

LOCAL SPORTS AND SCHOOL ATHLETICS.

SALVAGE WINS AND HITS BOOKS

Played as High as Ten to One He Gallops Home for First Money.

Local turf devotees had a chance yesterday afternoon to see the ponies run in the mud at the fair grounds track, and despite the rain and cold there was a big crowd at the course and the races were of a high class order.

Three finishes brought grief to the bookmakers and joy to the wise ones, especially those who bet on Salvage. This horse and Rather Royal and Boos were the surprises of the day. The first money was won by Salvage, who was high as 10 to 1 and the wagers on him brought the odds from 25 to 1 to 8 to 1, and when clever little Jockey M. Nelson brought him under the wire an easy winner there was joy in the hearts of many. Nelson made a big hit with the crowd for his win and his victory in the second race on Strike Out.

FORM CHART.

Salt Lake, May 24, 1909. Weather, rainy. Track muddy.

7 First race, four and one-half furlongs, 4-year-olds and up, selling, purse \$250.

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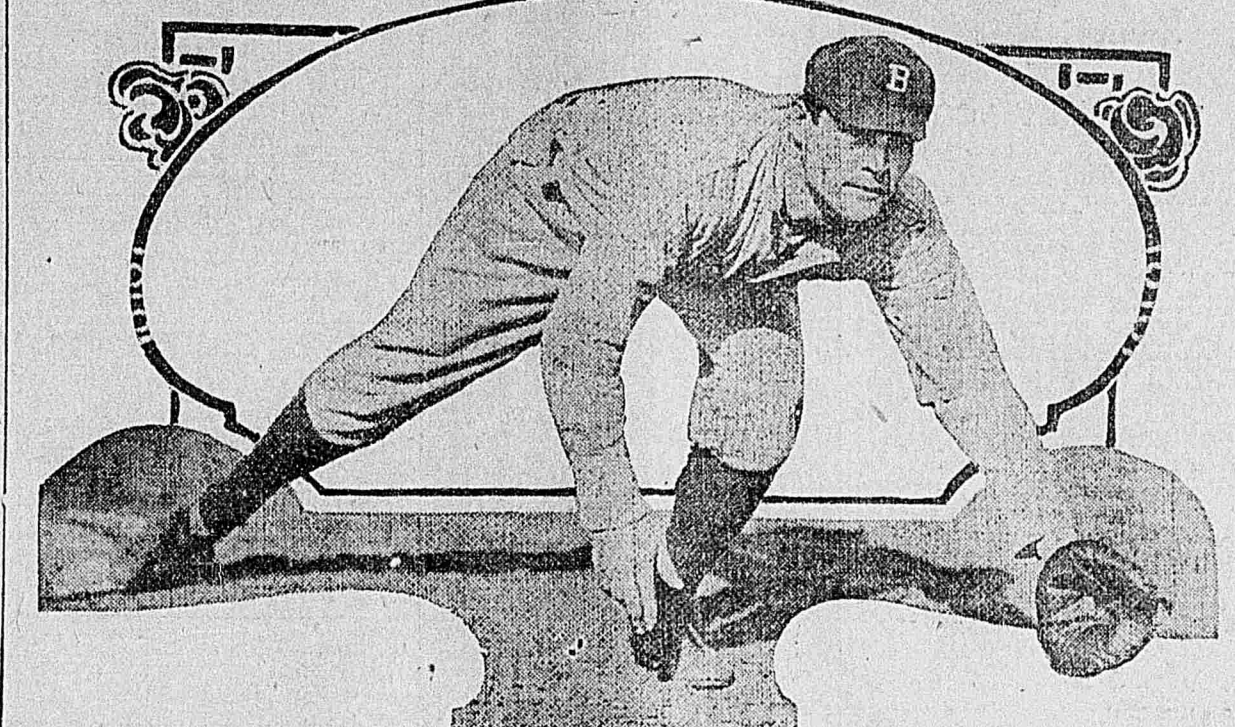
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"BIG TIM" JORDAN, BROOKLYN'S FIRST SACKER, WHO IS PLAYING BEST GAME OF HIS CAREER



One of the surprises of the present National League season is the improvement in the playing of "Big Tim" Jordan at first base for the Brooklyn Nationals. In 1907 Jordan was one of the best hitters in the older organization and a fair fielder, but last year his game was below par. "Big Tim's" principal weakness was his inability to handle grounders successfully. Judging by his present playing, he has overcome this fault, as he has been picking them up a la Ha Ha. Jordan made his professional debut with the Senecas of New York in 1899. In 1901 he was a substitute on the Washington Americans. During the season of 1902 he played with the Newark team of the Eastern league and in 1903 with the Nashua club of the New England circuit. In 1904 he became a member of the Baltimore team. He did fine work that year and in 1905 attracted the attention of the Brooklyn club. In 1906 he made 12 home runs, leading the league.

