Steers-Thoma Team Assumes Bowling Lead

One American Record Smashed in Big Pin Congress at Cincinnati

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Feb. 26.—One American Bowling Congress record was smashed, while new leaders in the two men and all events appeared at the American Bowling Congress here to-day.

Harry Steers and Fred Thoma, of the Rubini team, of Chicago, assumed first place in the doubles with a score of 1336, just ten pins behind the American Bowling Congress record, held by Satorius and Holzschuh, of Peoria, while Steers went into the lead in the all events with 1959, fourteen pins ahead of the former American Bowling Congress record, made by H. Miller, of Detroit, at Grand Rapids, last year.

Numerous other changes among leaders took place, however. Steers bowled his way into second place in the individual with 675, and was closely pursued on the following shift by B. Stein Miller, of Syracuse, who went into fourth place with 655. A. Maryson, of Astabula, Ohio, earlier in the day had bowled 640 in his individual, and landed in ninth place when the day's individual bowling was concluded.

In the two men event M. McDowell and C. Thies, of Cleveland, took the lead this morning with 1247, only to be replaced in the afternoon by Steers and Thoma.

Good bowling marked the later shift in the doubles as W. Carey and C. O. Collier, also of the Rubinis, of Chicago, rolled into fifth place with 1224; J. Shaw and H. Marino, of Chicago, went into sixth place with 1222; and F. Scoville and B. Miller, of Syracuse, assumed seventh place with 1217. G. Daschen and J. Miller, of St. Paul, who bowled 1202 this morning, finished the day in tenth place.

Close Scores Mark Play On Belleair's Golf Links

BELLEAIR, Fla., Feb. 26.—Several close scores marked the play in the first round here to-day of the women's championship gold tournament. Results in the championship flight follows:

Mrs. C. E. Schell, Cincinnati, defeated Miss Harriette Shepard, Hartford, 3 and 1; Miss Helen Morrison, Pittsburgh, defeated Mrs. C. Neff, Cleveland, 7 and 5; Mrs. F. G. Jones, Memphis, defeated Mrs. Channing Welles, Southbridge, Mass., 4 and 3; Miss G. K. Morrow, Great Neck, won by default from Miss E. Alford, Clearwater; Mrs. K. C. Allen, Winnipeg, won by default from Mrs. S. Ford, New York; Mrs. C. G. Alexander, Chicago, defeated Mrs. C. F Bicknell, Indianapolis, by 2 up; Mrs. O. F. Woodward, New York, defeated Miss Florence Bradley, Chicago, 3 and 1.

Hopkins Wins Golf Medal

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 26.—L. J. Hopkins, of Chicago, won the gold medal to-day in the second day's play of the qualifying rounds in the annual golf tournament here. Hopkins's card for thirty-six holes totalled 169.

Havana Results

First race (three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $400; six furlongs)—Hattie Burton, 104½ (Hileman), 15 to 1, 6 to 1, 3 to 1, first; Cash Up, 110 (Howard), 4 to 1, 2 to 1, 2 to 5, second; Baby Cole, 112 (Groth), 20 to 1, 8 to 5, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 1-5. Dora Collins, Water Witch, Purple and Gold, Quick Start, Mary Valla, Miss Dare, Dr. Leaf, Andrew O'Day, Donner, Unity, Page White and Sandel also ran.

Second race (three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $400; six furlongs)—Ralph, 112 (Groth), 4 to 1, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, first; Col. Matt, 112 (Howard), 4 to 1, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, second; Lahera, 111 (Fitzs), 5 to 1, 5 to 2, 1 to 2, even, third. Time, 1:13 2-5. Bit of Barney, Curtis, Margaret E. Betterton, Jackie and Wodan also ran.

Third race (three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $400; six furlongs)—Bherman, 104 (Collins), 7 to 5, 3 to 5, 1 to 3, first. Algardi, 112 (Hileman), 6 to 1, 3 to 2, 6 to 5, second; Du Flocq, 104 (Fitzs), 3 to 1, 3 to 2, 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:14 4-5. Shoddy, Fielder II, Nowadays, Tuftet, Sallie O'Day, Regular and Delour also ran.

