

# REVIEW OF PREVAILING ATHLETIC SPORTS

## GETAWAY DAY NOT SO GOOD FOR BOOKS

Four Long Shots, All Heavily Played, Come in First, While Three First Choices Win Handily.

When Platoon dashed over the finish line a winner in the eighth race at the fair grounds yesterday afternoon, the curtain was run down on the meeting of the Utah Jockey club. The bookies and management began casting up receipts and expenditures and the result was anything but satisfactory to either management or bookmakers.

It was a bad day for the books yesterday. The favorites won handily while four long shots carried off first honors, and in each event there was big play on the long shots. The bettors knew it was a bad day and the bookies did not look good to everybody, hence the big play on the long ones. At the end of these races a person who never saw a betting ring could tell what was happening, when long lines of turtles were at the books holding pastboards calling for 12 to 1 and 10 to 1 and 9 and 8 to 1. Not only did long shots win straight, but many of them brought home the money for place and show after being well played, and if the books made money it is hard to figure just how. A feature of the closing day was the splendid riding of Jockey Morgan. He had two first and a second. A summary of the events follows:

- First race**—Gabriel, 10 to 1, won. Banthel, even place, second. Regards, even show, third.
- Second race**—Sea Green, 8 to 1, won. King of Yolo, 2 to 5 place, second. La Dextra, 4 to 5 show, third.
- Third race**—Galvanic, 12 to 1, won. Elmdale, 2 to 1 place, second. Dorothy Ann, even show, third.
- Fourth race**—Proteus, 4 to 1, won. Coppers, 8 to 1 place, second. Mike Jordan, 3 to 5 show, third.
- Fifth race**—Buna, 8 to 5, won. Orello, 2 to 1 place, second. Libertio, 3 to 2 show, third.
- Sixth race**—Taser, 10 to 1, won. Canardo, 3 to 5 place, second. Martinmas, even show, third.
- Seventh race**—Old Nick, 9 to 5, won. Grotto, 6 to 5 place, second. Jane Laurel, 3 to 2 show, third.
- Eighth race**—Platoon, 5 to 2, won. Dick B. B., 2 to 1 place, second. Harry Stanhope, 8 to 5 show, third.

## EUREKA BASEBALL FANS GETTING VERY BUSY

According to reports from Eureka, one can hear nothing in that thriving little city but baseball. The fans have contracted the fever and have got it in its chronic state, and nothing short of plenty of the most pastime will drag down the temperature. F. A. Shontz, who managed the "Blue Rocks" was threatened by the desperate fans that unless he got busy again and dished up some more of the game, there would be serious trouble in his immediate vicinity. Shontz consented. On the Fourth and 5th, Bert Margetts will take his string of ball tossers to Eureka to do battle with the nine there. On the big day there will be a great celebration, but the feature will be the clash on the diamond.

Shontz declares he is getting together a string of ball tossers second to none in the state, and that his players will surely wallopp the Margetts' bunch. He has secured a pitcher whose name he refuses to divulge, and says there will be a surprise party when this phenom gets into the box. On Sunday the Tintie Miners of Emmoth and the Eureka nines will play.

## TOO HOT FOR MISTAH JOHNSING TO FIGHT

New York, June 26.—The assertion by Jack Johnson, the negro champion pugilist, that he had not signed a contract to fight Alvin Karpis of California, was emphatically refuted last night by Kaufman's manager, Charles J. Harvey, who exhibited the contract which Johnson had signed. When Harvey showed this to the colored prize fighter at their stormy meeting last night, and demanded to know what he proposed to do about it, Johnson's only reply was "Forget it, Mistah Harvey; it's too hot to bother," and the champion walked away.

## DRAWINGS FOR STATE TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Last evening the drawings for the state tennis tournament to be played at the Country club were made. The contestants will be guests of the club. The schedule for this afternoon's men's singles follows: At 2:30 p. m., Sam Neel vs. Goodwin; Prosser vs. R. Badger; Simpson vs. Boyd; F. Roberts vs. McBroome. 3 p. m., A. S. McCormick vs. D. Taylor; Blood vs. Lieut. Crum; Griffin vs. E. S. Ferry. 3:30 p. m., Whitworth vs. R. W. Salisbury; Raymond vs. Moore; Dinwoody vs. Whitney. 4 p. m., Brown vs. Grey; Dr. Plummer vs. Armstrong; J. W. Thompson vs. Cox. 5 p. m., Horning vs. C. Roberts; Conrad vs. C. Neel; Ingebreten vs. McLeod. 6 p. m., G. R. Smith vs. E. Hills; Pringle vs. G. Badger. 6:30 p. m., Brodie vs. D. Ritter; Gansl vs. Nettleton; Cross vs. G. Taylor. Women's singles—4 p. m., Mrs. Callaghan vs. Miss Niles; Miss Thorne vs. Miss E. Allen. 4:30 p. m., Miss Edith Allen vs. Miss G. Smith; Miss G. McCormick vs. Miss G. McCormick.

