

# NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD AT HOME AND ABROAD

## HAPPENINGS IN THE ROPED ARENA.

**Jerry McCarthy Training Hard for Fight With Jack Dean at Ogden.**

**FLYNN WANTS CRACK AT ROOT.**

**Bob Fitzsimmons Thinks George Gardner Will Be Easy Picking for Him Next Month.**

Jerry McCarthy has been training hard this week for his coming contest with Jack Dean, the "Prize" fighter who will be the Walkerville boys next opponent in the squared circle, and he proposes to keep it up until he is as fit as a fiddle. He has excellent training quarters and a first-class sparring partner, and if he does not get in perfect condition for the mill it will be no one's fault but his own. McCarthy has been on the sick list for some time but he is all right now and takes keen pleasure in his preparations for the contest. The bout will take place at Ogden but the date thereof has not been definitely decided upon as yet. The men will fight for 75 and 25 per cent of the gate receipts, under straight Marquis of Queensbury rules, and will weigh in at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of the contest at 145 pounds.

Dean is an unknown quantity in these parts, but he is well spoken of by coast people who predict that he will give McCarthy the hardest fight of his ring career. But Jerry is not worrying in the least and says he will be returned the winner. He has the championship belt hanging in his hotel, and is determined to get a match with Martin Duffy in this city, but will not have an opportunity to do so until after election. Strong efforts have been made during the last two months to get the game opened up in this city again, but without satisfactory results. It is said, however, that after election the game will be opened again and some first-class bouts will be pulled off here under the management of the Shamrock club.

If reports can be relied upon, Jimmy Flynn, well known to fight fans of Salt Lake, is anxious to secure a match with Jack Root, former light heavyweight champion of the world. The Rover Wheel club of Pueblo has the matter in hand and has communicated with Lou Houseman, Root's manager, asking for a bout. It is understood that Houseman has replied that Root would meet Flynn provided a guarantee of \$500 was made by the club. Houseman does not demand that this amount be given to Root, but that it be given to the winner of the proposed bout. A match between the two would no doubt prove interesting to local ring followers, but it is doubtful if half a dozen could be drawn to stand a dead man's chance against the speedy Root. But over in Colorado Flynn is looked upon as the real thing and is touted as a coming champion. He jumped into popular favor there when he secured a draw with Morgan Williams. If Flynn stands any chance with Root he certainly must have improved greatly since we saw him here. He is a strong husky young fellow, but used to be terribly young. If he has not improved about 200 per cent since he fought in this city, he will think someone is shooting gloves at him from a Gatling gun if he ever gets into the ring with Root.

Old John L. Sullivan, weighing 340 pounds, is again "touring" in vaudeville, and making a mild sort of hit. John is on the water wagon and threatens to remain there for some time. He was cheered when he walked out on the stage in New York the other day. "No more pugilism for me," said the old John L. "I've had my share, and when I was defeated I knew when I had enough. I didn't do the heavy act and try for another fight, like the bruisers now do. I am content to do my little turn on the stage, and, besides, I am thinking seriously of entering politics. Certainly I think I am as good a politician as Bill Devery. What is my opinion of Jeffries? I think he is the greatest fighter alive, all in a class by himself, and good to hold the championship for a long time to come. I don't think so much of Corbett. He is a dead one, like myself, and if he ever gets into the ring with Fitz again the Cornishman will eat him alive."

"What about the book you were going to write on 'The Art of Pugilism'?" was asked of the big fellow. "I did have an arrangement with a fellow in New York to write such a book," was the reply, "but the fellow went daffy trying to compose it, and I gave the proposition up."

Sullivan said that he had all of the

theatrical engagements he could attend to, and was booked solid for the winter.

The next bout to attract national attention is billed for next month between Bob Fitzsimmons, "The Old Man of the Prize Ring," and George Gardner, twice conqueror of Jack Root and holder of the light heavyweight championship of the world. The battle will, in all probability, take place at San Francisco, under the auspices of the Yosemite Athletic club, but Fort Erie also has a bid in for the mill. What the outcome will be one can not tell for a certainty. Both men have strong backing and, judging from expressions from both fighters, they are eager for the fray. In the opinion of a local authority on Pugilism, Gardner has an excellent chance to drop the old man provided the fight goes over 10 rounds.

"Of course Gardner knows his chances will be better after 10 rounds," said he, "and I look for him to try to worry the old fellow and keep out of danger for the first half. Fitz will no doubt try to cop him out early in the fight, but if he fails to do so he will have to look a little out as Gardner is strong and in a terrible punisher. If Fitz wins he will be the only man who has had the honor of having held three titles: viz: heavyweight, middleweight and light heavyweight championships of the world."

