

The Bonus Votes Are Big Factors in Final Scores

NOTICE TO CONTESTANTS.

It has been decided by the publishers of the News and Times-Democrat to add another inducement to those already offered in the Great Popularity contest now being conducted by these publications.

Commencing at once subscriptions to the American Textile Manufacturer—formerly the Textile Excelsior—will be accepted under the rules of the contest and votes issued according to the following scale:

\$2.00 One Year	1,500 votes
\$1.00 Six Months	600 votes
\$4.00 Two Years	4,500 votes

How to Secure Votes in News' Great Contest.

In addition to the ballots published daily in The News, votes may be secured by turning in paid-in-advance subscriptions, which will entitle a candidate to votes according to the following schedule:

Old Subscribers.

\$5.00, One Year	5,000 votes
\$2.50, Six Months	2,000 votes
\$1.50, Fifteen Weeks	1,000 votes
\$1.00, Ten Weeks	600 votes
\$10.00, Two Years	15,000 votes
\$1.00, One Year, Times-Democrat	600 votes
\$2.00, Two Years, Times-Democrat	1,500 votes

How The Vote Stands

At the close of balloting, at 2 p. m. Tuesday, February 9th, 1909, the standing of the candidates in The News' great popularity contest was as follows:

DISTRICT NO. 1.	
At least three prizes will go to this district.	
Miss Elsie Reed, West Morehead street	50,240
Miss Earl Pickard, Seversville	82,980
Mr. Beadie C. Nalle, 702 South Tryon street	60,625
Miss Nancy Lee Sumner, 213 North Church	75,750
Miss Clara Anthony, West Trade street	62,185
Mr. E. P. Creswell, 520 South Church	65,590
Miss Nettie Wilkinson, West Seventh street	52,305
Mr. G. J. Miller, 303 West Seventh street	50,250
Mr. J. K. A. Alexander, 4 South Tryon street	50,675
Miss Alma Williams, 1209 South Tryon street	61,235
Miss Goldie Walker, 10 West Bland street	97,995
Mr. L. W. Wineteer, 911 North Graham street	65,705
Miss Anna Doll Joyner, 800 Pine street	52,345
J. R. Anderson, 1311 North Church street	67,895
Miss Esther Watson, 312 South Tryon street	75,005
Mr. C. P. Ansband, 207 W. Fourth street	51,145
Mr. R. W. Taylor, 317 Pine street	51,575
Miss Amalia Simmons, 408 West Fifth	50,345
Miss Bessie Neely, 416 Smith street	85,120
J. F. Boyd, 304 W. 7th St.	80,005

DISTRICT NO. 2.	
At least three prizes must go in this district.	
Miss Beatrice Blake, 309 East Ninth street	60,445
Miss Essie Stokes, 305 North College street	58,455
Mr. L. J. Fetner, 208 North Brevard street	51,165
Miss Sarah King, Villa Heights	63,120
W. R. Murray, 301 North College street	70,255
Miss Blanche Leake, Lawyers' Road	51,415
Mr. Emma Wallace, 904 E. Seventh	61,265
Mr. Martin Helms, Oakhurst	50,490
W. H. Stillwell, 813 East Seventh street	65,182
H. W. Warner, Piedmont Ave	60,785
Miss Bessie Gribble, 513 E. Ninth St.	55,895

DISTRICT NO. 3.	
At least three prizes must go in this district.	
Miss Miriam Long, Dilworth	52,262
Miss Nellie McKean, 4 East Second street	50,175
Mr. P. M. Dobbs, 7 South Brevard street	72,590
Mr. Walter F. Cochran, Bedford Hotel	60,735
E. F. Hancock, 201 East Bland St.	50,885
M. H. Pops, Kingston avenue	62,285
J. W. Hoas, Cleveland avenue	63,290
Dr. W. B. Wakefield, Elizabeth Heights	50,745
T. K. Chub, 301 Rensselaer ave.	60,240
J. H. Lillycrop, East Trade St.	61,625
George H. Barbage, 301 Kingston ave.	71,485
Mrs. Dr. Moore, 304 Templeton avenue	64,480

