SEASONABLE SPORTS.

Peep Into the World of Base Ball, Racing, Golf, Bowling and Athletic Sports Generally.

HOCKEY.

REGARDING NEW GLABGOW.

The Westville Free Lance commenting on the hockey situation, says—As regards New Glasgow we trust that reinstatement will be arramged at once. The boys were anxious to measure themselves with the Montreal champions. They did so and made a creditable showing. As far as professionalism is concerned were the New Glasgow team transgressors? Take those who are left, Amoerst, Truro, Wanderers, Crescents, and Windsor, are they immauclate, and clothed in the pure white linen of amateurism? We have our doubts. Ask whom you will the same question and the answer is an incredulous smile. Ask any Amherst man and he will solemnly wink at you.

The County League is effected also by the the suspension of the N. G. A. A. We trust the tangle will be straightened out and that right speedily. It is a serious matter for genial George Mason, proprietor of the New Glasgow rink, and also we prsume for the Treasurer of the pionshio had been won by any one of "Reptile Fund."

Supposing the Provincial Championship had been won by any one of the other five teams would they have gone to Montreal? Rather. Such being the case we submit that the embargo should be raised, that reinstatement be proceeded with at once and that the dove of peace be let loose over the hockey sphere of influence of the M. P. A. A. A.

FRANK BR[illegible] OUT OF THE GAME.

The Moncton Transcript says:

The Victorias will probably be with out the services of Frank Brown, the clever point player for the whole of the present season, his physical condition being such that it is very unlikely that he will be able to turn out at all this season.

Frank had been unable to practice with the Victorias this year, having been able to get out just previous to Christmas, after being confined to the house for some weeks with a lame back, the after results of playing football on a field inches deep in water against the U. N. B.

A few days ago he went to Amherstto spend a few days at his home and went down to the pond, without skates, to have a little hockey practice. He s[illegible] the puck around a few times and on going home, was seized with severe pains in his back. Medical advice was consulted and a thorough examination made, and the verdict given that Frank's chances of being able to play this winter were very slim.

Moncton hockey fans will hear with the deepest regret of the popular player's hard luck, and will extend him all kinds of good wishes for a speedy recovery. His absence will make a vacancy on the team hard to fill and for the winter at least Moncton loses the cleverest defence man playing hockey in Lower Canada at the present time.

Jack Brown will probably take his brother's place at point this year. He has been practising that position for [illegible] couple of weeks and has been displaying splendid form.

Stoyles is likely to be played at [illegible] first games which the Victorias play.

(Frank's many friends here will all join in wishing him a speedy recovery.)

THE TURF.

NEW ORLEANS RACES.

New Orleans, Jan. 11.—Old Father Time cut a deep nick in the races today at the City Park track when Colloquy smashed the track record for five and a half furlongs, reducing the time from 1.06 2-5 to 1.05 1-5.

The daughter of Russell gave a performance that was distinctly first class. Opposed by Glamor and Charlie Eastman, two of the fastest sprinters at the track, she cut out a pace from the start that made her opponents leg weary. Before half the journey was covered Colloquy had her chief competitors badly beaten. They were five lengths behind and dropping further to the rear with every stride. Under a pull Colloquy continued to hold her lead. She steadily improved her advantage and finished eight lengths in front.

The race won by Juggler was another fast one. Although no record was broken, he ran the race in 1.39 1-5—one of the fastest races of the meeting. Juggler was in his best racing mood, and the pace he maintained from start to finish was so fast that Minnie [illegible], the champion filly of the W[illegible] was completely outpaced. She did not fancy the hot clip and, unable to secure the lead in the first quarter, sulked and finished last. Juggler was never caught and won by a length, pulled up.

Bookmaker Sam Most and Trainer C. C. Martin, found guilty last year of trying to "fix" a race and ruled off the turf, have applied for reinstatement to the American Turf Association, which is in session here.

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Paul and Roy Rainey, the rich Cleveland turfmen, are exerting their influence to have the men restored to good standing. The case was referred back to the stewards of the New Orleans Jockey Club, who were responsible for the ruling against the men, for recommendation. The request of George Ham, who applied to have the ban against him lifted, was laid on the table.

THE RING

MURPHY AND HERMAN.

New York, Jan. 12.—Thanks to the good work he did at Philadelphia on Wednesday night against Young Corbett. Harlem Tommy Murphy is now beginning to feel the waves of prosperity surging around him. Yesterday he received an offer from Manager Riley of the Casino Athletic club of Tonopah, Nev., of a $10,000 purse to meet Kid Herman, the Chicago youth who very recently divided a $20,000 purse with Joe Gans taking the short end, of course.

Tommy Murphy, like the good boy he has always been, hied himself away to the wilds of Hicksville, L. I., as soon as possible after his fight with Corbett, and Johnny Oliver, his manager, is now doing his talking. Oliver said yesterday that Murphy would be quite willing to meet Kid Herman, and that he was ready at any time to talk business with Manager Riley.