Here is what Fitz thinks of the coming battle: "I have no doubt but that Gardner means business," said Fitz. "He has signed articles and posted his forfeit all right. I hope he is sincere, as I am anxious to see just how good he is. Of course I have no fear as to the result. While Gardner may be a very strong young fellow, I feel that I will have no trouble in putting it on him when we

a serious mistake and one that he will discover when it is too late.

**GOOD NEWS FOR FANS.**  
Practically Assured That Ogden Will Enter Pacific National League.  
(Special to the "News.")

Ogden, Oct. 17.—A guarantee of \$1,000 has been raised for the purpose of securing a franchise in the Pacific National league, an effort for which will be made at the league meeting scheduled to be held in Spokane soon. It is practically certain that the local club will ask for a berth in the organization, and the assurance has been given that the league magnates will not act unfavorably on the request when it is made. Certain local fans are enthusiastic over the prospects for next year, and they are doing all in their power to see that the deal goes through. If Ogden is not in the league next season it will not be Ogden's fault.

The above should be received with feelings of joy and gladness by Salt Lake ball fans. Why? Simply because it means a big thing for the national game in this city. With Ogden in the field it will make the competition sharper. It will make the home club managers get a hustle on them to beat their old rivals. It will stimulate the game here and stir up intense interest. We have only had one team here in years that could cope reasonably well with the Lobsters and that was only for a very short time. If Ogden gets the coveted franchise Salt Lake will have to begin doing things and doing them well. We sincerely hope that Junction city secures a berth in the league. If the franchise is granted, Ogden can be depended

## FOOTBALL GAME AT LOGAN TODAY

University Boys Lined Up Against Agricultural College Eleven.

**COACH HOLMES CONFIDENT.**

**He Says Aggies Can Not Win Despite Their Great Advantage in Weight — Latter Not Worrying.**

There is a game of football on at Logan this afternoon, the outcome of which will be awaited with breathless interest by Utah football fans. The game is between the eleven representing the University of Utah and the team representing the Agricultural college of Logan, and it goes without saying that the fight will be a hard one and there will be something doing every minute the pig skin is in play. Both teams are confident of success. The



EQUINE BEAUTIES AT THE RECENT UTAH STATE FAIR.

come together. After a Gardner I will give them all a chance, meeting all corners."

Fitz is doing light work at his home at Bath beach, and within a few days will leave for San Francisco, where he will put on the finishing touches for the bout. If he is returned the winner he will probably then be willing to talk business with Corbett. The latter professes to be eager for another crack at Lengthy Bob, but says he will take his time in arranging for the fight.

**GREAT PITCHERS THESE.**

**Just the Kind That Salt Lake Ought to Land For Next Season.**

In Joe Corbett, brother of Jim, and Jay Hughes, the California ball leaguers has certainly captured two A-1 pitchers, just the kind of men Salt Lake ought to capture for next season—if possible. Some think it rather strange because these two knights of the ring have deserted Ned Hanlon, but there is nothing strange about it when the fact that he wanted them to pitch for small salaries is taken into consideration. With these two winners on the pitching staff, what the Brooklyn club would have accomplished during the past season would certainly have been a plenty.

They would have given the club a big boost towards the top to say the least. It now looks as if either McGraw of New York or Collins of Boston will get Ned Hanlon. While they are fighting for him, some other club will probably put in a generous bid for Hughes. He will not be lost sight of in view of the fact that out of twenty-three games pitched he won twenty-one. This is a good record and one that few twirlers can boast of. Hanlon may think he is very wise in allowing the men to get away from him, but fans generally believe he has made

upon to hustle real lively and put a cracking good team in the field.

**BOWLING SEASON OPENS.**  
Various Alleys Will Soon Present a Lively Appearance—Tournament at Collenders.

The various bowling teams of the city will begin active operations next week and from then on the game will be about the most popular indoor sport in the city. At Collender's alleys the game will open up with a handicap tournament one night early in the week, and it will, no doubt, attract considerable interest among city bowlers. It is expected that there will be at least 20 entries and the competition will be sharp. The contesting bowlers will be given handicaps in accordance with their daily averages and each will participate in at least ten games. Prizes will be awarded to the ones rolling the highest score.

The other alleys in the city are reported to be in fine shape and preliminary steps towards organizing teams to represent each alley are being taken. This will probably be followed by the formation of a city league and then the game will be on in earnest.

**MCGRAW AFTER WAGNER.**

What a Team Giants Would Have With Hans and Larry Lajole.

"Mugsy" McGraw is trying to secure the services of Hans Wagner for next year. And New York fans are cheering: "What a team New York would have if both Larry and Lajole and Hans Wagner were to sport the 'N. Y.' on their bosoms' front the coming season!" Wagner is loyal to Pittsburgh, has always been loyal to Pittsburgh, and the question now is, would he sever his connection with his old playmates to go with the men from Manhattan?

