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LATE SPORTING NEWS

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Mr. Young Re-Elected—Gate Receipts to Be Divided Equally.

It is claimed that Washington, Louisville, and what are known as the weaker clubs of the National Base Ball League were much opposed to the abolition of the 10 per cent assessment of the gate receipts whereby the losing clubs were aided by the money-makers, but were persuaded to give in. According to the best sources of information they, with the rest of the league, were made to acknowledge that the new American Association was assuming formidable aspects, and the weak clubs were compelled to cast their votes in the affirmative, because the strong eastern clubs had been within the last month put to extraordinary expense in heading off the new organization. This expense was incurred in leasing all available grounds, especially in New York and Philadelphia. The weak clubs realized that the strong ones had had an extra burden laid upon them, and they agreed to abolish the 10 per cent contribution for the sake of mutual protection. Whether this demand was made because the league really feared the new association matters not. It has, according to reports, thus recognized the new venture.

Mr. N. E. Young was elected president, secretary and treasurer. It was decided to divide the gate receipts equally. Harry Wright was re-elected chief of umpires. Manager Hanlon has evidently come to terms with the Baltimore management, for he refused Pittsburg's offer of $10,000 to manage that club, and Connie Mack was signed.

Hanlon, Robison and Hart were made the committee on rules.

Last season there was turned into the league fund $67,100, divided as follows: New York, $11,800; Baltimore, $8,900; Philadelphia, $8,500; Boston, $6,500; Pittsburg, $6,000; Brooklyn, $5,500; Chicago, $5,100; Cincinnati, $3,800; St. Louis, $3,400; Cleveland, $2,900; Washington, $2,800, and Louisville, $1,300. This fund was used for the legitimate purposes of the league, such as the paying of the salaries of the umpires and advertising. When all these debts were paid, the balance was divided pro rata among the clubs. This year the dividend amounted to something like $2,900. Thus the New York club received back $8,800 less than it paid into the fund, while Louisville received over $1,000 more.

Manager Schmelz of the Washingtons, undismayed by the failure of his last spring's predictions, made another prediction yesterday, which was that the Senators, with Nicholson at second, would win enough games next year to finish in the immediate vicinity of the eighth hole. This means that the Washingtons will beat out Chicago, St. Louis, Louisville and another club.

Bad for the Talent.

The bookies had sweet revenge at the St. Asaph track yesterday, but one favorite, Prince George, at prohibitive odds, reaching the wire first. It could not have well been worse for the talent, who went down with monotonous regularity, race after race, and when the day was over the gentlemen on the stands had about everything in sight. The greatest dump of the day was when Panway, at 15 and 20 to 1, jumped out in front of the odds on favorite, Flirt, and remained there to the wire. The other winners were: Nineveh, 4 to 1; Derfargilla, 3 to 1; Flush, 12 to 1; Prince George, 3 to 5, and Setauket, 5 to 1.

Two Favorites on the Island.

Two favorites, a second and third choice, and an outsider, made it about an even thing between the public and the bookmakers at the Alexander Island track yesterday. All the races were won rather easily, especially those of Cossack and Finnwater. The attendance was very large and the track in fine shape. The winners were: Detroit, 3 to 1; Mask, 7 to 1; Cossack, 1 to 2; Dare Devil, 3 to 1, and Finnwater, 7 to 5.

McMillan the Victor.

The prize fight between Billy McMillan of this city and Charley Campbell of Baltimore took place last night at Dan Henry's Theater in Alexander and resulted in a victory for the Washington man in the sixteenth round, when his opponent was knocked down and gave up the fight. There were about 300 sports in attendance. Hite Peckham was referee and Jake Kilrain of Baltimore assisted in the entertainment as one of McMillan's seconds. Campbell was the heavier man, but was in no condition for the fight. Neither man was much hurt.

Ives and Schaefer.

There was great cheering when Schaefer made 244 in his match game of billiards with Ives in Madison Square Garden Concert Hall, New York, last evening. Ives lost something of his lead, but is still far ahead. Tonight ends the match, which is for $5,000.

The summary is as follows:

Ives—1,800—6, 81, 0, 0, 17, 177, 49, 59, 118, 3, 22, 58, 0, 10—2,400.

Schaefer—1,082—28, 2, 6, 244, 16, 34, 149, 62, 45, 7, 104, 12, 2—1,793.

