

FIGHTERS

New Classification of Weights--Jack Monroe Wants a Jaw of Iron--Chamelon Jeffries Will Challenge Monroe or Sharkey

(By Jimmy Collins.)

The National Boxing association, which was recently organized in Detroit for the purpose of regulating boxing and also putting the sport on a better footing than it has been heretofore, has selected Billy Collins, matchmaker of the Metropolitan Athletic club of that city, as president of the organization. A new classification of the weights of fighters is one of the most important reforms which the association intends to accomplish, and the following classification has been drawn up to stand until the next meeting in the fall: Special class, 105 pounds; light bantam, 110 pounds; bantam, 116 pounds; featherweight, 122; heavy featherweight, 127; lightweight, 133; light welterweight, 140; welterweight, 148; middleweight, 158; light heavyweight, 175; heavyweight, all men over 175 pounds.

New Training Stunt.

Whether Jack Monroe, the miner-pugilist, can fight or not, has always been a question and will remain such until he meets Tom Sharkey, the sailor, February 27. But there never has been any doubt as to Jack's originality. His very latest is a new scheme to train his jaws and make them strong enough to withstand the punches the sailor may deliver or the kicks from the after guns of a mule. He chews gum! Just imagine that big husky going about with his chops working at a 38-to-the-minute stroke on a real gigantic wad of gum, for all the world like a seminary girl, escaped from the watchful eye of propriety and her teacher! Monroe says it will make his jaws so strong that Sharkey might just as well go out and punch somebody's iron dog on the lawn. Monroe thinks it is a great scheme, but when Sharkey was told about it he grunted: "Gwan!"

Regarding this fight, (Champion Jeffries says he had rather see the two principals come together in a 15 round bout. Whichever of the two wins this bout will get a fight with Jeffries and it is just appling to meet some one. The world has not yet seen a prize-fighter who could remain idle long when there was real money to be harvested, and the boiler-maker is not an exception. As champion of the world the sheets can be brought in almost any time. Should the fight between Tom Sharkey and Jack Monroe end in a knockout Jeffries will fight the winner for the championship of the world.

Dal Hawkins Again.

Our old friend, Dal Hawkins, the California lightweight, following in the steps of Jack Leonard, Mike Leonard and George McFadden, has re-entered the fighting business. He announces that he is ready to meet any man in the world at 133 to 135 pounds. Dal has now been in training for three weeks and is said to be fast developing his old form.

Notes of the Ring.

There is talk of arranging a match between Jimmy Haywood, New York, and Barney Mullin at catch weights.

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straight rules, winner take all. If these men fight, the match will take place one week after Mullin's battle with Jack Reilly at Walla Walla, on March 4.

"Kid" Oglesby of Helena is trying to secure a match with Herrera, the Mexican.

"Silent" Rowan fights Abby King at LaGrande, Ore., Saturday night.

To Wrestle With McLaughlin.

Sandy Judge has been in the city for a couple of days trying to match his unknown wrestler with George McLaughlin of this city. He has a match on at Priest River, Idaho, for Saturday night, between his unknown and Charlie Rose of Salt Lake. Rose is the athlete who threw McLaughlin from the stage in a bout over a year ago and broke Mac's ribs. McLaughlin is now laid up with a bruised knee.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY HOLDERS

Notice is hereby given to property holders on Eleventh avenue from the center line of Adams street to the center line of Monroe street, that the assessment roll for the sidewalking of Eleventh avenue in above described district is now in my hands for collection, and the same will become delinquent March 15, 1904. Said assessments shall bear interest from date of delinquency of first installment at the rate of six per cent per annum, and can be paid to the city treasurer in 16th annual installments, the first of which shall be due, payable and delinquent on the 15th day of March, 1904, and on the same day of each year thereafter, together with unpaid interest on the same and on all interest installments.

M. H. EGGLESTON, City Treasurer.

Dated Spokane, Wash., February 16, 1904.

WHEN CAR COMES

The Car Annunciator company has filed its papers of incorporation. The company intends to inaugurate a new device in Spokane which was invented by A. D. Campbell, vice president of the company. The invention will enable those who are waiting for a car to be warned of its approach in their own homes. Four dollars a year will be charged for one of the contrivances. The company is capitalized at \$10,000. The names of H. A. Ammann, A. D. Campbell, John M. Campbell and C. C. Holzel appear as trustees of the company.

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"THE PRODIGAL SON"

A sacred concert will take the place of the regular Sunday evening preaching services next Sunday at the Westminster Congregational church. The concert is the oratorio, "The Prodigal Son," and will be given by Miss Arnette, Owen, soprano; Miss Rose Prather, contralto; La Rue Fortine, bass and director; Jesse Buchholz, tenor, and Mrs. H. Baxter, organist.

TO CURE A COULD IN ONE DAY

take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

VITAL STATISTICS.

The health department is engaged in making a report for the bureau of vital statistics, which is under the direction of the United States census department, of all deaths and diseases which have occurred in the city of Spokane. The work has been under progress for several months and is about completed. The health department receives 2 cents a name for every name sent to Washington.

CUTTING SCRAPES FORGERIES AND HIGHWAY ROBBERY

A number of cases came up before Judge Richardson yesterday. A J. Powell, charged with forgery, was first arraigned. He appeared without an attorney and the court appointed Robt. Tipton to defend him. Powell's plea will be taken tomorrow. He is charged with passing a forged check on Cohn Brothers for \$18. He is said to have floated several bogus papers before he decided to move to California, whence he was brought.

