Happenings in the World of Sport Brightly Told Of

RESULT OF YESTERDAY'S SHOOTING AT SUSSEX

Capt. Smith Wins the Prince of Wales Cup and E. F. Gladwin the Association Match---The 62nd Get the Sinclair Cup.

Sussex, N. B., Aug. 19.—The range was crowded with leading shots of the province all day and the presence of many of the fair sex lent additional interest to the proceedings. What promised to be an ideal day for shooting—the wind in early stages being light and gusty—turned out to be a hard one on the shooters. By 1 o'clock the wind freshened to a marked degree and became tricky and for a time it looked as if rain would spoil the afternoon scores.

In the big Association match—one of the most important of the meeting—the shooting was away off on the 200 yards range, and leading shots made small scores at this distance. Getting back to the 500 and 600 yards ranges the shooting improved wonderfully and some fairly respectable cards were turned in although Gladwin's 93 is not a first class score under the conditions, which, up to the end of this match, were all that could be desired.

The team prize in this competition was won by the Moncton rifle club, with a score of 291, much to the disgust of the members of the St. John Rifle Club, whose members made 304 but, through an error, their entry was overlooked.

The full results in the Domville match are:

	Points.
Pte. S. J. Burlock, 67th, cup and $10..	65
Sgt. A. Mears, St. Andrews, R. A. ..	63
Sgt. J. L. Archibald, 3rd R. C. A.	63
Maj. O. W. Wentmore, 74th	62
A. R. Jardine, Moncton	62
Capt. W. E. Forbes, 73rd.....	61
A. G. Staples, St. John.....	61
Capt. A. B. Maggs, 74th.....	61
H. A. Chandler, Moncton.....	61
F. Price, Grand Falls.....	60
Sgt. A. L. Campbell.....	60
Sgt. J. S. Downey, 62nd.....	60
W. J. Kennedy, St. John.....	59
E. B. Haggerty, Moncton.....	58
J. S. Frost, 62nd.....	58
D. Conley, St. John.....	58
F. A. Dustin, St. Stephen.....	58
A. R. Boss, Moncton.....	57
Sgt. A. L. McIntosh, 3rd R. C. A....	57
Pte. C. McIsaac, Engineers.....	57
Sgt. S. W. Smith, 67th.....	56
Capt. E. A. Smith, R. O.....	56
Pte. B. R. Clark, 67th.....	56
Maj. J. M. Kinnear, R. O.....	56
J. L. White, Grand Falls.....	56
Sgt. H. H. Bartlett, 78th.....	55
Maj. G. S. Kinnear, 8th Hus.....	55
G. O. Maggs, Sussex.....	55
J. C. Sampson, St. John.....	55
R. S. Freeze, Sussex.....	55
J. F. Dustan, St. Stephen.....	55
Tyros.	
G. A. Dickson, St. John.....	55
H. H. McAdam, St. John.....	53
H. Crandlemere, 67th.....	53
J. Donnoly, St. John.....	52
W. R. Campbell, Moncton.....	51

In the Association match shot this morning, the winners were:—

	Pts.
E. F. Gladwin, St. John, cup and $10.	93
Sgt. J. G. Sullivan.....	92
Lieut. D. R. Chandler.....	92
F. Price	91
F. A. Dustan.....	90
Sgt. H. A. Chandler.....	89
Sgt. A. L. McIntosh.....	89
Capt. W. E. Forbes.....	89
H. Sullivan	89
F. Tompkins	89
Capt. H. E. Golding.....	88
Capt. J. Manning.....	87
W. J. Kennedy.....	87
Maj. J. S. Frost.....	87
A. Langstroth	87
J. L. White	87
Maj. H. Perley.....	86
B. Stewart	85
R. S. Freeze.....	85
Maj. G. S. Kinnear.....	85
Maj. J. L. McAvity.....	85
Capt. E. A. Smith.....	85
Sgt. J. T. Downey.....	84
Sgt. J. F. Archibald.....	84
B. C. McIsaac.....	84
A. R. Jardine	84
Sgt. D. L. Campbell.....	84
Maj. O. W. Wetmore.....	84
Pte. A. H. Bartlett.....	83
Lieut. F. A. Good.....	83
G. A. Mowatt	83
A. G. Staples	83
S. Jones	82
Sgt. S. W. Smith	82
Sgt. D. W. Freeze.....	82
A. Mears	82
Capt. N. J. Morrison.....	81
D. Conley	81
Pte. B. R. Clark.....	80
Maj. S. B. Anderson	80
Maj. J. H. McRobbie.....	80
J. Donnely	80
Tyros.	
F. M. Merritt	79
J. F. Dustan	79
J. H. McRobbie	79
H. H. McAdam	77
A. R. Boss	76

