



Frank Gotch Is Still World's Best Wrestler

Defeats Dr. B. F. Roller, First With Half Nelson and Then Punishing Toe

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 15.—After an hour and 14 minutes of hard wrestling in which both men appeared to be doing their utmost Frank Gotch of Humboldt, Ia., tonight remains the champion wrestler of the world, having defeated Dr. B. F. Roller of Seattle in straight falls.

Sacramento Claims Hogan's Stellar Twirler

[Special Dispatch to The Call]

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 15.—If the new rules pertaining to the standing of State league players who, during the season, jumped to the Coast league, hold good the Sacramento club intends putting in a claim for Hap Hogan's star twirler, Doc Vane.

Barney Oldfield Lowers His Own Mile Record

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SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 15.—Barney Oldfield in his Benz car, at the fair grounds today lowered his mile record for a three-quarter mile track, from 52 seconds and 25 hundredths to 52 seconds and 25 hundredths.

Gossip of Railwaymen

BIDS were opened by the Northwestern Pacific yesterday for another ten mile extension of the road from Whittier to Eureka. It will take several days of computation before the company will announce the successful bidder.

Two Teams Exonerated for Death of Player

Four Amateur Cards Will Be Staged Soon

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—A coroner's jury today exonerated players of both teams of responsibility for the death of Archer Christian, who succumbed to injuries received Saturday in the football match between the University of Virginia and Georgetown university here.

Latonia Races

CINCINNATI, Nov. 15.—Nimbus easily won the feature race at Latonia today from a field of six. Sir Ormond in the first race was the only other winning favorite.

Ogden Entries

OGDEN, Nov. 15.—Tuesday's entries: First race, four and a half furlongs, selling, 3 year olds and up—Miss Beaumont 105, Egmont 108, True Sir 105, Monte Mobile 106, Probe 112, Watere 105.

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Big Steps AS HEAD OF COAST LEAGUE

Directors Name Judge Thomas F. Graham as A Compromise Candidate for Job

The Pacific Coast baseball league held the opening meeting of its annual session yesterday at the St. Francis hotel and the most important business which came up for discussion was the selection of president. After many hours of debating to name the successor of J. Cal Ewing, who has held office during the last term, the directors finally voted for Judge Thomas F. Graham, as a compromise candidate.

There was considerable friction as to the man who would head the league. A majority of the directors were in favor of Ewing remaining at the head of the organization, and he could have been re-elected, but he was in his refusal not to serve another term. Ewing has stated all along that he would not be re-elected, and he was in favor of an outsider. He carried his point.

At the meeting the San Francisco club was represented by Frank Ish, Los Angeles by Henry Berry, Portland by Judge McCredie, Sacramento by Charles Graham, Oakland by Ed M. Walter, and Vernon by H. Hogan. President Ewing and Secretary Danny Long were also present.

Striped Bass Are Providing God Sport

By FRANK O'DONNELL

After an extended period of patient effort attended with unsatisfactory results, striped bass fishermen are finally being rewarded. Last Sunday and on the subsequent days of the week good catches were made at Wingo and in the San Antonio slough by several of the leading lights of the split bamboo and clam slinging brigade.

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Cripple Creek Offers a Bonus For Big Match

Idaho Would Also Make Each Pug a Little \$20,000 Gift If Governor Consents

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—More new offers for the Jeffries-Johnson fight have been received. The Detroit club of Cripple Creek, Colo., in a letter written by C. B. Jones, declares that it will offer \$100,000 for the fight to be held in Cripple Creek on July 4. The letter states that Ross Williams, a wealthy mining man there, will give a bonus of \$25,000 to the fighters if the offer is accepted within 20 days.

Some weight is attached to the bid of the Nampa athletic club of Idaho, which offers \$100,000 as a purse and \$20,000 to each pugilist as a present. "If Governor James H. Brady of Idaho permits the battle," Sam Berger, manager for Jeffries, is inclined to favor the offer of the Nampa club. It is understood that in Idaho there is an entirely different opinion among reformers, who say they will fight to the last to prevent a prize fight of any kind.

Gross Cruelty Charged by Wife

Mrs. Bessie F. Mitchell Alleges Her Husband Knocked Out Her Teeth

Many charges and counter charges of cruelty were made yesterday in Judge Mogan's court during the trial of the action for separate maintenance begun by Bessie F. Mitchell against John J. Mitchell, proprietor of a Second street printing establishment. In a cross complaint Mitchell seeks a divorce.

Barbarians Prepare for Indoor Field Contests

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The Barbarian amateur athletic club has gone into athletics for good and promises to give all the local clubs a run for the honors of the amateur athletic world. The club will give its first annual indoor field night at the Auditorium on November 23. The club will join the Pacific athletic association at its meeting tomorrow night.

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Booker T. Foxes Come Down at Emeryville

Operation of Anti-Betting Law Is Apparent in Smaller List of Entries

By E. W. CLARKE

Paint brushes, lawn mowers and hand mowers are putting the buildings, grounds and track of the New California Jockey club at Emeryville in final preparation for the season's sport, which begins next Saturday. In this particular there is nothing to indicate the unrest and uncertainty about the success or failure of the first attempt to race in the west with the gambling feature restricted, if not eliminated.

The big betting ring is a veritable barn of a place with the 20 or 30 book makers' boxes removed. If there is any sporting this winter, the jockeys and their assistants will be of and in the mob that was wont to eddy and surge around the chalked boards. There will be no boards this year—no enticing display of long prices to make a year old fillet, but the chance to get their money down.

The operation of the Walker-Otis law is immediately apparent in the number and class of horses quartered at the track. About 600 head will do the galloping this year. Last season there were 1,000. No stakes races are scheduled, consequently the horses of stake caliber can be counted on the fingers of one hand. Big Chief, owned by President Thomas H. Williams, tops the list. Blakeley's Arasee probably comes next; then the handicappers must go fishing for the others.

After the first of the year a bunch of the best of the year's horses will meet Bedwell here Thursday and it is possible that he will ride here this winter.

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Hart Declines Presidency of The Nationals

Former Owner of the Chicago League Club Refuses to Consider Election Over Heydler

CHICAGO, Nov. 15.—John A. Heydler can be president of the National league forever, as far as James A. Hart is concerned. The former owner of the Chicago National league club tonight gave out a statement which knocks in the head all talk of electing him to the office now occupied by Heydler. Hart says he is through with baseball for ever. It is thought the chief reason for his decision is that his acceptance might necessitate his moving away from this city, although he would not consider the matter at all unless he were assured he could keep his residence in Chicago. Following is his statement:

"I am not now, I never have been and I never shall be a candidate for the office of president of the National league. Some time ago presidents of certain National league clubs asked me if I would accept the office if it were tendered to me. My reply was that I was perfectly content with my present business, social and domestic conditions."

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