

THE WORLD OF SPORT

Sharkey Accepts Challenge of Jeffries.

FITZ WILL FIGHT AGAIN

CANADIANS CARRY OFF CUP IN A YACHT RACE.

WINNER OF WASHINGTON-LEE REGATTA

The Six Days' Race in New York Stopped. Unventful Day in the Baseball World.

San Francisco, Calif., June 12.—Tom Sharkey, the pugilist, has received the following telegram from his manager, Tom O'Rourke dated New York, June 11th:

"Tom Sharkey, Pasco Robles, Cal.: 'Have accepted Jeffries' challenge to fight you early in September. You had better come here at once. There is nothing out there. Answer.' (Signed.) 'TOM O'ROURKE.'"

To the above the sailor replied: "Pasco Robles, Cal., June 12th. "Tom O'Rourke, New York: "Am at Springs doing well. Working right along. Will leave for New York in three weeks. Weather is rather warm there. (Signed.) 'TOM SHARKEY.'"

From the above it would appear that the contest challenge issued by Jeffries just after his defeat of Fitzsimmons, will lead to some arrangement for a battle between the aspiring sailor and the new champion.

FITZ TO CHALLENGE JEFF.

New York, June 12.—Martin Julian stated to-night that he would fight Fitz would be held. He said:

"Fitz is not in need of money; he is not in need of money before the fight with Jeffries which netted him a handsome sum, and he does not care for a benefit. It is quite probable that Fitz will, within the next few days challenge Jeffries to meet him again, in the near future, in another fight for the heavy-weight championship."

SIX DAYS RACE STOPS SHORT.

New York, June 12.—The six days go-as-you-please foot race which began in Madison Square Garden last night, came to an end shortly after 10 o'clock to-night, on account of financial troubles. The last of the pedestrians were forced from the track by the management shutting of the lights.

THE CANADIAN BOAT WINS.

Montreal, June 12.—Last year's Seawhaka cup winner, the Dominion, ran away from the White Bear yacht club's challenge, the Yankee, in the first of the series of races to be sailed on Lake St. Louis, the Canadian boat winning by 10 minutes.

THE LEE CREW WIN REGATTA.

Richmond, Va., June 12.—At Lexington, Va., to-day, the Washington and Lee University annual regatta was won by the Harry Lee crew, their opponents the Albert Sidney Johnston crew, being beaten half a boat's length.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

New York, June 12.—The New Yorks were easily downed by the Boston to-day. The Champions scored 11 runs in three innings, mainly through Cardick's ineffective pitching. An error by Long was responsible for the New Yorks brace of runs in the seventh. Attendance 1,500. Score: New York . . . 000000200—2 12 5 Boston . . . 308000000—11 12 2 Batteries: Carrick, Coakley and Warner; Nichols and Clarke. Umpires, Lynch and Warner. Time 1:58.

Cleveland, June 12.—Cleveland and Pittsburg played a pretty even game today, but the visitors did the better work in the field. There was good hitting on both sides. Attendance 100. Score: Cleveland . . . 002010000—3 11 4 Pittsburg . . . 201000200—5 11 0 Batteries: Hughey and Schrecongost; Leever, Sparks and Bowerman. Umpire, Gaffney. Time 1:40.

THE BIG STRIKE IN CLEVELAND

The Strikers Find Strong Allies in Their Women.

Cleveland, Ohio, June 12.—The attempt of the big consolidated railroad company to move its cars today was attended by scenes of wild disorder in various parts of the city, though nobody was hurt and very little damage was done to property. Cars were run on two lines at very irregular intervals, but without passengers and mainly under the protection of policemen. The principal work of the mobs which were composed largely of idlers and curious spectators was to blockade the tracks, in which they were materially assisted by accommodating drivers of trucks, who cut trolley ropes and jeered at the non-union men. Occasionally stale eggs and pieces of mud were thrown, but nobody was hurt. The strikers discouraged violence, but they did most effective work in inducing the non-union men to quit, and in that they were assisted by several women, relatives of the strikers, who boarded the cars and pleaded with the new men to leave their posts. One of these women was provided with money, and when argument failed she induced the non-union men to quit by paying them.