The two Italians who so severely cut Giuseppe Grandinette on February 4, were also arraigned. Attorney Merriam appeared for Demetrio Piacenza. The latter pleaded not guilty. Frank Scarello, the other knife artist, had no attorney. A. E. Schaffer was appointed to defend him. His plea will be taken tomorrow.

The Roy Rambaugh, alias Burns, and his mate, Wm. Hoffman were also arraigned. These are the two young men who by their silence imperiled the James boys. The charge on which they were arraigned was holding up Andrew P. Johnson and relieving him of \$3.20 and a valuable watch. Rambaugh appeared ill at ease and hung his head when arraigned. Hoffman, on the other hand, appeared early and defiant. Both men will appear tomorrow to plead to the charge. Rambaugh doubtless will plead guilty. Hoffman's plea is a matter of conjecture.

MASQUERADE PRIZES

All the Germans of the city are taking a great deal of interest in a grand ball which is to be given by the singing society, harmonie at Elks Temple, February 22. Some of the finest masquerade costumes in the city are owned by the Germans. This is to be the grand finale of festivities in the German society for the season. The prizes are on exhibition at Schacht & Riordan's jewelry store, and are as follows: An ivory handle, silver trimmed, silk umbrella, for the first gentleman, and a quadruple plate, gilded, gold ornamented fruit dish for the first lady; second gentleman's prize, a sixteenth century old German Wurzburger stein; second lady's prize, a Louis XV. antique silver swinging clock; third gentleman's prize, box of cigars; third lady's prize, a set of fancy gold trimmed hair ornaments.

WRESTLING MATCH

(By Jimmy Collins.)

There promises to be a hot time at Priest River tomorrow night, when Charles Ross, the Salt Lake wrestler, and an unknown meet on the mat at catch-as-catch-can. The Salt Lake man is considerably heavier than the Priest River unknown, but the latter is said to be under cover with his right name and is a better man than people credit him with being. This man Ross is no slouch, either, and his record of wins around the Mormon capital is a long one. He wrestled close to three hours with George McLaughlin over a year ago, and threw Mac off the stage, breaking a rib and otherwise badly injuring him. Many local people interested in the wrestling game are going to see this event, and the winner will likely be challenged by Devaney, McLaughlin and Miller. Tom Hector of Tacoma will also challenge the winner.

CARTER HOPES TO DEFEAT GARDNER

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 19--Those two bitter rivals of the roped arena, "Kid" Carter and George Gardner the ex-lightweight champion, are to clash again in the squared circle here tonight and the result of the bout is awaited with keen interest in sporting circles. The bout will be pulled off before the Milwaukee Boxing club and will be a 6-round affair. Gardner and Carter have met four

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times before and the first-named has been the victor on each occasion. Carter is in splendid shape for the present contest, however, and expresses confidence in his ability to win over the Lowell man, particularly in a short fight.

"ARE YOU A MASON" IS HERE

"Are you a mason?" Julius Cahm's theatrical company kept a good house in something of an uproar last night at the Auditorium in the presentation of the play by that name. Mr. Cahm's company hardly carried off all the funny situations in the play as well as some of them might have been acted, but it was funny and was evidently enjoyed by those attending the Auditorium last night.

The play will be presented tonight, tomorrow night and at a matinee tomorrow afternoon.

OFF LEGAL NOTICE.

The board of public works of the city of Spokane is hereby giving notice in duplicate, until March 11, 1904, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., for the improvement of the first avenue from the east line of Madison street to the east line of Walnut street by paving, guttering, curbing, according to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the city engineer, and referred to in Ordinance No. A1448, which ordinance and said map, plans and specifications shall govern said improvement and to which bidders are hereby referred for further particulars. All bids must be made in duplicate on printed forms to be furnished by the board, and one copy left with the clerk of the board, the other with the mayor.

There must be written upon the outside of the envelope the words, "Proposal for the paving of First Avenue together with the name of the bidder, and the copy of the bid sent to the board must be accompanied with a certified check for not less than 10 per cent of the amount of the bid and made out to the order of the president of the board of public works, and no bid shall be considered unless accompanied by said check.

The successful bidder shall be required to enter into a contract and furnish satisfactory bonds as required by said Ordinance No. A1448. The laws of the state of Washington, the city charter and ordinance pertaining upon the subject within five days after he has been notified that the contract has been awarded to him.

Special attention is called to Ordinance No. A1031 governing contracts for public work. Where any material used is of a kind that is produced here the same shall be of home production when prices and quality are equal to foreign production.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Successful bidder in the above proposal will be required to furnish a guarantee or indemnity company bond satisfactory to the mayor.

MAINTENANCE. Bids in the manner and under the conditions and at the time above stated will be received by the board of public works for maintaining the above described pavement and improvement in the manner and under the terms and conditions stated under the maintenance portion of the plans and specifications for a period of ten years from and after the completion of the said work and its acceptance by the city, and the successful bidder will be required to enter into such contract and bond as is required by law and charter and ordinance of said city, particularly as required by said Ordinance No. 1448, within five days after he shall have been notified of the fact that he has been awarded the said contract.

Such proposals shall be made in duplicate and in sealed envelopes marked "Proposals for Maintaining First Avenue Pavement," and shall be accompanied by a certified check for not less than 10 per cent of the amount of the bid, made out to the order of the president of the board of public works.

The board expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

L. B. HANDLEY, Secretary.

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Young Girl Wins Success as a Whistler



MISS LOUISE TRUAX. Much interest in taken by Michigan people in the success won in the east and abroad by Miss Louise Truax, 21 years old, who is a native of that state. She began developing her talent about five years ago. In New York she gave whistling solos at the Lexington avenue Baptist church until she went abroad. She has just returned after a triumphal season in London. Among those who were charmed by