

BASEBALL, ROWING,
BOWLING, RACING, TENNIS

SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

QUOTING, BOXING,
FOOTBALL, GOLF, CRICKETBobby Kerr Wins Heat Easily
In 100-Metre Olympic SprintOlympiad Management Making
Concessions in Prices of
Seats.

London, July 20.—The second week of the Olympic contests began with the first day, devoted principally to field sports. The track athletes were the stars, and the programme contained many fast and exciting events. The British and American runners and jumpers gathered at the lion's share of the laurels, as usual.

The spectacular feature today was the seven-hundred trial heats of the 100 metres sprint, and the eight trial heats of the 400 metres. These furnished several close and stirring finishes. In the sprint, the American runners and jumpers gathered at the lion's share of the laurels, as usual.

The standing broad jumping contest was practically an American event, although notable records were made. Ray Ewry, the American champion, being considerably behind his own record made at St. Louis. His greatest distance today was 10 feet 11 inches. Tasiliris, the Greek jumper, won second in this event, with 10 feet 7 1/4 inches, one-quarter of an inch better than Martin J. Sheridan, Irish-American, C.

Today's Results.
The results today added three wins to the American score, and one to France, the other nations not improving their positions. In the field events, America added six points, Greece, the only other nation to increase its score in these contests, picked up three. America is now only eight points behind the United Kingdom, the score leading: United Kingdom, 54; America, 46.

The first heat of the 100 metres race was won by Duffy, South Africa. Time, 11.2 seconds.
The second heat was won by George, United Kingdom. Time, 11.3 seconds.
The third heat was won by M. J. Cartmel, University of Pennsylvania. Time, 11.2 seconds.

Kerr Wins.
The tenth heat was won by Kerr, Canada. Time, 11.2 seconds, and John, Chapman, United Kingdom, by a yard.
The first heat was won by Cloughen, American. Time, 11.2 seconds. The eleventh heat was won by W. G. Kirby, of London, who is on the American team, was second. W. W. May, University of Illinois, won the sixth heat in 11.5 seconds. The seventh heat was won by A. Duncan, United Kingdom. Time, 11.2 seconds. The eighth heat was won by L. E. Stevens, of Yale, and the ninth by Morton, United Kingdom, both in 11.2 seconds.

Billy Sherring Hands Out Tips
Likes Lawson for the Marathon

Billy Sherring, coach of the Canadian Olympic team, in a letter home, makes the following selections, some of which have already gone wrong.
Bobby Kerr is my selection for the 100 metres; Hector will be the runner-up.
For the 200 metres I will not look farther than Bobby Kerr for the winner, with Cartmill for second.
In the 400 metres, Halsell, the English championship winner, will be the man to beat, with Taylor or Hillman, the Americans, fighting out for second.
In the 800 metres I look for Melvin Sheppard, the American, or Just, of England, to break the tape first.
In the 1,500 metres, Wilson will be the man to beat. He can do 3:38 for the distance, and that I look to win.
In the five-mile event, Voight will be hard to beat. He can do well under 25 minutes, and has a fine finish.

Yesterday's Scores in the Big Leagues

AMERICAN LEAGUE.	
At New York—	R. H. E.
St. Louis.....	4 1
New York.....	8 6 3
Waddell and Spencer; Chesbro and Kleinow. Umpire—Hurst and Evans.	
At Boston—	R. H. E.
Chicago.....	8 10 0
Boston.....	8 10 0
Altrock and Owen and Sullivan; Young and Criger. Umpire—Sheridan and Connolly.	
At Philadelphia—	R. H. E.
Philadelphia.....	4 7 1
Philadelphia.....	1 5 2
Donovan and Thomas; Plank and Powers. Umpire—O'Loughlin.	
At Washington—	R. H. E.
Cleveland.....	2 5 0 3
Washington.....	5 10 3
Thielman and Benis; Falkenberg and Street. Umpire—Egan.	

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	
At Pittsburgh—	R. H. E.
Brooklyn.....	3 6 2
Pittsburgh.....	6 8 8
McIntyre and Bergen; Willis and Gibson. Umpire—Emslie.	
At Cincinnati—	R. H. E.
Cincinnati.....	4 8 3
Cincinnati.....	3 12 2
Corrigan and Jacklitch; Spade and Schiel. Umpire—Rigler.	

