

BASEBALL AND ATHLETIC SPORTS

SWEEP CAPTURES GREAT FUTURITY

Keene's Speedy Two-Year-Old Adds Purse of \$27,000 to Master's Coiffers.

New York, Aug. 30.—James R. Keene's Sweep, a son of Brush-Pick Donitolo, won the twenty-second running of the Futurity at Sheepshead Bay today. Five lengths back, ridden out with hip and knee to beat Sweep's sublimated, Grassmere, a short length for the place, staggered the third Montpelier stable's candidate, Candeberry, also a son of Sweep's sire. Angerona, an added starter, was a fairly good fourth, but the other nine contestants were beaten out and were strung out over a furlong. This time for the six furlong was 1:14.4, Sweep's share of the purse of \$27,000 was \$7,000.

Of the fourteen horses announced as starters three—Big stick, Lull and Grassmere, were scratched, but two other eligibles, Angerona and Sandrine, were added in the hope that they might land a portion of the rich prize. The Keene entry was installed a not favorite in the getting and the opening odds, 1 to 5, found the multitude swooping down on the money brokers with such fervor that the odds were forced to cut the price until at post time 3 to 1 was the best price in sight. Candeberry was well played at 3 to 1, but his price had risen to four at the close, with 5 to 5 that he would not run second.

The irascible temper of Sweep resulted again in his being led to the post while the other candidates paraded past the stand and received the plaudits of the spectators. Sweep by his unruliness delayed the start 10 minutes. Then the wobbling dashed and the 13 horses were away to a good start.

Sweep was off on his hip toes, closely followed by Barleythorpe, Grassmere, Malitine and General Armstrong. There was a good deal of crowding, however, and Sweep fell back behind Grassmere and Barleythorpe into third position. Candeberry got away badly, but was making his way through the jumble and striking out for the leaders.

At the quarter Grassmere still was leading and Barleythorpe was at his heels and coming fast. Butwell on Sweep then straightened out his mount and for a few seconds gave him his head.

Sweep answered with animation and at the five-furlong pole led by a length and a half, with Candeberry second. At this point the race ended as the first place was concerned, for Butwell put his charge under wraps and simply galloped home. First race, five furlongs—Prince Hall, 3 to 1; Dr. Holzberg, 10 to 1; second, High Range, 5 to 1; third, Time—1:28.5. Second race, one and an eighth miles—Evebright, 16 to 5; Sumner, 3 to 1; third, Killiecrankie, 6 to 1; third, Time—1:53.

Third race, six and a half furlongs—Besome, 4 to 1; won; Demusive, 3 to 1; second, Jack Atkin, 5 to 2; third, Time—1:35.5. Fourth race, the Futurity, six furlongs. Futurity course, \$10,000 added—Sweep, 118 (Butwell), 3 to 1; won; Candeberry, 12 (Musgrave), 4 to 1; second, Grassmere, 12 (Seville), 9 to 10; third, Time—1:41.5. Rocky O'Brien, Barleythorpe, Lothario, Harry Johnson and General Armstrong, Sandrine and Angerona also ran.

Fifth race, six and a half furlongs, turf course—Ethereal, 2 to 1; won; Nimbus, 13 to 20; second, Question Mark, 12 to 1; third, Time—1:42.5. Sixth race, five and a half furlongs. Futurity course—Uncas Chief, 13 to 5; won; Billiard Ball, 11 to 5; second, Big Stick, 7 to 5; third, Time—1:40.5.

STREAMS BEING STOCKED; FISHERMEN MADE HAPPY

The work of stocking the various streams with trout fry began today and for some time Fred W. Chambers, fish and game commissioner, and his deputies will be busy taking the fry to the streams where, in the future, the stocked beauties will abound. Mr. Chambers has gone to Helper to receive the 30,000 fry from the Bureau of Fish and Game, which will be placed in Utah county streams. Joe Smith and E. N. Jackson, who have been with 50,000 fry to be planted in Lake Mary and Twin lakes and tomorrow they will plant another 30,000 in Lake Blanche. Next week the northern