The McLean match this afternoon saw the downfall of many good shots. The results were not posted tonight but the four leaders were:—

S. W. Smith, Mt. Pleasant R. A.....	47
S. J. Burlock, Mt. Pleasant R. A.....	46
Sgt. J. G. Sullivan, St. John.....	45
Murray Gamblin, Sussex	44

This match was at 1,000 yards, 10 shots and the tricky wind played havoc with some of the combatants.

S. J. Burlock, Mount Pleasant R. A. is making excellent showing. He has won the Domville cup and in the shoot-off with Mr. Dustan captured the Kinnear plate which now becomes his property. He is second in the McLean match.

The Sinclair cup for teams entered in the association match was won by the 62nd team, of St. John, who became owners, having taken it twice in succession.

Captain E. A. Smith, of St. John, won the Prince of Wales cup. He and W. J. Kennedy tied at 63 on Tuesday but Kennedy did not appear for the shoot off. The Prince of Wales scores were:—

W. J. Kennedy, St. John R. C., $18...	63
Capt. E. A. Smith (tie) cup.....	63
D. Connelly, St. John, $7.....	62
J. G. Sullivan, St. John, ..6.....	61
R. S. Semple, Brighton Engineers, $5..	61
Lieut. D. R. Chandler, 74th, $5.....	60
Capt. Forbes, 73rd, $5.....	60
L. R. Clark, 67th, $4.....	59
H. A. Chandler, Moncton, $4.....	59
Capt. H. E. Golding, 74th, $4.....	59
Maj. J. H. McRobbie, 8th Hussars, $4.	54
M. B. Stewart, Moncton, $4.....	59
Maj. G. S. Kinnear, 8th Hussars, $3..	58
Pte. W. Cradlimire, 67th, $3.....	58
Maj. O. Q. Wetmore, 74th, $3.....	58
Mr. F. Price, Grand Falls, $3.....	58
Lieut. Alsood, 67th, $3.....	58
Capt. James Manning, R. O., $3.....	58
Pte. E. B. McIsaac, Engineer, $3.....	58
Mr. E. B. Haggerty, Moncton, $2.....	57
Capt. N. J. Morrison, St.John R.C., $2.	57
Pte. E. F. Tompkins, 67th, $2.....	56
A. R. Jardine, Moncton, $2.....	56
Sgt. J. F. Archibald, 3rd R. C., $2....	56
C. A. Estey Grand Falls, $2.....	56
Maj. J. L. McAvity, 62nd, $2.....	55
Mr. G. A. Mowatt, St.Andrews R.C.,$2	55
Mr. R. S. Freeze, Sussex R. C., $2....	55
Mr. H. Sullivan, St. John R. C., $2....	55
Capt. J. S. Frost, 62nd, $2.....	55
Mr. J. L. White, Grand Falls, $2.....	54
Mr. H. A. McAdam, St. Stephen, $2..	54
Mr. J. F. Dustan, St. Stephen, $2.....	54
Mr. J. Donnelly, St. John, $2.....	53
Mr. W. R. Campbell, Moncton, $2....	53

"AMATEUR" BALL TO BE LOOKED INTO

Montreal Teams Use Term "as an Ornament"---C. A. A. U. to Grapple With the Matter.