BIG MATCH RACE IS ARRANGED

T. H. Fitzgerald, a Salt Lake Man, Purchases Platoon and Others And Will Race.

Nine high class equine runners owned and brought here by J. B. Dunne were sold last night to a Salt Lake business man and sportsman, Thomas H. Fitzgerald, who declined to give out the purchase price. The stable recently ran in the Ogden meet and brought good returns to the owner and Mr. Fitzgerald stated to the "News" this morning that he would use some of the horses in the big meet of the Utah Jockey club. The horses purchased are: Platoon, Holcomb, Billy Bowlegs, Eduardo, Charlie Doherty, East End, Patriotic, Fern and Belle of Portello. Immediately following the purchase of the horses a discussion of the day-leaves of the amateur and announced his intention of competing in the day-leaves of the Utah Jockey club and the Cullen hotel, to bet J. H. Brannon, owner of Booger Red, \$1,000 that Platoon could beat the winner of the Cullen handicap. Neither sportsman was to be bluff and each posted a forfeit of \$500, with the understanding that the race should be run this morning. The horses arrived from Ogden in time. They did not arrive but are expected here some time today or perhaps tomorrow morning. The money was posted with President Conroy of the Utah Jockey club and it was understood that if the horses did not get here in time the race was to be run at a future date, the weights and other conditions to be agreed upon between the respective owners.

WILLE BREAKS MORNING RECORD

Severely Attacked With "Gasolinitis" He Does Barney Oldfield on South Temple and Then—

E. L. Wille, the genius loci of the Louvre, was seized with an attack of acute "gasolinitis" some days ago, hied himself to Studebaker's on State street and purchased an "E-M-F." It took him a short time to master the intricacies of the engine, so he thought, and right merrily did he speed up and down the principal highways, the envy of all his friends but closely watched by nervous pedestrians. All went lovely until about 2 o'clock this morning when Wille proposed to establish a new early morning South Temple street record, carrying six persons in the machine. The story of his accomplishments and how Wille came to grief is told by the local hook-and-ladder men who declare he shall never forget the ride as long as he lives. It seems that close to last midnight W. P. Cooper, Mr. Plunkerton and two of their men from the post were in the cafe. When it came time for the last car to leave and the party showed signs of breaking, Wille insisted that they remain longer.

ENTER THE AUTOMOBILE

"I got a new machine," said Wille, "I'll take you all home, Oh, yes, I know how to run it, know all about it, it's a beauty." The party consented to take a chance but never again. Mrs. Wille insisted on accompanying her husband and she knew more about his ability than the chauffeur than did the others. Wille cranked the machine, threw open the throttle and the way went up Main street at a rate of speed which threatened to burn the asphalt and awaken all the policemen on the street.

TURNING PROFESSIONAL

Chicago, May 13.—Alexander Thibault, one of the greatest of Chicago's day-leaves of the amateur and announced his intention of competing in the day-leaves of the Utah Jockey club and the Cullen hotel, to bet J. H. Brannon, owner of Booger Red, \$1,000 that Platoon could beat the winner of the Cullen handicap. Neither sportsman was to be bluff and each posted a forfeit of \$500, with the understanding that the race should be run this morning. The horses arrived from Ogden in time. They did not arrive but are expected here some time today or perhaps tomorrow morning. The money was posted with President Conroy of the Utah Jockey club and it was understood that if the horses did not get here in time the race was to be run at a future date, the weights and other conditions to be agreed upon between the respective owners.

BOWLING CONGRESS

Great Interest in the Event—Many Cities Entered.

Seattle, Wash., May 23.—With the opening of the Western Bowling Congress here but five days away, the arrangements for the event are going forward rapidly, and entries from all over the West are coming in. Washington, D. C., is the host city for the congress, and middle western cities will be represented. Denver has sent in entries for two of its men and a woman's team. The Denver women are picked to win their special event, but Seattle women have organized a team to give the visitors plenty of competition.

"PAT SHEEDY" ILL

New York, May 23.—"Pat" Sheedy, international gambler of the old school, is playing the hardest game in his wide experience and is playing with his life against the odds. His play is so good that he is suffering from a heart ailment and has been ordered him to the country. He is warmer he will go to some place in America as he can't in a foreign one.

MENTOSH TO JEFFRIES

Former Asks Later to Wait for a Fight.

Chicago, May 23.—James J. Jeffries has received a letter from Hugh J. McIntosh, the Australian fight promoter, who is in London, asking him to refrain from closing a match with the world's heavyweight title without first giving McIntosh an opportunity to bid for the fight.

GOTCH WINS

Omaha, May 21.—Frank Gotch, world's champion wrestler, tonight defeated Charles Olson of St. Louis in a hard-fought fall. The first fall was at 21:49 and the second 15 minutes flat.

