SPORTS IN AND OUT OF DOORS

NINETY-NINE ARE ELIGIBLE.

Secretary Howard Gives List of Horses That Can Run in Derby.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Secretary Howard, of the Washington Park Jockey club, today gave out the list of eligibles for the American Derby of 1902. The names of ninety-nine three-year-olds are on this list, which, with the names of the owners, are as follows:

Mrs. M. Abadios, Balm of Gilead; E. J. Arnold & Co.'s Quaker and Anna Elliott; Baker & Gentry's J. W. Rodes and South Trimble; E. J. Baldwin's Cruzados and Escalante; W. S. Barnes' Trial More; G. C. Bennett & Co.'s Abe Frank, Ed Austin, Aladdin and Blennenworth; Newton Bennington's Jack de Mund; R. R. Bradley's Red Hook; Mrs. R. Bradley's Alle Virge; S. S. Brown's Hyphen and Blackmore; C. K. Burdeau's Lou Woods; Burns & Waterhouse, San Nicolas, Black Thorne and Corrigan; Thomas Cary's Nellie Waddell; W. C. Christy & Co.'s Dr. Burns; F. Cook's Bessie Spahr; G. W. Cook's Merriment; E. Corrigan's Jed and Indian II.; H. A. Cotton's Leroyd; John Daly's Barron; J. D. Dearing's Kaffir; J. A. Drake's Runnells and Wyeth; P. Dunne's Arian, Memnon, Henry Zitt, Hargis and J. V. Kirby; A. Featherstone's Ignitor, Arsenal and Emshee; J. G. Follansbee's Keynote and Cameron; J. B. Haggin's Waterboy, Remorse and Bon Mot; Mrs. Elsie Harris' Hopedale; Herman & Cassin's Red Tip and Dark Secret; S. C. Hildreth's McChesney and Lucien Appleby; C. E. Jeffers' Hunter Raine; F. J. Kelly's Huzzah; William Lakeland's Enright; Liger & Brown's Merry Maker; C. H. Mackey's Heno; J. E. Madden's Pentecost and Slipthrift; J. J. McCarthy's Inspector Shea; W. H. McCorkle's Barouche; T. C. McDowell's Alan-a-Dale; Mrs. M. Mengis' Pretender; L. M. Meyers' Leonora Loring; J. C. Milliams & Co.'s Owenton; T. W. Moore's Inventor; G. B. Morris' Sombrero, Homestead, Old England and Cunard; Morris & Walden's Compute; J. S. O'Brien's Alibert; J. B. Respess' Belles Commoner; J. W. Sborr's H. L. Coleman, Charles W. Meyers and Larry Young; B. Schreiber's Otis, Dewey and Picquart; A. Simon's Lord Quex; S. J. Smith's Northern Star; Stevens & Rutledge's Archie; J. U. Strode's St. Tammany and Prowl; Sullivan & Harris' Tim D. Jr.; Louis Thompson's Hot; M. H. Tichenor & Co's Jaubert; Turney Bros.' Waswift and Glenwater; W. E. Vaters' Fromage de Brie; J. S. Ward's Tom Keene; William C. Whitney's Goldseeker and Endurance By Right; W. Williams' Andy Williams; R. T. Wilson Jr., Dixieline; Jacob Worth's Oom Paul; H. M. Ziegler's Hermis; C. T. Boots, The Ledacan and the Lediver; C. W. Street's Sambo; G. Summer's Water Scratch.

PUGS WANTED IN ENGLAND.

Fight Debaters Are Invited to Go Across the Water

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—The National Sporting club, of London, is going to hold a world's championship pugilistic tournament during the coronation celebration of King Edward VII. next June. Tommy West, the Brooklyn boxer, who has just returned to New York from London, has been commissioned by Mr. Bettison, manager and matchmaker of the National Sporting club, to extend invitations to all of the champions of the ring, big and little, to take part in the tournament. It is not only the absolute holders of the championship titles that are wanted, but the very best men in the different classes.

Following his instructions on these lines, West this morning had an interview with Robert Fitzsimmons with a view to finding out what the Cornishman would consider a reasonable remuneration for his services. Fitzsimmons refused to set a figure, but told West to ascertain just how much the club stood prepared to offer.

The idea of the National club is to hold six-round bouts as a sort of trial heats, and then bring the winners in the preliminaries together in twenty-round contests for big purses, belts and the titles of "champion of the world."

West, who has been abroad for several months, is in fine shape, and states that he is ready to get back into the ring just as quickly as he can cinch a good match.

MICHIGAN HOLDS BACK.