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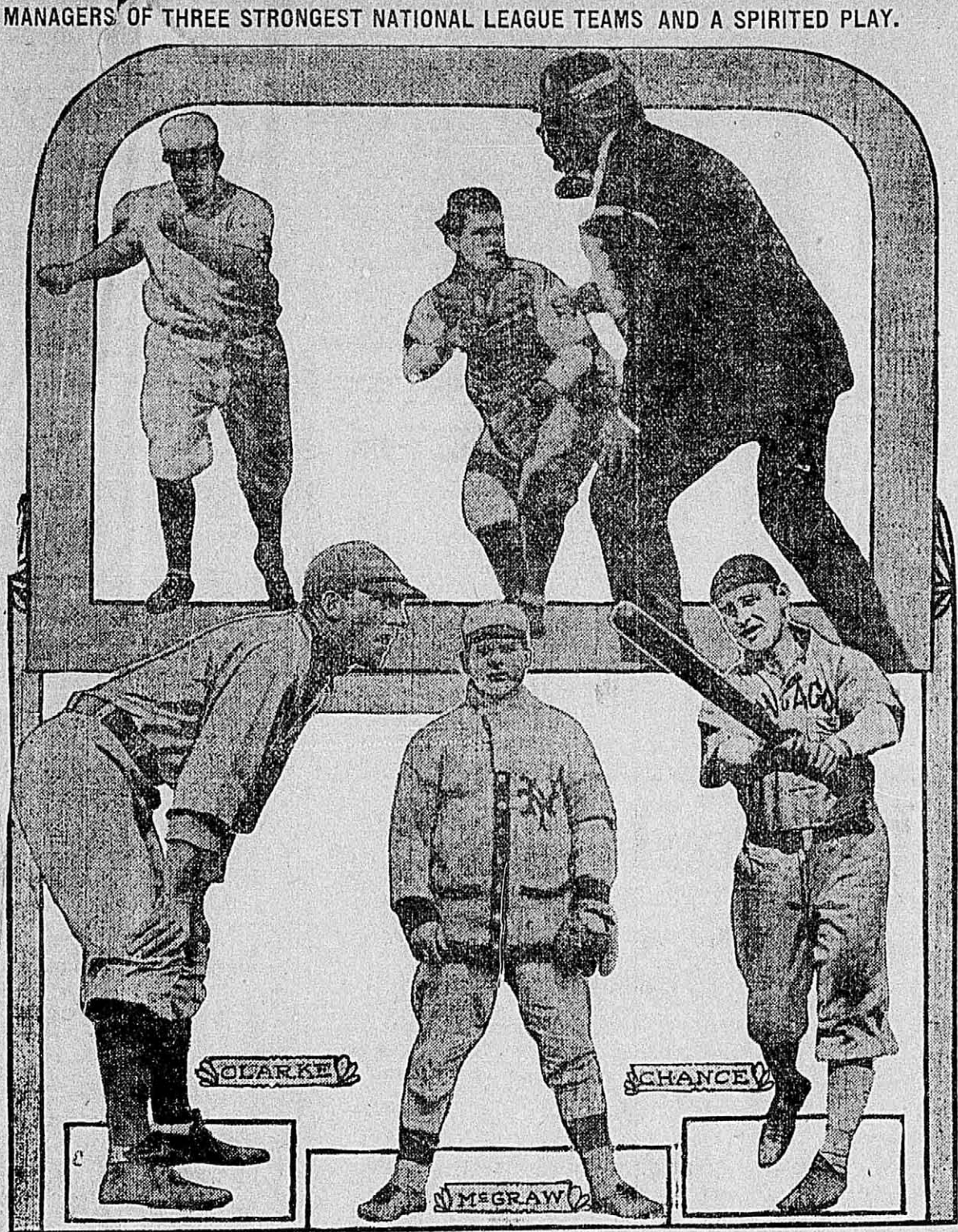
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While the order of procession in the big leagues has not changed during the past week, the two great pennant races have tightened up to such an extent that public interest has been kindled to the highest pitch, and the fans all along the circuit, even in the losing towns, are wild with excitement. The games now being played at the New York, New York, between the Pittsburgh Pirates and the Chicago Cubs to bridge the gap that separates them from the Pirates; it is an awful

1909. They are infinitely and beyond all compare the most important events of the season. The three giant teams are swinging down the stretch, with the Pirates the general favorites. Theoretically it looks as if Pittsburgh had for Chicago and simply miserable for New York. Pittsburgh is a long way ahead of Chicago, and the Cubs are in a long way ahead of New York. It is a herculean task for the Cubs to bridge the gap that separates them from the Pirates; it is an awful

NO CONFLICT IN RACING DATES

Satisfactory Arrangements Made Between Utah and Ogden Jockey Clubs—Horses Arriving.