Fourth race (three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $500; six furlongs)—Beverly, James, 112 (Collins), 15 to 1, 5 to 1, 1 to 3, first. Fickle Fancy, 89, (Hallman), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, 2 to 5, second. Janet, 112 (Howard), 8 to 5, 7 to 10, 1 to 5, third. Time, 1:14 3-5. Idle Grey, Dignity, Rescue Goose, Milestone and James Oakley also ran.

Fifth race (three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $400; five and a half furlongs)—Primero, 110 (Crump), 8 to 5, 7 to 10, 1 to 3, first. Dolly, 114 (Groth), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, second. Blanchita, 109 (Howard), 8 to 1, 2 to 1, 2 to 5, third. Time, 1:07. Victrola, Lantana, Lazzi, Lady Sweetbirdie and Beltz also ran.

Sixth race (three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $400; one mile and a sixteenth)—Col. Marchmont, 112 (Howard), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, first. Highland Lassie, 104 (Crump), 8 to 5, 7 to 10, 1 to 5, second. Functionaire, 115 (Collins), 5 to 1, 6 to 5, 2 to 5, third. Time, 1:46. Topo Saith, Protection, Prince Philathorpe, Lohengrin and Boy also ran.

Havana Entries

First race (claiming; for three-year-olds; purse, $400; six furlongs)—Pepper, 107, Confiscation, 107, Nareli, 107; Lady Moore, 107; Babbling Brook, 107; Laburnum III, 109; Rajazet, 109; Landator, 109; *Marco Polo, 109; Little Menard, 109; Job Thayer, 112; Kate, 112; Lola, 112; Queen Trovato, 112; King Trovato, 112.

Second race (claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; purse, $400; five and a half furlongs)—Frank Keogh, 102; Elizabeth McNaughton, 108; Elizabeth Thompson, 108; Orinal Gold, 108; Spot Berrinckhum, 108; Galala, 108; Tarves, 110; Jack LaFan, 110; Miss Felicity, 112; Manfred, 114; Captain Ben, 114; Jim Ray, 114; Bill Wise, 114.

Third race (for three-year-olds and upward; purse $400; five and a half furlongs)—Bandymo, 97, Peachie, 108; Highway, 108; Wat, 110; Sal Vantre, 112; Clumsy Kate, 112; Cardome, 112; Wassail, 112; Moller, 114; Joe Finn, 114; Morristown, 114; Two Royals, 114.

Fourth race (Elimination Purse; special weights; for three-year-olds and upward; purse, $400; five furlongs)—Mr. Dooley, 97; Little Wonder, 106; Woodthorn, 108; Ayers, 108; Alan, 108; Cashup, 108; Tom Manson, 108; Vasta R., 110; Sarfinnace, 112; San Juan, 112; Montcalm, 112; Massenet, 112; Salon, 112; Skeeta, 112; Gorgoon, 112.

Fifth race (claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; purse, $400; six furlongs)—Kildare Boy, 99; *Cuddle Up, 100; Radiant Flower, 107; Honeycut, 108; Lola, 108; Conan, 110; Circulate, 110; Norvic, 110; Cupidon, 110.

Sixth race (claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; purse, $500; one mile and fifty yards)—*Mother Machree, 97; Nashville, 103; Black Frost, 105; Wormah, 103; Paul Gaines, 105; White Crown, 105; Miss Fannie, 106; Bill Simmons, 111.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather clear; track fast.

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Bride Was Insane; Marriage Annulled

Samuel Markewich, Swann's First Assistant, Gets Decree From Supreme Court

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Feb. 26.—Supreme Court Justice J. Addison Young, of New Rochelle, to-day granted a decree annulling the marriage of Samuel Markewich, first assistant to District Attorney Swann of Manhattan, to Sadie B. Markewich, upon the ground that when the ceremony was performed the bride was insane. Mrs. Markewich is confined in the Central Islip Hospital for the Insane on Long Island, to which institution she was removed after having been in the Manhattan State Hospital and in the Rivercrest Sanitarium.