Football Managers Have Hard Time Trying to Reach Agreement.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Manager Kilpatrick of the University of Wisconsin, was in consultation with Coach Stagg, of the University of Chicago, at the Lexington hotel yesterday afternoon. The subject under discussion was the proposed football "triple alliance" between the Universities of Wisconsin, Michigan and Chicago. Director Baird, of the Wolverines, telegraphed that he would be unable to meet the other two, and the results of the conference were therefore comparatively small.

The situation apparently hangs upon the action of the Wolverine manager. Baird has refused to enter into any agreement in regard to Chicago football dates, as had been suggested between Michigan, Wisconsin and Chicago. He says that the Michigan alumni in this city demand that the Ann Arbor team play a game here every year, and he therefore refuses to enter into any alliance which might make this difficult. It sems to be the arrangements for the 1904 game that Baird objects to.

Pending an agreement between Stagg and Baird negotiations between Wisconsin and Michigan are at a standstill. No game has been scheduled. Manager Kilpatrick showed a telegram from Baird saying that he would play Wisconsin in Chicago only, and all plans of a Badger-Wolverine game either in Milwaukee or Madison are off.

Manager McCutchen, of the University of Iowa, was in town yesterday and had a few minutes' conversation with Manager Kilpatrick. The Iowans would like to play Wisconsin, and a game will probably be arranged to be played in Madison.

LOFTUS IN CHICAGO.

Washington Manager Talks Trade With Boss of White Sox.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Manager Tom Loftus, of Washington, spent yesterday with Comiskey and Griffith, but up to a late hour last night no trade of players had been made. Griffith and Comiskey are looking for a third baseman so as to kep Sam Mertes in the outfield, and Loftus has two third-sackers in Wolverton and Coughlin. On the other hand, the Washington magnate says that he has but four infielders and needs both of the third basemen to complete his team.

Loftus added to the complication yesterday by announcing that he had lines out for several outfielders and is not entirely dependent upon getting Hoy or McFarland to fill the outer gardens at the capital city.

Loftus will remain in the city for one or more days yet, and it is entirely possible that after the usual swapping of stories he and Comiskey will get down to business and the exchange of players. Third Baseman Coughlin is the man that Comiskey needs. He is a younger and very fast at the fielding game. He is not particularly strong with the willow, but as almost all the rest of Comiskey's team are good stickers he would fill in nicely with next season's White Stockings.

BRUSH HAD A SCHEME.

Red Magnate Wanted to Move to the American League.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Jan. 21.—The purpose of John T. Brush's recent visit to Chicago has at last come to light. Mr. Brush went there in an effort to have a conference with Ban Johnson and the American league leaders. It is learned from a most authentic source that Brush wants to break into the American league. He is willing to buy one of the franchises and place his club in the junior organization.

He went on gum shoes, as usual, but happened to run into President Whitfield, of the Western league, and the story was sent out that Whitfield had met him by appointment. That was not the truth. Mr. Brush went to talk business with the American league. His mission was not successful so far as can be learned, but his proposition is being considered. It is hinted that Brush also carried a message from Freedman that he too, would like to get in.

Brush's scheme was to buy out the Cleveland club and consolidate the two and of Philadelphia was willing to have Freedman's team in Baltimore and consolidate that aggregation with the Giants. In that way the circuit of the American league would remain eight clubs, but would have two strong cities added. The American league has always wanted to get into New York, but will not tolerate Freedman.

RACE FOR CUP STARTS.

St. Paul Hockey Team Takes Opening Game From the Mascots.

The first game of the Twin City Hockey league schedule was played by the St. Paul and Mascot teams at the Broadway rink last night, and this morning the St. Paul team leads in the race for the cup offered by R. H. Dunbar, taking the first game from the Mascots by the score of 3 to 1.

The game was an exciting one, and the Broadway rink seating capacity was crowded to the limit with enthusiastic spectators. A. A. Shultz, manager of the Broadway rink, made it possible for the spectators to plainly see the close plays by installing several additional arc lights.

The line-up of the teams playing last night was as follows:

St. Paul Team.		Mascot Team.
Jones, Capt.	Goal	O. Bergstrom
Maddigan	Point	Heck
Ohme	Cover point	O. Peterson
Newell	Cover point	Spurr
Thompson	Forwards	Parnell
Daggett	Forwards	W. Bergstrom
Lawrence	Forwards	Houesch, Capt.
Subs—		Subs—
Fay		Cullen
Hartney		Erskine
Gordon		C. Peterson

First goal, Newall, St. Paul; second goal, Lawrence, St. Paul; third goal, Parnell, Mascots; fourth goal, Lawrence, St. Paul. Time of halves, 20 minutes; start, 8:20 p. m.

