

# NEWS OF SPORT.

## LITTLEJOHN MATCHED TO FIGHT IN CAPE BRETON.

**He Will Meet Billy Curran on Dec. 2 --- Carleton Team Withdraws Protest --- The Mohawk Sports --- Many Fights Last Night --- Football Fatalities --- U. of Penn. and Cornell.**

### THE RING.

#### Littlejohn vs. Curran.

Dan Littlejohn, of St. John, and Billy Curran, now of Dominion, will meet in a ten-round boxing bout at Dominion No. 1 on Dec. 2nd. Littlejohn and Curran have met twice before at St. John, the decision in each case being a draw. Curran is a very clever boxer and will make Littlejohn step very lively to win a decision over him. Curran is now in training with his old trainer, Danny Smith, of Sydney. (Sydney Record.)

#### Palmer vs. Plimmer.

Bill Palmer, who is matched to meet Billy Plimmer again, announced on his return from South Africa that he held eight championships of the world, from 100 to 120 pounds, and from 130 to 136 of South Africa. He began boxing in 1890, when fourteen years old, and claims to have made \$125,000 in the ring.

#### Another Fake Fight.

Bangor, Me., Nov. 24.—The advertised ten-round bout between Samy Ferguson, of Chelsea (Mass.) and Charles Haghey, of Lowell (Mass.) ended after two minutes of fighting in the first round here tonight. The crowd was greatly disappointed and only the presence of a large force of police prevented a serious demonstration against the fighters. Haghey went down three times to light swings on the neck and the last time down took the count. He went to his corner without assistance and the decision was given to Ferguson.

#### Rough Fight.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 24.—Before the Union Athletic Club tonight "Blink" McClusky of Cambridge won the decision over Bobby Thompson in ten rounds. McClusky was the better man throughout and gave Thompson a terrible beating, although the latter took his punishment gamely.

#### Another Fight.

New Orleans, Nov. 25.—Jimmy Kelly defeated Philadelphia Charles Kelly in ten rounds before the Young Men's Gymnasium club last night. The loser was overweight but had to

save himself from his 120 pound rival by hugging the floor so as to stay the ten rounds.

### HOCKEY.

#### Strong Teams at Sydney.

Glouce Bay will be represented in the Cape Breton league by a strong team this year, and the sports of that town feel pretty certain that the location of the Cruise cup will be shifted from North Sydney to the Black Diamond city. Sydney will also place a strong aggregation on the ice under the captaincy of "Brownie" Mahar, who has already begun to make preparations for the selection of his players. The Victorias, of North Sydney, last year's champions, will make a determined effort to retain the cup on the north side of the harbor, and with that end in view have begun to make plans for the formation of a team.

### FOOTBALL.

#### Protest Withdrawn.

The Carleton foot ball team have withdrawn their protest against the Neptunes. At a meeting of the executive committee held last night in the Y. M. C. A. parlors, Carleton raised the point as to whether Mr. Grace was eligible to play for the N. R. C. The matter was amicably settled by the west siders withdrawing their protest, on hearing evidence from the secretary of the club, which was in every way satisfactory.

A communication was read from the Neptune Club inviting the teams to a smoker to be held in their rooms next Tuesday night. The invitation was accepted. At the smoker the Moore trophy will be presented. There is a feeling that if I. E. Moore, the hero of the cup, is in the city at the time he will be asked to make the presentation.

#### Football Fatalities.

Chicago, Nov. 25.—The Record Herald today says thirteen deaths have resulted from football this season. The casualty list is the same as last year, but the number of ser-

ious injuries during the season just closed will exceed that of any year since the introduction of modern college sport. The players injured number 296.

#### Other Games.

At Cedar Rapids, I. A.; Final score Minnesota 11: Iowa 0. At Chicago: Final Score: Chicago, 18: Wisconsin 11. At Columbus—Carlisle Indians 23: Ohio State university 0.

### ATHLETICS.

#### Cross Country Race.

Boston, Nov. 24.—Dick Grant, the former well known Harvard runner, won the sixty annual cross country championship race of the N. E. A. A. U. today in a field of nine starters, covering the ten miles in 56.33 over a course wet with falling rain. Harry Brawley of Roxbury was but a few seconds behind the winner.

