

NEWS OF SPORT.

Maupas Awarded Third Prize West Point and Annapolis Play Tie Game Six Day Bicycle Race Ring Notes.

The following communication was received last night: MONTREAL, Dec. 3. Sporting Editor Daily Sun: Hardy wrestles Gilbert Thursday. Schnable having defaulted at St. John has been disqualified and Maupas awarded third prize by Canadian Athletic Club.

DR. GADBOIS, Secretary. BASKET BALL LEAGUE.

The basket ball league of St. Peter's Y. M. C. open in their own gymnasium this evening. Two games will be played. The first is between the New-union's Capt. Downey, and the Indian Capt. Buckley. The second game will be between the Shamrocks, Capt. Menden, and the Colts, Capt. McMillan. The first game will start at 8 o'clock. Both games will be refereed by John Barry. Ten teams will form this league, and games will be played throughout the winter season.

FOOTBALL.

PRINCETON, Dec. 2.—Army, six; Navy, six. The Navy briefly tells the story of the Annapolis and West Point football games played on Osborne field today. The contest particularly was one of the most exciting ever played between the two academies. It also was the most brilliant football event this season.

From all sections of the United States came distinguished spectators. President Roosevelt and other notables were present. Seated in the centre respectively of the east and west grounds were the cadets of West Point and the midshipmen of Annapolis. Every play made by their teams was eagerly watched. There were uproarious cheers for the quick, dashing runs, and sighs for the attempts which failed. But the dashing runs were few. Once Yorney got away for a pretty run of 35 yards which brought the army spectators to their feet and Decker on 35 occasions electrified the navy adherents by almost getting away from the entire army eleven. Only the slippery condition of the field prevented Decker from doing some remarkable work. His frequently got beyond the line but as he returned to circle the end the treacherous turf played an important part in the army and Decker would be pounced upon before he could regain a foothold.

SIX DAYS' BICYCLE RACE HAS STARTED. NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The thirteenth annual international six-day bicycle race was started at Madison Square Gardens at midnight with sixteen teams of two riders each competing. Five of the teams are composed of foreigners, and many of the riders who kipped brilliantly for Annapolis this afternoon sent the spiral high in the air. The navy carried the ball back to the navy goal so that in distance it had traveled not more than five yards. West Point secured the ball

and soon carried it over for a touchdown. A West Point player was responsible for the tie game. On an exchange of kicks within ten minutes of the close of play, the navy had the ball near midfield. Howard sent a beautiful punt back of the West Point goal. As the navy eleven started down the field an army man was detected by Umpire Wren holding one of the navy players. As a penalty the ball was brought back and given to the navy on the army's 20 yard line. In a last desperate effort Annapolis placed the ball on West Point's 15 yard line. They lost it, but the army was forced to kick. Again the navy got the ball on the army's 40 yard line and carried it down the field for 20 yards. Here they kicked and Johnson fumbled. An Annapolis player was on the ball in a flash. At this point Douglas was sent in at left half back and Smith at full back for Annapolis. The change had a bracing effect on the navy eleven. With renewed ferocity and a determination that would not be denied, they carried the ball over for a touchdown. Norton, who had replaced Decker, kicked the goal. It was so dark that only the players and referee could see whether the ball had gone between the posts. When the midshipmen in the stands were told that the score had been tied their enthusiasm was unbounded. They threw their caps, flags and anything they could grasp that was movable, into the air. They did not cease jubilation until the result of the conference between the captains was made known.

During the excitement incidental to the navy's touchdown, the president, who had kept his eyes riveted on the game from the beginning, left his seat in the army stand and accompanied by President Woodrow Wilson, several secret service men, Secretary Loeb and a half dozen policemen, walked briskly from the grounds. He went directly to his special train and later left for Washington.

President Roosevelt was the attraction at the game. The demonstration accorded the chief of the nation when he entered the field and also the thunderous cheering which greeted him between the halves as he left his seat in the stand and walked across the gridiron to the army stand were hearty and spontaneous. The president was apparently gratified at the hearty reception.

As there are very few fighters in the ring today, it looks as if the white race will continue to hold the ropes and in the preliminary bouts of the Philadelphia clubs give him a chance to figure in the bouts, but only at rare intervals. HOW FITZ IS GOING TO WIN. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—I am going to win my fight with Philadelphia Jack O'Brien next month by knocking him out with a punch to the jaw. The blow will land when we are at close quarters. I have won many

SICK HEADACHE

Many varieties of headache exist, those most prevalent being sick or bilious headache, nervous headache, headache from constipation, etc. Headache is an effect of disease, the cry of the suffering body for relief from some depressing disorder. Undoubtedly the cause must be removed in order to cure the headache permanently. Wrong action of the stomach, liver or bowels is responsible for nine out of ten cases of headache.