THE BOWLING LEAGUE.

Opening of the Playing Season Last Evening.

The District Amateur Bowling League opened its playing season last evening with games between the teams of the Young Men's Catholic Club and the Columbia Athletic Club and the Buena Vista Club and the Washington Athletic Club. The Columbia and Catholic Club teams played upon the alleys of the Young Men's Catholic Club, while the Buena Vistas and the Washington Athletic Club met on the alleys of the latter organization. Columbia won one game and lost two. The Washington Athletic Club took all three games from the Buena Vista Club. The players were:

Columbia Athletic Club—Mason, Stone, Perry, Ricker and Walker. Young Men's Catholic Club—Lansdale, B. Lehman, Trapp, O'Connor and R. Lehman.

Buena Vista Club—King, Myers, Stewart, Spiess and Collady. Washington Athletic Club—Kidd, Fuller, Martin, Polly and Story-Pyles.

The Columbia Athletic and the Carroll Institute teams will play the second set of the series this evening at the Carroll Institute.

Chess Masters' Tournament.

The chess masters' tournament was finished yesterday in New York, when Steinitz took first prize, Albin was placed second and Showalter and Hymes divided third and fourth prizes. Following is the full score of games:

	Won.	Lost.
W. Steinitz	8 1-2	1 1-2
A. Albin	6 1-2	3 1-2
N. Hymes	6	4
J. W. Showalter	6	4
Eugene Delmar	5	5
H. N. Pillsbury	5	5
J. Halpern	4	6
J. M. Hanham	4	6
R. D. Rocamora	4	6
D. G. Baird	3	7
N. Jasnogrodsky	3	7

Joe Patchen Breaks a Record.

Joe Patchen, driven by Jack Curry over a half-mile track at San Antonio, Tex., yesterday, broke the world's pacing record. He went the half in 1:03, the three-quarters in 1:36 1-2 and the mile in 2:03 flat.

Corbett Training Hard.

James J. Corbett announces that Steve O'Donnell is preparing to issue a challenge for a match with any man in the world for $5,000 a side, Peter Maher or Jim Hall preferred. The match is to take place the same week Corbett fights Fitzsimmons. Brady arrives in Chicago Sunday to meet Corbett and arrange O'Donnell's match. Corbett says O'Donnell and McVey are training him daily for the fight with Fitzsimmons. Corbett ran twenty miles yesterday and is in excellent condition. O'Donnell, who was formerly with Fitzsimmons in Australia, is teaching Corbett how to avoid Fitzsimmons' knock-out blow and tries nightly to get in this blow on Corbett.

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THE WARDEN AT FAULT

Judge Cox Says He Had No Right to Retake a Prisoner.

Walter Roda Was Sent to Jail, Released, Captured Again, and Now at Liberty.

On the 11th of last month Walter Roda, a British subject, was committed to jail by the Police Court, to await the action of the grand jury on a charge of grand larceny. On the 25th of that month the charge was nolle prossed and the prisoner's discharge directed. He was discharged by Warden Leonard the next day, the 26th. Some days later it was discovered by the jail officials that the day before, the 25th of October, Roda was sentenced by the Police Court on a charge of petty larceny to sixty days in jail. Thereupon efforts to recapture the wrongly liberated man were made, but not until the 9th of this month did Louis Pierce, a jail guard, succeed in taking him and landing him again in jail.

This morning Mr. Calderon Carlisle, counsel for the British embassy, filed before Judge Cox a petition for the man's discharge by writ of habeas corpus, in which these matters were set forth, and the release of the petitioner prayed on the ground that the man had been recaptured in violation of law and was wrongly deprived of his liberty. Judge Cox directed that the writ, returnable before him at 11 o'clock, be issued. Shortly after that hour Deputy Warden Russ, with the prisoner, and represented by Assistant District Attorney Armes, made a return to the writ by answering that the man was held in jail by virtue of a commitment of the Police Court, dated October 25, on a sentence of sixty days on a conviction of petty larceny. The release of the man was explained as an "inadvertence," and that he was subsequently retaken under and by virtue of the commitment by the Police Court of October 25, the day previous to his release.