Montreal, Aug. 20.—The state into which so-called "amateur" ball has got itself in regard to amateurism has been a topic of conversation among sporting men for a long time. Recently, however, the subject has received the attention of some of the men in authority. Before very long it will undoubtedly be sufficiently before the general public to warrant the application to it of the term, "a real live topic." The question will probably be threshed out before the opening of the season next year.

It is well known that with many of the Canadian ball clubs and leagues the word "amateur" is nothing short of an ornament, and sometimes a blind. It is quite generally used in many cases, in conjunction with professionalism, either open or partially hidden. The term, as largely used to-day, simply seems as a distinction between those local boys who play ball and those men hired by the Eastern League Ball Clubs, who make their living at the business. The spirit of money-making in both cases is identical.

Now comes a hint of the drawing of a line. From a remark dropped by one of the governors of the C. A. A. U., the amateur standing of the players in the city and other senior baseball leagues throughout Canada is being quietly investigated by the Registration Committee of that body. From what the gentleman hinted, there is a probability that the players in these leagues will be refused registration by the C. A. A. U. In that event, they would be unable to enter into any amateur competition held under the auspices of the governing union. Many clubs and leagues are recognized as strictly amateur, and, of course, these would receive proper recognition in the event of action being taken.

BASEBALL ITEMS

National League.

At St. Louis—St. Louis-Philadelphia, rain.
At Pittsburg—Brooklyn, 4; Pittsburg, 0.
At Chicago—Chicago, 5; Boston, 1.
At Cincinnati—New York, 3; Cincinnati, 1.

American League.

At Washington—St. Louis, 4; Washington, 2. Second game—Washington, 4; St. Louis,1.
At New York—New York, 8; Detroit, 0.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 6; Chicago, 5.

New England League.

At Fall River—Fall River, 2; Haverhill, 1.
At Lowell—Lowell, 6; Worcester, 5 (10 inninge.)
At Lawrence—Brockton, 4; Lawrence, 1.
At New Bedford—Lynn, 7; New Bedford, 4.

Eastern League.

At Newark—Newark, 10; Montreal, 3. Second game—Newark, 5; Montreal, 2 (called end 7th, catch train.)
At Rochester—Rochester, 9; Buffalo, 1. Second game—Buffalo, 9; Rochester, 7.

Connecticut League.

At Meriden—Meriden, 9; Bridgeport, 3. Second game—Meriden, 4; Bridgeport, 3.
At Holyoke—Holyoke, 2; Hartford, 1. Second game—Hartford, 4; Holyoke, 3.

GIANTS FEAR CUBS ONLY SAYS M'GRAW.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 19.—The Giants were a crestfallen lot of athletes Monday. Saturday's victory came so easily that McGraw & Co. were confident of winning the entire series. Consequently, two triumphs were expected yesterday.

This tail end crew of John J. McCloskey's was being kicked and buffeted by everybody. The Giants were never in better form, and there wasn't a chance for a St. Louis victory while the Giants were in town. Now it's a different story after that double slaughter.

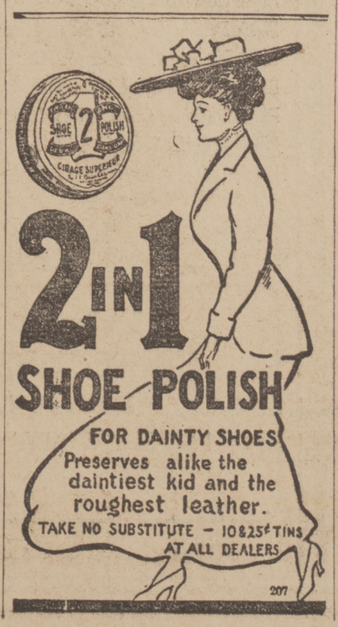
"That double defeat hurt," said Manager McGraw last night, "but we are in the race up to our necks. Chicago is the team I really fear. They, too, got whipped, and we're ahead of them. Philadelphia cannot possibly catch up, and we will make the Pirates dog it in the stretch. Poor pitching and poor fielding beat us. Don't for a minute think that we are out of the race, and that we are going to come back with any such doleful work as we put up yesterday.

