

All the Latest News and Gossip of the World of Sport

CLEVELAND AS A "DARK HORSE"

Likely To Be Surprise of American League in 1911.

YOUNG PITCHERS GOOD

Good Catcher Needed—Jackson Tower of Strength—Strong in Batting.

If there is a real dark horse in big league circles during 1911, that horse is the Cleveland team. Built up at all points, and strengthened far more than is generally supposed, the outfit from the Northern Ohio burg may give the rest of the American League one of the huskiest surprises since Ban Johnson built his circuit. The team has been boosted in batting, base-running and pitching. It does not stand to lose any strength by the fading of older players during the winter, and some of its younger talent will be far stronger in 1911 than was the case this fall.

The young Cleveland pitchers, Mitchell, Kaler, Koestner and Harkness, are about as capable a bunch as any team has collected in recent seasons, while Grege, the new left-hander, coming from the coast, sizes up as being the real all-wool goods. They handle a young pitcher the right way at Cleveland, too. Instead of setting him on the bench to "gain experience," and thereby making him forget all the skill he brought with him, they fling him right into the battle and make him deliver the goods or fly the coop. The youngsters alone look good enough to carry the club next summer, while effective service on the part of Young, Joss and Falkenberg, or of any two out of three, will make the pitching staff airtight and almost invincible.

The club could stand the addition of a good catcher, although Land and Smith are pretty husky propositions, and young Adams seems to be the makings of a star. There is nothing the matter with the infield, excepting a chance of improvement at short, and this, it is understood, will be arranged by bringing Birmingham in from the outfield to play third, so that Turner can return to short, where he belongs.

The outfield was vastly strengthened by the addition of Jackson, and this youngsters' batting power, coupled with that of Lajoie, makes the Cleveland attack far more formidable than at any time in recent years. It will be hard to break down the Cleveland defense during the coming season, and equally hard to keep that bunch from razing up the hits. Cleveland, on present showing, has a great ball club, and one that is likely to make a tremendous disturbance between April and October—Cincinnati Times-Star.

NO MORE MATCH RACES.
Toronto Star: The C. A. A. U. have decided that henceforth no sanctions will be issued for meets having match races, that is, where the runners are billed to race in some special event, and if the promoters are anxious to have certain runners compete against each other they will have to make the race an open event. The C. A. A. U. have issued sanctions for the Burlington annual road race, of 11 miles, on Christmas day, of which Mr. Armstrong, Burlington, is the secretary; also to the Martin road race at St. Catharines, a distance of 10 miles, in the past this race has always been held on New Year's Day, but this year it has been changed to Christmas Day. W. A. Moore, St. Catharines, is the secretary.

O. H. A. AND CITY LEAGUE HOCKEY FOR SARNIA, ONT.

Club Organized and Officers Elected at Annual Meeting.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sarnia, Nov. 25.—The O. H. A. hockey club was organized last night at a meeting in the Hotel Vendome.
Officers were elected as follows: Honorary president, Ed. Goodison; honorary vice-president, Charles Mackenzie; president, John Newton; vice-president, H. F. Holland; secretary-treasurer, W. Cochran; manager, N. D. Rouvrie; trainer, Frank Lewis. A city league was also formed, and three teams entered—Bankers, Independents and Collegiate Institute. Rousing interest is being taken in the game this season, and it is expected good sport will be the result.

JOHNSON OFFERED GO WITH LANGFORD

Hugh McIntosh Willing To Give Champion \$15,000 To Meet Sam.

[By Associated Press.]
Boston, Nov. 24.—Joe Woodman, manager of Sam Langford, is in receipt of a letter from Hugh McIntosh, the Australian boxing promoter, in which McIntosh offers to give Jack Johnson \$15,000 and expenses for his end of a fight with Langford, to take place in London during coronation week.
In the letter McIntosh asks Woodman to make every possible effort to close the match with Johnson. In making the match McIntosh requires that Johnson shall post \$15,000 to guarantee his appearance in London.

RULES FOR GUIDANCE OF HAMILTON VISITORS

Toronto Paper Has Nine Clauses in Code That Should Be Studied.

The Toronto Star publishes the following rules for the guidance of Torontonians at Hamilton on Saturday:
1. On alighting from the train, football enthusiasts from the city are advised to walk through the fields to the ball grounds, as the "carpet-sweepers" run only every fifteen minutes, and hold only twenty people.
2. Students, don't root too hard for Varsity. It annoys the people in the Football House on the hill, at the south end of the field.
3. Don't heckle any special "constables," or "gosh, gosh darn it, you'll get put in the pound."
4. The reeve and council request that no windows be broken in general stores on the main street.
5. Men all friends from the city at the postoffice—that is where all the townsfolk meet, by heck!
6. All poultry and live stock running at large on the main street must not be annoyed.
7. Don't take any farmers' whiskey over the bars. You haven't been in the town long enough.
8. Prof. DuMoulin will give a trained Tiger show in the town hall in the evening. Folks from the city are advised to see this, as it is very comical.
9. Good meals (with cider) may be had at Steve Spulpin's hotel, opposite Smith's flour mill.

OTTAWA MAY QUIT HOCKEY.
The Ottawas, in the event of the players holding out, will abandon professional hockey altogether. The Ottawas will ask the other members of the National Association to drop out of hockey for a year or two unless the players fall in line and accept the reduced salaries.

NELSON AND MORAN BATTLE TOMORROW

Winner of Bout Will Go After Wolgast for the Title.

THE BETTING AT EVENS

Tricky Person Against a Rugged Batter—Both Men Have Completed Training.