It is known that McGraw is on the lookout for some other pitcher to bolster his aggregation next year. Artists both, yet the exact opposite of each other in every attribute that goes to make a great player. Lajole, second baseman of the Cleveland Americans—tall, good carriage, clean limbed, the acme of grace when on the move, and cool under the most trying situations—he is the ideal athlete. Wagner, shortstop of the Pittsburgh Nationals, big and heavy, shambles rather than walks, bandy-legged, clumsy in his movements, excitable and irritable, but with a master of his craft.

To see Lajole field his position is to see the cleanest and most graceful action ever witnessed on the ball field. Wagner is his antithesis. He tears around, dizzing up the ground and turf, but he accomplishes the same results. What looks difficult for the one is so easy for the other that he loses the credit. Both are the same in the impossible plays, but to the spectator how different!

Wagner, it must be confessed, has had by far the better of the argument, in the way of pitchers to face. As a rule, the pitching staffs of the American league clubs are stronger than those of the National league. But in this company he is a dangerous man to pitch to. He has not the ease and confidence of his opponent, but he manages to keep the fielders on the jump every time he hits the ball.

A SPECIAL PILLS FOR THE ONE THAT WILL CLEANSE THE SYSTEM, set the liver to action, remove the bile, clear the complexion, cure headache and leave a good taste in the mouth. The famous Little Pills for doing such work pleasantly and effectively are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Bob Moore of Lafayette, Ind., says: "All other pills I have used griped and sickened, while DeWitt's Little Early Risers are simply perfect." Sold by all druggists.



EQUINE BEAUTIES AT THE RECENT UTAH STATE FAIR.

Aggies have an advantage in weight, and poundage in a football game counts a material figure. Their easy victory over the High school last week has made them feel a bit more confident. On the other hand Coach Holmes counts on his team showing better team work, a more thorough knowledge of the game, and a great deal more speed. He thinks in view of these points, weight will have little effect on the result. Both aggregations have been training every minute of time the boys could spare from studies since the game was arranged for, and both teams are in very best of condition physically. Mr. Holmes says he has sized up his men pretty well and feels assured that they will deliver the goods. He counts on his end to do great work and says he has a line strong enough to withstand the bucking of the Farmers. A large crowd of rooters will be on hand to cheer both teams, so that the "Varsity" boys will not lack supporters. After the game the visiting team will probably be given a feast and ball. They will return home tomorrow.

**AMERICAN AUTOMOBILES.**

**Recent Races and Tests Demonstrate Most Wonderful Improvement in Them.**

Beyond the mere fact that records were shattered all along the line last week by American automobilists, there is a more and more important phase to the matter. It shows how fast the home builders are getting down the line points of racing, and it gives notice to the foreign makers that they must look well to their laurels in the near future.

The breaking of all records on Saturday by Oldfield over the Empire City track was a fitting capstone to a notable week in the history of automobile racing in this country, following as it did right on top of the great run from Chicago, in which the existing record between the two cities was almost cut in two. With an allowance for stoppage the distance was covered at an average rate of over 15 miles an hour.

The most important fact in connection with the remarkable performance of Oldfield was that it was made in competition with a French racing machine of equal power. To cut any record a minute and a half is good, but to do it in an American made machine is better.

George C. Cannon, the Harvard student, also lowered his own world's record during the week, with his home-made steam racer, doing the distance in 3:50 3-5.

**FAMOUS BIKE RIDERS.**

**Three Who Are to Retire From the Track With Small Fortunes.**

Salt Lake cycle fans will no doubt be interested to learn that three noted cyclists whose retirement from the track has just been announced, will leave the game with small fortunes in their possession.

Two of the trio, Frank Kramer, for three years' champion of the sprinters, and Bobbie Walthour, for several years a flyer in the highest ranks of the six-day races, enter the automobile field, while Major Taylor, the colored rider, hailed as the champion of the world, has not decided upon his future. Two are married men, and one, Walthour, has three children. All are property owners. Walthour's neat little home in Atlanta, furnished handsomely and expensively, is all paid for, while Taylor's residence is one of the most expensive in Worcester, Mass., and located in one of the best neighborhoods of

## WOMEN'S WOES

It does seem that women have more than a fair share of the aches and pains that affect humanity; they must "keep up" must attend to daily duties in spite of constant aching back, of headaches, dizzy spells, bearing down pains, they must stoop over, when to stoop means torture. They must walk and bend and work with racking pains and many aches from kidney ills.

Kidneys cause more suffering than any other organ of the body. Keep the kidneys well and health is easily maintained. Read of a remedy for kidneys only, that helps and cures the kidneys, and is endorsed by people you know.