EASTERN LEAGUE.	
At Chicago—	R. H. E.
Boston.....	2 6 1
Chicago.....	6 11 2
McCarthy and Smith; Reulbach and Moran. Umpire—Klem.	
New York vs. St. Louis, postponed on account of rain.	
At Toronto—	R. H. E.
Newark.....	4 5 2
Toronto.....	2 9 1
Mueller and Kitchell; McGinley and Vandergrift. Umpire—Walker.	
At Buffalo—	R. H. E.
Buffalo.....	1 5 2
Buffalo.....	2 6 1
Moore and Jones; McConnell and Archer. Umpire—Kelly.	
At Rochester—	R. H. E.
Providence.....	0 2 2
Rochester.....	6 10 0
Slins and Hoffman and Peterson; Barge and Butler. Umpire—Murray and Toft.	
At Montreal—	R. H. E.
Montreal.....	5 11 6
Montreal.....	2 5 1
Adkins and Heaney; Wicker and Manus. Umpire—Black.	

A \$20,000,000 terminal station has been planned for the steam, electric and subway lines of San Francisco.

STANDING OF THE LEAGUES

EASTERN LEAGUE.				NATIONAL LEAGUE.				AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
Won.	Lost.	P.C.		Won.	Lost.	P.C.		Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Providence.....	42	32	.568	Pittsburgh.....	50	32	.562	Detroit.....	49	34	.590
Buffalo.....	44	34	.562	New York.....	48	34	.585	St. Louis.....	48	35	.578
Baltimore.....	44	34	.562	Chicago.....	48	34	.585	Chicago.....	46	37	.554
Newark.....	40	41	.494	Cincinnati.....	45	40	.529	Cleveland.....	45	37	.549
Montreal.....	38	40	.487	Philadelphia.....	40	38	.513	Philadelphia.....	40	40	.500
Toronto.....	37	39	.487	Boston.....	37	37	.500	Boston.....	37	46	.446
Rochester.....	27	47	.367	Brooklyn.....	30	49	.380	Washington.....	33	48	.407
Jersey City.....	23	51	.303	St. Louis.....	29	53	.354	New York.....	31	52	.374

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR TODAY

Jersey City at Buffalo.	Boston at Chicago.	Detroit at Washington.
Providence at Rochester.	Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.	Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Newark at Toronto.	Philadelphia at Cincinnati.	Chicago at New York.
Baltimore at Montreal.	New York at St. Louis.	St. Louis at Boston.

CURRENT SPORTING GOSSIP

BY SOUTHPAW

PICKING WINNERS in the Olympic games is almost as hard as picking winners at the racetrack. One day temporary losses may be won, the next Lawson or Simpson.

TAKE A PEEP at this barefaced howl from the F. P.—

"We hereby have been commissioned by our restless and delirious athletes to do the same, challenge, dare and defy the 'Tizer' Demons to a battle of ball on Tecumseh Park on Wednesday afternoon. Marquis of Queensbury rules to govern, and a cordial invitation is extended to society editors. For the benefit of the spectators it might be stated that there is an absolute guarantee posted that P. Wigle, formerly of the Ruthven Invincibles, will pitch the entire game for the Free Press tossers."

WE ARE UNDECIDED whether to take the above as a joke or vice versa. After what happened to our contemporaries last year in baseball, bowling and hockey it would appear that for unprecedented impudence the deft is the limit. Under certain conditions, though, the Demons may be considered to administer to their opponents their annual wallopings.

THE DEMONS insist that the players be composed of present members of the staff of both papers, and that in case of ringers the umpire forfeit the game to the non-offending team.

BOBBY KERR fully met the fondest expectations of his admirers on this side of the briny yesterday, when he won his heat in the 100 metres race over one of the best Yankees could offer. The Yanks have long prided themselves on their superiority in the sprints. It is now up to Boss Sullivan to protest Kerr.

Welching Becoming Common
On the Metropolitan Tracks

New York, July 20.—Welching is becoming quite common in these days of the oral betting system at the race track. Many of the big layers have lost a yard long of bettors who have not "come in" with their losses. Of course, none of the layers is making a "holer," for the simple reason that it would be his own loss, but several of them are carrying thousands in debt. The law won't force a man to pay a gambling debt, so all the layers can do is to carry the welcher along in the hope that he'll settle some day when the money comes his way.

A lot of names of layers who have suffered by the new system of betting might be printed here, but what's the use of advertising the easy mark? One well known layer in explaining that he is really doing up because several of his customers have failed to settle as yet says it's the easiest thing in the world to stick a bookmaker these days.