### EXCURSIONS EAST

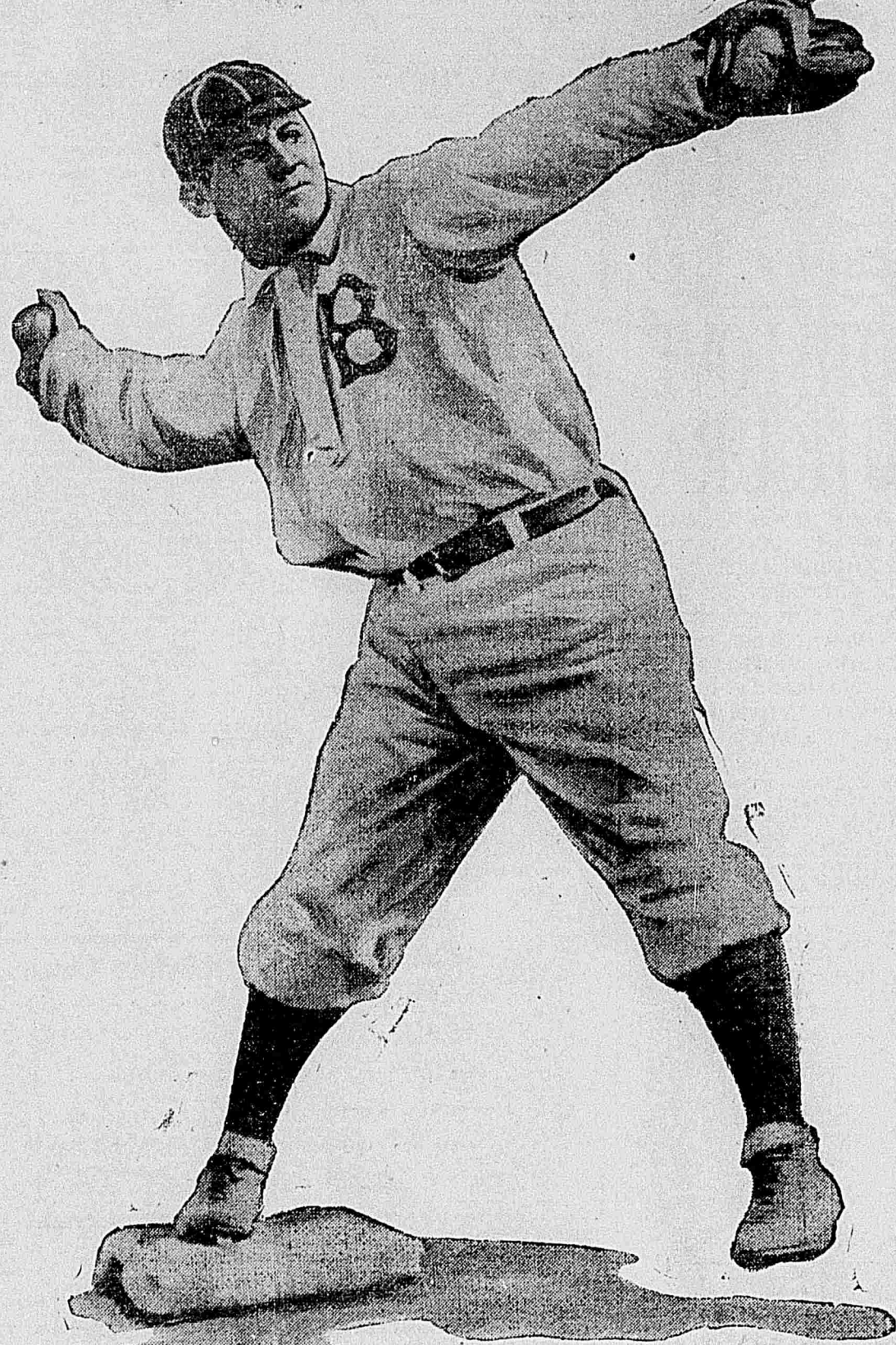
Via Denver & Rio Grande R. R., June 4, 5, 11, 12, 16, 26, July 2, 3. Chicago and return .....\$55.00 St. Louis and return .....49.00 St. Paul, Minneapolis & return, 42.00 Omaha, Kansas City and return, 40.00 Denver, Colo. Springs Pueblo, 22.50 Other points in proportion. Tickets good returning October 31st Ticket Office 301 Main St.

McClellan's Symphony Orchestra. Saltair today, 6:15 to 7:15. Fifty men. Free to all. Round trip 25c.

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## BILL DAHLEN OF BOSTON NATIONALS, WHO MAY BE TRADED TO BROOKLYN.