Riley is now in Chicago, where he is undoubtedly in touch with Herman This seems evident from the fact that Riley's wire to the East stated that the fight was to be for $10,000 purse, the fighters weighing in at the ringside, 133 pounds, on March 18. Ordinarily the promoter would allow the weight to be settled by the fighters themselves, but with a bit of promoting by Herman, Riley might have slapped this additional detail in.

The chances are that if these two fighters ever come together on this offer the split will be 60 and 40 per cent., which would probably give both of them a larger sum than any promoter in the United States would offer them now. Under such circumstances Murphy and Hermand would be foolish to turn down the offer. Of course Johnny Oliver, with the wisdom and forethought of the good manager, have made his acceptance conditional on the payment of travelling expenses to Tonopan by the promoters.

Riley has also announced that the date has been set for the meeting between Joe Gans and Jimmy Britt. Instead of fighting on March 17, which would be a Sunday, they will meet on March 16.

M. M. Riley telegraphed as follows from Tonopah, Nevada, Saturday:

"Wait Mellody and Lewis. The proposition is this: If they can agree on weight will offer same size purse as for Ryan-Kelly and Herman Murphy bouts. Also transportation both ways, training quarters and gymnasium while here. If this looks good wire me at once. Am not advertising Tonopah, but trying to make some money for my club. As we are going to hold eight fights here on March 16, can't afford to put any big money into purses."

Manager John Mooney said that he would prefer to have either Gardner or Mike Sullivan as the opponent for Mellody as he thought that they were more entitled to go after the welterweight championship than Lewis, but as he was open to meet whoever the club selected would accept for Mellody and the following was wired back to the mining promoter:

"Mellody agrees to meet Lewis, Gardner or Sullivan at 135 pounds at 3 o'clock for the welterweight title.

Awaiting articles.

It is evident that Manager Riley has not selected his full card for his fighting carnival, but for welterweights has picked out Lewis and Mellody if he can get them to sign, at the same time keeping in touch with Gardner and Sullivan, till he gets the boys in line, and then will be ready to flash the articles, and the match will be wound up.

The eight fights Manager Riley mentions in his dispatch probably mean the four bouts, including Gans and Britt, Kelly and Ryan or Joe Thomas and Herman-Tommy Murphy, with a preliminary affair tied to each.

BIG SHIP BUILDING DEAL.

British Firms Mafi Move Part of Their Plants to the Pacific Coast.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 13.—Negotiations, it is just learned, have been in progress for over a yebr, and conducted by Fowler, Perks, and Company, one of the biggest firms of brokers in London, which will probably result in some of the ship-building firms of the Tyne and the Clyde transporting a portion of their plant and a large force of workmen to this coast.

The plan is to consolidate the British Columbia Marine Railway, the Vancouver Engineering Works, the New Westminister Foundry and the big holdings of iron and coal lands on the west coast into one concern. This will include a floating dry dock for Vancouver, the ultimate intention being to build steel vessels at Esquimault.

Mr. H. F. Bullen of this city, left recently for England in connection with the project.

HEALTH HINTS.

If troubled with chapped lips or hands, try mutton suet. Melt the suet on the stove; pour off, and let harden. Cut into cakes, and apply at night, first warming the suet over a lamp or stove. Rub in well.

Hot Sandbags.—A sandbag is said to be greatly superior to a hot-water bag. Get some clean, fine sand, dry it thoroughly in the oven, put in a woollen bag, sew tightly, then place in another bag, of cotton or linen. The bag may be heated on a board in the oven, and the sand holds the heat for a long time.

To break up a bad cold at the start take a hot mustard bath and go to bed, being careful not to take more cold afterwards. Flax seed tea, with plenty of lemon juice and sugar in it will be found very beneficial for the hard cough. Equal parts of honey olive oil, and home made wine is also a useful remedy.

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GERMAN OFFICER'S JOKE ON KAISER.

He Drinks Approvingly of French Champagne Poured from Different Bottles.

Berlin, Jan. 14.—The Kaiser's reated efforts to repress the sybaritism of German military officers seems to have had little effect, and His Majesty is credited with having issued fresh orders that they abandon their luxury and simplify their mode of life. He lately messed with the officers of a smart lancer regiment at Pottsram, who thought they would honor their imperial guest by a sumptuous dispaly of delicacies and wines, including a variety of the costliest French champagnes. His Majesty did not throw a damper on his entertainers by a personal rebuke, but he consequently issued an order through the Minister of War that he wished all such luxuries stopped, and directing that when even he was a guest of the officers of any regiment the menu be limited to soup, fish, vegetables, a joint, butter and cheese, with only one kind of red red or wine punch, and a single glass of champagne. There must be no liquors or other after-dinner beverages. There is a story, however, that the Kaiser, since the order was issued, was the guest of the Grenadier Guards, and that he drank with gusto French champagne that was poured from a bottle with a German label. He assured his hosts approvingly that German champagne was quite good enough for anybody, and that it was gratifying to the palate as the French product.