"A customer you know to be a good fellow will sing along winning or losing \$10 or \$100 a day, settling regularly. Then a day will come when luck will desert him, and with the effort to get back on each succeeding race, he will find himself overboard for \$500 or so, on the day."

Lawson, the layer gets it in the neck. If he suggests that the player settle then and there the latter gets insulted.

"What's the matter. Ain't my credit good? And then you can either count

the money lost or let him go along playing his luck and nerve against your money."

Only recently one of the best gamblers on the track accepted a \$3,000 bet on a horse that looked like he'd have to fall down to lose. Well, the horse lost, and he didn't fall down, either, and the next day when the money was paid he was just where he stands the better approaches him.

"Sorry, old man," is his salutation: "You'll have to carry that matter along for a while. I had an awful tough day."

The layer's tough day isn't taken into consideration at all. All he could do in this case was to reassure the better that it was all right; that he could take his time about settling.

As a matter of fact, the layer needed the money very badly, but wouldn't have done him any good to say so. As it is he stands a better chance of getting it by treating the player as he did.

"This is one big reason," continued the gambler, "why racing under the present system of betting can hardly last. For the bookmaking or even the non-recording system to be a success and a paying venture the public's money must be handled. This is impossible under the present conditions."

Now it is simply gamblers gambling among themselves, the western gamblers against the eastern gamblers; and, strange though it seems, Tom Shaw, Rose and the rest of them have got the easterners on the hip."

SULLIVAN'S REASONS FOR PROTESTING INDIAN

London, July 21.—Interviewed by a Canadian Associated Press correspondent as to his ground for protesting Tom Longboat, the great Canadian runner, President Sullivan, of the American Amateur Athletic Union, said that Longboat had been competing in Canada against Percy Sellen and George Cummings, well known in America as English professionals, and he was therefore looked upon as a professional.

Sullivan will, therefore, protest, although he will accept the ruling of the Amateur Athletic Association, which is in charge of the Olympic games.

"But if Longboat is accepted as an amateur," says Sullivan, "why don't the British wire for Shrub?"

Sullivan's protest is absurd on the face of it. The C. A. A. U. permitted the Irish-Canadian Athletic Club of Toronto to send Longboat to Boston to run an exhibition race, and other members of the club, all amateur athletes in good standing in the C. A. A. U. These runners included Cummings, Pearce and Sellen, all of whom hold C. A. A. U. cards, and who competed regularly in athletic meets in Canada. There is absolutely nothing against either Cummings or Sellen, the latter having been reinstated several years ago by the C. A. A. U.

Lady Ernestine Hunt, the eldest daughter of the Marquis of Elibank, owns and operates a horse ranch at Calgary, Alta., on a stretch of land nearly 40,000 acres in extent.

WILD BILL GETS
SWEET REVENGE

Smiler Holds Athletics To
Five Scattered Hits at
Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, July 20.—Enlivened by a row with Silk O'Loughlin, the final game of the series went to Detroit today, 4 to 1. It was Donovan's victory all the way. Wild Bill, whom the Athletics peppered when he opposed them last Thursday, holding the home team down to five hits, of which Hartzell was the only member of the team to get two.

One of Topeka's drivers, a triple to the flagpole, saved the Athletics from a shut-out, for it was followed by Eddie Collins' out, on which the toward crossed the plate.

Only another man reached third. This was Davis, who in the same inning got there on his single, and Donovan's two-base wild throw to catch him napping. Jimmy Collins popped up a little fly to Schaefer.

The score:
DETROIT..... A. B. R. H. O. A.
McIntyre, Lf..... 4 0 1 4 0
Schaefer, ss..... 3 1 6 1 0
Davis, c..... 3 1 6 1 0
Cobb, rf..... 4 0 1 2 0
Rosenman, lb..... 4 1 1 8 0
Coughlin, 3b..... 3 1 0 0 1
Thomas, c..... 0 0 1 0 0
Downs, 2b..... 3 0 2 1 0
Donovan, p..... 3 0 0 0 1
Totals..... 31 4 7 27 11

PHILADELPHIA.
A. B. R. H. O. A.
Hartzell, Lf..... 4 1 2 2 0
E. Collins, 2b..... 2 0 2 2 0
Crawford, c..... 3 1 6 1 0
Schreck, 1b..... 0 0 2 0 0
Murphy, rf..... 3 0 1 5 0
J. Collins, 3b..... 4 0 1 0 1
Childs, Lf..... 4 0 1 1 1
Barry, ss..... 3 0 1 2 1
Powers, c..... 2 0 0 6 2
Plank, p..... 3 0 0 4 1
Totals..... 29 1 5 27 11

Errors—Rosenman, Donovan; E. Collins, Murphy.