Officials—Referee, T. M. Newson; umpires, D. Harris, C. Peterson; timekeepers, E. J. Murphy, W. Cameron.

This evening at the Virginia rink the St. Paul team will play the Virginia team. F. B. Chapman, of Minneapolis, will referee this game. The line-up of the teams playing tonight will be as follows:

Virginia.		St. Paul.
Teasdale	Goal	Jones
Routh	Point	Maddigan
Newson	Cover point	Ohme
Clark	Right wing	Baggot
Shepard	Center	Thompson
Patterson	Rover	Lawrence
Mars	Left wing	Newall

MERTES MAY PLAY THIRD.

Sandow May Be Used to Strengthen the White Sox Infield.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—"Sandow" Mertes may yet solve Comiskey's third base problem this year, as he did that of second base last season. President Comiskey and Manager Griffith are still on the lookout for desirable infielders and there is still a possibility that they will sign a National Leaguer or in a trade get some of the extra men now under contract to American League clubs, but Mertes is the man on whom they are relying in case the other deals fall through, and it seems to be a strong probability that "Sandow" will again train with the infielders next summer.

Comiskey has a surplus number of outfielders under contract and the "Old Roman" has wanted to trade some of these for a desirable third sacker. The other American League magnates have been slow to give up their men, however, and third basemen of this class are decidedly rare in the National League. These conditions may force the South side magnates to depend entirely upon the players now under contract to him.

At second last season Mertes' greatest fault was in the fumbling of slow balls. They will come faster to him at third, he is shifty, has a good baseball head, and Griffith thinks that he will develop into a star at third. His hitting would be much better than that of the ordinary infielder, and Daly and Davis ought to steady him and aid him in the fielding department.

If Mertes is shifted to the infield McFarland will probably complete the outfield with Danny Green and Fielder Jones.

"I don't know yet whom we will use at third," said Manager Griffith. "Sam made good at second, though, and I don't see why he can't play third better than Hartman. He is the man we are holding in reserve, and if we fall down on the other players with whom we have been negotiating he is the man that will fill the vacancy."

THE BOARD OF CONTROL.

Northwestern Students Give Up Control of Different Athletic Bodies.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—At a mass meeting of the students of Northwestern university, held yesterday morning, the selection of the managers of the different athletic teams was placed in the hands of the board of control. This means that no more student managers will be seen at Northwestern university.

The faculty members of the board of control are opposed to student management, and the majority of the upperclassmen of the undergraduates realize that they have not made successes as managers. The alumni members of the board of control desire alumni management, and that probably will be the result of the selection of the board, unless the trustees insist that Dr. Hollister be retained in that position for all the teams. The coach has made a success of the management of the football team in a financial way.

Rumor said yesterday that Dr. Hollister would remain at the university as the head of athletics, but would probably not personally direct the training and development of next year's football team.

REJECT THE PROPOSITIONS.

Chicago University Athletic Directors Refuse Michigan's Offers.

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Members of the athletic board of the University of Chicago held a special meeting yesterday afternoon to consider propositions about coming football games and athletic relations with the University of Michigan submitted by Manager Charles Baird when he was in Chicago a few days ago. The board rejected the propositions and Prof. Stagg and Manager Baird must begin negotiations again. While Stagg has felt that the matter would be ultimately adjusted, he was not sanguine as to the outcome yesterday.

Prof. Stagg said that if the matter ever was settled, it would be settled for seasons to come, and that Michigan and Chicago would have their football dates arranged for many years in the future. He said that it would be an alternative arrangement, with Wisconsin at Chicago one Thanksgiving and Michigan the next, with Chicago playing on Michigan grounds the year Wisconsin plays in Chicago. Though Stagg would not admit the difficulty, it is thought Baird is trying to drive too hard a bargain with the university management as to gate receipts if Michigan will play with Chicago on Marshall field next year some time before Thanksgiving day.

Michigan has contended that inasmuch as Michigan is to play in Chicago year after next, Chicago ought to meet Michigan at Ann Arbor or on neutral grounds at Detroit next fall.

SHARKEY AND MAHER AGAIN.

Tom and Peter May Try to Fight at Louisville.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Tom Sharkey and Peter Maher may go to Louisville to re-fight the battle which resulted in a failure at Philadelphia on Friday night. Tim Hurst, manager of the Southern Athletic club, is negotiating with the fighters, and has already received Sharkey's consent to meet Maher. Hurst is now waiting to hear from Maher, and if the latter accepts the terms already offered him, the contest will be decided in the near future.

Hurst says that Manager Kennedy, of the Yosemite Athletic club, where Sharkey is to meet Jeffries has given the sailor his consent to meet Maher at Louisville. Sharkey is now in the city, where he will do light training until he starts for the West.