DISTRICT NO. 4.	
At least three prizes must go in this district.	
P. A. Titman, Lowell	92,462
Miss Margaret Best, Hickory	68,925
Miss Nannie Stroup, Pineville, S. C.	63,095
Mr. J. M. Shannonhouse, Shelby	75,955
Mr. Edgar Love, Lincolnton	60,595
Miss Edna Jenkins, Gastonia	63,555
Miss Estelle Wolfe, Hickory	65,020
J. E. McClure, Pineville	82,084
Mr. J. R. Gaston, Belmont, N. C.	60,810
Mr. J. A. Ellis, Grover, N. C.	65,590
Miss Jet Brawley, Mooresville	63,760
J. F. Almond, R. F. D. No. 6	54,290
Mrs. T. M. Pearson, Gastonia	60,515
W. C. Barnett, Pineville	50,120
F. E. Hager, Huntersville	72,775
Miss Adelaide Erwin, Morganton	82,825
Miss Blanche Rowe, Newton	71,785
Miss Mary Austria Glover, Statesville	66,622
Miss Rena Munday, Lenoir	55,425
Miss Hattie Burgin	62,425
Miss Cora Steele, Rock Hill, S. C.	103,315
Miss Nanette Jones, Waynesboro, N. C.	112,510
Miss Mary Pharr, R. F. D. No. 1	63,556

DISTRICT NO. 5.	
At least three prizes must go in this district.	
J. L. Miller, Concord	81,675
Mrs. S. A. Epps, Fort Mill, S. C.	62,765
Mr. J. H. McMurray, Fort Mill, S. C.	79,045
Mr. James Doster, Gibson, N. C.	83,182
Miss Lucile Bernhardt, Salisbury	111,695
Miss Lenna Coldfelter, Lexington	57,600
Miss Evelyn Diggs, Rockingham	75,765
Miss Kate Ingram, High Point	102,740
Paul Greene, Thomasville	50,385
Miss Hazel Pillow, Hamlet	65,625
William Thomas Greene, Monroe	72,240
Miss Winifred Carraway, Wadesboro	75,645
Miss Lena Henderson, Monroe	80,740
Miss Ruth Colvin, Chester	57,385
W. N. Dorney, Ellenboro, N. C.	115,930
Geo. M. Feagin	60,834

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National League News

The Chicago club has resigned catcher W. R. Marshall.

George Huff has been engaged to again act as scout for the Chicago club.

The Pittsburg club has sold first baseman Warren Gill, to the Minneapolis club.

Pitcher Fraser has named his farm, near Jerome, Iowa, the "Kid Gleason Ranch."

Manager Clark Griffith says he has no notion of pitching regularly next season.

Manager McGraw intends to give outfielders Devore and O'Hara a thorough spring try-out.

Hans Lobert passed through his ordeal in safety last week and is now a full-fledged Elk.

Claude Ritchey and Frank Dowers are in the clothing business at Emleton, Pa. Yet, it is the Boston club's Claude, and he advertises like a Lawson.

It is probable that pitcher Joe McGinnity will land with Providence. Not a bad berth.

Fred Meekle has resigned with New York, at an increased salary, voluntarily tendered by the club.

Pitcher Tom Tucker, the New Haven recruit, was the first Boston man to turn in his signed 1909 contract.

Manager McGraw expects good work this year from pitcher Crandall and is going to work him regularly.

Tommy Leach has given up the position he held in a Pittsburg billiard hall and has returned to Cleveland.

Pitcher Ewing and outfielder Mitchell were the first Cincinnati players to turn in their signed 1909 contracts.

Outfielder George Browne is East again after a long sojourn in California. He wants to get away from Boston.

Shortstop Joe O'Rourke, late of Waterbury, and the St. Louis Cardinals, has signed with the Indianapolis club.

The Philadelphia National Club has sold pitcher Walter Moser to the Lynchburg club, of the Virginia League.

Miller Huggins says Mexicans are so crazy over baseball that he looks for it to be adopted as the national game.

President Stanley Robison is now in Cleveland settling up the estate of his deceased brother, Frank McH. Robison.

