TONIGHT'S BOXING SHOW AT ARMORIES CREATES BIG STIR & CRIQUI ACCEPTS TERMS & ICE WORKOUT

Boxing Makes Debut At Local Armories Tonight

No Championship Crowns At Stake, But Some May Be Created—Socking Bee Attracts Big Interest— Points Way To Revival.

There'll be no championship crowns tilted at tonight's socking bee at the armories, the first of the boxing shows to be staged under the auspices of the London Garrison Athletic Association, but there are sure to be some ambitions but there are sure to be some ambitions a hit away when the fracas is its exponents. setting a bit awry when the fracas is its exponents.

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Cy Pook is the only one of the contenders who can lay claim to a title recently acquired, and though Cy may not bill himself as the amateur light heavyweight champ of Cahada, his one-round knockout of "Red" Campbell of Hamilton a short time ago gives him the right to spread the ink after his monaker if the ginger-haired party from Hamilton City had a vestige of claim to the title. Canada's a big captured and though Cy may not bill himself as the amateur light heavyweight champ of Cahada, his one-round knockout of "Red" Carapbell of Hamilton a short time ago gives him the right to spread the ink after his monaker if the ginger-haired party from Hamilton City had a vestige of claim to the title. Canada's a big claim to the title. Canada's a big place, and the local fans want to look over Cy's credentials, in case of future

Several Others.

claim city championships they won several years ago when the Army and Navy veterans made a valiant attempt to start boxing here, but tried mixing pro and amateur with sorry results, and with Stratford and St. Thomas mitt-slingers mixing it in the same event with these city champs, there might be some tri-city titles created and claimed.

Tonight's show will go color the same and claimed.

show results. The fans will be seeing some more than average material, and many a less pretentious card has started future champions of fistiana on their upward climb. Aside from this view,

PORT
NAPHOTS

Cleveland, O., Dec. 28.—The sale of Pitcher Allan Sothoron of the Cleveland club to the minors, marks the passing of another spitchall pitcher.

At the close of the American League season there were only six spitters in the organization. The release of Sothoron cuts it to five. It is almost a certainty that before the opening of the season. Allan Russell of Boston will have drifted back.

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FOREST CITY LEAGUE. Dowlers took three straight games from Rawleigh Drug in the Forest City League Dowlers bowled two games over the thousand mark for the first time during the season. H. Ball was high for the clothers with 309 and a total of 713, while G. Rush came second with 654.

E. Hurley possesses	190	131	159 53
W. Groom	210	168	149- 52
A. Tisdale		159	181 49
H. Ball	228	309	176- 71
G. Rush	234	196	224- 65
Totals			889-2914
Rawleigh	Dr	ug.	
E. MacDougall	126	120	117- 363
Low score	150	159	149 45
R. Carfrae	103	197	192- 49:
C. H. Banghart	193	165	137-49
H. B. Bennett	213	150	220- 68
Totals	785	791	815-239

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Several of the other contestants can Set Dates For L. O. B. A. Groups

President Blackwell Will Announce Schedules Shortly.

The schedule of the Ladies' Ontario Basketball Association will be anand claimed.

Tonight's show will go a long way toward proving whether boxing and wrestling strictly amateur can be successfully introduced in London as a staple part of the city's sport schedule. The game has never had the chance it has this season in the way of stable backing, and it is believed tonight will show results. The fans will be seeing and Niagara Falls in, and London, rollo, Oshawa and Feterboro, the central group has St. Catharines, Guelph and Niagara Falls in, and London, Stratford, St. Thomas and Woodstock

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 28.—"Unless Quinn hasn't a great many more years left. Coveleskie, who is a spitball pitcher almost exclusively, seemed to be silpping a bit last season.

Faber of Chicago and Shocker of St. Louis would still be great pitchers if the Blue Bonnets race track in Montreal next year," declared Command-treal next year, declared Command-treal next year. of Montreal. Commander Ross, who is visiting in the city, emphasized that it would be impossible to operate the race the coming season unless there was some let-up on the taxes by the Quebec government. This was a bluff, he said. He knew nothhing of a statement purporting to have been made in Montreal by Major Mc-Dougall, that the Blue Bonnets track would not be opened next year be-cause of debts.

