



IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

President Hugh I. Wilson has returned from the coast where he was in the interests of the Montana Jockey club. While in California it is understood President Wilson arranged for a successor to Secretary Lawrence, but as yet no announcement has been made officially.

It is reported here that Smith of the Oakland track has been boomed for the position of secretary, but those who know are keeping their own counsel until the deal is completed.

President Wilson has given out that the Montana Jockey club will open the summer meeting in Butte, Saturday, June 14. There will be two months of racing in Butte and Anaconda and preparations have been made for one of the largest race meetings ever held in the state.

The club will guarantee no purses of less than \$250. The intention is to secure the best horses in the Western country and there will be some well-known stake racers present at the meeting.

The stakes for the different races will be announced within the next two weeks.

There were fast and exciting games on the Thornton alleys last night in the two-men team matches. The games were nearly all close and the averages were exceptionally good. These are the scores:

- First game—Sheehan, 220; Fisher, 174; total, 394. Mischich, 234; Davies, 187; total, 421.
- Second game—Sheehan, 200; Fisher, 149; total, 349. Mischich, 234; Davies, 187; total, 421.
- Third game—Sheehan, 172; Fisher, 223; total, 395. Mischich, 225; Davies, 172; total, 407.
- First game—Ellis, 170; White, 193; total, 363. Bring, 175; Peterson, 113; total, 288.
- Second game—Ellis, 186; White, 160; total, 346. Bring, 189; Peterson, 158; total, 347.
- Third game—Ellis, 208; White, 183; total, 391. Bring, 188; Peterson, 170; total, 358.
- First game—Ellis, 190; White, 182; total, 372. Mischich, 222; Davies, 179; total, 401.
- Second game—Ellis, 176; White, 189; total, 365. Mischich, 180; Davies, 168; total, 354.
- Third game—Ellis, 183; White, 215; total, 398. Mischich, 209; Davies, 159; total, 367.
- First game—Adams, 193; Barker, 181; total, 374. Mischich, 162; Davies, 182; total, 344.
- Second game—Adams, 166; Barker, 201; total, 367. Mischich, 160; Davies, 195; total, 355.
- Third game—Adams, 179; Barker, 184; total, 363. Mischich, 173; Davies, 186; total, 359.
- First game—Adams, 178; Barker, 187; total, 365. Sheehan, 207; Fisher, 149; total, 354.
- Second game—Adams, 175; Barker, 202; total, 377. Sheehan, 174; Fisher, 190; total, 364.
- Third game—Adams, 184; Barker, 188; total, 372. Sheehan, 191; Fisher, 185; total, 376.

The Thorntons and Silver Bows will play in the city league series tonight.

Lovers of basket ball and the many friends of the girls' team of the Butte Business college are preparing for a gala time tonight. The attraction will be a match game between the girls from Dillon and the business college and will be followed by a ball in which the victors will get the favors.

The Dillon team arrives this afternoon accompanied by a large delegation of Dillon supporters who will root for their team and dance with the Butte lads.

The games and the ball will be held in the Auditorium, the games beginning at 8 o'clock this evening and the dancing to follow.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—President A. H. Eaden of the Boston club is not as joyful as he was a week ago. Mr. Soden has been assured by his New York lawyers that the Spalding case would be tried before February 1, and they would know where they stood a few days after. Now Spalding's lawyers have succeeded in having the case postponed for at least another month, and have a card or two left to prolong the case for several weeks after that.

The arrangements for the trip South have been called off for the present, and the local management are at a loss to know just where they stand. And yet only a week ago all looked like sunshine down this way for the trust magnates.

All this law business is costing money, and the Boston men are always shy of court proceedings. In this case, should they win, they will have the worst of it, but they are willing to take the chances, and they labored under the impression that Spalding was anxious to have the case tried, until this week, when Attorney Kidder filed his demurrer.

The chances are that A. G. Spalding is fully prepared to play the limit of this game of law.

The Boston men are now convinced that it was a bad thing to have the league tied up in the courts, and what they considered at the time as streaks of ineffectuality in Spalding they have discovered was a well-played game to get the league tied up in the courts.

present case, it was thought that he was sent for to give the locals a little legal advice. Ward is also retained by Spalding, so that it makes business for the old ball player, who will glory in the time when Andrew Freedman can be counted out of baseball in New York.