PITCHER M'QUILLIN IS SUED FOR DIVORCE.

Paterson, N. J., Aug. 19.—George McQuillin, pitcher for the Philadelphia National League Club, is defendant in a suit for divorce started by his wife, who is living in this city. Mrs. McQuillin asks for alimony and maintenance for herself and 2-year-old child.

She alleges that she was 19 years old when she was married on Jan. 5, 1905. At that time the famous Quaker pitcher was 22. They had met at a ball game when McQuillin pitched in Paterson and they were married at the Third Presbyterian Church, this city.

The wife has received no support and has been compelled to go to the poormaster, and on one of McQuillin's visits to Paterson he was arrested and taken before the recorder and ordered to pay his wife $5 a week. Payment was made for a while and then stopped.



IRISH-CANADIANS TO BRING BACK ENGLISHMEN

Appleby and Duncan, Crack Runners to Come Over for Canadian Association's Field Day.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 19.—The I. C. A. C., with the object of working fresh interest into their athletic meet in the middle of September, are moving to bring out the English crack distance runners, Appleby and Duncan. These men have been written to, and Tom Flanagan thinks they will come. If they do they will run a race with Tom Longboat at any distance from ten to fifteen miles. Duncan, it will be remembered, is the Englishman who won the trial Marathon in England, and Fred. Appleby has been for years considered one of England's best distance men.

M. A. A. A. DIRECTORS BACK UP THEIR PRESIDENT IN LONGBOAT PROTEST.

Montreal, Aug. 19.—The M. A. A. A. directors at a meeting held Monday night passed the following resolution:

"That in view of the fact that Longboat did not compete in the Canadian Olympic trials and was not sent to the Olympic games by the Canadian Olympic Committee as one of the Canadian team, and also that he was at no time under the supervision of the manager of the team, Mr. J. H. Croker, that this board approve of Mr. Boyd's action in protesting, which was only done as a matter of protection, and considers that no part of the agreement, made between the two athletic bodies interested has been broken; and, further, that the said action was not taken at the instigation or suggestion of Mr. Jas. E. Sullivan, president of the Amateur Union of the United States, as reported in the press."

HARRY NILES JOINS RED SOX.

President John I. Taylor of the Red Sox has traded Frank Laporte for Harry Niles of the New York club. He will be used as utility infielder. Laporte will report immediately to New York.

The Red Sox secured Laporte from New York last winter in a deal that involved the departure of Hobe Ferris. The former second baseman of the Red Sox was swapped with Williams for Niles.

During the early part of the spring training season Laporte was slated for second. He injured his hand and this accident gave McConnell his chance. His sensational work forced McGuire to keep him at the bag and Laporte has been used as pinch hitter and utility infielder with marked success in all positions. During McConnell's recent layoff Frank Laporte has covered second finely.

Niles was the talk of the baseball world for the first half of last season. He was a the top of the list of batters, but suffered a big slump.

Weak women should try Dr. Shoop's Night Cure. These soothing, healing, antiseptic suppositories go direct to the seat of these weaknesses. My "Book No. 4 For Women" contains many valuable hints to women, and it is free. Ask Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., to mail it. Ask the Doctor in strictest confidence, any questions you wish answered. Dr. Shoop's Night Cure is sold by All Druggists.

Rev. J. B. Colwell and wife, of North River, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. G. Howard Prince, of Adelaide street.

YACHTING ON LABOR DAY

Cruise and Excursion---May Have Harbor Race in Exhibition Week.

The R. K. Y. C. racing season is now over, though most of the yachts will be in commission for two months yet. The next event in the programme is the Labor Day cruise and excursion to Bald Mountain. This trip will take three days, the yachts sailing from Millidgeville on Saturday, September 7th, assembling at Brown's Flats or the Devil's Back on Sunday, and climbing the mountain, and returning to Millidgeville on Monday.