Referring to the return, Mr. Carlisle remarked that it was a remarkable fact that the papers in it were not verified, and that the alleged order of release was merely a typewritten note, without seal. But, said Mr. Carlisle, as the man had been released on that piece of paper by the warden of the jail, the petitioner had no occasion to complain. It was a fact, admitted by the warden's return to the writ, said Mr. Carlisle, that the man had been released voluntarily by the warden, and that blunder the warden had sought to remedy by the unlawful recapture of the man. The whole affair, argued Mr. Carlisle, was so serious a matter, and the man's rearrest by a jail guard, without the semblance of a warrant therefor, such a flagrant violation of law that the prisoner might well have resisted to death. The liberty of not only the recaptured man, but of the whole people of the District had been jeopardized, said Mr. Carlisle, by such a high-handed proceeding, and the court could do nothing in the case but direct the discharge of the man, and thereby inform the warden of the jail that he could not cover his mistakes in any such way. The case, explained Mr. Carlisle, was so simple that he really did not see the necessity for argument.

In reply, Mr. Armes contended that while the warden had blundered in releasing the man, still, as he was, at the time he was so released, in jail under a sentence inflicted by the Police Court, the warden had the right to retake him. Mr. Armes read several authorities which, he contended, supported his position, and one of his remarks led Mr. Wm. G. Johnson, Mr. Carlisle's associate, to inquire: "Who would take care of the jail, Mr. Armes, if the warden and his men had the right to go about retaking renegade prisoners?"

Mr. Armes said he could not say, and then Judge Cox, without waiting to hear Mr. Carlisle again, discharged the prisoner, remarking that it was clearly a case of involuntary escape. The warden, said Judge Cox, had no authority whatever to retake the man in the manner described.

Mr. Armes stated that he would note an appeal, and asked Judge Cox to retain the man in custody, pending the determination of the appeal. Notwithstanding Judge Cox's intimation that he would not hold the man, Mr. Armes continued to urge it, when Mr. Carlisle remarked: "Your honor, while I have no objection to Mr. Armes talking, you have discharged the petitioner, and he is at liberty to go."

Judge Cox nodded an assent, whereupon Mr. Carlisle turned to Roda and said: "You are discharged. You may go, sir."

Roda needed no second intimation, and, picking up his hat, he left the court room with not a little haste, much to the amusement of the throng.

Judge Cox, as Mr. Armes gazed longingly at the retreating form, dismissed the matter by peremptorily refusing to longer hold the man.

Adoption Among Birds.

From the London Daily News.

Modern scientific research undoubtedly tends to place the ethics of bird life on a higher and higher level. Even the cuckoo, against whom so much has been written, is now acknowledged to have been maligned when it was universally affirmed by ornithologists that it displays in its tenderest stage of development the odious faculty of ejecting its lawful occupants from the stolen nest, in which it has been placed. The bishop of Newcastle has now made himself responsible for a touching little anecdote. Not long ago, says Dr. Wilberforce, there was a Frenchman who had a large family, and who was haunted by the idea that when he died there would be no one to look after his children. While thinking of this one spring day, he noticed two nests in a hedge close by each other. Each contained half-fledged birds, whose parents were lying dead. He went away sad, thinking that the young birds must die. What was his surprise, however, a few days after to see them quite happy and apparently well fed. He stood apart and watched, and presently he saw the parent birds of other nests come to the young birds and feed them. They had adopted the little orphans, a fact which the Frenchman naturally took as a good omen with regard to his own little ones.

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Preparations are said to be under way in Colorado to form a national silver party.

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LATE ELECTRICAL PROBLEMS.

Edison and the Problem of Converting Coal Directly Into Electricity.

Interview with Edison, Philadelphia Press.

"What will be the next great discovery in electricity?" he was asked.

"Well, that," he replied, "would be a little difficult to reply to. There are so many lines and so many of us pursuing our investigations on these lines that it leaves a wide field to choose from. The fellow who solves his particular problem first can answer it, but not until the problem is solved. There are more possibilities in some lines than in others. The experimenters who are striving after high speed on railroads will, if they succeed in their object, become real epoch makers. The desire to cover distance at a remarkable speed and 'get there in no time' is strong, but I think the general public looks upon it in a wrong light. There is practically no limit to the speed that can be attained on a railroad. It is wrong to assume that there is. The only limit there could be would be the point at which the engine and cars would break up or fly to pieces. Viewing it from the commercial standpoint it will depend on various external influences. But I think that great speed will finally be attained and it will be when we are able to obtain electricity direct from coal.

