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MIKE GIBBONS SHOWS GOTHAM SOME  
THINGS THAT RECALL DEMPSY

THE FISTIC WONDER, MIKE GIBBONS.

## MIKE GIBBONS.

Is 23 years of age.  
Has been boxing three years.  
Is a sheet iron and metal worker.  
Taught boxing at Y.M.C.A.  
Says left jab is best punch.  
Watches opponent's legs.  
Avoids punishment, saying no body likes it.

When the critics began to talk Gibbons, they were wrong. Gibbons, they say, is a combination of everything rare in boxing.

One said he was a combination of Jim Driscoll, Abe Attell and Packey McFarland.

Another recalled Jack Dempsey, Jim Corbett and the marvelous Young Griffo, and another added to this that he looked like old Bob Fitz in action.

Any way you look at it, Gibbons is a pippin. He hasn't a rival in sight in the welterweight division.

Gibbons has been boxing three years and is 23. He is tall and slender. Nothing indicates abnormal strength. His legs and waist are small.

Gibbons used to box in the St. Paul Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, and developed such cleverness that he was appointed instructor. Soon afterward he took up the professional game.

Gibbons carries the left side of his jaw on his breast bone and depends upon an open left glove to block. Lewis found his defense hard to penetrate.

As a puncher Gibbons shows the styles of old timers. He rubs his nose with his right thumb, as Dan Creighton did, but the opponent who wishes is stopped with a left that carries a sleep pill.

He uses a variety of blows. He punches short with the right and every blow is clean. He never looks into an opponent's eyes, but at his feet.

"CHIEF" MEYERS MOST IMPROVED  
PLAYER IN NATIONAL LEAGUE

As fielders the Giants were not the smoothest of performers in 1911. That was one reason why the manager of the team worked every combination possible to get the best collection that he could of base runners and batters. If we were to relapse into football jargon, which is pretty good at this time of the year, the defense of the Giants would be put down as weaker than their attack and it would be not far from the center of truth.

By far the greatest improvement shown by any player of the team, and perhaps, all things considered, the greatest improvement shown by any player in the National League, was that of "Chief," because of his splendid work last season, on the field from the big star All American nine, which is one of the features of the Spalding record books. It's no ordinary feat to beat a catcher of the caliber of Klingman, the modern Indian.

never had the slightest notion that he was doing as well as he did.

Meyers caught at 123 games and had a record of chances accepted which was almost equal to the world's record. All things considered, there are compliments coming to two men. The first goes to Meyers, because of his good work, and the second to John J. McGraw, who made a catcher of class out of the Indian, in spite of the fact that two or three rather prominent managers in major league baseball insisted that Meyers was not of the type which would be successful in a big league, merely showing that there are some managers who trust too much to first impressions.

Meyers does not lead the catchers of the league in the field, but for all-around work and ability to play day after day he was by far the best catcher in the National League. So much for the player who had the strength and determination to persevere.

As for McGraw not putting Harlem Tommy Murphy away, it might be mentioned that Ad Wolgast battered away at Battling Nelson for 40 rounds and failed to knock him off his feet for the count of ten. Nelson was not a clever blocker like Murphy, so there should be no great surprise because Packey failed to stop him inside of 20 rounds. What if Knockout Brown did stop Murphy in one round, or rather one minute? Brown was credited with having the best of Ad Wolgast in two ten round bouts, but no one believes that he would stand a chance against the champion in a long contest. It is different to get a full force blow to a clever man like Murphy, than to batter some boxer who has no skill and does not know how to block or step out of distance. McGraw can hit all right, but I doubt whether he will ever be able to be at his best when making 133 pounds at 3 or 5 o'clock. Packey has the class all right, and showed it against Murphy, even though he failed to knock him out.

With all the mixups among the lightweights, the question now uppermost in the minds of the fans is whether Wolgast will be himself when he recovers from the effects of the operation. It will be at least six months before he can get into the ring again in any kind of shape, and it may be longer; it all depends upon the results or after effects of the cutting. Ad will retain the champion just the same as any champion has six months grace before taking up the defense of his title, according to boxing rules, and the chances are that the Michigan boy will be ready and anxious by that time to tackle any one. During the period of inactivity by Wolgast, the rest of the lightweights can fight it out among themselves. There should be some lively battles with the string of likely lightweights on the warpath just now. Besides McGraw and Welsh there is Joe Mandoli, the southern champion; Milburn Saylor, of Indianapolis; Grover Hayes, Matty Baldwin, Knockout Brown, and several lesser lights coming to the front, such as Pat Brown, the Minnesota champion; Joe Rivers, developing into a