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HELD BY WHITE MEN.

All the titles in the various fighting classes are now held by white men. Six years ago it was different. At that time the featherweight, lightweight and welterweight divisions were divided up among colored men, Dixon, Gans and Joe Walcott. All these have since passed out of the game and their laurels have reverted to white men. Abe Attell has succeeded Dixon, Nelson has replaced Gans, while there is a fight on to succeed Walcott.

FIGHTERS ARRANGED LONG TOUR. Tommy Ryan, middleweight champion, who has been a factor in the pugilistic game for nearly 20 years, has fallen a victim to the stage. During all the years that Ryan has been before the public he has always fought shy of the footlights, although many tempting offers have been made him. Lately Ryan took under his management Marvin Hart, the heavyweight, and by the terms arranged Ryan and Hart will tour the world under the business management of Jack Curley, the Chicago fight manager. Shayne and Houseman, the theatrical booking agents, will direct the movements and dates for a 75 States and Canada, both England, Scotland, Hawaiian Islands and every spot on the globe where the fight game is known, finally ending at San Francisco.

NEW NAIL WORKS WILL BE BUILT

Eben Perkins Leaves the Maritime

Eben Perkins, who has been manager of the Maritime Nail Works since the business was first organized in 1864, has resigned his position. His resignation, he desires, will take effect as soon as possible.

THE OLD MADRID SWINDLE AGAIN.

W. F. Hyman of Burton is Offered the Chance of His Life.

The following letters are self-explanatory. The second is simply the old Madrid swindle in a slightly different form, the change probably being due to the fact that the fraud consists of or how the scheme is worked, there may be more of your readers than myself that would be interested in learning.

YOUTHFUL SAILOR WILL PROBABLY RETIRE

Albert County Lad Shipwrecked After Few Hours on Sea—Hopewell Hill News.

HOPWELL HILL, N. B., Dec. 2.—Albert Steeves, the fourteen-year-old son of J. W. Steeves, of Hopewell Hill, home, may possibly have some thrilling tales of the sea and a deeper appreciation for his own freestone, for he has now a shipwrecked sailor. Albert has for some time had a deep-seated dislike for school life, and an uncontrollable desire to see the outside world. About a month ago on a Monday morning, when ostensibly making a start for school, he borrowed a rifle and sought the shades of the friendly forests, and when next heard of was about 25 miles away, and with thoughts of going still further. After a good deal of inconvenience he was brought back, but last week he again heard the call of the wild—this time the wild sea, and when next heard of he was twenty miles away, and after about eight hours of a life on the ocean wave had the experience of being wrecked with the Moncton packet, Avila Park on the rock-bound coast of Nova Scotia. Albert's first voyage, will probably be his last.

CLOUSTON WILL HOLD BOTH OFFICES

MONTREAL, Dec. 3.—It is understood that at a meeting of the directors of the Bank of Montreal tomorrow Lord Strathcona's resignation as president will be tendered and accepted, his lordship being elected to the recently created position of honorary president. It is possible that Sir George Drummond will succeed Strathcona, while General Manager Clouston will become vice president as well as general manager. Clouston will have to be elected to the board, thus ending all talk of a new director representing the maritime provinces being named.

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THRILLING RESCUE OF CREW OF SCH. URBAIN W.

The schooner Urban W., which left Parrboro on the 27th ult., with a cargo of coal for Bridgetown, in charge of Capt. W. H. Smith, struck on a ledge near the breakwater. Port George and became a total wreck. During Monday afternoon there was a moderate breeze from the N. E., but about 4 p. m. the wind freshened and veered to N. N. W., and at midnight was hidden in a fog. A launch, with a crew of four men, was sent to the schooner to see if it was possible to raise the schooner. The launch was unable to do so, and returned to the shore. The schooner was now rapidly filling, and the pumps being tried it was found that the water was gaining rapidly, and it became necessary to keep her off before the wind. By the time Port George light was again sighted the vessel had become unmanageable and it was impossible to bring in. The schooner was now rapidly filling, and the pumps being tried it was found that the water was gaining rapidly, and it became necessary to keep her off before the wind. By the time Port George light was again sighted the vessel had become unmanageable and it was impossible to bring in. The schooner was now rapidly filling, and the pumps being tried it was found that the water was gaining rapidly, and it became necessary to keep her off before the wind. By the time Port George light was again sighted the vessel had become unmanageable and it was impossible to bring in.

MONCTON SCOTT ACT CASES.

MONCTON, Dec. 2.—Scott Act Officer Chappell one day last week collected \$200 in Scott Act fines. Police Magistrate Kay's denunciation of the city council for making the Scott Act a machine for licensing saloons to run all

times of day and night does not appear to have stayed the hands of the officers in collecting first offense fines nor to have spared them on to a more drastic course.

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