For a time there was an indication of a conflict between the Utah and Ogden Jockey clubs in the matter of dates for the fall meetings at the Junction City track and at Buena Vista, the resurged course of the Salt Lake organization. Announcement was made semi-officially, that the Ogden people had received a sanction from the Pacific Coast club to begin a 15-day meeting on Sept. 15. The Utah Jockey club had a sanction for a 20-day meeting beginning Sept. 15. This arrangement could not be carried out without a conflict.

Manager Finn of the Utah club makes the announcement, however, that satisfactory arrangements have been made whereby the Murray and expressed course of the Buena Vista track. This was of advantage to both concerns as many of the same horses will race at both tracks. During the Utah state fair there will be no racing at any other than the fair grounds track.

T. J. Slattery, a well known turf writer and turf official, arrived here last evening from Butte and expressed himself as enthusiastic over the prospects for the Ogden and Salt Lake meetings. He said that practically all the horses that raced at Butte would be down for the Utah events and that more than 20 stalls at the Ogden track are already occupied. Manager W. M. Murray writes from Reno that about 85 speedy equines would be shipped from the Nevada metropolis.

Horsemen and their strings of racers are here, the Chicago, last night, T. Williams, of the Pasadena stables, came in from Montana, and lost no time in getting his string down to the Buena Vista track. He has among the horses Ethon, Widrig, Old Timer, La Gloria, Tim O'Toole, John Lewis and James Swift. Rielhart and Hogan came in today from Gold Creek, Mont., with a string of fast ones and Manager Finn has received word that many horses are coming from Vancouver.

PROVO TEAM DEFEATED.

The ball game between the Fifteenth Infantry team and the Provo nine resulted in victory for Uncle Sam's boys, by a score of 11 to 2. The game was fast and clean for four innings when the soldiers simply ran away from the Garden City boys. There was a large crowd present.

FORBES TAKES WHIPPING.

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 31.—Clarence Forbes, the Chicago boxer, re-entered the ring last night with Frankie White of Chicago, as his opponent and, although he was victorious, he received considerable punishment about the face and body. White was given the decision.

Wait for the big I X L auction sale commencing September 7 at 10 a. m.

Swimming at Saltair—It's glorious.

Practically Certain to Run Automobile Race for the Vanderbilt Trophy

New York, Aug. 31.—It is now considered practically certain that there will be an automobile race for the Vanderbilt cup in October. The incorporation of the Automobile Club of America, which gives this assurance. Back of this incorporation are many millionaires interested in automobile road racing and their activity indicates that the quarrel between the Automobile Club of America and the American Automobile association has been permanently settled.

Job for the Giants to get over the space that divides them from Chicago. Manager McGraw of New York is of the opinion that if Pittsburgh falters the Giants have an excellent chance of landing the banner. Frank Chance of Chicago is sure that his peerless wonders will again cop the much coveted banner. Fred Clarke of the Pirates says his team will land it easily. The picture shows a close play at home plate in the recent New York-Pittsburgh game.

TENNIS PLAYERS SHOW SPEED AND SKILL

TODAY'S SCHEDULE.

MEN'S SINGLES.
4 p. m. Brown vs. Brodie.
Nettelton vs. White.
Raymond vs. Rich.
5 p. m. Frank Roberts vs. Bagby.
R. T. Badger vs. George Taylor.
A. S. Brown vs. R. W. Salisbury.

MEN'S DOUBLES.
5 p. m. Badger and Roberts vs. R. T. Badger and partner.
Bagby and Blood vs. George Badger and Taylor.
6 p. m. McDoom and Garnett vs. McLeod and Car Neel.
LADIES' SINGLES.
4 p. m. Miss Lewis vs. Miss Hutchinson.
Mrs. Keith vs. Mrs. Ott.

