

SPORTING NEWS

Fatal Boxing Bout in New York—
Interesting Budget of Latest
Ball News—Prospects of the
International.BASEBALL.
THE INTERNATIONAL.

Detroit Free Press: Within the next ten days it will be positively known whether there is to be an international league of baseball clubs this year. The Canadian League club owners on Tuesday calling a meeting until rather late in the year, but it is possible to yet form a good eight-club circuit, as the playing season will not commence until about May 7, be it a Canadian or international league that exists in this part of the country. The success of the Canadian League last year, together with the showing made by the Canadian cities in 1908, demonstrates that Michigan cities will make no mistake by joining hands with the enthusiastic sportsmen on the other side of the border, and past experience convinces the Canadian promoters that an international league can be made a complete success this year if the Wolverines only have the courage to make a start. At the meeting held in Detroit last Wednesday the Canadian League club owners made all arrangements to go ahead with a league in their own country, providing Michigan does not want a half interest in the venture. The matter was left open until April 10, and if the Michigan people come to the front in that time, no mistake for the league to play the schedule out, an eight-club international league will be formed, and 1901 will see such a circuit in existence if the project fails to materialize this spring. The time is ripe now, as the Michigan cities have had a rest of one year, and enthusiastic support would be assured. The Canadian cities do such a big business on their holidays that each club is almost assured two months' salaries on these dates, and with Sunday games in Michigan, in addition to American holidays, it is hard to figure a chance for the teams to quit worse than even.

FLXS.

The home plate will be seventeen inches across, the side facing the pitcher, this season.

The noted ex-league pitcher, "Dad" Clark, has caught on with Buffalo.

The Indiana League will open May 5, and close Sept. 5. It is a six-club affair.

The Atlantic League have placed the guarantee at \$500, to be forfeited if the club fails to play out the season.

The first game of the Virginia League will be played April 30.

A Central League has been formed. The season will open May 1, and close Sept. 15. The salary limit will be \$700.

Pitcher Cronin, of the Cincinnati, looks more like a Russian than any pitcher in uniform.

Tim Hurst has been engaged to umpire all of Brooklyn's spring exhibition games.

The Montreal club has signed outfielder Leggett, and has purchased Pitcher Magee from Pittsburgh.

Columbus baseball fans are predicting that "Rube" Waddell will jump the Pittsburgh club before the season is half over.

The Pittsburgh team is quartered in an old Baptist church at Thomassville, Ga. The baptismal font of the church is used by the players for bathing purposes.

President Ban Johnson states that the American League has chosen the American eagle as the organization emblem which will surmount the annual passes and other official paper of the league.

Pitcher Fred ("Germany") Schmidt, late of Cleveland, has signed with Columbus. Schmidt claims that he originated the idea of changing the plate, and not President Hart, of the Chicago club, and offers documentary evidence that he suggested the rule the National League has adopted. He also claims that he suggested the advisability of covering the players' benches.

"Biddy" McPhee has retired from the game after playing eighteen consecutive seasons with Cincinnati.

George Davis will captain the New York team this season.

The following figures of the number of players signed by each club in the National will be interesting. They show that St. Louis, a tall-ender last season, has 40 players on her roster, while Boston, who always lands well up in the race, has only 17 men signed. Brooklyn has 14 pitchers, and Boston only 4. Men signed: St. Louis 40, Brooklyn 35, Chicago 28, Philadelphia 24, Pittsburgh 24, Cincinnati 24, New York 23, and Boston 17. Many of these men will be released before the season.

TURF
SATURDAY'S WINNERS.

Little Rock, Ark.—Last day of races—Alice Coffin, The Tight, Race Bud, Laureate, Free Hand, and Bonnie Ione. At Oakland, San Francisco—My Gypsy, Sofia, Head Water, Forte, Malay and Horton.

ENTRIES AT BENNING'S.

Washington, D. C., April 1.—The eastern racing season of 1900 will be inaugurated at the Benning's race-course today. Monday and Tuesday will continue daily until Saturday, April 14.

ENGLISH EVENTS.

Liverpool, April 1.—The Liverpool spring cup of 1,000 sovereigns, run Saturday, the third day of the Liverpool spring meeting, was won by Lord Durham's Osbeck. Mr. G. Cottrell's Lackford, ridden by J. Rieff, finished second, and Squire Jack, was third. Seven horses ran. Steady Fox, ridden by Sloan, was unplaced, although he was in the lead in the home stretch when that point Osbeck drew in front, and won easily by five lengths. The same distance separated the second and third horses.

The Setton Park plate for 2-year-olds, was won by Mr. Muskens, bay filly, by Melton, out of School Book, 3 to 1, ridden by J. M. Martin. Four horses ran.

