OUR SPORT PRIMER

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SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

HOCKEY

Sussex Wins

The St. Johns were defeated in Sussex last night in a fast and exciting hockey game by a score of 8 to 4. The ice was soft, making stick handling hard.

N. H. A. Standing

Team	W.	L.	F.	A.
Wanderers	6	3	62	40
Ottawas	6	3	32	33
Quebec	5	4	34	33
Toronto	5	4	27	36
Shamrock	4	5	33	34
Canadiens	1	8	29	41

Games Tonight

Shamrocks at Wanderers.
Canadians at Toronto.
Quebec at Ottawa.

CURLING

Fredericton Curlers Victorious

The visiting Fredericton curlers defeated four rinks of the St. Andrew's Club last night in a well contested and interesting match.

This evening they will be pitted against members ofthe Thistle Club and an exciting match is anticipated. The following was the score by rinks:—

St. Andrew's.		Fredericton.	
D. Ledingham,		E. A. McKay,	
W. B. Tennant,		T. H. Belmore,	
Dr. S. B. Smith,		J. R. Howie,	
Chas. McDonald,		S. D. Simmons,	
skip	11	skip	23
F. W. Coombs,		T. S. Sterling,	
F. C. Beatteay,		R. Van Dine,	
W. A. Stewart,		Dr. C. P. Holden,	
J. U. Thomas,		J. H. Hawthorne,	
skip	11	skip	18
F. C. Smith,		C. W. Hall,	
Dr. A. H. Merrill,		John Neill,	
Dr. Magee,		C. H. Weddall,	
P. C. Clarke,		T. A. Wilson,	
skip	19	skip	9
J. V. McLellan,		A. Staples,	
H. Linam,		A. T. Fowler,	
C. A. Peters,		H. B. Colwell,	
F. S. White,		Fred Hatt,	
skip	8	skip	20
Totals	49		70

HORSE RACING

Car Ferry and Pearl Pick Winners

A large number of horse racing enthusiasts were at Moosepath yesterday afternoon to witness the match races, Car Ferry vs Etta Mac, and Pearl Pick vs Ozen D., and Margaret Chimes.

Car Ferry won the first event taking three out of four heats. Pearl Pick won the second event in straight heats.

P. A. Belliveau and J. A. Barry acted as judges; Hugh O'Neill was starter, and Clark and McNeill timers. It was a good afternoon's sport.

RING

Welsh Defeats Beecher

Freddie Welsh, of England, world's lightweight champion, outpointed Willie Beecher, of New York in eight rounds of a ten-round bout at Madison Square Garden, New York, last night. Beecher was called upon on Monday to substitute for Charley White, of Chicago, who was taken ill on Sunday.

Johnson Expected at West Indies

Jack Johnson is expected to arrive on Jan. 25 at Barbados, en route to meet Jesse Willard at Juarez, Mexico, in a battle for the heavyweight championship of the world, March 6, according to the fight promoters at El Paso, Tex. Willard arrived on Monday to begin training.

BASEBALL

Lowell's Reserve List

Lowell, Jan. 26—While discussion of the prospects for a New England League baseball team in Lowell and other cities in the coming season continues, President Andrew F. Roach and Secretary John H. Cull, of the Lowell team, forwarded this week contracts to several reserved players, and some letters in acknowledgment of them have been received.

The players reserved by the Lowell management are:

Catchers—Paul Wacob, Passadena; James T. Greenhaigh, Lowell.

Pitchers — James Ring, New York; Norman Weaver, Terre Hill, Penna.; Matt Zeiser, Chicago; Samuel Schenk, Anville, Penn.; Claude O. Lohman, El Dorado, Tex.; Roy Smith, Red Lion, Penn.

Infielders—Robert Kelley, New York, first baseman; Jefferson McClaskey, Americus, Ga., second baseman; Maurice L. Dee, Lowell, shortstop; Howard L. Fahey, Medford, third baseman.

Outfielders — Earl Stimpson, Northville, Mich., left field; Frank Swayne, Buffalo, centre field; J. Roggy, Brooklyn, right field. Norman Weaver also covers right field in good shape.

