

DOWN GO RECORDS.

Johnson, the Phenomenon, Cuts Two New Notches for Skating.

He Is Now Holder of the 100 and 120 Yards Skating Records.

Diaf Rudd Offers to Give Norseng a Turn Ahead on Ice.

Events to Occur in Local Circles--Status of the Shuffleboard Tourney.

Last night John S. Johnson hung up his skates and quit scratching ice and breaking records for the season.

The first record he went for was the 100 yards. The ice was not good. The snow was just scraped off; the ice was not sprinkled and it was full of cracks.

From a standing start Johnson covered the 100 yards in 4.5 seconds. He did it without the assistance of the wind. The best previous record, 4.7, was made by A. D. Sea, and is set down in the Clipper Annual as made with the assistance of wind.

After a few minutes' rest Johnson went for the 120-yard record. He went over that distance in 11.3-5 seconds, skating the last twenty yards around a turn. The best previous record was made by G. S. Phillips in 11.5 seconds.

All three watches caught the time in both trials. Under the record, in each case Johnson was given the worst of it to the extent that he was given the slowest time. The officials were: Referee, Ilay H. Smith; starter, Harry Dover; judges, Oscar Holther and Alfred Johnson; timers, J. C. Harper, C. L. Baker and I. W. DeLoach.

When Johnson finished the races at the bank, N. J., he announced that he would be open to any challenger, including Norseng or anybody else, until March 1. None of them have come forward with a definite proposition, so he has quit for the season.

Johnson expects to put in the summer on the bicycle, and he must have some rest. Next Monday, accompanied by Tom Eck, his trainer, he will go to the Hot Springs. He will train there for six weeks and then beridge the pneumatic again. Johnson says that he will astonish them all this season on the wheel. Last season was his first on the wheel, practically. He had ridden in local races, but with no special training. His first race last season was in the big Milwaukee road race, from Waukesha to Milwaukee. Johnson went down there without much training, beat all the scratch men, and won the second time prize.

Then Eck took him to the Hot Springs, where he began riding, Johnson had a record before two months for a mile. After that he won race after race, doing remarkable work for a boy who began when the season was half over. He is only a boy yet, being but twenty years old, but he is doing it in riding costume, and to 125. This year he will ride at about 145.

"And the people who think that boy can't finish," says Eck, "want to wait till they see him."

Johnson has had equally as remarkable a career as a skater in the past few years as he is skating in local races in the Twin Cities and beating everybody. But he has no record outside of this city. He went down among the Eastern cracks and defeated the best of them. In addition to that, he has made many new records in skating, 100 yards, 120 yards, 200 yards, one-half mile, one mile, two miles and five miles. It hasn't made any difference what the condition of the track or the weather. He has made a new record on the first trial every time he has started for one. All precautions have been taken and the records will stand.

NORSENG'S CHANCE.

Diaf Rudd Will Skate Him Any Distance.

Adolf Norseng, who calls himself the fastest skater in the world, is not popular in Minneapolis. He came to Minneapolis a couple of months ago on a ticket furnished him by the Narnanna Eastern Club of Minneapolis. He was several weeks overdue when he arrived, but nobody kicked, as he seemed willing to skate. After a couple of days here he ran away one night with Hagen without telling any of the people who had paid his expenses to this country. Since then he has been skating in the East, and keeping quiet. A few days ago, after John S. Johnson announced that he would quit skating March 1, Norseng bobbed up with a challenge. He came in late in the season for Johnson to skate, Norseng can get a game. Yesterday Diaf Rudd, the boy who won honors in the East two weeks ago, made this formal declaration:

"I love by the morning papers that Adolf Norseng wants to skate John S. Johnson, or any man in America. Norseng knows that Johnson has quit training for the present winter, and that he leaves for Hot Springs on Monday next to rest up for the bicycle season. In order to give the Minneapolis public a chance to judge of Norseng's skating ability, I will skate him three races, as follows: Half a mile and one mile, each skater to start from opposite ends of the rink, and a two-mile race, both to start from the same side. Mr. Norseng says he will come at once. As both of us are in competition, I stipulate that these races shall be skated next Sunday. Now, there is no loophole for Mr. Norseng to escape this challenge through, and I hope he will think it worth his while to go against me."

The challenge has been accepted.

SHUFFLEBOARD SHOTS.

The game of shuffleboard which was to have been played last evening between the members of the Globe and Pioneer Press teams at the shuffleboard club was postponed in consequence of the departure of Mr. Black, skip of the Globe team, and the members of the team, for Washington. The game will not be played until his return from the inaugural ceremonies.

There is considerable betting on the outside among friends of Roney Reber and John Ahern, contestants for the championship of the city in the local shuffleboard competition, as to who will be the winner. Although Ahern is 24 points ahead of Reber, the entire series will consist of 525 points for the winner. This does not make the score such a formidable one at the present, as in one game has been played. The second game of the series will be played tomorrow evening, in the rooms of the Shuffleboard club over the Leiber cafe. Odds are laid by some of the enthusiastic members of the Shuffleboard club in favor of Reber, their champion. It is expected that there will be a large crowd present to witness the game.

GENDAIRME A SULKER.

He Cannot Run at New Orleans Any More.

NEW ORLEANS, March 1.—Good weather, large attendance and a fair, but not fast track, were the conditions of today's racing. Speedway, Tramp and El Mundo were well backed favorites, while Excelsior and Lombard carried but little money. The books all had a good day of it. Gendarme was heavily backed to win the fourth race, but sulked from start to finish, and as soon as the boys weighed in the racing governor promulgated an order declining to accept his entry in future races at this meeting. Bobby Beach was also heavily backed, but was hampered by delay at the post.

VEVAY HAS BOTTOM.

And Show It By Winning Gloucester's Long Race.

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FIGHT DECLARED OFF.

Ryan-Dawson Glove Contest Declared Indefinitely Postponed.

Dawson Weighs in, Claims the \$500 Forfeit, and Gets It.

Strong Feeling in the Crescent City Against the Chicago Lad.

Efforts to Make a New Match Between the Men Fall.

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