

SHARKEY FIGHTING ON GRABBING COIN

Stingy Sailor Touting Himself as the Latest Hope of the White Race

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Down at Sheepshead Bay, which is one of the quietest places on earth with the big race track gates closed tight, a broad-shouldered, square-jawed man is banging away at a punching bag in a barn and taking long runs on the deserted thoroughfares, while the residents indulge in gossip. This very active, earnest person is known all over the civilized world as Thomas Sharkey, able seaman, who retired from the prize ring in 1903 after a sensational career, during which he put up a wonderful 25-round fight with James J. Jeffries.

To speak plainly, even though it may amuse the sporting fraternity, Sharkey is training for the sole purpose of getting into condition for a fight with Jack Johnson, the negro heavyweight champion of the world. Sharkey saw Johnson defeat Jeffries at Reno and immediately after the alleged fight he hit the trail for his home at the Bay, secretly confident that if able to regain his old form he could whip the black man and recover the championship for the white race. Sharkey did not waste any time in getting down to business. Always in pretty fair condition, he began training the terrific beating he received on that occasion took away much of his stamina, and a year later Fitzsimmons stopped him in two rounds with a few well-directed punches. Sharkey tackled Jack Munroe in a six-round bout in Philadelphia in 1903 and was soundly beaten. His poor showing in that affair convinced Sharkey that his fighting days were over, and he retired to attend to his private affairs.

But Sharkey has taken care of his health ever since, and the fighting bug has never ceased to buzz in his head. He is a game, determined fellow, and would rather fight than do anything else except counting money. Possessed of great strength, he still commands the respect of rough and tumble artists, and with a single word he can cow a gang leader as well as a plain, ordinary Johnson for many years, and has always despised him as a pugilist. He was dead sure that Jeffries would knock the big negro into a state of collapse in a few rounds, and when the boiler-maker was defeated Sharkey refused to believe that Jeff was himself.

"I can beat Johnson!" he told some of the sporting men at Reno, but they laughed at him. That is why he has been training in secret, for he never could stand ridicule. But to hear him tell it he will surprise the sporting world some of these days by coming out of retirement in superb condition, with a real challenge and a big fight, hoping that Johnson will recognize him. When some of the leading fighting men heard recently that Sharkey was training so hard they were convulsed. "Sharkey must be in his second childhood," they said. "Why, he wouldn't have a chance in the world with Johnson. He was all in seven

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Whittier and Teddy Bears, at Los Nietos.
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University Merchants and Artesia, at Artesia.
Long Beach and Oxnard, at Oxnard.
Hoopes and Andrus, at Delgeville.
South Hollywood and North Broadway, at South Hollywood.
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Pioneer and Olinde, at Olinde.
Brunswigs and City Dyes, at Twenty-fifth and Alameda.
Olinde and Burkes, at Olinde.
Fresno and Anaheim, at Anaheim.
Teath Streets and Boyles, at Sixth and Alexander.

years ago and like Jeffries he can't come back." Sharkey, however, has paid no attention to these comments. When asked to outline the plans for the other day he wasn't inclined to discuss them at length. "I am working down here all the time," he said, "and I feel fine. I am going to come back and I'll surprise a lot of people. When I am ready to fight you'll hear from me. Yes, I feel sure I can beat Johnson. He's over-rated and will not last long. The able seaman weighs about 195 pounds at present and looks to be in rugged health. He seems to have a remarkable capacity for hard work and is proceeding with his training according to original ideas. During the coming winter he may ask for a tryout at one of the local clubs, in which event skeptics will have a chance to see for themselves just what this husky veteran is like.

CHAMPION DANIELS TO CONTINUE HIS CAREER

Premier Paddler Denies He Is Out of Swimming Game for Good

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—C. M. Daniels of the New York Athletic club, champion sprinting swimmer of the world, has no intention of retiring from the competitive field, all reports to the contrary notwithstanding. Early last spring a rumor was current that he would abandon aquatic in the fall, and when he failed to appear in some of the national championship fixtures it was taken for granted that the rumor was warranted and that he had anticipated the time of his retirement. To contradict this comes a letter from Daniels himself to one of his teammates saying that he does not understand how the report originated, as he never intended to retire. "What he would stop racing," writes Daniels, "I signed early last summer my intention of taking part in the national championships, and would have done so had it been possible, but family matters arose to prevent it. What probably gave some ambitious reporter the nail to hang the news of my supposed retirement on was a statement made to several of my friends that business would in future prevent me attending all the meets, but that I hoped to take part in all the national championships unless important matters forbade it." This information direct from headquarters will be welcome to all followers of swimming, for Daniels is the one man in this country who can compete successfully against the best foreigners and who can be relied on to duplicate or improve on his best performances when it is required.