Red Sox Plans

Manager Carrigan has shortened the stay of the Red Sox players at Hot Springs this year, and will not take the regular men there until about two weeks later than last year, or about the middle of March. Secretary Edwin Riley gives out the following itinerary:

"Manager Carrigan has decided that he wants the first squad of the club to report at Hot Springs, Ark., on Sunday, March 7. This squad will include pitchers Leonard, Collins, Wood, Shore, Ruth, Cooper, Foster, Gregg, Mays and Scott, catchers Thomas Cady, Pratt and Carrigan, and shortstop "Heinie" Wagner.

"The second squad will report at Hot Springs on March 14, and will include Hoblitzell, Janvrin, Gardner, Scott, Gainor, McNally, Gill, Speaker, Lewis, Rehg, Henriksen, Shorten, Hooper and Tutwiler.

"The club will remain at Hot Springs until April 2. The training trip games arranged are as follows: — Memphis, April 3, 4, 5; Louisville, April 6, 7, 8; Cincinnati, April 9, 10, 11.

"The announcement has been made that the Boston National League Club will open the season in Boston, which means that after the game in Cincinnati on April 11, the Red Sox will jump to either New York, Philadelphia or Washington to open the American League season.

"After a layoff of five years, Little Rock, Ark., will be represented in the coming season in the Southern League, and the Red Sox may play one or two games in Little Rock, as it is only a short trip from Hot Springs."

Fitchburg After Team

Fitchburg, Mass., Jan 26—W. W. Sargent, president of the Fitchburg and Leominster Street Railways, who controls the baseball grounds used by the New England League club last season, conferred this week with Manager Patrick J. Morgan, of the Philadelphia Nationals about bringing a New England League franchise to this city.

Mr. Sargent said that the Federal League was looking over conditions in Manchester, Worcester, Lynn and Portland. With the Federals in some of those cities, he said that two teams could not survive. In that event, he said, it would be advisable to transfer the franchises to cities where there was no opposition, and Fitchburg might be selected.

Stallings Had Sleep Problem

The question of how to make his men sleep the night before the first game of the world's series was a problem which worried George Stallings, but he solved it in so far as his pitcher was concerned by a neat subterfuge.

"The night before the first game I called Rudolph aside," he writes, "and said to him: 'Dick, I don't expect to work you tomorrow, because I think we can get away with the game without starting you. But you had better get your regular rest now, because it might be necessary for you to step into the box there and pitch a little if things break that way, and we have to take some one out. I just want you to be ready.'

"The result was that Rudolph went to bed that night with no anxiety on his mind. He did not think he would pitch the next day, and he had nothing to worry over, so he slept and came to the job fresh and clear eyed."

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COOMBS EXPECTS TO REGAIN FORM

Feels Certain That He Still Retains His Former Cunning and Will Succeed With Brooklyn

Jack Coombs, former star pitcher of the Philadelphia Athletics and world's series hero of 1910 and 1911 and once with the St. John Alerts, announced last week that he had signed a contract with the Brooklyn Nationals.

Coombs was a free agent, as Connie Mack recently released him unconditionally, when all the American league waived on him. Coombs was considered an uncertain risk, as he went through a good deal of illness in the last two years and his present ability is uncertain.

Coombs, however, feels certain that he still retains his former cunning, and says he expects to regain his best form next season. He feels convinced that he has recovered his former strength and that he will again rise to a front rank among the leading pitchers in the major leagues.

John Wesley Coombs, former great Iron Man of the Athletics pitching staff was born in Le Grande, Iowa, on November 18, 1883, but at an early age his parents moved to Kennebunkport, Me., where Jack has a large farm.

He won renown pitching for Colby college. There he won a degree as bachelor of science. Completing his college career in 1906, he immediately joined the Athletics, and after being in the big league only a few weeks he won the longest major league game on record, defeating the Red Sox 4 to 1 in a twenty-four inning game.

Coombs, however, did not jump into the star class until 1910, when he had a wonderful season, and broke enough records to shake several sticks at. He won thirty-one out of forty games, and created a new American league shutout record by pitching thirteen scoreless games. He also pitched fifty-three consecutive scoreless innings, a record which Johnson beat in 1913, when he pitched fifty-six innings without a run being tagged on him. To complete a fine season Jack won three games against the Cubs in the 1910 world's series going in twice in succeeding games.

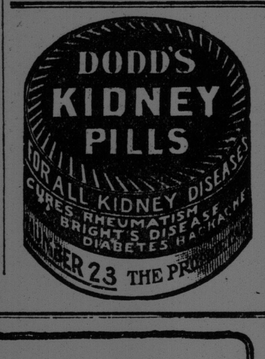
SHORT JABS AT ALL ROUND SPORTS

Among those jobs for which we have no hankering is the one to referee a policeman's handball tournament.