The climax of the trip will be on Monday, when the yachtsmen will disembark and drive to the foot of the mountain and ascend it on foot. Several hours will be spent on the mountain, viewing the wide expanse of country from its summit, including field and forest, rivers and lakes and sea and islands. Included in the view are St. John and Fredericton, the St. River, the Kennebeccasis, the Belleisle, the Washademoak, and Grand Lake, Point Lepreaux, Grand Manan, the Nova Scotia coast and, far to the westward, the rocky coast of Maine.

On the return to the foot of the mountain teams will again be taken for the drive to the shore, where the yachts will be boarded for the sail to Millidgeville.

The committee in charge sent a circular to the captain of each yacht, asking him to enter his boat for the trip and to state the number of persons that he was taking with him, and assurances have been given that there would be a large fleet. As arrangements for teams have to be made well in advance, no entries for this cruise will be received after Friday, August 21. Any yacht owner who intends going on this outing is requested to mail his entry to J. H. Kimball on the card sent him for that purpose during the present week. No entries will be received after Friday, and no verbal entries will be received at any time.

Although the regular racing programme is complete, two special races may be arranged, a motor boat race to take place early in September and a yacht race on the harbor during exhibition week. Nothing definite has been done in regard to either as yet, though a number of the yachtsmen are anxious to have a race on salt water and, if arranged, there will probably be a good list of entries and an interesting race.

GOING TO JOB IN NEW YORK.

Toronto, August 19.—Thomas McAughry the West End Y. M. C. A. runner, who accomplished the feat of running the 775 miles from Toronto to New York in 11 days 22 hours, expects to go to New York next week as an officer in the 23rd Street Branch of the Y. M. C. A. He received several good offers of positions, while in New York, and preparations are under way to have him meet Hayes, the Marathon winner in a 25-mile race.

SHERIDAN AND KIELEY DRAWN.

Dungarven, August 19.—The weight contest, held here Monday between Martin J. Sheridan, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, and Thomas F. Kieley, the Irish jumper and weight-thrower, for the championship of Ireland, resulted in a draw. Kieley won the hammer throw and the 56-pound weight event, while Sheridan won the 16-pound shot put and the 25-pound weight event.

The schr. Melrose arrived at Everett, Washington, a few days ago from Petropavlovsk, Siberia, in charge of Capt. McCarron, a native of Charlottetown, P. E. I.

AMERICAN ATHLETES WELL USED IN ENGLAND

This is the Testimony of the Marathon Winner and Another Competitor---Sensational Press Reports Flatly Contradicted.

New York, Aug. 19.—"I have nothing to say against the way the English people treated us," was the way John J. Hayes, winner of the Marathon race at the Olympic games expressed himself upon his arrival here today on the steamer Oceanic. Hayes' view as to the treatment accorded the American team of athletes was echoed by J. P. Halstead, the Cornell runner who also came on the Oceanic. That there were grounds for complaint on the part of Americans was admitted by both athletes, but neither believed that the team from this country was intentionally discriminated against by anybody connected with the conduct of the sports at the Stadium. Hayes received a cordial reception at the pier from a party of friends who had assembled to greet him. in discussing the race, Hayes said:

"They thought before the race that the Englishmen were the only ones that had a chance, and they naturally were a great deal disappointed when they did not win. Morrissey was the only American who was mentioned before the race as having any show at all. I don't know anything about the assisting of Dorando across the line. He was disqualified on the testimony of the judges. I, myself, did not have to make any protest."

Hayes did not care to say anything about the incidents connected with the awarding of the prizes which have occasioned discussion.

"When anything was not particularly pleasant, we did not care much," he said, "for we knew that it would be made up to us when we got home. I have nothing to say against the way the English people treated us. The English press does not represent the feeling of the English people. I am glad to get back home and proud to bring back the much-sought-for prize in the Marathon. I have had a delightful time in England, and an especially good one in Ireland. I come home perfectly satisfied."

Halstead was defeated by Sheppard in the first heat of the 1,500 metre race. There was some comment at the time because the two best American runners had been drawn in the same heat of this race.

