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Gave Morris A Good Lacing

Joe Jeannette Had Andy All But Out in the Sixth—Referee Stopped the Go—Big Negro Tamed With the Boston Heavyweight.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 27.—A scheduled 15 round fight between Joe Jeannette and Andy Morris of Boston was stopped in the sixth round by referee because of the battered-up condition of Morris.

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In the semi-final, young McAduliffe of Bridgeport had slightly the better of Joe Marcks of Highwood. McAduliffe played for Marcks' body and had him in distress several times.

Marcks was strong in the fifth, but in the sixth he was hit by McAduliffe on the ropes, hammering him in the face when the gong sounded.

Jim O'Connell of Highwood and Joe Barker of South Norwalk, heavyweights, made such a mess of affairs that the go was stopped in the second round. It was to have gone six.

SEES NOTHING TO PREVENT THE GAMES. Chairman Herrmann Believes McGraw and Mack Can Play if They Want To.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 27.—Speaking unofficially, Chairman Herrmann of the national baseball commission, stated today that while there was nothing in the rules of organized baseball that would prevent anti-season baseball games between the Philadelphia world's champions and the New York National league team, yet he did not believe Connie Mack was contemplating such a thing.

"I do not believe Mack will take the chance of being defeated," said Herrmann. "Why should he even though the games would be purely exhibitionary? However, if he is seriously thinking of such a thing I cannot see why the national commission should even be consulted."

DOUGHERTY QUITS BASEBALL. Chicago White Sox Left Fielder Has All the Money He Wants.

Chicago, Feb. 27.—Pat Dougherty for seven years left field for the Chicago American league baseball club, today voluntarily quit baseball. In a letter to President Comiskey, Dougherty declares his intention of retiring, stating that he has all the money he needs and does not care to play ball any longer.

"If my services are needed to help out the Sox, call on me," he said in his letter, which was sent from his home in Bolton, N. Y.

Changes in Bowling Rules. New York, Feb. 27.—William Kirk, president of the National Bowling association, issued a call today for the annual convention of the association.

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JEFFRIES TO TRY TO COME BACK AGAIN.

Has an Idea That the Fault Was in Training Before.

Jim Jeffries is going to challenge Jack Johnson again. This was the positive statement made recently in Los Angeles, Cal., by a man close to the champion.

It appears that the big fellow has been contemplating this action for some time, having conceived the idea soon after the Reno encounter that had he trained differently he would have been able to down the negro.

There are hints that Jeffries has consulted at least three of the leading trainers of the country at different times in the last three months for a private and confidential opinion of his condition, and that each, after a thorough examination, have concluded that he is fit to begin a long siege of training work.

Jack Johnson is inclined to be amused at the statements that Jeffries again would challenge him to a battle for the championship.

"Well, that's rich, isn't it?" he exclaimed. "Coming back for some more, is he? Well, I don't object."

"Of course I will have any reply to such a thing, if I want to see what conditions he imposed in his challenge. If the money could be shown me I would not mind boxing Jeffries again at any time. He's the easiest thing I know, so why not?"

TRIPPING MILE IN 140. A mile trotted in 140 is the prediction of George Deitch, secretary of the grand circuit.

"Some will say I am crazy to make such a prediction," said Deitch. "But I know that I ultimately a harness horse will trot a mile in 140. Horsesmen have felt that each new world's record would stand until the English mile runner, Len Jones, was lowered to 2:29 1/2, in 1910. Horsesmen of that day said the feat would never be accomplished again."

Then came the bike sulky and through a narrow slage down through Sunol, Nancy Hanks, Alx, Los Dillon and Union, the record has been reduced to 2:11 1/4 by St. Julian before another year of the record. All of these miles were driven in a high wale sulky.

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SPORTS OF ALL SORTS. Honus Wagner has equalled Pop Anson's record of hitting for 200 or better for 15 consecutive seasons.

Brooklyn Tommy Sullivan and Ollie Kirk have signed to box in St. Louis March 4.

The University of Wisconsin has signed to play the University of Arkansas at football next fall.

A rumor from the Pacific coast has it that Champion Ad Wolgast has long trouble and will retire from the boxing game.

The London International horse show of 1912 will open in Olympic on June 17, continuing until June 29, with prizes aggregating about \$50,000.

With President Ben Johnson in the chair, the American league meetings are successful affairs. "Benny" pulls the strings.