If that French surgeon who is grafting arms onto wounded soldiers will pick out a nice, strong pair of hands for Ad-Wolgast, we'll back the Bearcat against all those chaps who are squabbling over the title.

The Million Club of San Francisco ought to get busy or the population will move. Now Jim Coffroth has joined New Orleans.

The fighters are learning to run typewriters, which causes us to rejoice that But Nelson's day is past



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CANADIAN GOES TO U. S. FOR BOUTS

Jimmy Walsh.

Nine straight knockouts having exhausted all available opponents in Canada, Jimmy Walsh, who claims the lightweight championship of the dominion, has gone over the line to tackle the 133-pounders of the United States. In none of these fights has his opponent stayed more than four rounds. The American boys he has fought since his arrival have slowed up his knockout record considerably, but his record of wins stamp him as a clever lad.

EXCITING GAME IN CITY LEAGUE

Giants Take Three Points From the Sweeps—Team No. 3 Takes Three Points in the Five-Man Team League

In the City League on Black's Alleys last night, the Giants took three points from the Sweeps. The game was very interesting, owing to the exciting race for leading honors. The score:

Sweeps—				Total.	Avg.
Jenkins	99	92	90	281	93 2-3
Gamblin	86	86	74	246	82
McIlveen	106	97	90	293	97 2-3
Ferguson	91	84	88	263	87 2-3
Sullivan	83	99	84	266	88 2-3
	465	458	426	1349	
Giants—				Total.	Avg.
Totten	104	83	78	265	88 1-3
Cooper	96	100	87	283	94 1-3
Wheaton	87	100	83	270	90
Lemmon	93	111	90	294	98
Baillie	74	108	91	273	91
	454	502	429	1385	

Five-Man Team League

In the Five-Man Team League, on Victoria alleys last night, Team No. 3 took three points from Team No. 5. The score:

No. 3 Team—				Total.	Avg.
Morgan	80	93	105	278	92 2-3
McKean	83	89	84	256	85 1-3
Wright	92	86	81	259	86 1-3
Coughlan	80	86	91	257	85 2-3
Carleton	90	110	78	278	92 2-3
	425	464	439	1328	
No. 5 Team—				Total.	Avg.
Lewis	90	95	83	268	89 1-3
Labbe	90	86	85	261	87
Featherston	74	80	74	278	76
Teed	91	95	86	272,	90 2-3
Hill	91	88	98	277	92 1-3
	436	444	426	1306	

FULLERTON'S DOPELETS

What Manager Clarence Rowland will need is a training season to get his team into shape for the season after they complete their "spring training" games.

The idea of hiring Mike Cantillion to establish peace is like employing Jack Johnson as censor of morals.

Garry Herrmann's argument that organized baseball is not a trust because the Federal League wanted to get into it and was turned down is very much like Garry Herrmann's other arguments.

Has anyone yet thought to report that trade of a ball player for a dog to the Kennel club

All is saved! Dick Kensella has signed to scout for the Giants again.

Rog Bresnahan is of the Bill Phelon school of literature. Whenever he is going to make a worse blunder than usual he says: "If memary serves me well."

When the baseball magnates solemnly make affidavit that the things they have been telling us as true for years never were done, what is a fellow to think?

Why not let some of the baseball fans make affidavit as to whether the reserve clause is necessary to reserve the popularity of the game by enabling clubs to keep players

decides that case; someone is sure to cut him off the pass list.

Judge Landis is in bad either way he

SUFFERED FROM BILIOUS HEADACHE.

At Times Thought She Would Go Mad.

Headaches are one of the most aggravating troubles a person can have. They are many and varying; but when the headache starts you may be sure that there is some other chief cause of this most painful difficulty. The stomach may go wrong, the bowels become constipated, the blood may not circulate properly, but the presence of the headache clearly shows that there is some other baneful disease which is liable to assert itself unless the cause of the headache is removed. Get rid of the headache and thus perhaps save yourself many years of trial and suffering.