F. W. Ellis of Helena has a small stable of good horses at the Oakland race track and is having a very successful season. There is no better judge either of horses or men than Mr. Ellis, and very seldom does he back a horse that lands outside the money. His knowledge was acquired in the school of experience. He grew up in Helena, where his integrity and business ability made him many friends, but he lost a good deal in the horse game before he began to win. Now he is on easy street, and all who know him well are glad of his success.

W. D. Randall of Great Falls is another conservative horseman. He has 14 horses of his own, as well as the Wilson stable. He trains his own horses and studies them well. So far this season he has entered nothing, but his

PLUNGER LEWIS IS UNDER ARREST

(Associated Press.)
New York, Feb. 7.—Harry Levy, also known as "Red" Levy and Harry Lewis, the plunger, arrested here yesterday at the request of the police of Baltimore for alleged forgery, was in the Central police court today and was remanded until Monday.

He had \$41,000 on him when arrested. He said that he won \$100,000 on the races in California, but his luck turned and he lost \$59,000.



Plunger Harry L. Lewis, Whose Meteoric Career Ends in Flight—He's Plunging Way Back.

This is the man who did up the Oakland bookies to the tune of several thousand after having bewildered the level-headed markers and the cynical dope writers with his tales of success.

Lewis, is or was, one of those freaks that flash across the race horizon occasionally and dazzle the public with stories of monster winnings. Generally the smooth gentlemen in the boxes are wise to the freakish part and calmly lay back to grab off what little the freak has really to lose.

This time it appears that Lewis fooled even the astute men of the circle, but his doings have been greatly exaggerated, as have the losses reported on the bookmakers.

How Lewis got into town doesn't seem to be recorded. But after dropping his roll as quickly as he picked it up and "sacking" diamonds bought for "his girl," it is reported that he left Oakland in a box car between two suns in order to avoid the police.

There's nothing creditable in the stories about the "plunger." As a race track tout he might be able to act occasionally. As a man who is a master of the game he was falsely represented principally through the desire of the sporting writers to play up a sensation.

Still the bookies may reap profits from the dazed clerks who "broke" along until tempted by stories of great wealth to leave the dollar bets and plunge, with disastrous results to their employers.

flyers are rounding to and will soon be heard from.

long time before he gets another race horse to put the plates on. Hagerdon, of Mr. Cameron, is one of the grandest and fleetest horse at the track, but the handicappers generally over-estimate his weight-packing power, so he has been able to win few purses.

James A. Murray, who keeps a few horses just for fun, has not yet raced this year. His stable is at Sacramento.

A Billings fighter named Eddie Croake, who claims the middleweight championship of Iowa, has written to the managers of the Capital Athletic club at Cheyenne asking for a match with any fighter weighing 145 pounds at 3 o'clock on the day of the fight, or 155 pounds at ringside. Croake says he will fight for a side bet of \$500 at these weights and does not bar a man either white or Croake.

Cheyenne has a fighter that can make 155 pounds at the ringside and in all probability he will be matched against Croake.

Johnnie Baker and Art Thompson, the colored top-notchers of Cheyenne, are training hard for their "go" two weeks hence. Baker is working out with "Buddy" Tripp, the Kansas City scrapper, while Thompson is being looked after by a well known local fighter. The betting on the contest is 5 to 3 on Baker.

About 250 players find employment with the two major leagues, while nearly 2000 players perform for the varied baseball constituents of the minor leagues, who invade all corners of the country, and do an immense amount of missionary work for the national game.

Professional baseball clubs in St. Louis are to be taxed \$2000 a year. A bill

and Weller beat Carter Harrison in the second, with Socialist running third, Nullah and Rejected ran in dashes.

That the Detroit people were in earnest to secure the very best talent available in baseball is shown by the fact that an agent in that city offered Nichols, the well known pitcher, \$4,5000 a year on a two years' contract, and a bonus of \$1000 payable when he signed. Nichols was not at liberty to accept this offer, as he had already committed himself to go to Kansas City and Jimmie Manning.

The New York club has offered Lige Washburn, a left-handed pitcher formerly with Brown university, \$400 per month to play next season, but the offer was refused. Other clubs are after Washburn, and it is just possible an offer will come along that will entice him to sign a contract.

In the exhibition pool game at Whitford & Youton's last night between W. W. King, the champion, and W. J. Whitford, the latter won under the handicap imposed on King. The champion played 300 to Whitford's 200 and put on one of the best games witnessed in the West.

Whitford is one of the best players in the state and the handicap of the champion last night made an even game which was interesting beyond the usual entertainment.

