

SPORTING EVENTS

Logan After Honors Again

SPEEDY ST. JOHN SKATER TO GO INTO THE BIG MEETS THIS WINTER.

Can Fred Logan come back? This is a question which the sporting public in the city will have a chance to consider, for after having spent a year or two in oblivion as far as sport is concerned, he is to don the blades again this winter and expects that with a little training he will be able to make the best of the speedy ones go.

Fred Logan was the wonder of the skating fraternity and cleaned up all the honors that happened to be going in his time. He beat the world's best skaters at Montreal, Saranac Lake and other speedy skating centres. After having gained all the laurels in sight he retired, to make way for some of the youngsters and he has been out of the game for some time. Notwithstanding this fact, however, he believes he can "come back" and for the last few weeks has been training diligently. He is gradually getting down to racing shape, and he expects to be in the pink of condition.

It is expected that the championship meet will be held in Ottawa this season, some time during the early part of February, and ten chances to one Logan will be one of those to face the starter in all the principal events. His many St. John friends will wish him much success.—Times.

BASEBALL

Joe Page of Montreal arrived in the city yesterday. Speaking of the baseball situation he said he had a letter from Delano, who has been signed by the Chicago White Sox, in which he wrote that he was doing a little training already and expected to be in good shape when the season opened. Delano has been working in an apple orchard in Maine and is just about finishing there. Mr. Page was to have gone to Quebec last week to organize the Quebec Provincial League, but the organization meeting has been postponed.—Times.

RED SOX CONFIDENT OF 1913 PENNANT.

That the Red Sox do not lack any confidence of repeating in the 1913 race for the flag has been made evident recently upon several occasions. The fans of New England feel that President McAlister's boys stand a very excellent show of being at least champions of the American League and world's pennant winners.

Few of the world's champions live in New England. Those who reside in this locality rush back to the office of the Red Sox occasionally through the winter term. The most recent visitor was Larry Gardner, the star third-sacker. Gardner is down from Enosburg Falls in the hopes of getting a chance to do some skating, in which he has been, of course, so far disappointed. Yesterday he and Clyde Engle visited the offices of the Braves. He chatted of Stahl's boys.

"I think," said he, "that the Red Sox are in better shape to win next season's flag than they were during 1912. We have passed through the fire, as they say, and have practically the same team, with additional strength probable. So far as I can see, there is but one team to fight for the lead, and that is the Athletics."

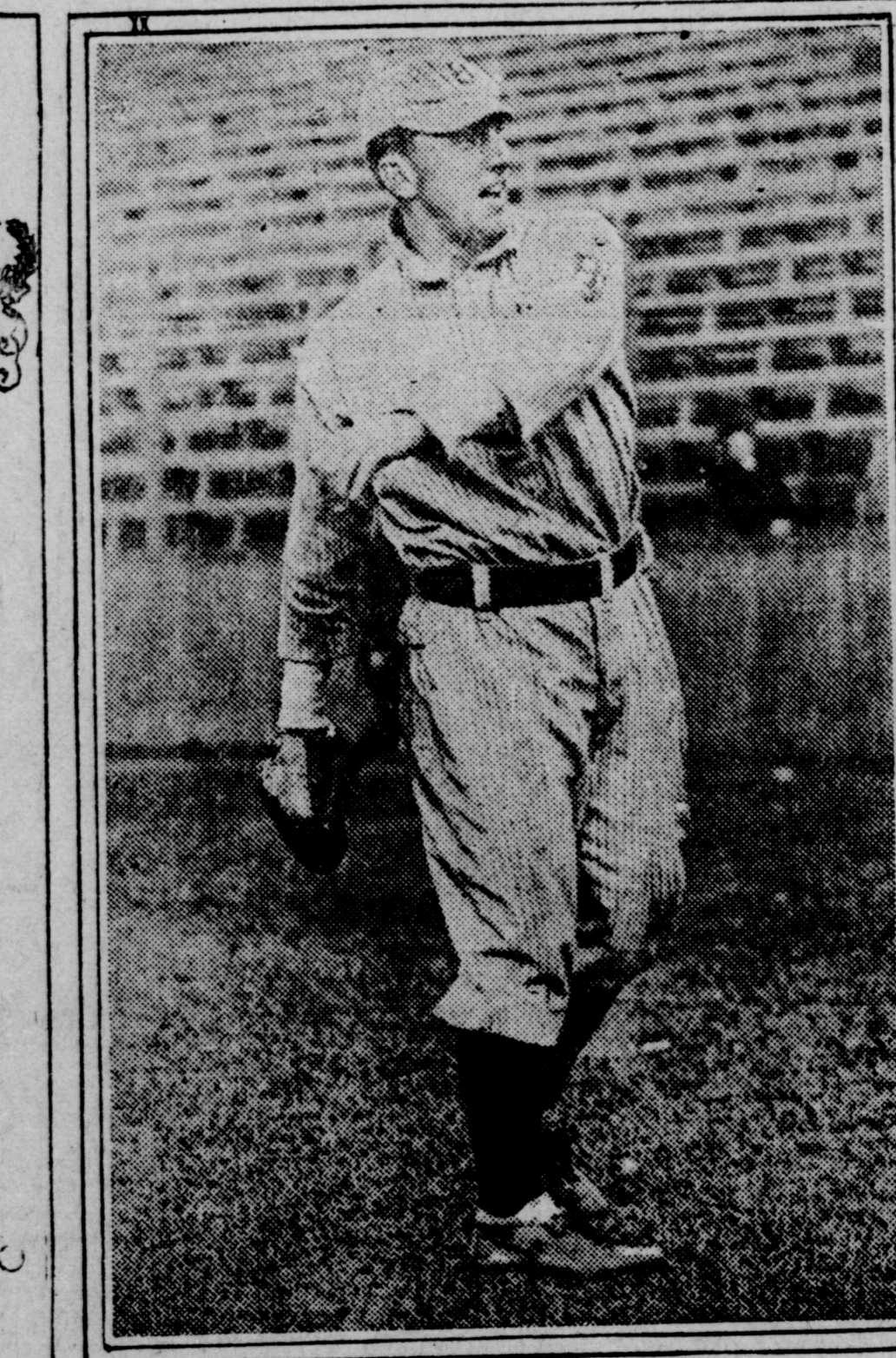
"You're right there, Larry," said Clyde. "I do not look for Washington too much. They had a lot of luck last year and a wonderful run of victories which is almost impossible for them to repeat. That kept them in the race and made them contenders to the finish. 1913 will see a different story, I think, in Washington."