BILLIARDISTS TO RIVAL BASEBALL

Plan Winter Schedule and Regular League Series in Big Eastern Cities

SERIES BEGINS NOVEMBER 1
Brooklyn Will Be Represented with Twenty-five Leading Amateur Players

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Billiards are to cut quite a figure in winter sports hereafter. The idea is to have a national amateur billiard league, laid down along the lines of league baseball. Those who are at the back of the movement have formed a committee after the manner of which the nation's greatest game is carried on. A big league has already been formed, with magnates like those who run the affairs of the game, and the league is being organized with teams representing all the leading cities contesting for the championship pennant. Thus the billiard men are going to use the real solution for baseball, and they predict a great season.

Teams are to be formed representing Brooklyn, New York, Kansas City and Pittsburg, to play in a series of games throughout the season in a league known as the National Billiard League. Baseball fans who are interested in a side line have become interested in this novel scheme. A big schedule of games will be arranged for the season starts, bringing together the crack amateur billiardists of the country, representing the respective cities having teams in the league. The game will be played at home and abroad, the players making their trips just like the ball teams.

The magnates of the billiard league who have originated this scheme include Johnny Kling, who plays ball with the Chicago Nationals in the summertime and manages a pool and billiard parlor in Kansas City during the off season, besides a number of other owners of billiard rooms in the cities which are to be represented in the league. Brooklyn is to have one of the leading teams with twenty-five of the best amateur three-cushion billiard players, and New York is to have two teams.

ENGAGES BUTWELL TO RIDE IN MEXICAN TURF FEATURE

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Gov. Guilleron Landay Escandon of Mexico City has engaged, through an American agent, Jockey James Butwell to ride his \$50,000 Mexican derby to be run for the first time in October at the mile and a half race track just completed at Condesa. The governor can start two 3-year-olds, and Butwell, who will start for Mexico in one of the five races, says that one of them, Teacoc, is an American bred colt by Sempronio, the sire of Yankee Consul and Sempronio, has won four out of five races. Butwell rode the Keene and Wilson horses on the New York tracks during the recent season. He will receive \$2500 and expenses, win or lose, for accepting the derby engagement, it is said.

DECLARES L. A. COUNTY HAS PROSPEROUS YEAR

A. R. Meserve, Horticultural Commissioner, Submits Annual Report

With the declaration that the general conditions of Los Angeles county are satisfactory from the prosperity viewpoint, A. R. Meserve, horticultural commissioner, yesterday completed his annual report and submitted it to J. W. Jeffrey, state commissioner of horticulture. He declares that good prices and full demands for all kinds of productions prevail and says that in a few instances the yield has been below normal the increased returns, by better figures, have more than compensated for the expected loss.

The most serious problem confronting the inspectors, says Mr. Meserve, is the task of exterminating the Johnson grass. Whole fields are overrun with it and even the canyons in the mountains contain innumerable patches. If material can be discovered that will kill the roots, even six inches beneath the surface of the ground, and also can be used as a spray, it will relieve the persistent cutting of the young growth and thereby save both time and expense. The insect question remains about the same as it has for years. The red scale, the most difficult to check, now is receiving universal attention. The mealy bug has baffled nearly every effort at its eradication. Another difficulty the inspectors encounter is from people with a few trees who cannot understand any benefit to themselves or possible injury to others by scale or other insect pests.

FARRELL TO BUILD BIG NEW HOME FOR YANKEES

Ball Park May Be Finished in Time for Opening of the 1911 Season

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—President Frank Farrell of the New York Yankees is planning to have the Highlanders' new ball plant, at Broadway and Two Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Kingsbridge, ready for occupancy by the opening of the 1911 American league season. Farrell stated that if everything went right the club would move in on April 15, but if there was a hitch the grounds would not be ready until Memorial day.

According to the Yankees' executive, the contracts will be let sometime this week. The Yankees' lease on their present home soon expires, and as this is too small to accommodate great holiday and Saturday crowds, Farrell thinks it advisable to build a larger park. The plans for the new park call for a stupendous outlay. The grand stand will be a double-decker of concrete and steel of a seating capacity of 20,000. The open stands will accommodate 25,000 more. The polo grounds has a large playing field, but Farrell declares the Yankees will have a new feature on the field, and that is the sound of the gong the men dismount and scramble for seats. Three men left standing without chairs are out of the race. With three chairs removed, the second heat is run, and so on until there is but one man left, who is declared the winner.