Among those who testified were Dr. Marcus B. Heyman, of the Manhattan State Hospital for the Insane, on Ward's Island, and Dr. H. G. Gibson, of the Islip Hospital. One of the insanity experts swore that Mrs. Markewich had been insane from birth.

After his marriage, on December 20, 1904, Mr. Markewich swore that his wife became excitable; that she imagined her neighbors were constantly talking about her and that she also became very jealous of him. The couple have two children, aged 8 and 11 years.

Servant Burned to Death

Gasolene Explosion in Townley House Envelops Woman

ELIZABETH, N. J., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Anna W. Reguin, a widow, employed as a domestic in the home of J. Mortimer Townley, a New York broker, was burned to death to-day as the result of the explosion of a can of gasolene which she was using to clean a woollen sweater. The gasolene fumes enveloped the woman and set her clothes on fire.

Her cries for help brought Mrs. Townley, but before the door could be opened the woman had succumbed. Mrs. Townley was badly burned in trying to save the woman. Officials of the Fire Department said the flames probably resulted from friction in rubbing the woollen garment.

Has Eloping Son Arrested

CALDWELL, N. J., Feb. 26.—Louis G. Kern is a prisoner in the Essex County jail. Mrs. Elizabeth Kern, his mother, told Recorder Elliot to-day that Louis had stolen a motorcycle belonging to her and had ridden away to Singac, where he married Miss Margaret Wood. She also declared her son had taken $1,000 of her money. Young Kern admitted taking the motorcycle, which, he said, his mother had given him four years ago. He denied taking the money.

The recorder urged Mrs. Kern not to press her charges against her son, but she insisted upon him being locked up.

Lieut. J. J. Donovan Made Head of Detective Bureau

Lieutenant Joseph J. Donovan, who was assistant to Captain William Deevy, head of the 1st Branch Detective Bureau at Headquarters, was made acting captain yesterday by Commissioner Enright and assigned to the post left vacant by Captain Deevy's retirement.

Donovan became a policeman in 1900, and has been commended for bravery three times. He lives at 397 First Street, Brooklyn.

House Committee Dooms $50,000,000 Farm Seed Bill

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Efforts to have Congress appropriate $50,000,000 to finance farmers in the purchase of seed virtually failed to-day, when the House Agricultural Committee voted by a majority of one not to report the bill to the House.

It was introduced by Representative Baer, of North Dakota.

$100,000 Offer for Willard-Fulton Bout

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26.—The Louisiana Auditorium Athletic Club, before which Fred Fulton, of Rochester, Minn., last night knocked out Frank Moran, of Pittsburgh, to-night telegraphed Jess Willard, heavyweight pugilist champion, at Jacksonville, Fla., an offer of a purse of $100,000 for a fight between Willard and Fulton. It was stipulated that the fight must be for twenty rounds. The purse would be divided in any way agreeable to the principals.

Fulton announced to-night that he was "ready and waiting" to meet the champion.

Moore Defeats Champion

August Kieckhefer, the new world champion at three-cushion billiards, struck a snag last night when he tackled George Moore, a former champion, in an Interstate Three-Cushion Billiard League match game at Thum's Academy. Moore averaged over one, finishing his string of 50 points in forty-eight innings, whereas the champion only managed to gather 25 points in forty-seven innings.

Lewis to Fight Britton

ATLANTA, Feb. 26.—Ted Lewis, welterweight champion, and Jack Britton, former titleholder, have signed articles for ten rounds here Wednesday, March 6.

Indians Buy Pitcher

CLEVELAND, Feb. 26.—The Cleveland American League baseball team to-day announced the purchase from the Newark International League club of Roy Wilkinson, a right-hand pitcher, and Gustave Getz, an infielder.

News in Brief

Miss Helen Hoffman, of 270 Scholes Street, Brooklyn, inadvertently stopped a duel in that street by interrupting a bullet. When the duellists saw her fall they fled. She was taken to St. Catherine's Hospital.