## Salt Lake City Proof

**A TRIAL FREE**  
To Salt Lake City News Readers.



Mrs. Sarah Pearson, rear of 542 Elizabeth street, says: "I honestly think I inherit liver and kidney complaint attacks of which I have had for years. I had a sister who died of liver trouble, and many a time I have been over anxious about my own condition for the persistent aching just across the loins which radiated towards the shoulders, which hurt when I stooped and straightened after stooping or lifted anything, often kept me in misery. When there was added to it backache, trouble with the kidney secretions and dimness of vision I knew my kidneys required attention. I had used a great many remedies for kidney complaint and liver trouble, some of which may have had a slight effect, but from none did I obtain half the satisfactory results as from Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at the F. J. Hill Drug Co's store. This remedy acts directly upon the kidneys. You can tell that from the behavior of the kidney secretions. They are first affected and when they become normal the aching across the loins ceases. In hopes that my testimonial may induce others to use Doan's Kidney Pills who have kidney trouble I unhesitatingly allow it to be published."

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
P. O. \_\_\_\_\_  
STATE \_\_\_\_\_  
For free trial box, mail this coupon to  
Doan's Kidney Pills, Buffalo, N. Y. If above  
space is insufficient, write address on separate slip.

the city. Kramer owns a home in East Orange, N. J., in which he lives with his manager, Mr. F. H. Burnett.

Two of the three riders whose earnings have enabled them to retire from cycling with no worry regarding the future, started humbly and made their fortunes entirely in cycle riding. Walthour, as a boy, was an inmate of an orphan asylum, and Savannah, graduating from the asylum to a position as bicycle messenger boy in Atlanta, and thence to the cycle track in 1897. He made his way slowly in the field, but three years ago came into prominence as a race follower, and was soon earning a competence.

Major Taylor's father was an ash man in Indianapolis, living at Sligo. Taylor was a hanger-on and errand boy around the cycling stores of Indianapolis until Major Munger made him cook and boy of all work in the famous bachelor quarters conducted by him at Indianapolis. Taylor followed Munger, and, entering a six-day race in 1896, made such a start in cycle racing that the rest came easy.

Kramer was a schoolboy in New Jersey developed an ability on a wheel which caused Mr. Burnett, his father's partner, to start his gradual development as a cycle rider. Amateur champion one year and then two, he entered the professional field to lose the championship the first year to Taylor, but becoming champion the following year, he has won the honor for three years steadily. Kramer is the first rider since the days of Eddie Bald and the second rider in cycling history to win the championship for three successive years.

Cooper also is in automobile. None of the champions before Cooper's time proved able to hold their earnings. Gardner, champion of 1897; Bald, champion of 1894, 1895 and 1896; Zimmerman, champion of the earlier nine-ties; Willie Windle, Walter Sanger, Johnnie Johnson and many more are hard workers in the business field today, with little or nothing to show for their years of success on the track. A majority of them tried business life after leaving the track and failed.

**Diminished Vitality.**  
Some people talk very flippantly about diminished vitality. They don't stop to think that vitality is the principle of life—that it is that little understood something on which every function of their bodies depends. Diminished vitality is early indicated by loss of appetite, strength and endurance, and Hood's Sarsaparilla is the greatest vitalizer.

A good many people suffer from Catarrh. There are naturally a good many so-called remedies for it. Here's one which don't come in the "so-called" class, Viall's Catarrh Tablets are made for us especially. We know what's in them and if they don't do just as we say. Here's your money back.

**SCHRAMM'S,**

Where the Cars Stop.

There are many rumors of an advance in the price of coal. We don't believe there will be any change, but if there should be, that good coal will still be the best.

**BAMBERGER,**

The Man on Meighn St.

**Hear That Knocking?**

That's Mr. Opportunity. He knocks through the Want Columns of today's paper. Don't neglect his call.

**LYON & CO.**

A swell wedding means hunting around for presents that will be

**An Appropriate Gift**

**For the Bride.**

We have a rich and handsome stock of table silver, an exquisite assortment of fine jewelry and art glass toilet articles, vases, etc., etc., mounted in gold and silver, that make an offering fit for a princess.

143 Main Street.

Tel. 1070-2.

**DIAMONDS.**

## THE VARSITY

Only a name given to our stylish young mens suits, but there is a snap and style about them that you have never before seen. Come in and try one on, we can fit you in the nobbiest suit you ever saw for \$15.00.

If you'll pay \$20. or \$25. we will give you hand made garments and these hand tailored suits are equal to the best that are produced by high class custom tailors and the price is HALF.

**RICHARDSON AND ADAMS,**

172 Main Street.

OUR CUTS BRING GOOD RESULTS

**DEBOUZEK ENGRAVING COMPANY**

27-29 W. 50 TEMPLE ST. SALT LAKE.

PHONE 1656 X

**We Make ILLUSTRATIONS for the Man at the Heart of any Business.**