The race for the Maiden plate of 200 sovereigns for 2-year-olds, was won upwards, distance 1 mile and 1 furlong, was won by Lord Dunraven's Moaneria, with Jockey J. H. Martin in the saddle. Lord Derby's St. Gall was second.

ENDED FATALITY.

New York, April 2.—Thomas MacGregor, a youth about 17 years old, died at his home here Saturday from the effects of a blow received last night in a friendly boxing bout. Thomas Nelson, about the same age, is under arrest, charged with causing the death of

MacGregor. The boys had been in the habit of holding boxing bouts in company with a number of other boys of their age. They used a vacant room or basement as their club room. Friday night Walter Sachs asked the boys to meet in the basement of the house in which he lived. MacGregor and Nelson, whose homes were in the neighborhood, put on the gloves, and Nelson landed a right-hand blow on MacGregor's nose that started a hemorrhage. MacGregor was carried to his home. Ineffective attempts were made to stop the flow of blood. One of the physicians said the boy had received a fracture of the base of the skull. MacGregor lingered until Saturday afternoon, when he died without regaining consciousness. Nelson was arrested shortly after midnight.

New York, April 2.—Kid McFadden, of San Francisco, and Billy Donnelly, a local pugilist, Saturday night, before the Pelican A. C., fought ten rounds to a draw. The fight was fast and furious from the start, neither man at any stage having an advantage.

TRIGGER.

The American handicap shoot will take place April 2 to 5 at Long Island. H. D. Bates and Thomas Donnelly, of St. Thomas, have entered. They are the only Canadians.

HEART DISEASE.
Some Facts Regarding the Rapid Increase of Heart Trouble.

Heart trouble, at least among the Americans, is certainly increasing, and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs, of poor digestion.

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by the same great nerves, the sympathetic and the pneumogastric.

In another way also the heart is affected by the form of poor digestion, which causes gas and fermentation in the digestive tract. There is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest caused by pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action.

Poor digestion also poisons the blood, making it thin and watery, which irritates and weakens the heart.

The most sensible treatment for heart trouble is to improve the digestion, and to insure the prompt assimilation of food.

This can be done by the regular use after meals of some safe, pleasant and effective digestive preparation, like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which may be found at drug stores, and which contain valuable, harmless digestive elements in a pleasant, convenient form.

It is safe to say that the regular persistent use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at meal time will cure any form of stomach trouble except cancer of the stomach.

A Boothbay (Me.) fisherman—Ab Ak—claims to have the shortest name on record. There is no abbreviation about it, either.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done it will do again.

The New York Times will be published daily on the grounds of the Universal Exposition to be held in Paris.

It Girdles the Globe.

The fame of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, as the best in the world, extends round the earth. It's the one perfect healer of Cuts, Corus, Burns, Bruises, Sores, Salds, Boils, Ulcers, Pains, Aches, Pains and all Skin Eruptions. Cures infallible Pile cure. 25c a box at W. T. Strong & Co.'s drug store.

The physicians of Astoria, Ore., have advised the residents to poison the rats on their premises as a precaution against the possible invasion of the plague.

INCREASE IN WEIGHT.
Thin, weak, run-down people gain flesh and robust health by using Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

Anyone who is losing flesh, feels weak, nervous, run-down should not hesitate to take Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

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Statement That Russia
Will Enforce Her Demands in Corea.Turkey Proposes Terms of
Settlement With the Czar.Railway Passengers and Employees
Cremated After a Disastrous Collision—The Queen's Visit to Ireland.

Yokohama, April 2.—The Japanese press asserts that the Russian squadron is still at Chemulpo, and that it will probably proceed to Masanpo to enforce the demand made. It is believed that in the event of Corea yielding, Japan would demand a similar concession on the Korean coast.

Yokohama, April 2.—It is reported that the Government of Corea has granted the Russian demand for ground within the settlement of Masanpo.

PORTER SETTLES WITH RUSSIA.

Constantinople, April 2.—The Ottoman Government will address a note to the Russian embassy, declaring that, in the event of the Porte not constructing railway lines in the Black sea districts, bounded by railways already conceded to others, then concession will be granted to Russia. It is considered that the Porte in this way settles the Russian demands in the premises.

RAILWAY TRAVELERS CREMATED.

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Vladikavkas, Caucasus, April 2.—A mail train collided with a freight train near Alkhan Tshurt Saturday.

The petroleum tank cars, carrying engineers of both trains, the postal clerks, and many of the passengers, perished in the flames.

THE QUEEN'S IRISH TRIP.

