

SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

BASEBALL.

The Big League.
In the American League five home runs and three doubles enlivened Detroit's victory over Philadelphia yesterday. St. Louis took a closely played contest from Washington. Boston snatched a win from Chicago by scoring a run in the eighth.

In the National League a Pittsburgh-New York game ran to fifteen innings with scores tied in the fifth. In the fifteenth New York scored twice and Pittsburgh three times.

American League.
Detroit 9, Philadelphia 7.
St. Louis 2, Washington 1.
Chicago 1, Boston 2.
No other games scheduled.

American League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Cleveland	17	7	.708
Boston	15	8	.652
Chicago	12	10	.545
New York	12	12	.500
St. Louis	12	12	.500
Washington	12	13	.480
Philadelphia	8	14	.361
Detroit	6	18	.250

National League.
New York 6, Pittsburgh 7.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati, postponed, rain.
Boston at Chicago, rain.
Brooklyn at St. Louis, rain.

National League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Cincinnati	16	10	.615
Brooklyn	12	9	.572
Pittsburgh	12	10	.545
Chicago	14	12	.538
Boston	10	9	.522
Philadelphia	10	14	.417
St. Louis	9	14	.391
New York	8	13	.381

International League.
Jersey City 0, Toronto 1.
Baltimore 9, Rochester 5.
Buffalo 1, Reading 0.
Syracuse 8, Akron 9.

The Stagers.
New York, May 18—Five leading hitters in the major leagues are:

National League.
G. A. B. R. H. P. C.
Hornby, St. Louis 28 94 18 89 .415
Lehoucq, Phila. 16 53 7 22 .415
Groh, Cincinnati .25 100 23 40 .400
Myers, Brooklyn .22 86 12 80 .349
Burns, New York .21 76 15 26 .342

Alexander's Come-Back.
Boston Globe—One of the most satisfactory things that has happened to Fred Mitchell's Chicago camp this season is to have Grover Cleveland Alexander show signs of coming back to the great pitching form he showed when going so splendidly for the Phillies in 1915 and 1916. After dropping the first two games he pitched, Alex began to show something, and he has gone through his last seven games without defeat. Grover has been very steady, but as of old, has not worked his head off to keep down the opponents' hits when there has been no pressure on the game. However, he let the Reds down with six hits, the Pirates with eight and the Dodgers with nine, in the last three games pitched, and an average of less than eight hits a game is pretty good.

A Challenge.
The Young Red Sox wish to challenge the Rogers for a game of baseball to be played on the East End League diamond on Wednesday evening.

THE RING.
Benny Valzer Wins Bout.
Benny Valzer, the "French Flash," defeated Young Michaels of Syracuse, N. Y., in a ten round bout staged in Toronto last evening. He floored his opponent five times.

THE RING.
Bout Postponed.
Jersey City, May 17—The boxing contest between Joe Lynch, of New York, and Pat Moore, of Memphis, which was to have been held here tonight, has been postponed one week. The pugilists agreed to this arrangement. Lynch failed to make the stipulated weight of 118 pounds this afternoon.

O'Dowd Wins.
Canton, Ohio, May 17—Mike O'Dowd, former middleweight champion, won the newspaper decision over Jack Britton, welterweight champion in a twelve-round boxing contest here tonight.

AQUATIC.
The Shamrock.
City Island, N. Y., May 18—Charles E. Nicholson, designer of the Shamrock IV, who arrived from England on the Mauretania, made his first thorough inspection yesterday of the yacht with which Sir Thomas Lipton hopes to win the America's Cup. At the end of the inspection, which lasted several hours, Nicholson said he was satisfied with the way his plans had been carried out. He suggested one or two minor alterations. He would not speak about a rumor that he planned radical changes in the sail plan of Shamrock IV.

"Nothing will be done," he said, "until we see how Shamrock IV acts in her trial spins on Long Island Sound." Even were the work of Shamrock IV finished, it would be impossible to launch the craft before the end of the week.

The Vantile, which will start racing the Resolute off New Haven on Friday for the honor of defending the America's Cup, was hauled out here yesterday for her final cleaning. Until she is again put into the water it would be impossible to launch the Lipton yacht. It is expected that the Vantile will be out of the water on Thursday. She will then be taken to New Haven.

New York, March 18—Sir Thomas Lipton's 28-metre Shamrock, bound here from England for trial races with the Shamrock IV, reached the Acores yesterday. The message said she would remain only a few hours to take on stores.