#### Swimming Record Broken.

San Francisco, Nov. 23.—Francis Galley has lowered the world's quarter mile swimming record during the Olympic Club's tournament. The former record was held by E. Daniels of the New York Athletic Club, whose mark was 6.02. The new record is 5.59 4-5.

#### The Mohawk Games.

Considering the inclement weather, there was a fair attendance at the Mohawk hockey club carnival in the Queens Rink last night. The programme opened with a march past by the Boys' Brigade. The company's participating were the St. John Presbyterian church Co., Capt. Smith, St. Stephen's church Co., Lieut. McFarlane, and Portland St. Methodist church Co., Capt. T. Armour.

During the evening each company was put through a drill and the evolutions were well carried out and elicited much applause. The Scots company also performed a physical drill in a very creditable manner under the direction of 2nd. Lieut. McArthur, and 3rd. Lieut. Heans. A good deal of interest centered in the tug-of-war. As the Longshoreman's team did not put in an appearance, it was decided that the policemen and Carleton should pull the best out of three.

In the first pull the Carleton men won by about 2 inches, and in the second pull by something over two feet. The prizes in this event were \$12, and \$6.

The teams were as follows: Carleton—S. Pike (anchor), J. Ward, J. Campbell, F. Campbell, K. A. Barbour, J. Christopher.

Policemen—Jas. MacNamee, William Sullivan, Thomas Sullivan (anchor), O. Ward, J. McCallum, F. Bowes.

The basket ball proved highly exciting and was only won by the

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slightest margin. The teams lined up as follows:

Forwards. Everett ..... Crosby  
Clawson ..... J. Gilmour  
Center. B. Gilmour ..... R. Ledingham (Capt)  
Defence. Dobson (Capt.) ..... T. Ledingham  
McKendrick ..... Phillips  
Capt. Ledingham's team won by a score of 6 to 5.

A game of base ball between teams representing the Y. M. C. A. and Mohawks completed the programme. The gym. boys won out by a score of 20 to 7, being smarter fielders than their opponents. The teams were: Y. M. C. A. ..... Mooney  
B. Gilmour ..... C. Inches  
Owens ..... Carlyle  
Clawson ..... O'Neil  
Heans ..... Elches  
Patterson ..... Howard  
T. Ledingham ..... Ellis  
R. D. Ledingham ..... Deshrisey  
Everett ..... Simons

Score by innings.  
Y. M. C. A. ..... 4 8 8-20  
Mohawks ..... 5 2 0-7

The officials were: Judges, Mayor White, Theo. Estabrooks; timers, Percy Holman, James W. Barnes, Thisie Curling Club, Henry Page, St. Andrew's Curling Club; announcer, Percy Howard Neptune Rowing Club; starter, Frank Likely, R. K. Y. C.; referee, Frank White, Y. M. C. A.

The members of the Mohawk Hockey Club wish to thank all those who assisted them in their sports by taking part in the different events. They also wish to thank the Officials, and Mr. Toddeham, the physical instructor of the Y. M. C. A. who was indefatigable in his efforts to assist.

### YACHTING.

#### For Seawanhaka Cup.

(Boston Transcript, Nov. 22.)

There will be two boats built by members of the Manchester Yacht Club, the faster of them to race against the Royal St. Lawrence Club's boat for the Seawanhaka cup. The Manchester Club is determined to lift the cup next season and everything is being done to develop the best type of a boat for the purpose. A request of the Royal St. Lawrence Club for a few minor changes in the previous agreement with the Manchester Club has been granted by the latter. The Seawanhaka Cup Committee of the Manchester Club recently sent a letter to the Royal St. Lawrence Club Committee accepting its suggestions and at the same time asking for two minor concessions. The changes desired by both clubs are intended to benefit the construction of the boats, but what they are will not be made public at present.