Mrs. John Reilly locked her three small children in her home at 139 Broadway, Flushing, and went to market. The house caught fire, and Patrolman Robert Gerwig saved the children.

"If my son is inclined to enlist when he gets back home I will have no objection," said Roderick Huddleston, of Flushing, on being informed that runaway Roland, sixteen years old, had turned up in Pittsburgh with the paternal automobile.

Patrolman Peter Tighe, of Traffic Squad C, stopped a team of Salvation Army horses at Fifty-third Street and Tenth Avenue by leaping to the back of one of the runaways from the running board of an automobile.

James McCarthy, of 441 West 124th Street, was killed by a mail truck at 124th Street and St. Nicholas Avenue. Reuben Cohen, of 1534 Webster Avenue, The Bronx, driver of the vehicle, is under arrest on a charge of homicide.

The Most Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, Lord Archbishop of York, will preach in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine at 11 o'clock Sunday morning.

Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the President, will give at Fort Totten to-night the first of a series of concerts arranged by the National War Work Council of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Senator Wants Investigation of Insurance Rates

Downing Asks Legislature to Act on Complaints Sent Him

Advanced 10 Per Cent

Bill for State Purchase Commission; Would Bar Ene my Alien Teachers

[*Staff Correspondence*]

ALBANY, Feb. 26.—A movement to investigate the 10 per cent increase in the fire insurance rates was started to-day by Senator Bernard Downing, of New York, who moved a resolution which provides for a joint legislative committee consisting of three Senators and two Assemblymen. The measure carries with it an appropriation of $5,000 for expenses.

Senator Downing said that real estate bodies and numerous civic associations had written to him complaining of the increase in rates as uncalled for and unjust. The increase was authorized by Jesse Phillips, State Superintendent of Insurance.

The committee, if the resolution is adopted, will inquire into the entire question and report back to the Legislature whether there was any reason for increase.

Against Alien Teachers

In the Assembly William C. Amos, of New York, introduced a bill preventing the employment of enemy alien teachers in the public schools of the state, or in any institution supported wholly or in part with public moneys. The measure also forbids the employment of any teachers but American citizens.

In the Senate, Senator George Slater's bill providing for the establishment of a board of censors headed by the State Commissioner of Education, to eliminate all German propaganda from the textbooks used in the public schools, was advanced to the order of third reading. It will be voted on within a week, and its passage is predicted by itse mover. It will then be transmitted to the Assembly.

For Purchase Commission

A bill designed eventually to establish a state purchasing commission was introduced in the Legislature to-day by Chairman Machold of the Assembly Ways and Means Committee. The bill, which embodies recommendations made by a special commission to the Legislature recently, would create a central supply committee for the state consisting of the Controller, Education Commissioner, Superintendent of Public Works, secretary of the Trustees of Public Buildings, chairman of the State Hospital Commission, Fiscel Supervisor of State Charities and the State Superintendent of Prisons.

The establishment of a State Bureau of Health Insurance is the purpose of a bill introduced in the Legislature today by Senator Nicoll, of New York. This proposed bureau would be under the jurisdiction of the labor department.

Scotch Boy Hunted Here

He Is Needed at Home; Brother and Sister Killed in Battle

Archie McDonald, fourteen years old, is needed back home in Scotland. His mother has asked the New York police to find him and tell him that his brother and sister were killed in action, the former in the trenches and the latter driving a motor truck.

A postcard to his mother in Glasgow told her that Archie was realizing a life's ambition and seeing New York. His cousin, Andrew McDonald, who lives at the Bowery Y. M. C. A., has not seen him.

Special Patrolman Killed

Patrick J. Moore, a special patrolman of the bridge squad, started for his first tour of duty at the New York Central Railroad bridge yesterday morning and was killed by the Empire State Express in the Marble Hill cut as he reached for his campaign hat, which the wind had blown off. He lived at 134 Lawrence Street and was well up on the eligible list for appointment to the force. Until yesterday he had been assigned to the High Bridge station.