Rumors are now in circulation that the Boston Nationals' camp that Bill Dahlen, the veteran shortstop of the Doves, is to be traded to the Brooklyn club for two of Manager Harry Lumley's ball tossers. Early in the year President Ebbetts of the Brooklyn club was anxious to have Dahlen to pilot his team this season, but the terms of the Boston management were considered too high. Dahlen is one of the oldest players in the major league today. This season marks his nineteenth in fast company. After making a splendid showing in the field and at the bat for several campaigns as a member of the New York Giants, Dahlen was traded, along with Bowerman, Ferguson, McGann and Browne, for Tenney and Bridwell during the winter of 1897. Last season he played a star game at short for the Doves, but this year his playing has not been up to the standard of former years, and young Starr has replaced him several times.

## When You Take Your Girl to The Game

When you take her out to the ball game, And you're packed in the stand with the crowd, Isn't it nice to have her ask you "What makes that player who throws the ball Wave his arms like that?" And—"Don't you think it's mean in them Not letting the umpire say?" And—"Why do you say the pitcher's no good When he's hitting the bat every time?" And—"Why don't the policeman arrest them? Isn't stealing bases a crime?"

Then after you've answered these questions And two or three million more, You ask in the crowd as you go out the gate, To find out what was the score. —Washington Herald.

## State Troops May be Called Out to Stop the Critchlow-McAllister Fight

There was great excitement in "Ad" and Press club circles today when it leaked out that steps had been taken to prevent the proposed 103 round fight at Lagoon on July 1, between Malcolm McAllister and John S. Critchlow. It was reported that a delegation of law-abiding and peace loving citizens called upon Gov. Spry and requested that he interfere with the arrangement and prevent the fight. It is understood that his Excellency promises that if necessary the state troops would be called upon to prevent the brutality that is sure to occur should these brawny brutes meet in the ring. Aside from the large purse offered there is keen rivalry existing between the famous fighters and if between them the famous fighters and if they meet, it is feared, serious injury will be done to one or both of them—or to someone else.

The management declares that the fight will take place as scheduled in

spite of troops. Both men have been in training for several days. This morning Critchlow did eighty thousand and words at Smith's corner, while McAllister's admirers watched him go through a stunt of ninety-two thousand and exclamations near the Salt Palace where he has established training quarters. Admission to the fight is known today. Both athletes competed, under assumed names of course, in marathon races in the east during the early spring. There is a time limit to this great race and the 25 miles 25 yards must be covered within one week.

farm of Duval Radford, with Champion, a heavier stallion, and was killed. The animals got together by accident and immediately began fighting, rearing on their hind legs and roaring like wild beasts. Champion finally secured a hold on the other stallion's throat, which he held until he dropped dead.

### BATTLE TO THE DEATH BETWEEN STALLIONS

Lynchburg, Va., June 26.—Glenwood, a famous stallion which was imported by James R. Keene, engaged in a battle yesterday at Forest near here on the

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## BATTLING NELSON CONFIRMS RUMOR

Wonderful Dane Declares He Will Retire On Sept. 9, Anniversary Day to Quit.

H. M. Walker of Los Angeles writes as follows: Battling Nelson is sincere when he announces that he intends to retire from the ring next September. When the good little Dane's decision to dodge the game was first given to the public by the writer, it caused much comment and discussion throughout the sporting world.

Willie Britz, being in New York at the time the story was printed, made a hurried round of the newspaper offices denying that the Battling had any intention of forsaking the mitts. "Why would I rather fight than eat. You couldn't drive him away from the game," he stated, excitedly. The anxiety of the Stogie Kid to hush up the story and to discourage the Battling in this respect can easily be understood. When Nelson quits the ring it means that "Li, Willie Britz's meal ticket is going to be chopped right in two.

When Nelson was in my office last Thursday morning I looked over the wonderful little champion straight in the eye and put this question to him: "What about your retirement next September, Batt? Is it on the level, or is it another press-agent sketch?"

### ALWAYS GAVE SQUARE DEAL.

The little fellow made a gesture of impatience. "It's all on the level, square. I want to get away from the ring and I've selected September 9, as the day to retire because that date has become a sort of an anniversary thing with me.

"It was on September 9, 1905, that I knocked out Jimmy Britt in eighteen rounds at Colma. Then again it was on September 9, 1908, that I handed Joe Gans his third beating and demonstrated beyond all doubt that I was the black boy's superior.

"I have dealt fairly with the public all through my career, and I am doing so now when I say that any light weight who wants to grab my title must lick me before next September. I am going to settle down and play the private citizen game after that time.

From the above it will be seen that if Nelson knows what he is talking about, and it is to be presumed that he does, that he will retire before another three months have rolled around.