"I had a fine time and was very well treated," said Halstead today. "I do not believe the Englishmen were intentionally unfair. I think the fact that I was drawn against Sheppard in the first heat was simply the luck of the draw. Their rules and ours differed and it was because of these differences that most of the disputes arose. For instance, it was against the English rules for Carpenter to run toward the outside of the track.

"He did not foul Halswelle, and there was plenty of room for Halswelle to run inside of Carpenter if he had not lost his head. Halswelle seems to lose his head in running his races. He is a slow starter with a great sprint, but when the other men in the race start out he doesn't seem to be able to lie back. Carpenter and Robbins had him pumped before he had run 220 yards."

The other American athletes among today's arrivals were J. N. Patterson, the steeplechaser from the University of Michigan; R. M. Spitzer and Edward Doust, of Yale; M. J. Ryan and George W. Cameron.

GREAT PREPARATIONS FOR CITY FOOTBALL FOR 1908

Indications are That the Season Will be Best in History---Three Leagues as usual---Algonquins and Marathons Hot After Players.

With September close at hand football talk has commenced and warriors of the gridiron are looking over their togs. It has usually been well into September before the game was really on, but it is understood that a movement is on foot to get right at it the first of the month, in fact before the present month is out the likelihood is that most of the teams will have a work out. Carleton has set a good example, their intermediates turning out in force for a practice on Monday night last. There will of course be the three leagues, senior, intermediate and junior, though changes in the make-ups of at least two will be noticeable.

The Algonquins, Marathons, and St. Peter's composed last season's senior leagues, but the last named are out of the game this year; whether a third team from Carleton or Fairville will enter is not clear though there has been talk from both directions. Each of the remaining fifteen have lost some valuable players, men that will be a distinct loss to football here. Their absence, however, while great, will not weaken either team to any extent as both Indians and Greeks, it is well understood, have strings on good ones to fill their places. Each have lost their full backs so that new men to guard the line will be necessary.

In F. G. Kenney, captain of last year's team, the Indians lose one of the best full backs this city has ever given to the game; always cool and a splendid punter and tackle he was a tower of strength. A member of the Royal Bank of Canada staff here, he has been transferred to Montreal. H. G. Ellis, of the Greeks, was also a fine defence man, a sure tackle, strong and of excellent judgment. In other positions there will also be vacancies. Dr. Donald C. Malcolm, captain of the Marathons, of last season, will be missed from the half line as he has decided to quit the game this year. In the unfortunate death by drowning of George Pike the Algonquins lose one of their quarters; Ernie March will also be missed from their forward line, he having gone to Toronto. Birmingham, of the Greeks' forward line is now located in Montreal. Macmichael also of the Indian front line is now a Knight of the Grip and will consequently not be in the game to any extent this year though his team hope to make use of him in some contests.

As to the line-ups of the teams, neither club is willing as yet to hand out their list but the competition between them for players is very keen and both of them have dark horses whose names they decline to devulge. Certain it is, however, that the new faces on the field for the 1908 season will lend more interest than ever to the game here, and every thing now points to one of the best seasons for many years.

In the intermediate league Currie's Business University drops out, but their place will probably be taken by a team from the Algonquin Club.

The Victorias will have very much the same team as last year, the Micmacs, however, will have almost a complete new team. Carleton will have few changes, while the Angonquin's new combination is of an unknown quantity.

Toronto, August 19.—Fred Mitchell, of the Toronto ball team, returned from his recent scouting tour, with glowing reports of a young first baseman, named Houser, playing with the Scranton team, of the New York State League, and President McCaffery has closed a deal whereby Houser becomes the property of the Toronton Club for the sum of $1,500.

Mitchell says Houser is the best prospect he has ever seen on first base.

INTERNATIONAL LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Matches Take Place Week Commencing Monday, August 24 at Niagara-on the-Lake.

Neatly arranged in a four-page folder, just issued, is to be found much preliminary information regarding the 22nd annual international lawn tennis tournament. The matches are to take place during the week commencing Monday, August 24th, and on the grass courts of the Queen's Royal Hotel, at Niagara-on-the-Lake. The events are to be: Gentlemen's singles, gentlemen's doubles, ladies' singles, open; ladies' singles, handicap; mixed doubles, gentlemen's handicap, ladies' doubles, if desired. The rules of the Canadian and United States Lawn Tennis Association are to govern the tournament.