lightweight, and others. Matty Baldwin the Boston boy, has gone so far as to have his manager, Al MacLean post a forfeit of \$1,000 for a match with Welsh or any lightweight in the world. The talk of Battling Nelson coming back is not taken seriously. The Battle was the greatest of the entire bunch, but he has passed his prime and must join those who were champions before him. The wonderful Dane is not a dead one, by any means, but he is not the kind now to win back the championship. A great deal has been said and written about the failure of both Freddy Welsh and Packey McGraw to qualify as real contenders for the crown of Champion Wolgast. It is said that McGraw has no punch and that Welsh cannot hit hard enough to even put a dent into Wolgast's skin. It is true that Freddy failed to stop Willie Ritchie, the San Francisco boy, inside the twenty rounds, but it may not be generally known that Welsh took on Ritchie at catch weights and that the Frisco boy weighed just nine pounds more than the Englishman, or, in other words, scaled at 142, against 133 for Welsh. Ritchie was in the best shape, having trained for several weeks with McGraw and Packey, so that it was no novice against the clever Freddy, nor untrained youth. At that time, and slugged, something he seldom does in a contest, but at the end he had a big margin over Ritchie according to the Los Angeles papers at hand. The fact that both Tom McCarey and Jimmy Coffroth want Welsh for a big attraction proves that he must have made a good showing. Against Wolgast the Englishman would have had a harder hitter to face, it is true, but then the chances are that Freddy would have adopted different tactics, too.

The Trades and Labor Council held a meeting in the Longshoremen's Hall last night, when it was decided to call a convention in January, to elect a candidate for the commission and also four candidates for the local

house at the next election. It was also decided to recommend the inclusion of a fair wage clause in the new charter. It was further resolved to convey the congratulations of the council to Senator John V. Ellis on his 50th anniversary.

See McCoolough's fur felt slippers at the Slater Shoe Shop, 81 King street.

THE C.M.B.A.  
DEFEATED THE  
ST. MICHAEL'S

In the intersociety league fixture on the St. Peter's Y. M. C. A. alleys last evening the C. M. B. A. No. 134 defeated the St. Michael's three points to one.

The score:

C. M. B. A. No. 134.

Kelly, . . . 88 80 242-80-23

McDonald, . . . 81 80 73 234-78

Magee, . . . 90 76 76 242-80-23

Flanagan, . . . 80 77 81 246-82-3

Cosgrove, . . . 95 79 98 272-80-23

430 400 408 1238

St. Michael's.

McGrath, . . . 79 88 77 254-84-23

Cleary, . . . 76 78 84 238-79-13

Duffy, . . . 93 71 72 236-78-23

Colgan, . . . 76 81 78 236-78-13

Morris, . . . 80 61 77 218-72-23

404 389 388 1181

The A. O. H. will bowl the C. M. B. A. No. 482 this evening.

THE CITY

LEAGUE'S

SCHEDULE

His Worship Mayor Frink will open the city hockey league on the evening of January 3rd, in the Queen's rink.

The executive of the league met last evening and drew up the following schedule for the winter's play:

Jan. 3rd—Bankers vs. Harriers.

Jan. 10th—Tigers vs. Harriers.

Jan. 17th—Bankers vs. Tigers.

Jan. 24th—Harriers vs. Bankers.

Jan. 31st—Bankers vs. Tigers.

Feb. 7th—Tigers vs. Harriers.

Feb. 14th—Bankers vs. Tigers.

The senior city team that will play under the A. Company colors, will be picked from the players of these teams.

FLIGHT OF

130 MILES

IN HYDRO

Providence, R. I., Dec. 21.—A flight of more than 130 miles in a hydro aeroplane, was completed when Harry Atwood, the Boston aviator, who left Point of Pines, near Lynn, Mass., at 10.55 a. m., alighted easily on the waters of Narragansett Bay near the Edgewood Yacht Club, this city at 1.40 p. m.

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NEW USE FOUND FOR  
SEAWEED—POTASH  
MAY BE EXTRACTED

Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—The United States will not have to depend on Germany much longer for its potash with which to make fertilizer, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson stated today that in the near future the United States should be able not only to supply its own needs, but also to export a considerable amount of potash, he said.

The principal source of American potash, the experts of the agricultural report say, will be in the kelp or seaweed of the Pacific coast. The plant extracts potash salts from sea water, and from 25 to 35 per cent. of its weight is potassium chloride, the Pacific coast should yield annually about 1,000,000 tons, worth \$40,000,000.

In addition to the potash, kelp contains iodine and many other by products which may "more than pay the manufacturing expenses, leaving the potassium chloride free of cost."

The investigators report, cattle, fish, shellfish, paper and even candy can be made from the plant.

If properly harvested and protected, the Pacific kelp groves, it is said, should yield annual harvests indefinitely and along the southern coast, it is possible that two crops a year may be obtained.

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