BUT TWO GAMES SCHEDULED.

Manager of Michigan Team Makes Statement of His Dealing.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Jan. 17.—Manager Baird returned from Chicago last night and made a statement of his dealings so far in relation to Michigan's football schedule.

"We have actually scheduled just two games," said Mr. Baird, "one with Minnesota on Thanksgiving day and one with Oberlin on Nov. 22. The papers are wrong in stating that the former match will be played at Detroit, for that point is by no means settled. The king pin in arranging Michigan's schedule just now is Mr. Stagg's acceptance or refusal of the proposition regarding Michigan's games in Chicago.

"That is the main issue. If we withdraw from Chicago we demand concessions in return. Just what these are I am not in a position to state at present. I still say, however, that we have not agreed to step out of the city on Thanksgiving as yet. The Minnesota game may be played at either Chicago, Ann Arbor, or Detroit, as the outcome of best negotiations may dictate."

The student body is greatly surprised at this new turn of affairs, as it has been reported that the hatchet had been buried and the 'varsity schedule well under way toward completion. The present outlook points to a Michigan-Minnesota game in Chicago on turkey day, should Stagg refuse the compromise offered by Baird. If this is effected then Detroit will probably be the scene of the first meeting with the Gophers in many years.

ABLE TO BEAT THE CHINKS.

Brooklyn Man Is Expert at Two-Cue Pool Game.

It is no easy task to beat a Chinaman at his own game. The crafty Mongolian makes no move in public where he is not sure of his game.

To Li Hang Chang Foo (Charles E. Blodgett) belongs the unique credit of having met and conquered the champions of China in their own territory at a sport in which their proficiency has been undisputed for many centuries.

It is the two-cue game of pool and juggling of ivory balls between two sticks, a pastime which the yellow-skinned Asiatics have handed down from a remote age, and which Blodgett mastered after many years spent in the Celestial Kingdom.

Li Hang Chang Foo, as he delights to be called, has been giving exhibitions of his peculiar skill and deftness at Columbia hall, No. 1241 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

He stands alone in his profession—so much so that he offers $1,000 to anyone who will duplicate his tricks. Chinamen whose work he has improved upon have attempted to secure this prize without success. He will also give any professional player $100 who will beat him, the opponent to accept six pockets, while Li Hang will confine his trials to two.

One of his hardest tricks is placing six balls between two cues and throwing them into the air. The balls drop quickly, but not before Li Hang is ready for them, and the positions they occupied before their flight await them as they descend, which they do with a crash, to become instantly immovable between the slippery cues. He then revolves the balls between the cues with lightning-like rapidity.

Another trick, which many people have attempted without success, defies the laws of gravity. Placing three balls upon two cues, Li Hang revolves his body. The balls are in the center of the cues. Without seeming cause one of them leaves its mates and starts for the end of the cue, which by this time is almost perpendicular. In an instant the second starts to follow, and remains with the first till the third begins its climb and finally reposes beside its two erratic companions.

Juggling balls between his cues, twisting himself out of shape to catch balls in the air, which describe remarkable evolutions, is a part of the work which this adopted son of China displays.

FREEDMAN MAY RUBBERLEG.

Andy Said to Be Ready to Go to the American.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Following the story that Barney Dreyfuss is ready to jump the Pittsburg club into the American league if the baseball troubles are not settled in a reasonable time comes another report that President Freedman, of the New York club, is contemplating a similar move.

This latest story says that Freedman is preparing to settle the baseball squabbles by buying the Baltimore franchise in the American league, which would bring with it the services of such star baseball artists as McGraw, Robinson, McGinnity, Jack Hughes, Williams, Donlin, Si Seymour, McGann, Bresnahan and a few others.

The scheme involves Freedman buying the Baltimore franchise, John T. Brush purchasing the Cleveland club and transferring it to Cincinnati. This would leave Robison to consolidate with the American league club in St. Louis and Soden, Conant and Billings to pull their club and players with the Boston American League club.

GOVERNMENT IS BLAMED.

Officials Want Their Printing Done and League Minutes Wait.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Pressure of governmental business has kept all the printers in Washington so busy that it was impossible to have the minutes of the last National league meeting printed in time for distribution this afternoon, as A. G. Spalding requested.

N. E. Young telegraphed from Washington that he is pushing the matter along as rapidly as is possible, and is of the opinion that printed copies will be in New York by Monday. The verbatim proceedings are nearly as lengthy as the statutes, and it is a task of no small measure to get them ready.