Dublin, April 2.—The British Channel squadron has arrived off Queens-town for the Queen's visit, which is awaited with interest and ever-growing enthusiasm. Dublin is rapidly filling up. Already the hotels are arriving from the province. Grand stands have been erected in the streets, which are profusely decorated, and soon it will be difficult to find space for hanging another flag.

A general holiday has been proclaimed for Wednesday throughout the county of Dublin.

As a last attempt at a counter-attraction, the extremists have placarded the city with an invitation to citizens to join a monster procession of nationalistic societies, which, according to programme, is to start from the transept of the city rooms on the night of the arrival. It is probable that the demonstration will be forbidden.

223 REBELS FELL.

Port of Spain, Trinidad, April 2.—Venezuelan officials report severe Penalaro, Bolivar March 22. Gen. Penalaro, defeated Gen. Hernandez, killed 223 of the revolutionists, took 80 prisoners and captured a large quantity of arms and ammunition. The government loss was small.

CHINESE OUTRAGES.

Pekin, April 2.—The Chinese Government has "settled" the controversy arising out of the murder, on Dec. 30 last, of the Rev. Mr. Brooks, of the London Missionary Society, on the following terms: Two of the murderers will be beheaded, one imprisoned for life, one for ten years, another for two years, a memorial chapel will be erected at the site of the murder, and a tablet will be placed in the Westminster Cathedral, England, at the expense of the Chinese Government.

Rev. Mr. Brooks, at the time of his murder, was stationed at Ping Yin, in the Province of Shan Tung. He was captured in that vicinity, and killed by members of the seditious society known as "Boxers," who had been active in destroying villages and slaughtering native Christians.

The governor of the province had dispatched a force of cavalry to the scene of disturbance, but the soldiers arrived too late to save the life of Mr. Brooks.

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H. Hapsen, one of the zoologists, who started with the expedition, died on the voyage.

The Brochgrink expedition left Hobart, Tasmania, for the Antarctic region on Dec. 19, 1898. During the latter part of February, 1899, the members landed from the Southern Cross near Cape Adair, Victoria, and it having been arranged that the steamer should leave them there with full equipment, they were given no return for their early departure.

According to accounts of the explorer's plans, published at the time he left Europe, Mr. Brochgrink's party consisted of nine besides himself. With these went two natives of Finland to look after ninety dogs. Enormous supplies of provisions were laid in. The expedition carried 500 Union Jacks, which Mr. Brochgrink intended to plant at frequent intervals in the new region he hoped to discover. He took also a large Union Jack which he intended to run up on the civilized part of the world, and the Duke of York. On board there was a cinematograph with which he hoped to get interesting pictures of sights little dreamed of by people in the civilized part of the world, and from discovery the solution of unsettled problems, the explorer expected that the expedition would yield an immense result of practical value. His theory was that the weather of the whole of Australasia could be made from the Antarctic region. As good and bad times in the Australian colonies of Great Britain are dependent upon the state of the weather, the Australians themselves have taken a peculiar interest in the outcome. Mr. Brochgrink has always contended that the work of anticipating meteorological conditions in that part of the world could not be complete until reports from the Antarctic circle could be made promptly available.

Importers of Rubens' "Holy Family" Tried to Deceive Uncle Sam.

New York, April 2.—Appraiser Howell has announced his decision in the matter of the painting, "The Holy Family," a Rubens, which was sent to this country and entered at a value of \$12,000.

The painting, which has been sold at public auction in London at a considerably higher figure, and the customs authorities stopped it and held it for a reappraisal. Howell advanced the valuation to \$26,000, making the duty 20 per cent, something in the neighborhood of \$7,000.

According to law, however, there is an inflexible penalty attached to goods which are imported under a low valuation, and the penalty in the case of the painting amounts to \$19,000, making the entire amount which must be paid before the painting will be delivered about \$26,000.

KISSERS SURPRISED

By the Unexpected Turning on of Church Lights—Staid People Scandalized.

Syracuse, April 2.—The staid churchgoers of the little village of McGraw are in a state of agitation in consequence of certain occurrences which have come before their eyes and ears.

The other evening in one of the what villages there was a stereoscopic entertainment. While the pictures were being shown it was necessary to have the room in total darkness, and the moment the lights were flashed there were unmistakable sounds of long-drawn-out osculation. The lights were turned on unexpectedly, and the sights revealed scandalized the church people present before passing. The last thing as was going on in the pews seemed like desecration.

The say that while they have no objection to love-making as a general proposition, they draw the line at being obliged to look at themselves at their own church. An investigation is threatened.

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The first Indian schools were established twenty years ago in England. Today there are over 200 of these schools.

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