STRATFORD OPENS BILL IN KITCHENER TONIGHT

from their assortment. As a matter of fact, these two great pitchers use the spitter more as a bluff than anything else. They go to it in a pinch when they desire to slip a strike past the batsman. It is doubtful if any of these pitchers will last more than five years, so that the entire elimination of the spitball is not far distant.

Where does Washington intend to use Shortstop Gagnon?
Granon is the infielder recently secured from Detroit in a trade for Pitcher Ray Francis.

Kitchener, Dec. 28.—The local O. H. A. season will get off to a good start here tomorrow night, when the local intermediates will take on the Stratford O. H. A. intermediates in the first home game of the season. There has long been rivalry between Kitchener and Stratford, and for that reason the battle promises to be a strenuous one. Last night the Kitchener team followed up their defeat at Preston by a win from Elmira in an exhibition game. The play in Elmira ended 8—2 in favor of Kitchener.

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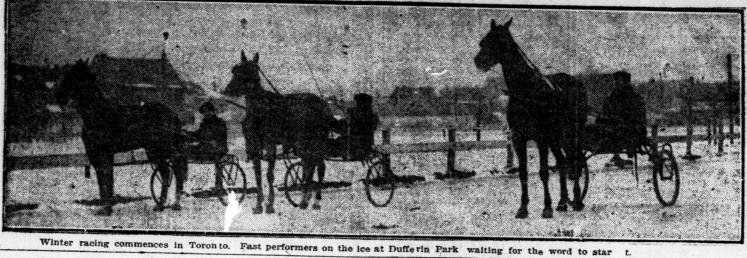
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O'Rourke Terms

New York, Dec. 28. - Tom O'Rourke, New York promoter, an-O'Rourke, New York promoter, announced tonight he had, received word from his Paris agent that Eugene Criqui, French holder of the European featherweight boxing title, had accepted terms for a world's championship match at the Polo Grounds next Decoration Day with Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland, the present titleholder. Kilbane already has signed for the bout.

HOCKEY RESULTS

O. H. A. Intermediate. Grimsby 7, Burlington 3. O. H. A. Junior. Argonauts 6, Toronto C. C. 3. Grimsby 8, Oakville 9. Boston College 3, McGill University 1

BOSTON DEFEATS MCGILL Boston, Dec. 28.—Boston College de-feated McGill University at hockey here tonight by 3 to 1. The Boston team out-skated the Canadians and excelled in stick-handling.



NEW ORLEANS RESULTS.

First race, all ages—Freemarket, 10 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, won; Leo Fisher, even, 1 to 2, second; Yorick.

2 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 2-5, Louis Lichtenheim, Vlan, Sweet and Pretty, Diana Waters, Billy Connor, Gentleman Jouett, Gondoller, Alluring, Swagger also ran.

Second race, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, 6 furlongs—Ina Kay, 7 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5, won; Two Pair, 8 to 5, 5 to 2, 6 to 5, won; Two Pair, 8 to 5, second; Silence, 5 to 2, third.

Time, 1:16, Lady Luxury, Rivulet, First race, 2 years claiming, 6 furlongs—from the circular this searce comprise the circular this comprise the circular this comprise the circular this searce comprise the circular this comprise the circular the comprise the comprise to the dark of the comprise the comprise to the comprise the comprise to the comprise to

4 to 5, second; Silence, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:16. Lady Luxury, Rivulet, Arctic King, Hindoostan, Lura, G. A.

Third race, all ages, 5 furlongs—Elmer K., 7 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5, one; High Cost, 8 to 5, 7 to 10, two; Col. Taylor, 7 to 10, three. Time 1:01 2-5. Ukase, Pietrus, Sir Lawnful, Monastery and Peter Brown also ran.

Fourth race, 3-year-olds and up, mile and 70 yards—Billy Barton, 9 to 2, 6 to 5, 2 to 5, won; Bridesman, 4 to 1, 8 to 5, second; Blarney Stone, 1 to 3, third. Time, 1:45 3-5. War Zone, Reppland William A. also ran.

Second race, 3-year-olds and up, fillies and mares, claiming, 5½ furlongs—Ruth Whle, 7 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, won; Josephine K. 2 to 1, even, second; Miss Rankin, 1 to 2, third. Time, 1:10. Medusa, Berretta and Mab also ran.

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First race, 2 years, claiming, 6 fur-Comiskey, Aph, Pastoral and Pinard also ran.