TOLL TO WILD BEASTS.

India's Great Death Roll from Snake Bites.

The number of persons killed in India in 1905 by wild beasts was 2,054 as against 2,157 in the previous year and the number of deaths reported from snake bites (21,797) is also a little smaller than that of 1904.

A feature of the 1905 returns is the increase in the number of deaths, both of human beings and cattle, attributed to leopards. It is suggested by a writer in Bailey's Magazine that these beasts seek their prey more readily than they used to do in the neighborhood of villages. The fact that more licenses to possess firearms were held in 1905 than in the previous year may be noticed; but it has long been recognized that it is impossible to discover any relation between the number of firearms in native hands and the number of deaths from wild beasts.

During 1905 more dangerous wild beasts were killed than in 1904. The official figures are: Tigers, 1,355, leopards, 4,811, bears, 2,236, wolves, 2,016 and hyenas, 554.

Well-known man-eating tigers were killed in several districts. A regular crusade against wolves has been carried an in parts of the central provinces, where these brutes are most numerous and most troublesome.

To the success of the campaign no doubt may be attributed the great decrease in the number of persons killed by wolves—in 1904, 244; in 1905, only 153.

Before dismissing this subject it is worth noting that the Bengal government in September last offered a special reward of Rs. 200 for a man-eating tiger which killed seven persons last year in Goilkera Forest, Singbuhm district. The ordinary reward for a tiger is Rs. 40.

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FOUND A RACE OF BLACK HEBREWS.

Mr. Oliver Bainbridge Describes Circumstances of a Jewish People He Discovered in New GUINEA.

A race of "black Jews is announced by Mr. Oliver Bainbridge, traveller, scientist, explorer and author, who is in Montreal and is to lecture there on the discovery he made on a recent visit to New Guinea.

Mr. Bainbridge, a young man, apparently little more than thirty, has travelled in many lands studying aboriginal races, and he is a member of many learned societies whose shelves have been enriched by his researches. Talking at the Windsor yesterday of the black Jews, whom he found in British New Guinea, on the shores of the Gulf of Papua, Mr. Bainbridge said that although they had the unquestionable Jewish physiognomy and observed certain Hebrew practices, they were, as regards environment and general habits of life, in no respect superior to the savage tribes by whom the other parts of the island are inhabited.

"Here," said Mr. Bainbridge, "is remarkable proof that the Jews pitched their tents in distant lands. These people, in their habits, still adhere to portions of the Mosaic law. These are preserved in hieroglyphic characters. They avoid the use of pork and insist on abstinence from animal food at certain periods which correspond with the Jewish fasts."

The fact of these dark-skinned Jews having been found, Mr. Bainbridge, who has devoted much time to ethnological studies, regards as helping to the elucidation of the color problem of the different races of mankind. The most eminent living authority on the subject holds that originally there was no distinction in the human family, of black, red, brown, white or yellow, but that the color came from the influence of climate operating on a sub-cutaneous pigment.

The fact that there has been amongst these New Guinea Jews unmistakable evidence of retrogression would seem to prove that even the most advanced races degenerate and lapse into practical savagery, and that advancement in the scale of civilization depends on conditions and environment.

RUSSIA'S ROBIN HOOD.

Shot in Caucasus by Order of Field Court Martial.

The Daily Graphic gives the following story of Russian atrocities.

The field court martial has penetrated even the peaceful district of Scotchi, the Caucasian Riviera, where three natives have just been executed. The sentences have produced a most painful impression, says the Central News, on the many strangers who visit the beautiful spot, as well as upon the natives, more especially in the case of one of the men, George Eequainia, who was particularly popular. He was exiled to Siberia for robberies committed eleven years ago but, escaping thence, had lived in the mountains, where he played the part of Robin Hood. He was known as "the good robber" the people declaring that he only robbed the rich to give the spoils to the poor. Every effort was made to save the unfortunate man and several ladies personally visited the governor general, to beg for an adjournment of the execution for a day, hoping in the meantime to petition the Emperor by telegram for reprieves, but the officials were obdurate and the sentences were ruthlessly carried out.

Last August a rural policeman was assassinated at the door of the Drostenhof church in the Baltic provinces A detachment of soldiers which arrived on the spot shortly after, seized and shot three men on the doorstep of the church where the policeman had been murdered. These men, a father and a son, named Shulmeyster, and the schoolmaster, Shiron, were perfectly innocent and the real murderer was recently caught and has just been shot by the church porch where he killed his victim.

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The Real Glutton.

Benevolent Old Lady (to little boy in street)—Why—why, little boy, how did you ever get such a black eye? Small Boy—Me and Sammy Jones was fightin' for an apple in school, an' he smashed me. Benevolent Old Lady—Dear, dear, and which glutton got the apple? Small Boy—Teacher, ma'am.

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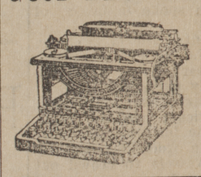

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