In Shabbytown

IN Shabbytown they do not care if things look seedy everywhere. They have no pep, they've lost their grip, they simply sit around and yip, in envy's tones, of Glossyville, the shining village on the hill. Oh, Shabbytown is punk and gray, and it shows symptoms of decay, and strangers passing through remark, "It surely dates back to the Ark." "Clean Up and Paint Up" makes men frown along the streets of Shabbytown. A can of paint makes no appeal to this bum village, down at heel; the people think there is no sense in going to so much expense; so things are always going down, and getting worse in Shabbytown. It always gives my soul a thrill when I arrive in Glossyville. The town looks like a blooming bride; the people take a hearty pride in making things look clean and bright, and in their labors take delight. They're lavish with the helpful paint, selecting colors chaste or quaint, and decorating every shack; thus warding off decay's attack, and making all the buildings look like buildings read of in a book. And strangers, when they see the town, say, "Here we'll come and settle down, and raise us nineteen kids apiece, and live and die as sick as grease." This happy burg goes right ahead, while Shabbytown is prone and dead.

WALT MASON.

Clean Up and Paint Up



LOCAL NEWS

The hotel men who were expected to visit St. John this week have postponed their visit, according to a wire received yesterday by H. R. McLellan.

Peter Zineo, a longshoreman, injured his foot yesterday when he fell down the hold of the steamship War Period. He was taken to the General Public Hospital.

A horse owned by S. E. Rice, meat dealer, Mill street, became frightened yesterday and dashed across the sidewalk crashing through the window of the Hygienic Bakery. The horse was quite badly cut.

Joseph Finley and M. C. Lawson were fined \$5 each in the Brookville court last evening for exceeding the speed limit in a car on the highway.

A slight accident occurred in the C. N. R. yards near the foot of Dorchester street, when two freight cars were derailed at an early hour last evening. They were replaced in a short time without much rearrangement to traffic.

It was decided at a meeting of the St. John denary last night to adopt daylight time in the Anglican churches beginning next Sunday. W. L. Harding was elected to the board of governors of King's College. Rev. Canon R. A. Armstrong presided.

A horse owned by C. H. McKnight, milk dealer, while going down Princess street yesterday, was unable to hold back the heavily loaded wagon and the vehicle struck the curb. The driver jumped, but a lady who was on the seat with him sprained her ankle when she leaped from the wagon.

Corrine Grey, aged two and a half years, fell over the banister yesterday afternoon in her home in Queen street. She was taken to the General Public Hospital, where it was found she had sustained a compound fracture of the left elbow.

Miss Mary Allison, girls' work secretary of the Y. W. C. A., has been touring the provinces making preliminary arrangements for the four summer camps for girls, left for Sackville last evening. She attended the student's reunion there. She said yesterday that the New Brunswick camp for girls will be held at the Cedars this summer.

At the annual meeting of the Epworth League of the Queen square Methodist church, last night, reports for the year were received. I. S. Stephenson was elected to the chair in the absence of Rev. George Morris, the president. A supper was served under the patronage of Miss Grace Robertson and Miss Esther Welsford. The sum of \$160 was voted to the forward movement and \$60 to the church fund.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary president, Rev. George Morris; president, Alfred E. Stephenson; 1st vice-president, Miss Helen Smalley; 2nd vice-president, Miss Grace Robertson; 3rd vice-president, Miss Margarette Howe; secretary, Percy Lawrence; treasurer, Jack Welsford; corresponding secretary, Miss Helen Robertson; pianist, Miss Cosaboon.

Lose 34,480,000 Work Days.
London, May 19—Strikes and lockouts reported to the ministry of labor during 1919 numbered 1,413. The total number of workers affected was about 2,850,000 and the aggregate duration of the disputes was about 34,480,000 working days.

MORNING NEWS

OVER THE WIRES
George McEachern, an employee of the Paul Lea Company, Moncton, was injured yesterday morning when his clothing caught in a machine on which he was working. He was hurled to the roof, but the garments were torn loose and he fell before he was carried through the machinery. His condition is serious but not critical.

The matter of the recent purchase of ninety-five tons of iron by the Enterprise Foundry Company from the Ross-ville factory at Quebec for the sum of \$234,825, is being investigated by the government, as it is thought the price was too small.

At a meeting of the clergy of the Baptist, Anglican, Methodist and Presbyterian churches of the maritime provinces in Moncton yesterday, it was decided that a maritime home for women should be erected in New Brunswick. At a provincial committee meeting Moncton was recommended.

HARRY ERVIN HONORED.
Harry Ervin was the guest of honor last evening at a meeting of the Y. W. C. A. in the rooms in Union street, and a presentation of a diamond solitaire stick pin was made to him by the company and a handsome set of pipes by the present vice-president, Mr. R. J. Ritchie, Commissioner Thornton, K. J. MacRae and his company of No. 1 Stage Corps.