There was another batch of defaults in the intermountain tennis tournament yesterday afternoon but there were some good matches which greatly interested the large gallery present. In the first match Carr defeated Herbert Sinton of the Y. M. C. A. in two straight sets. Ned Garnett had but little trouble in winning from George Badger and McLeod won from Whitworth after a hard struggle.

In the women's doubles, Miss Hutchinson and Mrs. Keith lost to Miss Williams and Mrs. Griffin. The results were as follows:

MEN'S SINGLES.
Carr Neel won from Sinton, 6-1, 6-2.
Garnett won from George Badger, 6-0, 6-1.
McLeod won from Whitworth, 6-1, 6-2.
McDoom won from Frank Moore, 6-3, 6-5.
Frank Roberts won from Ingebreisen by default.
Brodie won from Dinwoody by default.
Nettelton won from Albert McCormick by default.
White won from Pyper by default.
Griffin won from J. O. Cross by default.
Blond won from Callaghan by default.
A. S. Brown won from A. S. Whitney, 6-3, 6-4.

LADIES' DOUBLES.

Miss Williams and Mrs. Griffin won from Miss Hutchinson and Mrs. Keith, 6-1, 6-4.

SCORES IN GOLF PLAY AT THE COUNTRY CLUB

On the Country club links yesterday afternoon the qualifying round, four to qualify for the C. V. White cup, played for by the women of the club, resulted in the following scores:

Miss Genevieve McCormick, 61. 61.
Mrs. L. L. Savage, 65. 65.
Mrs. R. C. Gemmell, 61. 61.
Mrs. J. C. Taylor, 67. 67.
Miss Marge Miller, 67. 67.

The finals are scheduled for Wednesday.

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FAIRMONT CLUB STILL HAS HOPES

Officials Declare Ketchel and Langford Are Qualified Members of the Organization and Will Fight.

New York, Aug. 31.—The announcement that the Ketchel-Langford fight, to be held in this city in September, has been abandoned by the Fairmont A. C., because of the interference of Gov. Hughes, was premature. When President Gibson of the club was called into a conference by the district attorney and the police commissioner and informed that Gov. Hughes would insist on a strict compliance with the law, it was believed by Mr. Gibson and his friends that the fight could not be held. But now the officials of the club announce that the contest will be held as planned, the only change being in postponing the bout from Sept. 30 to Sept. 30. They insist that no prize money has been offered the fighters; that they are to receive only their legitimate expenses; that both fighters are qualified members of the club, and that only legal members of the club will be admitted to witness the contest.

AT CATCH WEIGHTS.

Willis Britt, manager for Stanley Ketchel, has arrived here unexpectedly and states that Ketchel is in the mountains of California, hunting and fishing with his parents and that the stories concerning his lances are without foundation. Britt says that Ketchel will weigh about 150 pounds and that he will insist on fighting Langford at catch weights.

Sam Langford, who has been training here near Boston, has insisted on Ketchel weighing 20 pounds less than his present scaling, and this may cause a hitch in the arrangements, although the club officials say that the matter is not troubling them. Britt does not know just when Ketchel will start east.

RESULT OF GAMES IN THE BIG LEAGUES

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	32	23	.583
Chicago	28	28	.500
New York	29	45	.392
Cincinnati	35	36	.492
Philadelphia	35	41	.457
St. Louis	45	71	.388
Brooklyn	41	75	.353
Boston	32	85	.274

At New York—
Score: Cincinnati, 2; New York, 1.
Second game—
Chicago, 0; New York, 5.
Batteries—Reulbach and Archer; Mattheus and Myers.
Umpire—Klem and Johnstone.

At Philadelphia—
Score: Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 1.
Batteries—Moore and Doolin; Harmon, Lush and Phelps.
Umpire—Rigler.

At Cincinnati—
Score: Cincinnati, 5; Boston, 3.
Batteries—Rowan and Clarke; Ferguson and Graham.
Umpire—Emello.

At Brooklyn—
Score: Pittsburgh, 1; Brooklyn, 1.
Batteries—Leifeld and Gibson; McIntyre and Bergen.
Umpire—O'Day and Kane.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	26	43	.379
Philadelphia	24	46	.344
Boston	24	49	.329
Cleveland	31	60	.340
Chicago	33	59	.358
New York	33	65	.338
St. Louis	49	68	.419
Washington	33	87	.276

At St. Louis—
Score: St. Louis, 0; Washington, 7.
Batteries—Bailey and Criger; Groome and Street.