Most of the cars were left on the lines deserted and were afterward picked up by inspectors and taken to the terminals. The company says it has sufficient men to operate its cars tomorrow, but this is denied by the strikers. The important development of the day was the refusal of the company to let the State board arbitrate the only question involved—the recognition of the union. The strikers say they feel greatly encouraged and they will be better prepared than ever to resist the running of cars when the attempt is resumed tomorrow morning.

of the responsibility must be brought home to General De Boisdeffre and General Mercier. At the same time those taking this view have been all along persuaded that M. Dupuy would never proceed to that extreme. Accordingly they seized upon M. Vaillant's interpellation as a means of expressing their defiance and distrust of the Dupuy Ministry.

Certainly there is no denying the fact that the question of the final settlement of the Dreyfus case hangs like a dead weight on the situation to-night, and will prove a great obstacle in the settlement of the crisis.

STATE COMMITTEE'S DENIAL.

Petition of Conference Regarding Naming U. S. Senator Refused.

Richmond, Va., June 12.—Pursuant to call, the State Democratic committee met here tonight to consider the petition of the conference held in this city on the tenth of May, that a convention be called or a primary be ordered for the purpose of nominating a United States Senator from this State. There was a full attendance and the committee adopted the following by a vote of 37 to 11:

"The committee has heard with interest and has considered carefully the request submitted that it should order a primary or call a State Convention to nominate a Democratic candidate for Senator in the Congress of the United States. Looking to the plan of organization of the Democratic party and to the action taken by the last State convention held at Roanoke on the 11th day of August, 1897, by which this committee was appointed, the committee is of the opinion that it has not the right to grant this request. If the committee felt that it could in its discretion rightfully grant the request it would consider such action at present unnecessary, unwise and not promotive of the best interests of the Democratic party in the State. The committee is satisfied that there is not such a general demand from the body of the Democratic voters of the State for this departure from the established usage of the party, as in any event to justify it in making a change so radical as the one proposed. The people in the several legislative districts of the State have always had, and still have the power to control the election of United States Senators, either by leaving it to the sound judgment and discretion of the representatives chosen by them, or by seeing that the representatives chosen are in accord with them on the subject, or by instructing them where it seemed necessary. Therefore be it

"Resolved, that the request submitted be not granted."

A resolution asking the city and county chairmen to have local primaries held, was laid on the table. The resolution refusing the request for a convention or a State primary was offered by State Senator R. A. James, of Danville, and that for county primaries by Mr. Eggleston. The request for favorable action by the committee was formally presented by Hon. J. C. Parker, of Southampton, who supported the request in a lengthy speech. There was practically no debate, as the majority had little to say.

The meeting of the committee was much less exciting than had been expected.

DEATH OF YOUNG TAYLOR.

A Couple of Runaway Marriages—Memorial Services.

Durham, N. C., June 12.—(Special.)—Charlie, the 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Taylor, died this morning at the home of his parents on Morris street. The funeral services will be conducted from the residence tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock. The interment will be in the city cemetery.

A large number of Pythians attended the memorial service held at Main Street church Sunday night. Dr. E. A. Yates preached a special memorial sermon to them. He chose as his text 2 Samuel, 14th chapter and 14th verse: "For we must needs die, and are as water spilt upon the ground, which cannot be gathered up again; neither doth God respect any person; yet doth he devise means, that his banished be not expelled from him." The sermon was indeed a fine one, and was listened to with great interest and attention.

There were two Greta Green marriages solemnized hereabouts on Sunday. On the morning between 10 and 11 o'clock, Mr. Marley Strickland and Miss Hecia Stone were united in wedlock by Rev. D. N. Caviness, pastor of Carr church, East Durham, on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mr. W. R. Chamblee and Miss Maggie Ross were married by Squire D. C. Gunter, of this city.