Third race, all ages, 5 furlongs—Little Smoke, 5 to 2, 7 to 10, out, first: Winnipeg, 7 to 10, out, second; Armedee, out, third. Time, 1:17 1-5. Illusionist and Chile also

NEW LISKEARD WINS.

Cobalt, Ont., Dec. 28.—New Liskeard 8 to 5, 2 to 5, won; Bridesman, 7 to 3, defeated Cobalt here last night by 5 third. Time, 1:453-5. War Zone, Repp and William A. also ran.

Fifth race, mile and sixteenth—Zone 1 to 3, second; Mary Riegel, 1 to 4, third. Time, 1:10. Valentine D'Or, Country Girl, Wedgewood and Titania ran. Fourth race, 3-year-olds, claiming,

6 furlongs—Don Pepe 15 to 1, 6 to 1, 3 to 1, won; Puff Ball, even, 1 to 2, second; Awning, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:17. Who Can Tell, Refrain, Blaz-ing Fire, Bab, Fasenda and Spods

ran.
Fifth, mile and 50 yards: Walter Turnbow, even, 2 to 5, 1 to 4, won; Fair Virginia, 3 to 1, 3 to 5, 2nd; Thos. F. McMahon, 8 to 5, 3rd. Time, 1:49. Sir Jack, Kathleen K., Afternight, Pierrot and Parol also ran.
Sixth, mile and sixteenth: The Pirate, 8 to 5, 1 to 2 out, won; Coscorron, 1 to 10, out, 2nd; Tamper, out, 3rd. Time, 1:49 4-5. Haman also ran.

TIA JUANA RESULTS. Note—Because of wire trouble, further results of races at Tia Juana

aBrummel 105, Better Times 105, Sweep Hawk 102. a-Idle Hour Inn

er 107, Night Beat 106, xEncrinite 04, xJacobina 104, xLeochares II. 01, Smart Guy 112. Sixth race, claiming. 3 years and Sixth race, claiming. 3 years and 104, xJacobina 104, xLeochares II. 101, Smart Guy 112. up, mile and a quarter-Mountain

Rose II 110, Winneconne 107, Booneville 105, Carefree 103, xAnniversary 100, Our Betsy 99, xHuenoc 108, xDr. Rae 105, Johnny Overton 105, xBetty J. 102, xAttorney Muir 110. xApprentice allowance claimed. Weather, clear; track, good.

Garrison Hockey Opens On Jan. 3

Six Teams Comprise Circuit—Gun-ners Oppose Hussars in First.

Six teams comprise the circuit this rear.
The schedule: Jan. 3.—1st Hussars vs. Machine Gun. Jan. 8.—R. C. R. vs. W. O. R. Jan. 10.—Westminster Hospital vs. C. J. T. C.

Jan. 15-Machine Guns vs. Westmin-Jan. 15—Machine Guns vs. Westminster Hospital.
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Jan. 24—C. O. T. C. vs. W. O. R.
Jan. 29—Westminster Hospital vs. W. O. R. ital. Feb. 7—1st Hussars vs. W. O. R. Feb. 12—1st Hussars vs. R. C. R. Feb. 14—Westminster Hospital vs. 1st

Hussars.

Feb. 19—R. C. R. vs. C. O. T. C.
Feb. 21—W. O. R. vs. Machine Guns.
Games will commence at 8 p.m. sharp;
ice avalable from 7 p.m. The dressingroom is the first door to the left of the
main entrance to Woiseley Barracks.
Any game postponed on account of bad
weather will be laid over to the end of
the schedule.

CHAMPS OF 1922

BOXING



Maid 107, Czardom 110, Chow 110, xKeltoi 94, xPibroch 105, Dainty Lady 107, Chimera 107, Prospector 110, Bond 113.

Weather, clear; track, good.