The committee in charge of the tournament is: Miss Elizabeth Moore, Miss Lois Moes, and Messrs. George Wright, A. C. McMaster, H. D. Kirkover, H. Suckling, Ralph Burns and George Wagner.

KETCHELL AFTER BURNS

When Tommy Burns, the heavyweight champion, returns to this country he will be confronted with a challenge from Stanley Ketchel, who is anxious to fight him for the heavyweight title. Joe O'Connor, manager of Ketchel, says that he will follow Burns everywhere, challenging him, and will eventually compel Tommy to take on Ketchel on proper terms. If Ketchel continues to take on weight he will soon be as heavy as Burns.

Terry Mustaine, the Omaha heavyweight who Philadelphia Jack O'Brien says is a coming man in the heavyweight division, was given the decision over Joe Willis of Vallejo, Cal., on Saturday night. Mustaine broke his right hand in the fourth round and fought the remaining sixteen with his left hand. Mustaine will be matched with some of the big fellows in the future.

NO MONEY IN THE HOUSE AND NO MIKE "TWIN"-FLYNN GO

Jim Flynn refused to meet Mike (Twin) Sullivan at Bath, Me., Monday, in what was scheduled to be a six-round bout, owing to the fact that the house was not large enough to suit him. An unknown in the crowd offered to fill in and put on the gloves for a tryout, but after four rounds the bout was declared off.

TROPHY FOR ST. PETER'S BALL LEAGUE WINNERS

All-Collegians to be Guests of St. Peter's Y. M. A. Tonight.

The winners in the St. Peters minor baseball league, the "all collegians" will be presented with the trophy to-night in Alexandra Hall, North End.

The presentation will be made by President E. J. Mahoney of St. Peters Y. M. A.. Members of the other teams of the league are invited.

LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P.C.
All Collegian.....	11	1	917
Trilbys	6	6	500
Wanderers	3	9	250

ABOUT TOMMY BURNS.

("Bob" Dunbar, in Boston Journal.)

They are composing a new two-step over in Australia and it is to be dedicated to Tommy Burns, the American-Canadian pugilist. The title to the new musical effort will be "I love to gather quinces." Burns will commence his Australian gathering when he meets Boshter Bill Squires. For hpnotizing a box office I know of but one man who has anything on Burns, and that is Philadelphia "Jawn" O'Brien. But when you come to look at it in the proper light you can hardly blame a man for picking out a lot of soft ones when the public will stand for it. Squires has as much chance against Tommy Burns as Joe Hornung would have to get back into basebal, yet the box receipts will undoubtedly be heavy when the pair meet.

McFARLAND SIDE-STEPPING WELCH.

It is reported that Packey McFarland is side-stepping Freddie Welch. Battling Nelson wants none of the little Englishman's game, and Packey has declined an offer by Sam Berger to give Freddie a return match. Welch had all the best of the first twenty rounds in the first battle and McFarland evidently has a wholesome respect for the boy.

Rudolph Unholz, who is at Hot Springs, Ark., admits that his performances in Boston and New York were very bad, but is confident that he will redeem himself after he recovers from too much work in the ring. "I will show them," writes Rudie, "how it was I beat Nelson and Memsic and stayed eleven rounds with Gans." The Boer feels the result of the poor work keenly, but is honest enough to state that he does not blame Easterners for critcising his miserable showing.

THE NICK NAMES OF THE MAJOR LEAGUE TEAMS

How They Got Them--Information That Will Interest Followers of the Game

All of the teams of the big leagues have their nicknames and most of them are known better by their noms de plume than by the cities they represent. The derivation of most of the names is interesting.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston—Red Sox.
Cleveland—Naps.
New York—Highlanders.
Washington—Nationals.
Chicago—White Sox.
Detroit—Tigers.
Philadelphia—Athletics.
St. Louis—Browns.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York—Giants.
Brooklyn—Superbas.
Cincinnati—Reds.
St. Louis—Cardinals.
Boston—Doves.
Chicago—Cubs.
Philadelphia—Phillies.
Pittsburg—Pirates.