Hugh Jennings was born in Meadok, Pa., and therefore has a fine ear for melody—as rendered by Ty Cobb and his mighty bat.

Steve Flanagan has sold his interest in the Brooklyn New England league team and will scout for the Chicago White Sox.

John A. Elliott, of La Crosse, founder and former pilot of the Milwaukee Wisconsin league, has been re-elected president of the organization.

and who promises to develop into a good fighter. Vernon expects to hunt his new coupe up when he goes abroad again.

Gabby Street, the Washington backstop, who has caught 921 games during his nine years, says he expects to increase his record this coming season to 1,000 games.

The Chicago Cubs have signed Charles A. Moore of the Los Angeles team, who is called a second bill Lange. Lots of them have been called "second bills" but there has been only one "Little Eva."

An innovation at the White Sox park will be a couple of benches in left field for the use of battery men between their warming-up sessions, and in the right field for Ed Walsh while he is added to the scenery.

Mike Gibbons is going back home after his ten-round bout with Lewis in a New York club. Gibbons has been offered \$1,000 by a select party of sporting men of St. Paul to fight an unknown in a 20-round bout in private the latter part of next week and he wired his acceptance.

Bob Vernon, the popular sporting man of New York, may get a good "white hope" yet. Bob received a letter yesterday from a friend over in Paris to the effect that near the town of Vichy has been found a young peasant of good strength and agility who knows a little about the boxing game.

Al Falzer has a bad case of grip, and Tom O'Rourke has sent him to Lakewood. Falzer was a bit under the weather when he went into the ring against Earl White in Brooklyn last week, but still he won the bout by a knockout in the eighth round.

Jack Goodman and Kid Burns have received two offers from clubs to meet at the ring next week. The offer from the Montreal team, got his start in professional ball in the Virginia league with the Danville team. In 1907 Lavender was on the losing end of the longest game on record in professional ball when Lynchburg defeated Danville 1 to 0, in a 47 inning affair. Red Kline of Cincinnati beat him Lynchburg winning in the 17th on a double, a sacrifice and an outfield fly.

Freddie Welsh, the English lightweight, who has had the misfortune to be compelled to call off two of his fights in California on account of the muscles of his neck becoming stiff, is so disgusted over his hard luck that he has just decided to call off two of his fights in California, as he is able to leave his bed he will return to his home in England.

Packey McFarland has had his left eye operated on in Chicago, but expects to be able to go through with the Montreal team, got his start in professional ball in the Virginia league with the Danville team. In 1907 Lavender was on the losing end of the longest game on record in professional ball when Lynchburg defeated Danville 1 to 0, in a 47 inning affair. Red Kline of Cincinnati beat him Lynchburg winning in the 17th on a double, a sacrifice and an outfield fly.

Donors in the Automobile World. New Jersey Falls Into Line In Reciprocity for Motor Tourists.

Proposed Law Gives 15 Day Privilege—Pennsylvania Surveying 2,755 Miles of Highway—Automobiles Reach the Congo.

"The automobile world is truly coming into its own," said Frederick H. Elliott, secretary of the Touring club of America, in discussing the rapid spread of uniform motor vehicle legislation throughout the states, as especially emphasized in the recent action of the New Jersey assembly in passing by a decided vote the bill to reduce the time for the return of tourists to the free use of the highways of that commonwealth.

It is believed that a period of 15 days is the longest that would be favorably received in the state senate and that Gov. Woodrow Wilson will sign the bill when it comes before him. The granting of reciprocity by New Jersey virtually eliminates the necessity for any federal action, as it is the last state to fall into line with the policy which was established several years ago by a majority of the states.

All of the other states, as well as the New England states, have always granted the free use of the highways to non-residents engaged in interstate touring, providing they complied with the laws of their home state by displaying license numbers upon the front and rear of the car.

Occasionally when a persistent buzzing or grinding apparently emanates from the rear axle it may be stopped by playing the radius rods so as to prevent them from vibrating. Often this is merely the vibration of the rods which causes such noises.

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20 Stamps with 1 box Colgate's Toilet Soap - 25c

10 Stamps with 1 pkg. A&P Biscuits or Pancake Flour - 10c

2 pkgs. Birds-Eye Potatoes, each - 5c

1 can Raspberries or Cherries - 10c

1 bottle Cider Vinegar - 15c