HAVANA ENTRIES.
Havana, Dec. 28.—Entries for Friday are as follows:
First race, maiden 2-year-olds, 5½, furlongs—Relox 103, Our Tellie 107, Sparlina 107, Congedray 107, Irish Dawn 110, Tenderfoot 110, Faithful Girl 107, Nellida 107, Eastern Star 107, Courtier 110, Polite 110,
Second race, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, 5½ furlongs—xFoy 102, xHatrack 107, xChevalier 107, Celtic Lass 109, Hulla 112, Bruce Dudley 112, xStarkader 107, xMelvin 107, Little Niece 109, Harold K. 110, Short Change 112, Twenty Seven 115.
Third race, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, 5½ furlongs—Lady Heart 104, xBrookfield 107, 131 109, xCurrency 110, Helio Cross 112, Col. Murphy 112, xMugivan 107, Bounce 107, Winds of Chance 109, Huron II. 112, Mary Erb 112, Win or Quit 115.
Fourth race, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, 6 furlongs—xCol. Chile 101, Uncle Sonny 108, Old Sinner 113, xToney Beau 113, xRas 105, Okalosa 112, Different Eyes 113.
Fifth race, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, 1 1-16 miles—xAshlin 92, xYakimene 105, xAllivan 107, Pierrot 110, xMontillo 103, Grandson 107, Berlin 108.
Sixth race, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, 1 mile and 50 yards—xNig 94, Randel 102, Brynlimah 105, Our

Give Whole Ball Team Swing Gate

Montreal. Dec. 28.—The manager, the captain and all but two players of last season's Mount Royal baseball team in the Eastern Canada League have been given the gate and the team will, it is said, be rebuilt from the ground up for next season's play.

JOHNSON'S SHOWING NOT IMPRESSIVE Unless the thermometer takes and

New Yorkers Think He's Lulling Brennan Into Mellow Over-Confidence.

BY FAIR PLAY.

man in timely fashion up in Syracuse, word comes from the Sait City that the lowan's showing was not at all the lowan's showing was not at all impressive. He was not only big, but clumsy, and showed no real ability in action. It's likely that Coach Legs, who will be refereeing a game in St. They know that cheer should have been but two blows struck in the fight—the hammer on the gong and Johnson's right to the button.

Down in the big town the fight same the same, he never has looked as bade as he must have looked in Syracuse. What's the answer? Why, the Brenson would like nothing better than to face Knockout Bill while Bill is in a state of mellow overconfidence. According to a report from Paris, lisis in a state of mellow overconfidence, wovered what Manager Descamps said to Descamp. That is keenly regretted in fight circles here. Purely as a loss to the well-known are of repartee as practiced by fighter the same and managers here. Purely as a loss to the well-known are of repartee as practiced by fighter the same than the possibility that the context of their conversation probably was not printed. Some managers here who know both men why the context of their conversation probably was not printed. Some managers here who know both men why the most printed. Some managers here who know both men why the context of their conversation probably was not printed. Some managers here who know both men why the context of their conversation probably was not printed. Some managers here who know both men why the context of their conversation probably was not printed. Some managers here who know both men why the context of their conversation probably was not printed. Some managers here.

Tex Rickard hopes to announce shortly that Jimmy Wilde, the great little British battler, will come to this out they should more than hold their the future. Villa has a fairly tough battle in front of him Friday night with Terry Martin.

TO SET CAGE DATES

Juvenile Series of London District To Be Drawn Up Today. BY BILLY EVANS. The London and District Basketball Five fistic titles changed hands during 1922. The year was featured by many pugilistic upsets. Association is making fast progress, and this morning the schedule for the juvenile series will be drawn up at the Y. M. C. A. Jack Britton, holder of the welter-



lightweight title from Benny Leons Sweep Hawk 102. a—Idle Hour Inn stock entry.

Fifth race, claiming, 3 years and up, mile and 70 yards—Aillero 112, Escarpolette 109, Deep Sinker 106, Devonite 106, xGem 109, xMay Bodine 104, Ramkin 112, xMay Roberts 104, Legaulois 112, xArchie Alexander 107, Night Beat 106, xEncrinite 104, xJacobina 104, xLeochares II

Weather cloudy; track heavy.
(x)—Apprentice allowance.

SQUADS EXPECT TO **GET ICE TONIGHT**

All Three Crews Await Whims of Weatherman.

OPENING WEEK AWAY

Intermediates Open Week From Tonight With Pan Drieds.

other jump upwards, the London intermediate squad will jump on the ice for the first time this season at Westminster Rink this afternoon, starting at 5 o'clock. Definite arrangements had not been made. Coach Walden stated last night, but he thought that would New York, Dec. 28. — While Floyd everything else being equal and hard. Johnson stowed away Italian Jack Her-The juniors will probably grab off an hour too, and the girls are making word comes from the Salt City that their second voyage at Victoria Park the Iowan's showing was not at all rink also this afternoon, putting all

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