At the monthly meeting of the Y. W. C. A. yesterday afternoon with the president, Mrs. John A. McAvity, in the chair, suggestions for enlarging the Y. W. C. A. were received. On a motion by Mrs. James F. Robinson, a resolution asking the churches to observe May 30 as Y. W. C. A. day and have a collection taken on that day for the work of the society, was adopted. Mrs. Jamieson's report of the travelers' aid was read by Mrs. R. C. Cruikshank and it showed 304 trains and twenty-one boats met; 115 persons taken to the Y. W. C. A.; employment found for three girls.

Edna Austin reported for the transient home in Union street. The question of the basketball team going to Moncton to play a game with the team there was taken up. Mrs. J. D. Hunter reported for the physical committee.

NEW KIND OF THIEF.
London, May 19—London has a new kind of thief, the hat snatcher. He mingles with the crowd, snatches off a hat and passes it to a confederate, who makes a quick getaway. In the region of Victoria station five hundred complaints have been received from persons whose hats have been yanked off while they were hurrying to catch trains. Because of the prevailing high prices for hats second hand chapeaux can be sold by the thieves at a substantial profit.

The Women's Auxiliary of Stone church held their closing meeting yesterday afternoon. It was a Dorcas meeting.

BRIGHT COMEDY SCORES SUCCESS

St. Peter's Dramatic Club Delights Large Audience with "It Pays to Advertise."

"It Pays to Advertise" a three-act farcical comedy by Rol Cooper McGure and Walter Hackett, was presented in St. Vincent's Auditorium last evening by St. Peter's Dramatic Club and scored a distinct success. It is one of the best amateur productions of its kind ever staged in this city, and the participants gave a portrayal which would have done credit to professionals. This is especially true when it is taken into consideration that the cast have been rehearsing only three weeks. The play is cleverly written and is teeming with mirth and amusing situations. The audience was generous with applause.

The marked success achieved by the club was not only due to the ability of the cast, but also to Mrs. A. C. D. Wilson, the competent director, who has done much for theatricals in this city. There are eleven characters in the play and although every part is important the plot is built around five characters. John U. Haggerty in the leading role, Rodney Martin, was especially adapted for the part and the manner in which he essayed it was largely instrumental in the success achieved.

It would be hard to find a better character for Ambrose Peale than Arthur B. Walsh, his business associate, who had a long and difficult part and upon whom the major portion of the comedy hinges. His mannerisms, his enthusiasm and ability as an advertiser kept him on the jump from the rise of the curtain until it dropped and his interpretation was a real treat.

William D. O'Connor as Cyrus Martin had one of the most important parts in the play and he has been placed in more capable hands. He is a clever actor and well deserved the applause he received.

J. H. Duffy as William Smith, A. L. Howard as George McChesney, Gerard McGovern as Ellery Clark, Bernard A. McCarthy as Charles Brown, and Fred Dwyer as Johnson, a butler, all acted their parts well and shared in the success.

In the leading feminine role, Miss Florence Walsh, who had the part of Mary Grayson, gave a clever and pleasing portrayal and added new laurels to those already won on the stage. Her acting was consistent and not overdone and she performed in a manner which would have done credit to many of greater experience.

Isabelle A. Gormley, as the Countess de Beaurien, had a difficult part, but her experience behind the footlights stood her in good stead and her performance was most creditable and proved her to be a clever versatile character actress.

Miss Teresa Maxwell made a winsome maid and, judging from her first appearance, has a bright future ahead of her in amateur theatricals. Miss Anna McGarrigle as Miss Burke also did well in a minor role.

Music during the evening was played by St. Peter's Y. M. A. orchestra under the direction of Eugene McBride. The selections played were:

March—"School Life" Anchovy Overture—"Titania" R. E. Hildreth
Jazz Number, "Ain't-ten-Got-en No, 'Time to Have the Blues" Harry Von Tilzer
Waltz—"Let the Rest of the World Go By" Ernest R. Ball
Song fox-trot—"My Baby's Arms" Tierney
Waltz—"Carolina Sunshine" Schmidt
Waltz—"God Save the King."

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park.

HALIFAX HORSES TO

TRAIN AT MONCTON

It is said that Frank Boutillier, Halifax

trainer, will take his racing stable this

week to Moncton to prepare for the sea-

son's racing. So far as can be learned

the Boutillier string that will be raced

this year will consist of only three

horses, some of Halifax patrons of the

sport having decided to wait over an

other season before getting back in the

racing game.

FIRST WOMAN TO HOLD

OFFICE IN HUNGARY

Budapest, April 16—(Associated

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man elected to office in Hungary is

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