NEW CODE FORMULATED TO MINIMIZE DANGERS

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—Speaking of the new football rules, Percy Haughton, the coach who systematized football at Harvard, believes that the underlying purpose was to minimize the danger of the game. He believes the changes enacted with that direct intent are a good thing. When the game started, and that all changes will lessen its perils. Coach Haughton sums up the alterations which he believes will lessen the chances of physical injury as follows: "The halves are subdivided into four periods of fifteen minutes each, so that the prolonged strain of thirty-five minutes of continuous play will now be removed and the total time of play is reduced ten minutes. "Players once withdrawn from the game may not be substituted, so that there is no longer the temptation to play a man to the limit of his endurance before he is removed. "Plying tactics have been prohibited, in the hope that the heavier shocks of tackling may be prevented. "The runner is prohibited from 'cutting back' or pulling back, so that any 'piling up' on the runner may be stopped. "The team on the offensive is prohibited from pushing or pulling the runner with the ball, a rule which should practically eliminate heavy mass plays. "Seven men of the team on the offense must remain on the line of scrimmage, so that only the backs may now be utilized to deliver a 'direct attack' on the defensive line. "Plying tactics are prohibited, so that a forward pass or outside kick is to be more adequately protected, so as to remove the danger of a severe shock to a man unprepared and off his balance. "Under legislation which is apt to inaugurate new football tactics the crimon coach cites several examples and concludes that the rule which permits a man removed from the game for any cause except disqualification or suspension to return at the beginning of any subsequent period will not give the coaches an excuse for keeping an exhausted man in play. He thinks that the rule which prohibits offensive players on the line of scrimmage will lessen the weight of attack. Also, the rule which permits a player who first receives the ball from the snapper back to cross the line of scrimmage at any point "will allow a quicker and more versatile attack" and prevent the defense from spreading out to defend their territory against forward passes and outside kicks." Haughton says that a more versatile form of attack must be devised since the adoption of a rule which forbids the offensive man from pushing or pulling the runner with the ball. This, in his opinion, should almost abolish line smashing methods of attacking the ball.

FITZSIMMONS, THESPIAN, EXPECTED HERE TODAY

Bob Fitzsimmons, one-time world's champion pugilist, now a thespian of bearded brow, will arrive this morning to fulfill an engagement at the Pantages theater. He is accompanied by his wife, who stars with him in "A Man's Man for a Day." Bob is thriving in the footlight glare and has learned to prefer it even to the arc light over the squared arena. It is possible that he may locate in the Angel city some or later and start the game again for the hungry fans.

PRINCETON 18, STEVENS 0

PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 1.—There was little of the new football in the Princeton-Stevens game here today, which was won by the former, 18 to 0. The forward pass was tried three or four times by each team, but succeeded only once. Pendleton, Hart and Dunlap scored Princeton three touchdowns. Dunlap making the third by falling on a blocked punt behind Stevens' goal.

PENNSY 29, GETTYSBURG 0

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 1.—Despite the absence of several of the best men on the team, Pennsylvania this afternoon overwhelmed the Gettysburg football eleven. The score was 29 to 0.

WINGED 'O' WHEELMEN PLAN EXCELLENT CARD

Ernie Pye and Duer Will Meet Again in Motor-Paced Match Race

A program of thirteen events will be the schedule at Fiesta park today when some of the leading wheelmen of the west will hold high carnival and endeavor to break some of the world's marks which have been standing for some time. The main attraction is the motor-paced match between Ernie Pye, the Australian middle-distance champion, and Ray Duer, the middle-distance boat champion of 1910. This is a return match. Two weeks ago Duer defeated Pye, the latter only winning one heat out of three, but he was handicapped by an unsteady pace. The Australian-novity race will be a new feature on the bicycle racing card. The race is to be ridden in the center of the field. Twelve chairs are set so as to form a circle, their backs facing the center. Fifteen riders circle the chairs on their bicycles. At the sounding of the gong the men dismount and scramble for seats. Three men left standing without chairs are out of the race. With three chairs removed, the second heat is run, and so on until there is but one man left, who is declared the winner.

ATTELL GIVEN CHANCE TO GATHER EASY CROWN

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 1.—Abbe Attell of California will meet Frankie White of Chicago in a ten-round no-decision bout before the Badger Athletic club on Friday night, October 7. The original match called for a meeting between Wolgast and White. An injury to Wolgast's right arm in a bout at Pond du Lac Thursday necessitated the signing of a substitute.

BISHOP LAUDS FOOTBALL

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Addressing a meeting of football referees, the bishop of Liverpool said the game conferred great benefits, physical and moral, on those who played it. It tends, he said, to strengthen the mind, body and character; it sends us back to our work better workmen, better citizens, and better men. His lordship deplored professionalism, and he wished that people would play the game more and watch it less.