This event will mean the passing of the most wonderful lightweight in the history of pugilism. There have been scores of lightweights who were more clever than Nelson and many of the second raters have an advantage over him in science, but his equal for aggressiveness, stamina and gameness has never been known.

Nelson is to the lightweights what John L. Sullivan was to the heavies of his day. He is, and always will be, a popular idol. His ring record speaks for itself. He has fought every man who had a decent right to challenge his attentions. He has whipped them all and is today independently wealthy, and what is more, is loved and respected by the boxing world.

### KID CUPID ARRIVES.

For weeks past there have been vague rumors that the lightweight champion intends to wed and that his losing battle with Kid Cupid is one of the reasons for his retirement. Nelson refuses to be interviewed on this subject; that is, he will not make a definite statement.

"Oh, there's a girl all right, and she's THE girl, too," said the Dane with what appeared to be no to be a guilty look. "She lives in Chicago and she's got so much money that I call her my 'Forty-Million-Dollar Girl.' I don't dare to say much because her dad don't think very well of prizefighters in general. No, I don't deny that I MAY get applied. You never can tell what is going to happen."

The champion believes that he is still invincible. "There isn't a lightweight in the world today that has a chance to whip me," he said. "I satisfied myself during the Hyland fight that I am just as strong as I ever was. I don't know of a man in the game who has a chance to wear me down in a forty-five and ten fight."

Nelson would fight five times between now and next September, providing he could get his price. This illustrates his supreme confidence in himself. "We will have the Battling with us next month when he boxes Ad Wolgast here. He will meet Freddie Welsh in this city also, providing 'Uncle' Tom McCarrey's terms are satisfactory.

Whether Nelson retires as a champion or an ex-champion, it will be written of him: "Battling Nelson—he was always on the square."

## RESULTS OF GAMES IN THE BIG LEAGUES

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

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## BAD WEATHER DOES NOT STOP RACES

"Billy" Samuelson Causes Much Surprise by Beating Out Speedy Field And Taking Five Mile Event.

The popularity of the bicycle game was made manifest last evening when an overflow crowd attended the meeting at the Salt Palace saucer. Though the program was devoid of sensational features, the card was a good one and both professionals and amateurs rode "well to form."

Probably the most exciting feature was the finish of the five-mile lap race. Pyle and Lawson were teaming, while Bardgett and Walker did the same. Lawson and Walker were first choices, but Samuelson, who was considered an outsider, romped home a winner and Paddy Hehr upset expectations by a brilliant burst of speed, coming in second to Samuelson while Lawson, the favorite, finished third.

Mayer furnished a surprise among the amateurs by defeating Phil Wright in pursuit. The big bunch of starters began to drop off in short order and when the fight simmered down to a struggle between Mayer and Wright, the latter was picked to win but right here is where most of the fans were fooled, as Mayer, in a desperate sprint, downed Wright.

Bennie Munroe defeated Wilcox in the five-mile motor-paced race. The summary: Unknown distance lap race, amateur—Brodbeck, McCormack, Wright, Hume, Distance, 1 mile 4 laps. Time, 3:55. Three-quarter-mile handicap, professional, final—Hopper (55 yards), Schell (65 yards), Senhouse (60 yards), Walker (scratch). Time, 1:24.45.

Australian pursuit, amateur—Mayer, Wright, Thompson, Diefenbacher. Distance, 5 miles 1 lap 50 yards. Time, 11:15. Five-mile professional lap race—Samuelson, Hehr, Lawson, Walker. Time, 10:47. Ten-mile motor-paced—Munroe defeated Wilcox. Time, 14:47.25.

## DICK HYLAND VS CROSS: FORTY-FIVE ROUND FIGHT

San Francisco, June 25.—Leach Cross of New York and "Fighting Lick" Hyland of this city, weighed in at 133 pounds at 10 o'clock this morning and awaited the tap of the gong at California's arena for a 45-round battle, both in good condition and each declaring his confidence of victory.

Betting had been unusually heavy. New York money poured in on Cross a few days ago and continued in a steady stream, making the easterner the favorite for a time, but Hyland's friends rallied and placed the odds at even.

Cross announced that he was out to win as quickly as possible, as he did not wish to take any chances of losing an opportunity to meet Battling Nelson and capture the lightweight title.

He declared he would do it in 25 rounds, the same number required for Nelson to take care of Hyland.

The Californian was equally confident that he could whip his opponent in fewer than 45 rounds.

New York, June 26.—Considerable money was here last night on the fight, which will take place at Colma, Cal., between Leach Cross, the Bowery dentist, and Dick Hyland. There was more Cross money in sight than Hyland, and the betting ranged from even to 5 to 4 on Cross with 10 to 9 being about the average odds. This 45-round battle is the first fight that Cross has had away from the immediate vicinity of his own home on the East Side, and the great army of East Side followers will observe the returns with much interest.

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