An excursion will be run from this city to Lynchburg, Va., by the Sunday Schools of East Durham and North Durham. The train will consist of nine cars, and they go by the Norfolk and Western road, leaving here at 6 a. m. The Second Baptist Sunday school have decided to run their excursion to Raleigh on Wednesday, 28th inst.

ENGLISH-IRISH TUNNEL

Enthusiastic Meeting Held in London Relative to the Matter.

London, June 12.—At a largely attended meeting of peers, commoners, gentlemen and others held this evening in the House of Commons, a resolution was adopted to address a petition to the First Lord of the Treasury, Mr. Arthur J. Balfour, relative to the projected tunnel between Ireland and England.

The Marquis of Londonderry who presided, read letters from Lord Rosebery, Field Marshal Lord Garnet Wolseley, Lord Charles Beresford, member of Parliament for York City, and others favoring the scheme, on the ground that it would not only unite England and Ireland more closely, but tend to bring the United States and the United Kingdom into more intimate accord.

The proposed route is a distance of 25 miles under 85 feet of water; and the estimated cost of the undertaking is 12,000 pounds sterling (\$80,000,000).

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A FEMALE HANNO.

Mrs. Baker Will Train Her Sons to Kill Howards and Waites.

Barboursville, Ky., June 12.—The troops with Jim and Wiley Baker, charged with murder in connection with the Baker-Howard feud, arrived here at 10 o'clock from Manchester, delivered the prisoners to the county jailer, going into camp in the court house. Mrs. Baker says she will train her eleven sons that the height of their ambition will be to kill a White or a Howard. Jim and Wiley are quiet and refuse to talk.

SHERIFF WHITE ARRESTED.

Chicago, Ills., June 12.—A special to the Times-Herald from Manchester, Ky., says:

"Sheriff Beverly P. White is now under arrest charged with the murder of Tom Baker, leader of one faction in the Baker-Howard feud in the court house yard Saturday afternoon. The sheriff is under the same military guard that was sent here in vain to protect Baker's life. Blood for blood is the cry of Baker's relatives, and those who know them say they are bound to get it. Thorough investigation has established the fact beyond a shadow of doubt that the shot that killed Baker was fired from the home of Sheriff White.

THE LEE-TAYLOR FEUD.

Middlesboro, Ky., June 12.—Thomas Messer, a member of the Taylor faction of the Lee-Taylor feud in Harlan county, was killed yesterday by a man named Lee, a member of the Lee clan. More trouble is feared.

A NOVEL PROPOSITION.

That the State Arm Georgia Women With Pistols.

Atlanta, Ga., June 12.—An editorial in the last number of the Saturday Review, Atlanta's leading society journal, has attracted much attention and caused considerable comment. It bears upon the race question and more particularly upon the arming of white women, and says in part:

"This is well and as it should be, but unfortunately, the women who are in most need of this accomplishment are those who live in the remote country districts and, in many cases, too poor to buy firearms.

"Georgia club women who are honest in their wish to help their less fortunate sisters should petition the commissioners in each county to provide every country woman who has none with a pistol. The petition should also embody a request that a body of rural police be organized in every county for the protection of the women and children, and to put an end to the reign of terror in which they are living to-day. It is certain that every member of the Atlanta City Federation, numbering 2,000 women, would sign a petition of this kind, and there can be no doubt that they would be joined by the clubs in all parts of the State."

PROF. HAUPT MUST EXPLAIN.

Washington, June 12.—The President has taken notice of the interview attributed to Professor Lewis Haupt, a member of the Isthmian Canal Commission, and published in the newspapers last Saturday, to the effect that the whole project of the commission was only a scheme to kidnap people.

Professor Haupt either has been or will be immediately called upon for a statement. If he denies the authenticity of the interview, that will be regarded as sufficient. If he stands by the statements made in the interview, then he must leave the commission, for, in the opinion of the Administration, his remaining would destroy its usefulness and make its report valueless.

TORPEDO FACTORY BLOWN UP.