The New York club has signed Walter Anderson, captain and shortstop of the Wesleyan college nine, to a two-years' contract. Anderson has been considered by those who have had a chance to watch the college nines as the best of the college shortstops, and has been chosen for an all-American team. What he can do in professional company remains to be seen. He was highly recommended by Charley Ganzel, the former Boston catcher, who is Wesleyan's baseball coach.

Sam Strang, who has not signed a New York contract up to date, says he has received offers from the American league, but has declined them. Strang is anxious to play in Cincinnati, not because he dislikes New York, but for the reason that Cincinnati is nearer his home, Chattanooga, Tenn.

MR. POWERS' BLACKLIST.

President of Association of Peanut Leagues Hears Mean Remarks.

Pat Powers and the rest of the National association magnates are going into the blacklisting business. How nice. Pat talks about fining players $1,000 or suspending them for life. Ban Johnson suspended several players for life last season, but all of them will be back in the league again next season. Just as if these players had $1,000 to put into the coffers of the National association—not on your life. Organized baseball is a good thing and it is hoped that it will be brought about before long, but the minors are hitting off too much just now. Why should the American association be outlawed? Did Mr. Powers suggest that the American league be outlawed when it dropped Minneapolis, Buffalo, Milwaukee and Indianapolis and expanded? Not much! Didn't magnates of the Western league have a right to expand if they saw fit and do the same as the American league? It was a case where Rourke, Flynn and Van Brunt, of the Western league agreed to the expansion idea, but at the last moment they turned after President Hickey had arranged the two circuits. The American association will be in the national agreement just as much as the Western league when it is drawn up, and baseball players will do well in the meantime to lend their support to the association. They will get better salaries from the association than any of the minor leagues and that is no dream.—The Evening Wisconsin.

FIGHT DATE IS SETTLED.

Denver Ed Martin and Frank Childs May Meet Soon.

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—It has been settled that "Denver" Ed Martin, the colored man who is Gus Ruhlin's sparring partner, and Billy Madden's latest candidate for the scalp of Jim Jeffries, and Frank Childs, the local colored heavyweight, are to box six rounds before McFarland's club in Philadelphia Jan. 31. There has been something of an argument about the matter, Martin Julian claiming the fight for his new club there. The Childs management, however, refused to go back on an option they had given McFarland for the Chicagoan's services, and as a result the Martin people had to yield.

This match has been made and broken off several times. Then men were to have fought in different parts of the country. Once the match was to have been the preliminary to the Jeffries-Ruhlin match when the attempt was made to decide that contest in Cincinnati.

PARKER IS MAKING GOOD.

He Will Meet Capt. Whitmore Tonight on the Mat.

Harvey Parker, the "Demon Wrestler," has so far met no one who has been able to retire from the mat with the $25 which he offers to any person whom he cannot throw in fifteen minutes. Parker went against an unusually strong German at the Star last night, Graeco-Roman, and succeeded in throwing him in six minutes. Parker was to have met Gus Dorn last night, but Dorn was sick, and the match was postponed until Friday night.

He will meet Capt. Whitmore tonight, and it is expected that it will be one of the hardest struggles the "Demon" will have to wage in the Twin Cities.

FIGHTERS WERE SAVED.

Governor Stops Sauntry-Goulette Scrap.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Jan. 21.—Eddie Santry, of Chicago, and "Kid" Goulette, of Rochester, N. Y., were to have fought ten rounds at the Olympic club here tonight. A crowd of 500 had gathered to witness the mill when Sheriff Capman appeared and announced that he had an order from Gov. Bliss to stop the fight. In his communication the governor holds that a so-called glove contest, in which the contestants are offered a reward or purse by a club, is sufficient warrant for action on the part of the authorities to interfere, under prize-fight statutes of the state. The officials of the club decided to call the mill off, and money was returned to the ticket purchasers.

New Orleans Races.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 21.—El Ghor and Ernest Parham were the beaten favorites today. Merry Sister's three furlongs in :35¼ is a new record for the track. Weather clear; track fast. Results:

First race, selling, mile and twenty yards—Syncopated Sandy, 116, Lyne, 20 to 1, won; Jessie Jarboe, 119, McCann, 11 to 2, second; El Ghor, 121, Blake, 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:44. Ignis, Hop Scotch, Frank McConnell, Hutch Miller, Elmoran ran.

Second race, two-year-olds, three furlongs—Merry Sister, 110, Lyne, 7 to 5, won; Francis Porter, 110, Black, 20 to 1, second; Julia Listem, 110, Richards, 12 to 1, third. Time, :35¾. Imp, Lady Winkle, Chamelion, Step Around, Suevius, Halcyondale, Gold Ornament, Brulo and Dark Planet ran.