Greatest Problem of All.

"The discovery of a way of converting coal directly into electricity will be the turning point of all our methods of propulsion. Naturally steam will be entirely superseded by the current. There will be no boilers nor any of the necessary externals which go with steam engines. We are rapidly approaching the time of the steam engine's end. The large Atlantic liners are slowly reducing their time on their trips, but that must soon stop. Then we shall have to wait until coal is turned directly into electricity. I believe it will come and then we will cross the Atlantic in four days or less. We can get 90 per cent of the efficiency of a dynamo against 6 to 10 per cent of an engine. The difference will be as great or greater in results under the looked for regime. We get fifteen thousand horse power, or thereabouts, from the liner's engine now. When we get 80,000 horse power, as we will, perhaps, we will be nearer what I look for.

"It is one thing to solve. Let some fellow follow out this line of research and get the right reaction and we shall have a wonderful revolution in many things. It will lead to treating metals by electrical reduction, and an enormous number of accomplishments. We now go to the melting point of nickel, for instance, but under the new regime we will get all reactions not now obtainable and go to the melting point of anything on earth."

A New Food.

The inventor was asked what he thought of the possibility of drawing a new food from the earth by electricity. He said he saw no reason why it should not be done.

"Only a few reactions are necessary," he replied. "I think that inorganic elements may be made to furnish sustenance. The carbo-hydrates, such as sugar and starch, would probably be the cheaper." Mr. Edison did not say, however, how it could be done. Perhaps he contemplates trying it. And when Mr. Edison contemplates doing anything he generally waits until he does it before he says anything about it.

He is not a believer in the lately heralded method of using high tension currents for producing light. This is the current of which Nikola Tesla is the strongest advocate. We must expect, so they say, a wonderful revolution in the lighting of our houses during the next decade. It will come from invisible sources and the rooms will be in a glow of light—an essentially modern condition. Mr. Edison does not think it practical from the fact that he does not believe people would use it.

The Rascalities of Respectability.

Paul Liecester Ford.

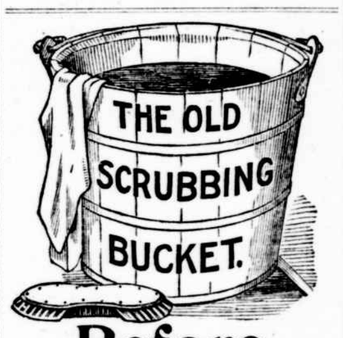
I crossed on one of the big Atlantic liners lately, with 500 other saloon passengers. They were naturally people of intelligence, and presumably of easy circumstances. Yet at least half of those people were planning to rob our government of money by contriving plans to avoid paying duties truly owed. To do this all of them had to break our laws, and in most cases had, in addition, to lie deliberately. Many of them were planning to accomplish this theft by the bribery of the custom house inspectors, thus not merely making themselves thieves, but bribing other men to do wrong.

In this city I can show you blocks so densely inhabited that they are an election district themselves. Blocks in which twenty people live and sleep in a single room year after year, where the birth of a little life into the world means that all must eat less and be less warm. * * * But I cannot find in the poorest and vilest parts of the city any block where the percentage of liars and thieves and bribe-givers is as large as was that among the first-class passengers of that floating palace. Each condition of society has its own misdoings, and, I believe, varies little in the percentage of wrongdoers to the whole.

Age and Sex in Disease.

From the Leisure Hour.

There are three periods in adult life when one seems more liable to go wrong than at other times. The one is at thirty-six years of age, when thin people tend to become fat and fat people thin; the next is between forty-five and fifty, when the appetite fails, nervous diseases appear, when one no longer likes to stoop much and begins to prefer riding to walking, and the next is at sixty-one, when the same phenomena appear more markedly. With regard to the sexual distribution of disease, one may say that ordinary kidney, lung and brain diseases, accidents of all sorts, scarlet fever and late consumption are most prevalent among males, and cancer, diphtheria, typhoid fever and early consumption among females. The most distressing cause of nerve breakdown among unmarried women is that sudden change of circumstances that ensues when a father dies, who, through carelessness or improvidence, has neglected to make adequate provision for his unmarried daughters.



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