The Weather Report

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The intense cyclone of the last twenty-four hours has reached the mouth of the St. Lawrence, with a central pressure of 28.82 inches. Fresh to strong northwest gales have been experienced in the last twenty-four hours in the middle Atlantic and New England states and the lower lake region. A second depression is centred over Eastern Colorado. As yet it is without precipitation of consequence, but is attended by warmer weather, especially over Texas and the Southwest.

The precipitation of the last twenty-four hours has been confined to New England, the middle Atlantic states and the Northern Pacific Coast states.

The temperature has fallen from 20 to 30 degrees over a wide area, extending from the St. Lawrence Valley southwestward to Texas and the east Gulf states. In this region, however, the temperature on Tuesday evening was less than five degrees below the seasonal average. Over the plains states and the upper Mississippi Valley there has been a considerable rise in temperature.

Fair weather with slight temperature changes is indicated for the Washington forecast district during the next forty-eight hours, except that local rains and higher temperatures are probable Thursday in the Eastern Gulf states, Tennessee and the lower Ohio Valley. The temperature will rise on Wednesday in the upper Ohio Valley and the lake region and probably in Atlantic coast districts on Thursday night or Friday.

Forecasts for Special Localities.—For Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey, fair Wednesday and Thursday, not much change in temperature.

For Western New York, generally fair and somewhat warmer Wednesday; Thursday fair.

Local Official Record.—The following official record from the Weather Bureau shows temperatures during the last twenty-four hours, in comparison with the corresponding date of last year:

	1918.	1917.		1918.	1917.
3 a. m.	48	33	3 p. m.	36	47
6 a. m.	51	36	6 p. m.	35	50
9 a. m.	36	39	9 p. m.	34	52
12 m.	36	40	11 p. m.	—	51

Highest temperature yesterday, 51 degrees (at 5:55 a. m.); lowest, 23 (at 10 p. m.); average, 42; average same date last year, 42; average same date for thirty-three years, 32.

Humidity

8 a. m. 52	1 p. m. 39	8 p. m. 38	

Barometer Readings

8 a. m. 29.19	1 p. m. 29.40	8 p. m. 29.79

Local Official Forecast.—Fair to-day and tomorrow, not much change in temperature; moderate west winds.

Fire Record

P. M.
1:00—1294 Washington ave., The Bronx; Herman Sinagen; $1,000.
1:30—47 Madison st.; Bernard Saser; trifling.
2:30—8 Centre Market Place; Salvatore Estanellia; trifling.
3:45—208th st. and Harlem River; houseboat; Edward Botsford; trifling.
3:50—127 Ludlow st.; Joseph E. Idala; trifling.
4:00—238 East 2d st.; Samuel Schear; trifling.
4:50—346 East 4th st.; Samuel Wengier; trifling.
6:00—249 Eldridge st.; Mary Erschelesky; trifling.
6:30—68 Ave. A; Jacob Kolis; trifling.
7:40—1593 Third ave.; Michael Comora; trifling.

4½ Per Cent on Next Loan, Says Meeker

Representative Tells House He Knows Figure; No Confirmation

[*Staff Correspondence*]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—"The next Liberty Loan will bear 4½ per cent interest. I have that information direct," declared Representative Jacob E. Meeker, of Missouri, to-day on the floor of the House.

Much interest was created by the statement of Mr. Meeker, who evidenced to-night considerable surprise that so much attention had been drawn to his remark. When it was pointed out to him that Secretary McAdoo and other Treasury officials have been silent on the subject Mr. Meeker said that he thought it was generally understood in financial circles that the next loan would bear the 4½ per cent rate.

Representative Meeker declined to identify his informant. He declared, however, that this should not be taken as evidence that he was not certain of his facts.

At the Treasury it was stated tonight that Secretary McAdoo had issued no statement and declined to comment on Mr. Meeker's remarks. Treasury officials stated, however, that Mr. Meeker probably had deduced his opinion from the fact that Treasury certificates of indebtedness were issued a week ago bearing the 4½ per cent rate and from that had concluded that the next Liberty Loan would bear the same rate of interest.

It was admitted by the Treasury officials that this was a fair deduction, but they would not confirm it.