Third race, six furlongs—Sevoy, 114, Coburn, 9 to 20, won; Weidemann, 106, Jones, 6 to 1, second; Amagari, 90, Waldo, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:13¾. The Star of Bethlehem, Tour, Dr. S. C. Ayres, Handicapper and Carl B ran.

Fourth race, selling, mile and sixteenth—Frank M., 101, T. Dean, 3 to 2, won; Henry of Franstamar, 105, J. Miller, 13 to 1, second; Free Admission, 97, Ead, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:49¾. Swordsman, Joe Doughty, Deloraine, St. Davis and Dutch Garter ran.

Fifth race, selling, seven furlongs—Wild Bess, 90, Helgeson, 11 to 2, won; Leenja, 97, R. Steele, 5 to 2, second; Meme Wastelle, 90, Boyd, 13 to 5, third. Time, 1:29½. Ernest Parham, Florham and Busty C ran. Fullen broke down.

Sixth race, selling, one and one-sixteenth miles—Shut Up, 95, Helgeson, 6 to 5, won; Dandy H., 100, Boyd, 15 to 1, second; Azua, 98, T. Dean, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:51. Frank Ireland, Afra, Beauty Book, Del Allen, Zack Phelps and Lord Howard ran.

Results at Oakland.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Oakland—Weather clear; track sloppy. Results:

First race, eleven-sixteenths of a mile, selling—Censor, 106, O'Connor, 10 to 1, won; Eldred, 91, Redfern, 7 to 1, second; Marineuse 93, J. Daly, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:09½. Tiburon, Chappie, Educate, Alzura, Nona B, Blanche Sheppard, Our Lizzie also ran.

Second race, eleven-sixteenths of a mile, selling—Malispina, 107, L. Jackson, 10 to 1, won; Royal Rogue, 109, O'Connor, 8 to 5, second; Arthur Ray, 112, Jones, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:10. Chandoo, Montana Peeress, Esternell, Wandering Boy, John H. Carr, Lorilla, Marielo, Bendara also ran.

Third race, seven-eighths mile, selling—Dangerous Maid, 107, Ransch, 8 to 5, won; Dunblane, 105, Bullman, 3½ to 1, second; Mission, 102, McGinn, 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:30. Monda, Coming Event, Sea Lion also ran.

Fourth race, three-fourths mile, purse—Kenilworth, 105, L. Jackson, even, won; Paul Clifford, 102, Gannon, 4 to 1, second; The Fretter, 105, O'Connor, 70 to 1, third. Time, 1:14. All Green, Rey Dare also ran.

Fifth race, Futurity course, selling—Scorpio, 106, L. Jackson, 8 to 1, won; Duckoy, 110, O'Connor, even, second; Frank Bell, 115, Mounce, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:11. Gusto, Tower of Candles, J. Boggs also ran.

Sixth race, mile and fifty yards, selling—Florenzo, 112, O'Connor, even, won; Hungarian, 106, Troxler, 20 to 1, second; Sir Lewis 89, J. Daly, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:46¼. Snowberry, Lode Star, Captivate, Bragg, Quadra also ran.

Johnson Has New Umpire.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—President Ban Johnson announced that he has closed a contract with "Silk" O'Loughlin to umpire in the American league next season. O'Loughlin comes from the Eastern league, where he has the reputation of being the best official on Pat Powers' staff and one of the very best in the business. He is a strict disciplinarian and should be a good man to govern the kind of baseball for which the American league has always contended. Sheridan is also under contract to the American league and there is a chance that Bob Carruthers will be another handler of the indicator. Farther than that the staff is incomplete.

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WIELDING THE CUE.

Commercial Club Experts Start the Tournament With Much Zest.

The Commercial club's handicap billiard tournament began last evening with every indication of interest and activity among the members. The rivalry shown among the players is earnest, but thoroughly friendly, and from the games played last evening it would appear that the handicapping has been fair and just. There are twenty players entered in the tournament, and, therefore, it will take a total of 190 games to decide the center in case none drops out, which is not at present considered likely. Play will be continued each afternoon and evening at the convenience of the contestants until all of the games have been played, and it is hoped that it will be possible to dispose of an average of ten games a day. The purpose is to finish the tournament within three weeks at the latest. The players entered and their handicaps are as follows:

Charles McCandless, 90; William Woodhead, 85; H. S. Wood, 50; Charles Palmer, 75; A. B. Van Bergen, 85; F. W. Berg, 75; T. W. Brown, 60; T. H. Larkin, 90; A. K. Puden, 85; W. S. Flint, 50; John Wharry, 75; T. E. Jones, 90; Charles Gooch, 85; F. B. Lynch, 75; C. W. Jones, 60; C. L. Sommers, 60; J. H. Bullard, 75; J. C. Nolan, 75; B. F. Knauft, 60; F. H. Sabin, 150.