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BEALS BECKER IS A GREAT OUTFIELDER



BECKER.

Sporting Comment

Manager McAlister of the Boston Red Sox says that he will stand pat on the lineup for 1913.

Frank Gotch is planning to come out of his retirement and defend his heavyweight wrestling title against Zhyssaco, the giant Pole.

It looks more and more as if Mike Donlin, the former star outfielder of the Giants, would be at the head of the Philadelphia Nationals next season.

The announcement is made that Roger Bresnahan, the former St. Louis manager and one of the best catchers in the country, has been signed by the Chicago Cubs.

Al Palzer blames his defeat at the hands of Luther McCarthy to the tactics which Tom O'Rourke ordered him to use and he threatens to break away from his veteran manager.

The Madison Square Garden A. C. of New York City is making a strong bid to match Luther McCarthy, the new heavyweight champion, with either Jess Willard or Bombardier Wells.

Boxing Fan—Luther McCarthy, the new heavyweight champion, boxed 10 rounds with Jess Willard at New York on August 20 last. No decision was given by the referee as it is against the New York state law for the third man in the ring to pick a winner. The newspapers differed in their opinion, some giving the decision to Willard while others called the bout a draw.

Boxing promoters are now casting glances toward Italy as a new field in which to introduce the game. The success that has greeted their efforts in France has to extensive plans for branching out. Al Lippe, who has a stable of boxers in Europe recently signed to provide three 20 round bouts in Italy and they will be the first ever staged in that country. Considering the large number of Italians connected with the sport in this country, the game should become popular across the water.

GOLF

THE TRAMP AND THE GOLFER.

"My good man," said a golfer in anxious tones, "have you seen a golf ball hereabouts? It's my last ball, and if I lose it I shall have to give up my day's game and return to town."

"The tramp, a villainous looking individual, answered:

"No, boss, I ain't seen no golf ball, but I've got one in my pocket that I brought from home what I don't mind sellin' you for a couple of dollars."

ABOUT PEOPLE

Oscar W. Underwood, the Democratic tariff leader in the United States House of Representatives, who has just commenced hearings preparatory to a downward revision, is a smooth-faced, smooth-spoken, practical man from Alabama. He is said to know about all that is worth knowing on tariff matters, and he will need it all, to escape the rocks in lowering the tariff in a high protectionist country like the United States.

Mr. John Stephen Willison, formerly editor of The Globe, and the author of that monumental work "Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Liberal Party," is a journalist well known in Canada and Britain. He was born in Huron county, Ontario, in 1856, and is at present editor of The Toronto News and the Canadian correspondent of The London Times. The honor of knighthood is said to have been conferred on him at the personal request of Mr. Borden.

Mr. Wm. Gillies Ross, the new Chairman of the Montreal Harbor Board, is one of the best known financiers of the city and is proud of being born there. He is almost fifty years of age and has been prominent in financial circles ever since he was twenty years of age. There is scarcely an industrial, manufacturing or financial concern of any magnitude in the city with which he is not connected. This necessarily busy life has not, however, taken all his time, for he has always been a keen amateur athlete and interested in hospital work.