By Innings—
Detroit..... 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—4
Philadelphia..... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1

Two-base hits—Schaefer, Downs.
Three-base hit—Hartzell.
Sacifice hits—Coughlin, E. Collins.
Left on bases—Detroit 2, Philadelphia 5.
Stolen bases—Schaefer, Cobb, Barry.
Struck out—By Donovan 5, Plank 5.
Double plays—Murphy and E. Collins; Coughlin, Downs and Rosenman.
First base on errors—Detroit 1, off Plank 1.
Hit by pitched ball—By Donovan 2.
Passed ball—Powers.
Time of game—1:50.
Umpire—O'Loughlin.

On City Diamonds

In a very fast and snappy game of baseball, played last evening, the team of the Dominion Express Company added another game to their long list of victories by defeating the Wholesale Fruit Dealers to the tune of 9-5. Batteries—C. Pryce and A. J. Hennessy; J. Basketto and D. McCallum.

CANADIAN ENTRY
WINS YACHT RACE

Toledo, July 20.—The free-for-all races in the opening day of the interlake regatta at Put-in-Bay resulted as follows:
In the 16-foot class, the team of Toledo, was the winner, with Stella II, of Toledo, second, and Hoaroh, of Cleveland, third. Zorah, a Canadian boat, took first prize in Class A in the 21-footers.
In the 21-footers Cleve was the winner. In Class B, Cruiser was first, but lost on time allowance to Eleanor. Both are Canadian boats.
All the 18-foot boats were from Cleveland. The Hayseed was the winner. Detroit took the catboat race.

BERLIN LOSES
INTERMEDIATE ROUND

Berlin, July 20.—Berlin lost its opportunity to figure in the play-off for the intermediate W. F. A. championship here to-night, when it met the Owen Sound team and was held down to three goals. The Owen Sound team prior to the game had a lead of four goals on the round, and Berlin lost the game by one goal.

Hon. A. G. MacKay, M.P.P., accompanied the Owen Sound team and was entertained by the Berlin club afterward.

THE TURF.

Winners Yesterday.
At Windsor—Maxim Gun 8 to 5, Comie Opera 6 to 1, Pearl Point 4 to 1, Polly Prim 3 to 1, Please even, Cosmopolitan 6 to 1, The Thorn 6 to 1.

At Brighton Beach—Tom McGrath 1 to 2, Marvellous 20 to 1, Arasee 1 to 2, Phand Needles 5 to 1, Jimmy Lane 3 to 5, Wise Mason 2 to 1.

At Quebec—Bitter Hand 5 to 1, Long John 3 to 1, Bally Castle 2 to 1, Miss Vigilant 4 to 5, Manometer 2 to 1.

Managers of the New York Metropolitan street railway system are considering the plan of removing temptation from its conductors by placing boxes in the cars in which passengers can deposit their fares.

Ceylon now has over 550 miles of railway open for traffic.

THE EEL IS FAST
SAYS ED. GEERS

The Canadian Pacer Travels at
2:02 1-2 Pace in a Race
With Minor Heir.

The Detroit Free Press says: "You will see some of the fastest horses at the Detroit meeting this year the world has ever known," remarked Ed F. Geers, the popular driver, as he paused during his dinner at the Normandie cafe last evening. Mr. Geers had reached the city in the afternoon from Terre Haute, after a roundabout ride, and six carloads of horses, trained by himself, Lon McDonald, Gus Macey, T. Murphy, W. L. Snow, W. G. Durfee and others arrived at the same time.

Ordinarily Mr. Geers lives up to the accepted term—"the silent man from Tennessee"—but this time he was quite talkative.

"You have seen lots of horses," he continued, "but you never saw one as fast as Minor Heir. He is the fastest pacer in the world. Why, after the heat in 2:01 1/4 he came right back in 2:01, and in such manner that it left no doubt of his greatness. He is a wonderful pacer. By the way, that Canadian horse, The Ed, is not to be overlooked. He is very fast. I dare say he paced right around 2:02 1/2 in the heats when Minor Heir was making a record."