MINNESOTA 17, DAKOTA 0

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 1.—Although Minnesota won today's game from South Dakota by a score of 17 to 0, South Dakota's defensive strength for the first half baffled the Minnesotans, who expected a somewhat easy victory. The South Dakota line held the Minnesota team with surprising firmness and McGovern was frequently forced to punt. The forward pass was attempted several times by both teams. It's as easy to secure a bargain in a used automobile, through want advertising, as it used to be—and still is—to secure a horse and carriage.

WOMEN'S GOLF CONTESTS SLATED FOR NEXT MONTH

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—Two competitions for the women's amateur golf championship of the United States, open to all amateur woman golfers belonging to clubs which are members of the United States Golf association, and to those foreigners visiting this country who may be invited by the executive committee of the association, will be played on the course of the Homewood Country club, Flossmoor, Ill., beginning on Monday, October 10, when the Robert Cox cup and four medals will be competed for under the rules of the United States Golf association. The winner of the competition shall be the champion amateur golfer for the year and the Robert Cox cup shall be held for that year by the club from which the winner shall have entered. The winner shall receive a gold medal, the runner-up a silver medal and the other semi-finalists bronze medals.

NO "BACK TO AFRICA" FOR THESE

Milton W. Lewis of the firm of Mitchell & Lewis (colored), who have offices in room 401, San Fernando building, reports that the month of September has been one of the most successful for this firm, which has been established over five years. "We have sold," said Mr. Lewis, "fourteen houses and eight vacant lots in prices from \$800 to \$5000, several of whom have paid half cash and others satisfactory payments, in various locations in the city. Our clients are among our own race, we have no difficulty in placing good buys and bargains with others. Our motto is NO MISREPRESENTATION, standing rightly by all, regardless of nationality. Consequently we are succeeding. "The 'Back-to-Africa' cry has been started by some narrow-minded, religious enthusiasts, as well as urged on by some would-be political leaders who have sought honors for which they were not prepared as well as asked for privileges they were not entitled to. Many of my race's clergy are not good leaders or directors in the commercial and industrial world. Their conception is clouded. The politician of the old school is behind these times. The young negro today who cannot brush away the few obstacles in the pathway of advancement and attain the place for which he is fitted, who has not purpose, preparation and patience, deserves to fail. Today more than at any time in the world's history will reward follow honesty, perseverance and usefulness. These virtues will pry open all doors in this country, to all men, regardless of race or creed. "Among the bankers that this city and all of Southern California will entertain in the next few days will be a negro, Mr. John J. Mitchell, Jr., of Richmond, Va. He has risen by his own exertion as a business associate with the leading and best men of America. He is a living example of what a worthy, useful member of our race can do. Our people in Los Angeles and in all California, here in this land of opportunity, are gradually getting what they deserve, and because of the better interpretation of the right as it is being taught through the press and the pulpit. The worthy in my race will be recognized more and more, not only here but all throughout this land of ours, which doubtless is the most of the free and the home of the brave. "No back to Africa to the awakened, thoughtful, industrious, economical men and women of our race."

DIDN'T LIKE TO SAY

"Now, professor, you have heard my daughter sing, tell me what I ought to do with her?" "Sir, if I told you what you ought to do with her the law would hold me as an accessory."—Houston Post.

How Many Souls Are Saved?

The question came up recently, How many souls are saved yearly? Statistics are not available at this writing, and while talking to a minister of the gospel recently the writer asked the minister, in his opinion, how many souls were saved in the last month in his city. The reverend could not recall the exact number in the last month, but thought it small. This conversation took place some two weeks ago between the writer and a prominent minister. The assertion was made by the writer that the Neal Institute saves fifty men per month through their grand work being done here. The reverend did not quite agree with the writer and claimed that saving a man physically and morally was not so important as saving his soul.

But how can the churches save a man's soul when body and mind are corrupted, when his body is full of poison from drinking liquor, when there is a little devil gnawing away his body and brain, when the whole world looks at him with contempt? Think what must pass through this man's mind as he stands alone with only one friend—WHISKEY? The world is too uncharitable to this sort of a man; this man needs your assistance. The least you can do for him is to send him to the Neal Institute, where he will be cleansed, physically and mentally. This will leave him in the condition that he can think of the more serious responsibilities. This is up to you, Good People. Will you slight your obligation?

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CLUNES TRIM BLUES

The Clune aggregation of ball tossers trimmed the Los Angeles Blues yesterday afternoon on the Echo park diamond by a score of 14 to 4. Batteries: Blues, Hammock and Slater; Clunes, Ferry and Finley.

Amputation Not Necessary

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