As yet the details of the King-Engstrom match for the championship of the country has not been arranged. King is awaiting a reply from Engstrom regarding dates for the match. Engstrom is expected to leave San Francisco for Butte in a few days and after the game here figures on going to Hot Springs with "Swede Sam."

New York, Feb. 7.—Andrew Freedman, of the New York baseball club, according to the Press, received a communication from A. E. Soden, president of the Boston club, in which Soden is quoted as saying:

"There is no condition or circumstance that can arise in the National league by which the Boston club will ever be cast for A. G. Spaulding, for any office in it."

Freedman declares that the four clubs on his side in the National league rupture are as firm as ever in their determination to stick together.

New York, Feb. 7.—"Neither William C. Whitney, Foxhall Keene, nor any other gentleman not British is likely to be elected a member of the Jockey club. This you can state without qualification," says the London correspondent of the Herald. "In these words a prominent sportsman disposed of the rumors which have reached America that one, or possibly both the above mentioned gentlemen, will be selected to join the ranks of that body which is vested with the control of the sport of kings in England.

"Both gentlemen are well known and highly popular," says the dispatch, "but there is a tradition against electing a foreigner as a member of the Jockey club."

Iowa City, Feb. 7.—Coach A. A. Knipe has written the Board of Athletic control that he will be out of the hospital of the university of Pennsylvania, the last of March. He will leave Philadelphia at once for Iowa City to assume personal charge of the track team.

Coach Knipe is recovering from an operation on his back to relieve an injury caused during last year at Pennsylvania. He neglected the injury for six months, thereby lengthening his stay in the hospital when he finally determined to have it remedied.

The Wrong Number.
(Salt Lake Herald.)

The telephone girl and the bill clerk, to whom she had promised her heart and hand, were sitting in front of the fireplace talking about the happy days to come when they would be one.

From one little detail to another the talk finally drifted to the subject of lighting the fires in the morning. On this point the young man was decided. He stated it was his emphatic opinion that it was a wife's place to get up and start the fires and let her poor, hard-working husband rest.

After this declaration there was silence for the space of about three-quarters of a second. Then the telephone girl thrust out the finger encircled by her engagement ring and murmured sweetly, but firmly:

"Ring off, please. You have got connected with the wrong number."

A Self-Restrained Chaplain.
(Manchester Guardian.)

There is a popular army chaplain about whom Mr. Winston Churchill tells an excellent story. This chaplain quarreled with the captain of a ship on the way to South Africa because the captain refused to let him hold services in the saloon. The captain regarded himself as the priest of his own ship. Mr. Churchill found the captain tramping the deck in anger. "And what did you say to him?" asked Mr. Churchill sympathetically, when he had heard the story. "Oh, I said nothing at all," answered the chaplain with a splendid show of self-command, "but I may tell you that any other clergyman in the Church of England would have told him to go to—"

No Active Part in It.
(Catholic Standard and Times.)

Miss Bluff—O! Ned Willoughby; he proposed to me once.

Miss Sharpe—That so? Why, I was talking to your friend, Tom Burns, about you yesterday, and he—

Miss Bluff—He proposed, too. Did he tell you?

Miss Sharpe—Not exactly. He said he was proposed to, too.

Politicians.
(Columbus (O.) State Journal.)

Phil Brick—What's the difference between an honest and a dishonest politician?

Phil Ossifer—One is in politics for the good he can do his fellow-citizens, while the other is in politics for any amount he can do his fellow-citizens.

How He Explains It.
(Boston Transcript.)

Stephen—So it is all over with Miss Bolter? How did it happen that she threw you over?

James—I don't know for certain, but I suspect it was because she wasn't hopelessly in love with me.

Sold Atlas Tack Company.
(By Associated Press.)

Boston, Feb. 7.—The property of the Atlas Tack company has been sold at auction here, a committee of bondholders bidding \$75,000 and to them it was knocked down. The sale included the factories, real estate, equipment and other property in Taunton, Fair Haven, Plymouth, Duxbury and other places, the original value of which is said to have been \$100,000.

Becomes a Fixture.
(By Associated Press.)

New York, Feb. 7.—The British ship Scindia which went ashore at Ocean City, N. J., some weeks ago and which it had been impossible to float will become a museum. It will be a fixture on the beach to which it will be connected with a pier.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Helena, Montana, December 30, 1901.

N. P. R. Co., vs. Mineral Classification of 1/2 section 35, township 4 north, range 11 west.

During the month of April, 1901, Mineral Land Commissioner W. H. Williams, appointed under the act of February 6, 1895, as amended by the act of June 6, 1900, to examine and classify certain mineral lands in the states of Montana and Idaho, classified with other lands, the 1/2 of section 35, township 4 north, range 11 west, as mineral.