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GARNETT WINS N.B. CHAMPIONSHIP

Exciting Races in Victoria—Leadbetter Makes Good Showing—Gorman Unable To Defend Title Owing To Severe Cold

A large nuhber of people were present at the championship races in the Victoria rink last night under the auspices of the St. John Lodge of Moose, and witnessed some excellent exhibitions of skating. Henry Garnett carried off the honors, winning the quarter half, and mile events. He showed more speed than on any previous occasion and easily proved himself the fastest skater participating. His head work was good and bursts of speed called forth prolonged cheering from his admirers. At times he was hard pressed by Leadbetter of Westville, N. S., but his good judgment in selecting positions, and his excellent form enabled him to sprint out of the group and speed to the tape for a victory.

Leadbetter deserves credit for his showing in a strange rink. He won the 220 yards and took second in the mile and half mile. He did not get an opportunity to try for the quarter mile event owing to a poor start. Bell, Gibbons, Southerland and Leadbetter lined up for the first heat. Several false starts were made and finally when the pistol did go off Gibbons had beaten it by about ten feet. The other three leaped forward and then stopped and came back to the line contending that Gibbons, who kept skating the distance, had made a false start. After considerable discussion the judges awarded the heat to Gibbons saying that once the starter fired the pistol and the men got away from the starting line the race was on.

The time in all of the events, barring the final of the quarter mile, was slow owing to the loafing tactics of the skaters at the beginning of the races, when they kept working for positions.

Josiah Fowler, aged 79 years, brought forth bursts of applause when he won his race against J. Patchell. The latter gave an exhibition and proved himself to be a great skater for a man of his years.

The many friends of the former champion, Charles Gorman, were disappointed when they learned that he would be unable to take part in the races and defend his title as he had contracted a severe cold during his training.

A musical programme furnished by the Carleton Cornet Band was thoroughly appreciated.

The results of the meet follow:

Senior 220 yards—First heat, Leadbetter, 1st; M .Bell, second; time, 22 sec. Second heat, F. Travis, 1st; W. Bell, 2nd; time, 22 3-5. Third heat, H. Garnett, 1st; H. Thorne, 2nd; time, 22 sec. Final, Leadbetter, 1st; Thorne, 2nd; time, 21 3-5.

Senior 440 yards—First heat, W. Gibbons, 1st; time, 46 1-5. Second heat, W. Bell, 1st; F. Travis, 2nd; time, 47 sec. Third heat, H. Garnett, 1st; H. Thorne, 2nd; time, 48 sec. Final, H. Garnett, 1st; W. Bell, 2nd; time, 42 sec.

Boys' race (under 15 years), half mile —Beckwith, 1st; Wetmore, 2nd; time, 1.52 3-5 sec.

Senior half mile—First heat, H. Garnett, 1st; B. Belyea, 2nd; time, 1.42 1-5. Second heat, M. Bell, 1st; Leadbetter, 2nd; time, 1.43. Final, H. Garnett, 1st; Leadbetter, 2nd; time, 1.53.

Soldiers' race—K. Garnett, 1st; W. Bridges, 2nd; time, 1.48.

Half mile (boys 18 years and under) —G. McLennon, 1st; M. Moore, 2nd; time, 1.41.

Senior mile—Final, H. Garnett, 1st; Leadbetter, 2nd; time, 3.24.

Society relay race—St. Joseph's, 1st; Tartars A. A. C., 2nd; time, 3.45.

Following were the officials: Referee, R. W. Wigmore; judges, Mayor Frink, Commissioners Potts, McLellan and Russell; scorers, A. M. Belding, John Kemp and Thomas Stack; starter, Arthur McHugh; timers, J. A. Barry, A. W. Covey; clerk of the course, W. J. Riley; announcer, Wm. Case.

Germany spends annually £780,000 in the maintenance of a corps of spies, ranging from the highly placed functionary to the obscure workman in the factory.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

Seventy Montreal liquor license holders who lost their licenses for 1915, will receive compensation amounting to $350,000 from the consolidated revenue fund of the province.

The building in Chatham, N. B., occupied as a branch by the N. B. Telephone Co. was gutted by fire yesterday and the town is today without telephone service. The restaurant operated by M. J. Staples was damaged also.

For five hours yesterday in New York, John D. Rockefeller jr. was on the stand before the U. S. Commission on Industrial Relations, which is investigating the cause of industrial unrest, and gave testimony that his father's gifts would total about $250,000,000.

The Polish people for the sake of Polish unity are hoping for British success, for they see no hope for Poland so long as the present division continues.

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