SAM LANGFORD WINS

London, May 24.—Sam Langford, the colored heavyweight of Boston, knocked out Ian Hague, the heavyweight champion of England, in the fourth round. The fight, which was for a purse of \$200 and the championship, was scheduled to go 20 rounds.

STANFORD VS UTAH

Provo, May 26th. Low rates on Salt Lake Route. All stations, Payson to Salt Lake City.

AMATEUR BALL LEAGUE A REALITY TONIGHT

At 8 o'clock this evening at the Y. M. C. A., the last meeting of managers and captains of the proposed amateur baseball league will be held. It is expected that the organization will then be perfected. Representatives of teams desiring to be in the league are urged to be at this evening's meeting. The teams already represented are as follows: Jeff's Grocery, Lagoon, Poplar Grove, C. M. J. Symons-Utah Grocery company, Y. M. C. A. and the Brokers' team.

RESULTS OF GAMES IN THE BIG LEAGUES NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| Score | Won | Lost | P. C. |
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| Pittsburg | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| Philadelphia | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| New York | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| Chicago | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| St. Louis | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| Boston | 19 | 11 | .633 |

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

| Score | Won | Lost | P. C. |
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| Pittsburg | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| Philadelphia | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| New York | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| Chicago | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| St. Louis | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| Boston | 19 | 11 | .633 |

WESTERN LEAGUE.

| Score | Won | Lost | P. C. |
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| Pittsburg | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| Philadelphia | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| New York | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| Chicago | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| St. Louis | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| Boston | 19 | 11 | .633 |

COLLEGE SCORES.

| Score | Won | Lost | P. C. |
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| Pittsburg | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| Philadelphia | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| New York | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| Chicago | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| St. Louis | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| Boston | 19 | 11 | .633 |

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.

| Score | Won | Lost | P. C. |
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| Philadelphia | 19 | 11 | .633 |
| New York | 19 | 11 | .633 |
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AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| Score | Won | Lost | P. C. |
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EAT AT THE SHIP RESTAURANT.

Saltair Opening Saturday, May 29. Pain's Fireworks at night. Superb Bathing. Round trip, 25c.

White Star-Dominion Line

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AMOREAUX TUNES PIANOS.

Pay a Little Down and a Little Every week and get a diamond or a good watch at J. B. FLATOW'S, 49 East Second South St.

McCoy's Livery Stables.

Opening Saturday, May 29. Every body will be there. Eat at the Ship restaurant. Round trip 25c.

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taking liquid physic or big or little pills, that which makes you worse instead of curing. Cathartics don't cure—they irritate and weaken the bowels strong, tone the muscles so they crawl and work—when they do this they are healthy, producing right results.

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28 Main Street.

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Last May—one year ago—we had a snow storm that will probably be remembered by most people as one of the greatest rushes for coal imaginable. Are you prepared this year with a week or two supply of coal?

Bamberger, 161 Meighn St., U.S.A.

RACING

Utah Jockey Club's SPRING AND SUMMER MEETING

May 22 to July 7, Inclusive. Six High Class Races Daily, Rain or Shine. Utah State Band.

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TOMORROW'S ENTRIES.

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BENCH SHOW OPENS ON THURSDAY, FOUR POINT

The annual bench show of the Utah Kennel club opens on Thursday next at 644 West First, South street, and it will undoubtedly be the biggest and best in the history of canine exhibitions in this state. It will be a four-point affair. The entries have closed and show listed more than 100 valuable animals.

AMATEUR BOXING BOUTS.

Interesting Card Given at Auditorium By St. Regis Club Last Night.

The amateur boxing bouts at the Auditorium last night under the auspices of St. Regis club were interesting and drew a splendid crowd. The last bout, between Chick Colburn and Abe Levine, was perhaps the best of the evening, and caused the greatest enthusiasm. The bout was declared a draw.

KNABENSHUE AIRSHIP WILL NAVIGATE TONIGHT.

Tonight for the first time in the history of Salt Lake an airship will circle some of the tall buildings up town, at least that is the promise of Nat Reis, wisest carnival company opened a week's engagement at the Salt Palace last night. Owing to the fact that it takes 24 hours to inflate the airship it was impossible for Roy Knabenshue to make the ascension last evening.

KNABENSHUE AIRSHIP WILL NAVIGATE TONIGHT.

Despite the cool weather and the dampness under foot there was a large crowd in evidence at the Salt Palace last evening to witness the opening of the summer amusement season. Thousands of electric lights twinkled over the entire battle which was instituted on the Midway while the barkers of the numerous side shows barked, the spellers of the headline attractions spelled and the band broke into popular airs with abandon. The show continues throughout the week.

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