There were seven of the players at the club last evening, and eleven games were played.

The most uniformly successful player was T. W. Brown, who played two games and won them both. F. B. Lynch played four games, of which he won three. Mr. Sabin, who is carrying the top handicap, played only one game and lost it, and John Wharry played four games and lost them all.

The results of all games played last evening are as follows:

Benz, 75, T. E. Jones, 42; Brown, 60, Sabin, 85; Benz, 75, Wharry, 36; Lynch, 75, Wharry, 47; Lynch, 75, T. E. Jones, 61; Lynch, 75, Knauft, 54; Brown, 60, Benz, 71; T. E. Jones, 90, Wharry, 73; Knauft, 60, Wharry, 54; Benz, 75, Lynch, 48; Benz, 75, Knauft, 44.

M'EACHERN IS FIRST.

Toronto Boy Wins the Motor-Paced Event.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—Archie McEachern, of Toronto, won first money in the motor-paced bicycle race tonight with Bennie Monroe, of Memphis; George Leander, of Chicago, and Jean Gougoltz, of France. Monroe won second place and Leander landed in third position. The final heat between McEachern and Monroe was exciting. Monroe nearly had the Canadian lapped in the first mile, when the motor which McEachern was following broke down and the race was started over again. In the second attempt Monroe again got the lead and held it for two miles. McEachern caught up to the eighth mile it was anybody's race. Then McEachern cut loose and won easily on the tenth mile, Monroe losing his pace. Jimmy Michael rode an exhibition mile in 1:34. He was paced by a motor ridden by Albert Champion, the Frenchman. Summary:

First heat, five miles, motor-paced—Bennie Monroe, of Memphis, defeated George Leander, of Chicago, by one lap. Time, 8:25 1-5.

Second heat, five miles, motor-paced—Archie McEachern, of Toronto, defeated Jean Gougoltz, of France, easily. Time, 8:41.

Final heat, for first and second money, ten miles, motor-paced—McEachern defeated Monroe. Time, 16:27.

Final heat, for third money, ten miles, motor-paced—Leander defeated Gougoltz. Time, 18:12 4-5.

NONDESCRIPTS THE WINNERS.

Took Two Out of Three From the Capitol Juniors.

The Nondescript and Capitol Junior teams, of the Pfister league, played at the Pfister alleys last night, the Nondescripts taking two of the three games from the Capitol Juniors. Painter, of the Capitol Juniors, captured high score—191—and high average—171. The scores:

Nondescripts—	1st.	2d.	3d.
Appleton	165	155	178
Lampher	160	184	151
Barker	170	167	122
French	132	132	122
Reilly	183	155	135
Totals	807	793	746
Capitol Juniors—	1st.	2d.	3d.
Painter	192	176	146
Adams	123	...	...
Pinska	...	159	164
Koch	168	155	148
Youngbaur	144	155	148
Dueger	166	140	170
Totals	793	783	765

Doubled Ball Team Stock.

DETROIT, Jan. 21.—The capital stock of the Detroit Baseball and Amusement company, the local baseball club, has been increased from $50,000 to $100,000, held in $25,000 lots by S. F. Angus, E. H. Doyle, James McNamara and Frank C. Cook. Just why the capital stock of the club was increased is somewhat of a mystery, as Frank Cook declared it was not necessary on account of any money the new holders have paid out or expect to have to pay out. Mr. Cook said the club had paid out a large bunch of advance money, considerably more than had been paid out in years gone by, and that the club had plenty of money on hand to meet any further advances on players' salaries.

Hart Stands on His Record.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—President Hart earned the thanks of a much abused public by refusing to make any reply to the latest effusion from John T. Brush. The president of the orphans intimates that he does not care to enlist in the "typewriter brigade," but is willing to stand on his record and let it go at that until the playing season opens. He also had no comment on President Johnson's version of the recent Johnson-Spalding conference.

Schule Through With Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Fred Schule, the Wisconsin hurdler and jumper, who entered Rush Medical college at the University of Chicago this fall, is now back at Madison, and has sent word to Chicago that he will run for the cardinal this year. Some time ago Schule went away from the university on some scientific work for Prof. Jordan, and at the university it has been expected that he would return any day. He can jump six feet in the running high. At Wisconsin Schule will be called upon to hurdle, go in the high jump and broad jump.

No Chance for Fight.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—The proposition to match Jeffries and Fitzsimmons seems to have ended where it began—in talk. Jeffries returned yesterday from Philadelphia, and said he considered the controversy as good as closed. The champion wants the last word in the argument, and says: "I don't think Fitzsimmons wants any of my game, but I stand ready to fight at any time."