On December 30, 1901, the N. P. R. Co. filed its duly verified protest against said classification in which it is alleged, that each and every part of said tract are essentially non-mineral in character and more valuable for non-mineral purposes than for mining.

A hearing is therefore hereby ordered and all parties in interest are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation before John H. Eardley, a United States Commissioner, at his office at Anaconda, Montana, at 10 o'clock a. m., on February 6, 1902, and that final hearing be held before the Register and Receiver of the United States Land Office at Helena, Montana, at 10 o'clock a. m., on February 13, 1902.

GEORGE D. GREENE, Register.

MINING APPLICATION NO. 4433.

United States Land Office, Helena, Montana, January 19, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that John F. McEvoy, Robert McDowell, Marion E. Keast, William Kidney and Andrew L. Slater, whose postoffice address is Butte, Montana, have this day filed their application for a patent for 349.5 linear feet, being 217 feet easterly and 132.5 westerly from discovery shaft on the Idlewild lode mining claim, upon which a notice of intention to apply for a patent was posted on the 16th day of January, 1902, situated in Summit Valley (unorganized) mining district, Silver Bow county, state of Montana, designated as Survey No. 6508, township 3 north, range 7 west, being more fully described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner, which is Corner No. 1 of Survey No. 1577, a granite stone 8x6x6 inches above ground, witnessed by bearing rocks and marked 1-6508, for Corner No. 1, from which the quarter section corner between sections 7 and 8, township 3 north, range 7 west bears north 19 degrees 48 minutes west 272 feet, and running thence south 87 degrees 08 minutes west 65 feet; thence south 86 degrees 39 minutes west 286 feet; thence south 4 degrees 35 minutes west 14 feet; thence south 69 degrees 22 minutes east 263 feet; thence north 4 degrees 36 minutes east 163 feet to the place of beginning, containing an area of 71 acres, from which 66 acres is in conflict with Survey No. 953, is excluded and not claimed by applicant, and area claimed, 0.65 acres, of which 30 acres are in conflict with Survey No. 1260, lot No. 178 A. The location of this claim is recorded in Book "K" on page 12, records of Silver Bow county, Montana.

Adjoining on the north is Survey No. 825, Adelaide lode, lot No. 88 and Survey No. 836, Mat lode, lot No. 89, Joel W. Ransom et al. applicants for both; and on the east Survey No. 1577, Chico lode, lot No. 225, Alfred Wartenweller et al. applicants; and conflicting on the south is Survey No. 953, Right Bower lode, lot No. 165, Joel W. Ransom et al. applicants; and on the east Survey No. 1260, lot No. 178 A, placer, James A. Murray applicant.

GEORGE D. GREENE, Register.

M. I. BAKER, United States Claim Agent.
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Mining Application No. 4434, United States Land Office, Helena, Montana, December 7, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that Johann Denault, whose postoffice address is Butte, Montana, has this day filed her application for a patent for 1553 linear feet, including 900 feet easterly and 600 feet westerly from discovery shaft of the Johanna Lode Mining Claim, upon which a notice of the intention to apply for patent was posted on the 3d day of December, 1901, situated in Fourth of July, unorganized, Mining District, Jefferson county, Montana, designated as Survey No. 6347, Township 3 north, Range 7 west, being more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at northwest Loc. corner, a stone 2x8x8 inches, 20 inches deep with mound of earth alongside, and marked 1-6347 for corner No. 1, from which initial point No. 1 in fractional Township 3 north, Range 7 west, bears north 6 degrees 30 minutes east 300 feet; thence south 12 degrees 45 minutes west 753 feet; thence south 45 degrees 59 minutes west, 1188 feet; thence north 59 degrees 06 minutes west 268 feet; thence north 12 degrees 45 minutes east 463.5 feet, to corner No. 1, the place of beginning, containing an area of 19.32 acres claimed.

The location of this claim is recorded in Book "21" on page 222, records of Jefferson County, Montana.

Adjoining claims on the southwest the Maryland Lode, unsurveyed, Judson Wood et al. claimants, on the east the Contra Costa Lode, on the west the Elmer Remie Lode, on the northwest the Theimer Depaul Lode, and adjacent on the north the Mont D'Or Lode, the last four lodes unsurveyed and claimed by Fred L. Depaul et al.

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M. I. BAKER, United States Claim Agent.
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