[Associated Press.]
San Francisco, Nov. 24.—With the Nelson-Moran bout only 48 hours away the interest in the match has reached a stage of wild enthusiasm and unless the present outlook is misleading the gentlemen who will sell tickets for Jimmy Coffroth's show at Louis Blot's arena Saturday will have a busy day of it.
That each had will be in condition for the bout is the opinion of every expert that has visited the rival camps.

Moran also has his eye on a Wolgast match and he gives assurance that he will beat Nelson to the championship next Saturday. That both lads are after the lightweight championship is one fact that sticks out glaringly.
And it is almost certain that if such bout turns up a decisive winner Wolgast will be forced by weight of public sentiment to defend his title against the winner.

Though it is hard to pick the winner, it is not difficult for anyone to forecast a hard struggle when Moran and Nelson meet. It will be another case of an exceedingly clever and tricky ring man against the most rugged boy the boxing game has ever turned out.

Moran will have science and fleetness on his side. Nelson should show himself the master in the infighting and rugged work.
Both fighters practically completed their training today. The betting continues at even money, with big commissions being sent in on both boys.

ALF SHRUBB WINS FROM TOM LONGBOAT

Britisher Has Three-Quarters of a Lap Lead in Fifteen-Mile Race.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 24.—Alf Shrubbs, the English champion professional distance runner, tonight defeated Tom Longboat, the Onondaga Indian, in a 15-mile race in Mechanics' Hall by three-quarters of a lap. Shrubbs' time was 1 hour, 26 minutes, 30-5 seconds.

CHIEF JONES AT COBALT.
Chief Jones will have charge of the Cobalt hockey club this winter, and expects to have Herb Clarke, now in Toronto, and Harry Smith, who has been railroaded at New Liskeard.

CANADIENS AFTER LALONDE.
Les Canadiens, of Montreal, are going to purchase Eddie Lalonde from Renfrew. The latter in exchange may be given an option on Art Ross, the former Wanderer and Brantford star.

DANNY WEBSTER GIVEN DECISION OVER WHITE

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BOXING CHAMPIONS FOR 1911

Bantamweight, 116 pounds—Jimmy Walsh, of Boston. Featherweight, 122 pounds—Abe Attell, of San Francisco. Lightweight, 133 pounds—Ad Wolgast, of Cadillac, Mich. Welterweight, 145 pounds—Dixie Kid, of Fulton, Mo. Middleweight, 158 pounds—Open to competition. Heavyweight—Jack Johnson, of Galveston, Tex.

MAGNIFICENT GARAGE AND AUTO SHOWROOM

Fine New Structure To Be Built Here By the McLaughlin Motor Car Company.

Mr. R. S. McLaughlin, president of the McLaughlin Motor Car Company, of Ontario, manufacturers of the McLaughlin-Buick automobile, and Mr. O. Hezlewood, manager of the Toronto branch of that company, were in the city yesterday afternoon for the purpose of completing the final arrangements for the building of the large warehouse and garage on their new property at the corner of Bathurst and Richmond streets. The building, which will be used as a showroom for McLaughlin automobiles and carriages, will cost \$40,000 when completed. It will be a two-story structure with an area of 180,000 feet, and the first floor will be devoted exclusively to automobiles, while the second and top floor will be used for the exhibition of buggies and cutters.

Mr. McLaughlin stated to The Advertiser yesterday that the Kernoan & Wilson mill building, which occupies part of the property, will be remodelled into an up-to-date garage, with all the modern improvements, including a splendid waiting-room and dressing-room for McLaughlin-Buick tourists. The work on this building will be started next week, and it is expected that it will be completed in time for the opening of the automobile season in the spring. The plans for the new building are being drawn up and submitted by a local architect, and as soon as they are ready, work will commence.

When questioned as to whether McLaughlin-Buick cars would be assembled in London, Mr. McLaughlin stated that they had discussed the matter thoroughly, but it would not be adopted just yet.
"We will carry a stock of brand new automobiles, valued at from \$4,000 to \$8,000," he said, "which will include all our sixteen varieties of motor cars and trucks. The different agencies throughout Western Ontario will be supplied from the London branch, so that a full line will always be on hand." Mr. McLaughlin also stated that the season's business in London and the surrounding district had exceeded their greatest expectations, and the present outlook for a greater business was exceedingly bright. The branch in London alone sold over 50 cars, and a greater part of these were purchased locally. He considers London and the surrounding districts a splendid field for automobile sales, and agencies are being established in every town and city of Western Canada. The McLaughlin people have opened several branches in Canada this season, and one of the finest buildings of its kind has been recently opened by them in Vancouver, B. C. The firm has its own branches in Winnipeg, Calgary, Regina and other western cities, and most of the cities of Ontario and Quebec have McLaughlin buildings.

TALK OF NEW LEAGUE.
Eastern press threaten to form a new league, because of the selfish habit.

SMALL STATES POSITION.
The Ottawas have pointed out that Walter Smith will not play at all unless he can figure on one of the Montreal cars. All the big cities are in position and "News" Lalonde has made a personal appeal to President Barnett, of the Renfrew club, asking that he be allowed to accept the captaincy of the Canadians.

FAMILY HOCKEY.
The Barford hockey family, of Edmonton, may challenge the Smith family, of Ottawa, for a game.

NEW TALENT NEEDED.
The Montreal Gazette says: If the stars of the last few seasons do not come to terms with the clubs, and the clubs hold firm in their present intentions, new talent will be needed. The Montreal club is figuring that with so much hockey played in the district the last few years there should be some good men to fill the gaps.

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