The Cleveland team is known throughout the baseball world as the Naps. When referring to the local club the fan will invariably say the Naps rather than the Clevelands. The nickname came from Lajoie. Larry's correct first name is Napoleon and some writer dubbed Cleveland the Napoleons shortly after Larry assumed charge. Napoleons was soon shortened to Naps, which is much better. It will be the Naps just as long as Larry is at the head.

Clarke Griffith's New York team is known as the Highlanders, although Yankees is something tacked on to Griff's bunch. The New York grounds are situated on one of the highest spots in New York, overlooking the Hudson River. Thus the name of Highlanders.

The Washington team had a million names until some one handed the club the alias Nationals, and it stuck. The fact that Washington is the national capital evidently caused the inspiration. The Boston team gets Bean Eaters often because Boston is the city of culture and beans. It also was handicapped with the sobriquet of Pilgrims for a time last year, because the Pilgrims first hit the shore near the city. The club is now known as the Red Sox and all the players sport red hose to live up to the name. The Chicago team gets its name, White Sox, because of the color of the hose worn by the players in the field.

Michigan is known as the Wolverine state, and for a time the Detroit team was known as the Wolverines. The playing of the Detroit team evidently grew fiercer, meaning better, and the name Wolverine was dropped for the Tigers. The team managed by Hughey Jennings last year certainly lived up to it: name, for it was the fighting spirit of the club that made the winning of the pennant possible.

A number of years ago in the day of the Brotherhood, the National League and the American Association, one of the teams in Philadelphia was known as the Athletics. When Connie Mack broke into Philadelphia with his team, he took up the old name in order to distinguish his club from the National League.

The nickname of the St. Louis team, the Browns, dates back to the days of Chris Von der Abe and the American Association. The team owned by Chris wore brown hose and were known as the Browns. McAleer dug up the name for his club when the American League placed a team in St. Louis.

When most of the players on the New York National League team were big, husky fellows, the club was dubbed the Giants, and it has stuck to them, although there are several other teams more deserving of the title as to physique. When Hanlon brought most of his famous Baltimore team to Brooklyn, it looked like such a superb aggregation that some one handed the team the name Superbas. The fact that a theatrical manager of Brooklyn had a show he called the Superba also helped things.

The Cincinnati team is known as the Reds and gets its name from the famous old Cincinnati team, the greatest nine that ever represented that city on the diamond. The Philadelphia team is known as the Phillies. The city is often referred to as Philly instead of Philadelphia, and, of course, the team's name, Phillies, is far more euphonious than Philadelphias, hence the abbreviation.

The St. Louis team is known as the Cardinals. After the American League team took up the name of Browns the National club decided to be known as the Cardinals. The players also wear cardinal hose and cardinal is the color of the trimmings used on the uniform. The president of the Boston team has the peculiar name of Dovey, and his team is known as the Doves. The Pittsburg team is known as the Pirates, but the derivation of the same is something of a myth.

When Manager Selee had charge of the Chicago team he collected a bunch of youngsters to replace the veterans and represent that city in the National League. The team didn't show up very well, and because so many young fellows were in the line-up the club was called the Cubs. Practically this same team has won the pennant for Chicago twice in succession under the management of Frank Chance.

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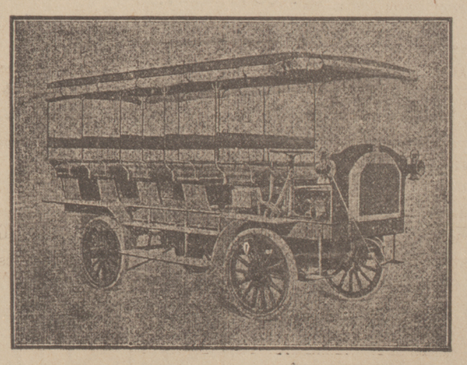
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