Marietta, Ohio, June 12.—The factory of the Marietta Torpedo Company was blown up today with terrific effect. Clyde Porter and Cal Harte, aged 45 and married, were instantly killed. Two horses and a wagon were blown to atoms. Trees for 200 yards were stripped of foliage and the limbs of some trees were strewn with the flesh of the two men and of the horses. A large hole in the ground where the wagon stood strengthens the theory that the explosion occurred from the carelessness of Porter, who was unloading the nitroglycerine.

TOBACCO COMBINE WINS.

Louisville, Ky., June 12.—The jury in the \$125,000 damage suit of A. B. Tate, against the Drummond and other tobacco companies to-day reported a verdict for the defendants. Tate, who formerly conducted a warehouse, charged that the defendants had conspired against him, and after a boycott forced him out of the business. He charged the defendants with being members of a trust formed to control the tobacco market. The defendants claimed to have quit dealing with Tate because of his manner of doing business and denied all his allegations.

Last fall I sprained my left hip while handling some heavy boxes. The doctor I called on said at first it was a slight strain and would soon be well, but it grew worse and the doctor then said I had rheumatism. It continued to grow worse and I could hardly get around to work. I went to a drug store and the druggist recommended me to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I tried it and one-half of a 50-cent bottle cured me entirely. I now recommend it to all my friends.—F. A. Babcock, Erie, Pa. It is for sale everywhere. Bobbitt Wythe Drug Co. and H. T. Hicks, Druggists, Raleigh.

NEWBERN GRADED SCHOOLS.

Newbern, N. C., June 12.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the trustees of the Newbern Graded School held on Saturday night, Prof. Thomas R. Foust, of this city, was elected superintendent for the ensuing year, and Prof. H. P. Harding, of Greenidge, was elected principal.

With these capable and distinguished gentlemen to guide, its destiny, the newly established graded school bids fair to prove an unequalled success, and Newbern may yet again be known as the "Athens of North Carolina."

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BANKER BENEDICT MYSTERY.

No Faintest Clue Yet to the Whereabouts of the Missing Man.

Atlanta, Ga., June 12.—The disappearance of Banker John A. Benedict, of Athens, Ga., is apparently a greater mystery today than it has been at any time since he was last seen at Greenville, S. C., on the 23rd of May. A letter signed Anderson D. Miller, reports to give the circumstances of a meeting between the writer and Benedict at Portsmouth, Va., on Sunday after he left Greenville. This letter would indicate that Benedict was on his way to Washington laboring under the decision that he had some invention that he must get patented. The story told by the writer is apparently straightforward, but all efforts to find Anderson D. Miller or any trace of him have so far proved unavailing. It is surmised that the letter was inspired by Benedict himself. The only possible reason for his disappearance seems to be mental trouble, as the books of the bank show his accounts to be all right.

ITS CENTENNIAL.

Washington County Will Celebrate This Year.

Plymouth, N. C., June 12.—(Special.)—Plymouth Academy, under the management of Prof. B. F. Hassell and his assistants, Mrs. P. W. Brinkley and Miss Jannette Martin, has closed the most prosperous year since the days of Edmund Alexander. Zebulon Vance Norman won the orator's medal.

Washington county is now awake, and will celebrate her 100 anniversary which comes on December 20th, by a grand centennial celebration July 4th. A mass meeting of our citizens was held on Tuesday and elected Thos. W. Blunt, Esq., president, and W. Fletcher Austin, secretary, of the association, and the people are enthusiastic for a great time on the Fourth of July.

A TRIPLE TRAGEDY.

One Man Killed and Two Injured in a Shooting Affair.

Dresden, Tenn., June 12.—In a shooting near here today Henry Fowler, a well-to-do farmer was instantly killed. John Fowler, his brother, was fatally wounded and a man named Renman was dangerously hurt. The tragedy grew out of a scandalous report connecting the names of Henry Fowler and Renman's daughter.

THE KIDNAPPING CASE.

Belle Anderson, the Nurse, Turns State's Evidence.