Mother of Twins Suicide

Publisher's Wife Kills Self in Absence of Nurse

The twins, Cora and Pearl, sixteen months old, were asleep yesterday morning when Mrs. Evelyn S. Hudson, of 184 Claremont Avenue, told Margaret Medlar, the nurse, to take her other daughter, Margaret, four years old, for a walk.

On her return the nurse knew that the twins still must be asleep, for there was utter silence in the apartment. They were, but in the room next to theirs their mother lay dead, shot through the heart and still clutching a revolver.

Her husband, E. J. Hudson, a publisher, said that for more than a year his wife's mind had been affected. She had returned only a month ago, he said, from the Northern State Hospital, in Illinois. Where she had obtained the revolver neither he nor the nurse could imagine.

Mexico Acts to Retain Laborers

Issues Order Forbidding Them to Enter the United States

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 26.—The governments of all states have been instructed by the Department of the Interior not to permit, in any circumstances, the department of Mexican laborers for the United States. The reason given is that the laborers are needed in Mexico.

A wireless despatch was received today from Coahuilla, stating that not a single rebel remains in that state. The despatch added that Generals Luis Gutierrez and Francisco Coss have been forced to return to the United States after the failure of their rebellion against the state government, which was begun last December.

Bonus Decision Reserved

Justice Lehman to Determine Validity of Payments to Traction Officials

Justice Lehman reserved decision yesterday in an action brought by the City of New York to determine the validity of the payment of $210,000 in bonuses by the Interborough Rapid Transit Company to some of its officials. The testimony taken by the Thompson Senatorial investigating committee showed that Theodore P. Shonts, president of the Interborough, received $150,000.

The city has asserted an interest in the bonus money paid and seeks a redistribution, so that the city receives its proper credit for moneys paid out on the dual subway contracts. It is alleged that the bonuses were unlawfully paid.

John B. Stanchfield, who appeared as counsel for the Interborough company, stated that the action was the aftermath of the investigation of the Thompson committee, and that the proceeding should never have been brought, as the men who received the money now sued for earned it by four years of hard work.

Justice Lehman also reserved decision in a similar action brought by the city against the New York Municipal Railway Corporation to recover $1,990,000, the amount paid to this defendant on notes issued by the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company.

Army Trucks Reach Albany

ALBANY, Feb. 26.—The United States Army train of sixty motor trucks, which left Buffalo two weeks ago, reached Albany to-day. The forenoon's run from Amsterdam was uneventful. The train left in the early afternoon for Hudson.

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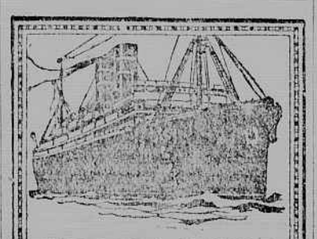

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ENGAGEMENTS

CALLMAN—SPIRO—Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Spiro, of 82 Deer Hill, Danbury, Conn., announce the engagement of their daughter, Rita, to Mr. Irving Callman, son of Mrs. Martha Callman, of 924 West End av., New York.

MARRIAGES

ADLER—LUSTIG—Mr. M. Lustig, of 601 West 151st st., formerly of Islip, N. Y., announces the marriage of his daughter, Rose, to Mr. Rudolph J. Adler, Sunday, February 24.

CARPENTER—BOWMAN—At Boonton, N. J., on February 22, 1918, Ethel Bowman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Bowman, to Mr. Lloyd Carpenter, of Washington, D. C.

FORD—YOUNG—Mrs. E. L. Young, of 306 West 93d st., announces the marriage of her daughter, Mary Jeannette, to Thomas Francis Ford, on February 19, at All Angels' Church.

HYDE—JOHNSTON — At the American Church, Avenue de l'Alma, Paris, France, Monday, February 25, Grace Leslie Johnston to Second Lieutenant Albert Musgrave Hyde, Field Artillery, U. S. R.

LANGER—CADY—At the home of her father, J. Cleveland Cady, on February 26, Lydia Cady to William Langer