Hon. W. T. White, Canada's Minister of Finance, is said to be engaged in the study of the tariff with the view of preparing a schedule to satisfy the demands of the protectionists, who materially helped to elect the present Government, for increased duties and at the same time not unduly antagonize the consumers. Mr. White is the son of a Halton county farmer, is said to have been a Liberal at one time, served in Toronto's Assessment Department several years and then became Manager and Vice-President of the National Trust Company, from which he retired on accepting a position in the Cabinet. He is only forty-six years of age.

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Grain Growers, Head Deplores Loss of Market

ADDRESS OF ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT AT ANNUAL CONVENTION AT BRANDON.

Brandon, Man., January 10.—"We are well convinced that had our trade relations with the market to the south of us been opened up along the lines marked out in our farmers bill of rights, it would have resulted in the placing of millions of dollars in the pockets of our farmers this year. Millions which could have been used to good advantage in meeting obligations which at this moment are pressing very heavily upon us, and under which not a few are being driven out of business. We record our most emphatic determination to press this issue still further. Nothing less than an open market to the south of us will satisfy us."

The above declaration by R. C. Henders, president of the Manitoba Grain Growers' Association, was made in his address at the opening of the tenth annual convention of the association, which took place at Brandon. There was a time, Mr. Henders added, when he took the ground that a tariff to help infant industries might be beneficial and that a tariff for revenue purposes seemed also to have some commendable features about it.

"The experiences through which we have passed," he affirmed, "in the development of this country during the past twenty-five years, have demonstrated beyond all doubt the utter fallacy of all such teachings." Five hundred delegates from all parts of the province are attending the convention.

World's Largest Liner Will Sail on Her Maiden Voyage May 7

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Church for Men Only; Reason Hats

TOO MUCH MILLINERY CAUSES PROPOSAL TO HAVE SERVICES FOR HATLESS SEX.

Wellsburg, W. Va., Jan. 6.—The churchmen of this city are up in arms and say the time has come to assert themselves. The trouble is all over the latest creations of the milliner's art. Following a request some weeks ago made by the male attendants, the ministers in the city churches requested the ladies to remove their hats during service. The women decided they would do as they pleased about it, which in effect amounted to nothing.

When this ultimatum was delivered to the male churchgoers, the leaders got together and urged the holding of services with congregations made up solely of men. The leaders say the new order of things will begin next Sunday, and they believe it will become popular and be adopted all over the country.

FREDERICTON, Jan. 9.—The session of the Legislature Assembly will be formally opened in this city on Thursday, the 13th day of February. This morning the Provincial Government who opened their monthly meeting here last evening, decided that the date of the opening of the session would be as stated and they feel that it will now be possible to go through with the session of the Legislature and have the House prorogued before Good Friday, which comes on March 21st.

DISCOURAGED

"Have you any crackers of any kind?" asked one of an automobile party as he entered a little store by the roadside nine miles from the nearest town.

"No, I'm jest out o' crackers," was the reply; "I had some last week, but a man came here the other day and bought all I had—darn it all! Seems like as soon as I lay in a stock of anything someone comes along and buys it all o' me, an' I got to bother round gettin' more."

"Have you any sardines?"

"Not one. I got a dozen boxes a couple o' months ago, but some fellows on a fishin' tour comes along the other day an' bought the last two boxes—plague take 'em! Seems as though I can't keep nothin' on hand for my customers!"

"Well, have you any oranges or fruit of any other kind?"

"No, I ain't. I got half a box o' oranges two or three weeks ago an' a auto load o' people came along an' grabbed up the last of 'em the other day. I told 'em that if they tuk 'em all I'd jest have to git some more, an' I'd a good mind not to let 'em have 'em."

"My wife wants a spool of white thread. Have you any?"

"Sold the last spool I had Saturday. I tell ye, this keepin' store is mighty discouragin' business. Soon as you lay in a lot o' stuff some one comes in an' buys it all off'n you an' you got to hustle around an' git more. A man come in this mornin' an' bought the last bit o' cheese I had, an' here I was 'lowin' on havin' it last a couple o' weeks yet. It discourages me so sellin' things as soon as I git 'em on the shelves that I've a good mind to sell out an' go back to farmin' where you ain't pestered the way you are when you keep sto'. I'm plum discouraged!"

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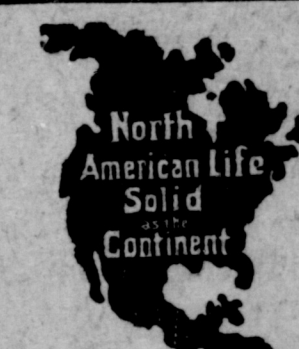
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