Jeffries says he is now going to quit talking about a fight with Fitzsimmons and get ready for his meeting with Sharkey. He does not think the Philadelphia affair between the sailor and Peter Maher will hurt the coming bout in San Francisco, although he says he is sorry it happened.

McGovern Resumes Training.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Terry McGovern has recovered sufficiently from a recent operation to resume training, and will go to work at once. He will remain in New York until Feb. 1, and will then go to Louisville, where he will finish his training for the fight with Dave Sullivan Feb. 22. Sullivan will leave for Louisville next Saturday. Sam Harris, McGovern's manager, who is going to St. Louis this week to second Danny Dougherty in a fight with Harry Forbes, will go from Moun City to Louisville and choose training quarters for McGovern.

Bad Weather for Dogs.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 21.—Very unfavorable weather prevailed at the opening of the United States field trials at Grand Junction yesterday, but this fact did not interfere with a large attendance, including many women from the fashionable sets of Boston, Chicago, New York and Louisville. The Goulds were represented and the Misses Dury, of Boston, followed the dogs throughout the trials.

Will Accept the Challenge.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Mr. Clark, secretary of the Cambridge Chess club, confirms the report of the reception of a challenge from Harvard university. He says he has not heard from the Oxford club yet, but is almost certain that the latter club will join with Cambridge; if it does not the Cambridge club will accept the challenge alone.

Western Athletes to Swim.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 21.—Four Olympian club athletes will go East next month to compete in the annual swimming and boxing events held under the auspices of the American Amateur Athletic association.

James E. Britt Jr., the crack lightweight champion of the coast, and W. J. Leonard, the clever featherweight champion, will represent the club in the boxing events, while Howard F. Brewer and Scott Leary, both of whom have broken American records in both short and long-distance swimming events, will compete with the fastest swimmers in the country.

Sullivan Beats McMahon.

JACKSON, Mich., Jan. 21.—Danny McMahon, of Philadelphia, was put out in five rounds tonight by Tommy Sullivan, of Brooklyn. In the first round McMahon showed up like a winner, but Sullivan gave him a stiff uppercut on the chin, and he never fully recovered, although he made a brave struggle. In each round he was knocked down several times, and was simply exhausted when knocked out in the fifth. The preliminary bout was between Fred Vanuck, of New York, and Frank Hamel, of Detroit. It was a slugging match, and showed little science. It resulted in a draw.

Johnson Sends for Collins.

BUFFALO, Jan. 21.—Jimmy Collins, captain and manager of the Boston American league baseball team, has just received a wire from President Ban Johnson asking him to come to Chicago. Collins expects to be in Chicago Friday. He also stated that his Boston team would be a winning one this season, as he has signed both Jack Warner and Hickman, man will be used in the outfield.

of the New York National league. Hick-

Golf Player Coming Over.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Mr. James Braid, the golf player, has definitely decided to accept an offer to him to visit the United States. He will probably sail about three weeks after the open championship is decided at Hoylake, on June 5, and will probably return in December. It is likely that Harry Vardon will accompany him.

Fitz Falls Down Stairs.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Robert Fitzsimmons, the ex-champion heavyweight pugilist, fell down a flight of stairs in the Orpheum theater in Blooklyn today. It was believed that he seriously injured himself. He complained of very severe pains in his back and side, and it was feared his spine had been hurt.

Ryan Goes to Washington.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Jimmy Ryan, former captain of the Chicago National league team, signed a contract today to play center field for the Washington team in the American league. Ryan spent last season with the St. Paul team in the Western league as manager.

Quinn Signs Two.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 21.—Milwaukee signed two more players today. President Quinn, of the American association team, announcing the selection of Catcher Shaw, of the Detroit club, and Pitcher Aitrock, of the Eastern league.

Virginias Will Be Busy.

The Virginia Hockey team plays a league match this evening with the St. Paul's on Virginia ice at 8:30, and on Saturday will meet the crack Lake Portage seven of Houghton, Mich.

CHOPPED NOTES FROM THE BASEBALL WORLD

Chris Ghio, of St. Louis, has been appointed an umpire in the Southern league.

Pittsburg is souring on A. G. Spalding. Pirate rooters do not think that Spalding can conquer by the sign of the typewriter.

Carlisle reports a scarcity of good baseball Indians.

W. H. Watkins says he has a line on a pitcher who is wanted by four American league clubs. He will not divulge his name until he has him booked.

Charley Mitchell, erstwhile umpire, has gone into the insurance line. During his days as a knight of the indicator there were moments when he needed an accident policy.

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