New York, June 12.—Belle Anderson to-day turned State's evidence and on the stand will tell all about the kidnaping and become a State's witness. She made a full confession. Through this confession the lawyer hopes to obtain clemency for the woman. He says she is dying from consumption.

POURING INTO MOREHEAD.

The West Sends a Big Delegation to the Assembly.

Atlantic Hotel, Morehead, N. C., June 12.—(Special.)—Large delegations of teachers arrived this afternoon for the Teachers' Assembly. Sixty-five came from west of Goldsboro, and nearly as many more from the Eastern part of the State.

PLEASED WITH RALEIGH.

Rocky Mount, N. C., June 12.—(Special.)—Re-planting tobacco will be completed to-day at noon throughout Eastern North Carolina.

Mr. J. C. Braswell, president of the Planter's bank, speaks in high terms of the courtesies extended the visitors by the citizens of Raleigh.

MARION CLARKE HAS MEASLES.

New York, June 12.—A telephone message was received at the District Attorney's office to-day to the effect that Marion Clarke, the kidnapped child, is very low from measles at her home.

Assistant District Attorney Lebarbier said that if the child should die the defendants in the case might be indicted for murder in the first degree, as the child contracted its illness in the country while in their care, and while they were committing a felony.

THE PARIS MAY BE SAVED.

Falmouth, England, June 12.—The salvage experts who again visited the American liner Paris yesterday professed renewed hope of saving the vessel. The increased depth of water in the entire hold serves to steady her, so that the seas do not affect her as much as it was feared they would.

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VICTIMS OF YELLOW JACK.

Vera Cruz, Mexico, June 12.—There were 49 new cases of yellow fever here Saturday. The death rate continues extraordinarily large.

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DEWEY AT SINGAPORE.

Received With Military Honors by Governor of Straits Settlements.

Singapore, June 12.—Admiral Dewey, landed to-day from the United States cruiser Olympia, his flagship, to pay a visit to the Governor of the Straits Settlements, Lieutenant Colonel Sir C. B. H. Mitchell, at Government House. He was received with military honors. On his return to the Olympia, he was visited by the Governor.

Admiral Dewey says he feels sure his health will be quite restored before he reaches the United States.

THE CREW SAFE.

Beaufort, N. C., June 12.—(Special.)—A telegram received from Capt. J. T. T. Reveridge of the schooner George H. Howe, which was capsized off Barnegat Bay last Tuesday, states that the crew arrived safe at Norfolk on Sunday.

WEST WANTS VICE-PRESIDENT.

Chicago, June 12.—Senator W. B. Allison, of Iowa, says the Republican leaders of the West are becoming satisfied the Vice-Presidential nomination will come West next time.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Four hundred rifles and 50,000 cartridges have been found concealed near Ploceas, Cuba.

In the Cortes yesterday Senor Silvea, the Premier, read the convention between Spain and Germany, whereby the former cedes to the latter the Carolines, Ladrones and Pelaw Islands.

President Loubet, of France, received a tremendous ovation when he attended the Longchamps races yesterday. A large number of soldiers and police were ready to prevent any hostile demonstration.

A large delegation is expected to attend the two railway conventions to be held at Old Point this week, the National Association of Master Car Builders and the National Association of Master Mechanics.

In a special telegram from Washington to the Baltimore Sun it is declared that there are hostile Filipinos encamped within a few miles of Manila; that the forces in the Philippines are totally inadequate to hold the places captured from the foe; that what has been accomplished is really nothing at all; and that the President's indecision, he fearing the political effect of another call for troops, is hourly making bad matters worse. The President should either withdraw the brave little army or reinforce it sufficiently to enable it to hold what it wins.

W. M. Gallagher, of Bryan, Pa., says: "For forty years I have tried various cough medicines. One Minute Cough Cure is best of all." It relieves instantly and cures all throat and lung troubles, coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, la grippe and pneumonia. Bobbitt-Wythe Drug Company, Adams & Moye, William Simpson.

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