"The fastest trotter? Amy Brooks is the fastest I know of. She is a great mare. Charley Dean went down to the half in a minute with his M. & M. horse, Fleming Boy, but when he passed there Amy Brooks still was trotting, whip of Fleming Boy was dizzy. She didn't mind it at all. I never saw her equal, and where she will end for Lon McDonald is hard to say."

"Highball looks pretty good," was suggested.

"He is," said Mr. Geers. "He is a splendid trotter. How does he compare with The Abbott (2:03 1/4)? Well, just about the same."

A telegram was sent by the driving club to Mr. Geers, asking him if he would race Highball (2:03 1/4) against Sweet Marie (2:02), at the Blue Ribbon meeting next week. He replied that he would, yet he did not talk much of Highball, which is giving every early promise of being the champion before now.

\$3,000 FOR CUP OF COFFEE
Woman Rewarded for Kind Act Done
Many Years Ago.

Plymouth, Mass., July 21.—For a cup of coffee which she once gave to a stranger, Mrs. Harvey Bartlett, of Wellsfleet, has received \$3,000. The gift is from Mrs. B. Lilley, of New York City.

Many years ago while waiting for a train at the Kneeland street station of the Old Colony Railroad, Mrs. Bartlett's sympathy was aroused by the sight of an elderly woman who was travelling alone and who appeared to be ill. Mrs. Bartlett went to a lunch-room and got a cup of coffee for her.

Mrs. Lilley, as she proved to be, did not forget the kindness and has since sent Mrs. Bartlett numerous gifts. The most recent remembrance is \$3,000 worth of stock in a New York manufacturing company paying 8 per cent dividends.

NO SUCH DEAL MADE

C. P. R. Company Not Taking Over
the Algoma Road.

Montreal, July 20.—Mr. T. J. Drummond, vice-president of the Algoma Steel Company, gives a denial to the reports which have appeared in the press with respect to the probability of the Canadian Pacific Railway taking over the Algoma Railway, which is owned by the Lake Superior Corporation and the steel plant as well.

NEW REGISTRAR FOR PERTH.
Toronto, July 21.—James Steele, barrister of Stratford, has been appointed to the vacant trusteeship of North Perth. Mr. Steele, who was born near Stratford in 1864, has been practicing his profession there for sixteen years, being a member of the public school and public library boards. He has also been an active member of the board of trade.

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SAW THE SKULL
OF GEN. MONTCALM

Earl and Countess Grey and
Party Pay a Visit to the
Ursuline Convent.

Quebec, July 20.—Before the lattice work in the outer hall of the Ursuline Convent the skull of Montcalm, enshrined in a glass case, was viewed on Saturday by Earl and Countess Grey, Lord Roberts and other distinguished visitors.

The only lay person having the right of admission to see the skull of the brave soldier who fell in the attempt to save Quebec from the attacks of Wolfe, is the representative of the King, and this privilege was granted by the mother superior.

It was in the Ursuline Convent that General Montcalm died of his wounds the morning after the battle of the Plains of Abraham, and there his remains were interred. The exact spot of burial was unknown for over one hundred years, but about thirty years ago a Quebec man began making inquiries. A sister in the institution, then past middle age, and now over ninety, when a novice, had pointed out to her by an aged nun of the order who had seen the burial of Montcalm, the identical spot where the French hero had been laid. An excavation was made, and the remains of Montcalm were discovered. The skeleton was restored to its original resting-place, but the skull was carefully enshrined in a glass case.

The Ursuline Nuns were founded in 1639. The original convent building was destroyed by fire, but the present structure is located on the same site.

NEW YACHT FOR KAISER

May Send Challenge to New York for
America's Cup.

Kiel, Germany, July 21.—The Emperor recently commissioned Max Oertz, of Hamburg, to design a large racing schooner to replace the American built Meteor, now six years old. If the Emperor's new yacht comes up to expectations, next June it is not unlikely that the Emperor will send to the New York Yacht Club a challenge for the America's Cup.

DEATH IN THE WIRE

Kingston City Employee Has Narrow
Escape From Electrocution.

Kingston, July 20.—A feed wire on the street railway line broke this morning and the parts hung down. G. Grimshaw, the city board walk-repairer, came along and was shouted at to keep away, but he failed to understand and drove his horses into the wire.

They fell, shocked by 500 volts, becoming rigid at once.

Mr. Grimshaw jumped to help his horses, but the warning not to touch them saved his life. The linemen cut the wire, and the horses recovered in ten minutes.

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