At Cleveland—
Score: Cleveland, 2; Detroit, 0.
Batteries—Berger and Bemis; Wood, Hall and Carrigan.

At Chicago—
Score: Chicago, 5; Philadelphia, 7.
Batteries—Scott, Sutor and Owens; Plank and Thomas.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

At Topeka—
Score: Topeka, 7; Omaha, 1.
Batteries—Grindell, Darragh, Boles and Kerns; Keeley and Goding.

At Pueblo—
Score: Lincoln, 10; Pueblo, 0.
Batteries—Parrish and Mason; Swift, McGee and Weigart.

At Denver—
Score: Sioux City, 2; Denver, 9.
Batteries—Chabek and Towne; Durham and Halley.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.

At Seattle—
Score: Seattle, 10; Aberdeen, 2.
Batteries—Thompson and Shea; Slevor and O'Brien.

At Portland—
Score: Spokane, 4; Portland, 2.
Batteries—Killaly and Ostleik; Samuels and Armbruster.

AFTER INTERNATIONAL AVIATION CONTESTS

New York, Aug. 31.—A number of western cities have already submitted attractive offers to the Aero Club of America for the international aviation contests which are to be held next year in this country. According to A. Holland Forbes, president of the club, which will have charge of the meeting as it through Glenn H. Curtiss, won the international cup at Rheims, New York is not at all certain of obtaining this important attraction for next summer. When Curtiss won the trophy last year it was commonly supposed that the next contest for it would be held on either the Hempstead Plains, L. I. or on a specially-prepared field on the Hackensack Meadows. But the Aero club will insist on a contribution of at least \$100,000 to go divided into cash prizes for

the contesting aviators, and New York has indicated no inclination of donating any such fund.

"The next aviation contest has been placed in our hands by Curtiss' victory," said Mr. Forbes, "and we will endeavor to see that the foreign aviators who come over to challenge for the cup have just as good an opportunity to win valuable prizes as they had at Rheims."

"We have received several flattering offers from a number of western cities who are very much alive to the commercial value of this meet as an attraction and I am now negotiating with them."

"We are already preparing to do everything that we possibly can to make the next meet even greater than the one which has just terminated at Rheims, and we will work enthusiastically with the community which offers us the best site and the best terms."

NO CHANCE NOW FOR EITHER MAN TO CRAWL

San Francisco, Aug. 30.—Ratification of the action tonight by Sam Berger in signing tentative articles with Jack Johnson in Chicago several weeks ago, is the substance of a cablegram received by Berger from Jim Jeffries, who is at present in Germany.

Following the signing of the Chicago articles, in which numerous points for the fight between Jeffries and the color-champion were agreed upon, Jeffries in an interview in England virtually repudiated Berger's action. Berger contended that Jeffries misunderstood what he had done and today showed the following cablegram as proof that his action in Chicago was not unauthorized:

"Carlsbad, Aug. 20.—Berger, San Francisco: Agreements satisfactory. Inform newspapers your action authorized by me."

"(Signed) JEFFRIES."

Berger declared that the receipt of the cablegram left him certain that the big fight would take place. He said that following the Plymouth interview with Jeffries he wrote him a long explanatory letter to which today's cablegram was the reply. Berger continued:

"The big fellow will return within six weeks and I hope by that time to have arranged with some club to handle the fight. I am sure that I have Jeffries' assurance I can go ahead and consider offers from promoters."

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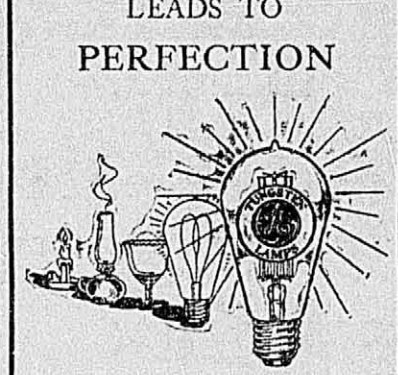
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