Reginald Boardman, Alexander II. Higginson and Richard D. Boardman comprise the Seawanhaka Committee for the Manchester Club. They will visit Montreal soon to confer with the Royal St. Lawrence Committee and sign the necessary agreements. Edwin A. Boardman is the designer of both the Manchester Club boats and he is now at work upon the model of one of them. The boats after a thorough trial over the Manchester

course will be taken to Montreal in time for a two weeks' try out in the lake waters. The boat selected to enter the races against the Royal St. Lawrence will be in charge most likely of either the designer, Edwin A. Boardman, or his brother Richard D. Boardman.

### BASEBALL.

#### Tip O'Neill's Friend.

Hugh Duffy is making every effort to get together a team which will be able to cope successfully with the strong clubs in 1905. Duffy's first step in this direction is to open negotiations with the St. Louis National League Club to secure Pitcher Jack Taylor, who, it is understood, is anxious to leave the World's Fair city.

### THE TURF.

#### Dan Patch Tried Again.

Dallas, Nov. 25.—Dan Patch, the World's champion pacer went against time here yesterday making the mile paced by a runner in 2.01 1-5. The time by quarters: 30 1/2, 29 3/4, 30, 30 1-5, with a strong breeze blowing against him the pacer showed up in the stretch. Ten thousand persons witnessed the event.

### CURLING.

#### Officers Elected.

The Chatham Curling Club have elected the following officers for the season, R. A. Lawler, president, William Johnson, Vice-president; Arthur Johnson, R. A. Snowball and Howard McKendry, managing committee; George Watt, R. A. Snowball, R. A. Lawler, Arthur Johnson, S. D. Heckerbert, Howard McKendry, E. Johnson, George Hildebrand, D. G. Smith, James Johnson, M. S. Hocken, and Alexander Burr, Skips and M. S. Hocken sec-treasury.

### COLLEGE ATHLETICS.

(From the Council Bluffs Nonpareil.)  
We never thought that Orson Jones, the Macksmith of our town, was out for a scholar per could rise to great renown. His face is red, his feet is big, he's got a hairy arm; He loves to spend his holidays in loadin' on the farm. And as for books, w'al now, I vow the most he's done as yet is to rub at the pictures in the old Perlice Gazette.

But this summer two young fellers came and talked a while with Orse. And took him off to school with them to start a college course. We chuckled at the 'idea, but it wa'n't a month, I swear. 'Till the papers were so full of Jones, there wasn't much else thar. We see his picture every day, he's famous as kin be; He's called the greatest halfback in the hull darned varsity.

Of course, we're mighty proud of Orse, we're glad he clumb to fame. It makes us thrill with happiness when e'er we see his name. And we'd love to see him diggit' at his latiner his Greek. And a-writin' high flown essays and or-shuns every week; But there's jest one thing that stumps us— it's a puzzle, we're agreed, How a man kin shine at college when he don't know how to read.

## A TERRIBLE SITUATION.

### Murder and General Crime Rampant in Macedonia.

Salonica, European Turkey, Nov. 23.—Snow has fallen heavily throughout Macedonia and hinders the operations of the troops sent against the Greek bands entrenched Southwest of Voden, whose outrages are terrorizing the vicinity. The whole western part of the vilayet of Salonica is swarming with bands of murderous Christians, both Greek and Bulgarian, each of whom is systematically trying to weed out the most prominent adherents of the other. Murders are terribly frequent in Salonica itself and are perpetrated with impunity.

Washington, Nov. 23.—A report received in Washington through official sources says that a state of anarchy has become epidemic throughout Macedonia, that public security has by no means been restored and that assassinations of Christians not in sympathy with the Bulgarian revolutionary movement are of daily occurrence. It says that Greeks, as a rule, are the victims, and large numbers of them have been tortured, with the result that the Greeks have started hands across the frontier of Greece with retaliation as their purpose.

### GOT IT IN THE NECK.

Vineland, V. A. Nov. 24.—While resisting recapture after escaping from jail here today, George Smith, a negro, was shot in the neck and seriously wounded by Marshal Henry Tunney, Smith who was awaiting arraignment charged with a minor offense, knocked down Deputy Sheriff Joseph Spencer and escaped from the room and ran down a crowded street brandishing a knife. When Tunney overtook him, the negro lunged at him with the knife but missed and the officer shot him.

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