Southpaw Pitcher Irving Young, of the Pirates, is putting in the winter as a freight handler at North Station, in Boston.

Joe Kelley is to go to Toronto again to manage, this being the result of the patching up of the Kelley-Dovey breach.

Ten Pirates have to date sent in their contracts. The list includes two new men in pitcher Sitton and outfielder Hyatt.

Evangelist Billy Sunday, out in Washington state, has started a popular foot hold and a half Nelson and won the fall.

Drake came back more confident and Parr went slow. Both men fought hard and Parr was particularly clever with his legs. After some time the pace began to tell on the visitor and Drake's staying qualities were fine. After 28 minutes of the hardest kind of wrestling Parr was again thrown by a leg and neck hold.

This match meant a great deal to Drake as the victory has made him rank with the big wrestlers of the day. He has accepted a challenge to meet Americus in Baltimore and will leave for that city soon.

There were two good preliminaries. In the first between Hipps and Tremble, both of Canton, each won a fall and the match was declared a draw. In the second two Asheville boys, Robertson and Bishop, mixed things and as each secured a fall a draw was the decision.

Drake claims the southern championship.

WASHINGTON'S PLAGUE SPOTS

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FOR SOUTHERN BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Special to The News.

Asheville, N. C., Feb. 10.—A game for the southern basketball championship has been arranged between the Atlanta Athletic Club which now holds this distinction, and the Asheville Y. M. C. A. The contest will be pulled off in Atlanta about the middle of the month, the exact date not yet having been arranged.

Manager E. R. Brown, of the Y. M. C. A., a few days ago issued a challenge to any team in the South, the Atlanta team being the only "takers" so far. The association team claims the right to play for the southern championship in view of the numerous victories over other strong teams. It has defeated every bunch played in North Carolina and Tennessee, some of which had not lost a game before this year, and the Spartanburg team, the South Carolina champions. They have not lost a game in two consecutive seasons.

Another game of interest to be played here is the double-header with the Knoxville "Tigers" next Monday and Tuesday. The "Tigers" are composed of an aggregation picked from the best teams in the city.

10 DAYS CARNIVAL OF WINTER SPORTS

Montreal, Can., Feb. 10.—Amid the booming of cannon, the blowing of whistles, and the cheering of thousands of people the great ice palace flanking Mount Royal was thrown open today and the great 10-days' carnival of winter sports was inaugurated. The city is gayly decorated and thousands of carnival costumes are to be seen. The present revival of winter festivities in Montreal, after a lapse of 15 years, promises to be a grand success. The ice palace has been constructed on a scale of unprecedented size and magnificence. The style of architecture is the English Tudor baronial of the fortified period. The three great towers surmounting the gigantic and fairy-like pile have been christened the King Edward, Queen Alexandra and Prince of Wales respectively.

One of the big events of the carnival will be the storming of the ice palace by an army of snowshoers, clad in historical costumes. Other features of the carnival program will be exhibitions of snowshoeing, skiing, hockey, curling, skating, sleighing and tobogganing.

WHERE TO GO TONIGHT.

ALAMO—Ed. Winchester, musician; Miles and Heart in sketch; "The Poor Mr. Rich."

DIXIE—Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Silver in sketch; Billy Williams, the Dancing Kid.

EDISONIA—"The Adventures of an Old Flirt." Mr. Wallace sings.

CASINO—"A Romance of Old Madrid." Illustrated song.

THEATO—"A Modest Young Man."

ROYAL—"An Ingenious Lover and 'The Gypsies Revenge.'"

STAR—"The Seven Russell's Minstrels."

LIFE IN PICTURE'S TUMBLE.

Crash Wakes Man Whose Family is Suffocating.

Williamsport, Pa., Feb. 10.—The household of Robert Sherman, near Nisbet, was saved from suffocation by a unique fire alarm. Mr. Sherman was awakened by a loud noise, and found flames and smoke coming up the chimney.

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Sporting News Told in Brief

Tom Lombard, the Indian long distance runner, won the Marathon race in Madison Square Garden after a most spectacular finish. Shrub, the English champion, led the entire race up to the 25th mile, when he collapsed and Lombard finished seven minutes ahead.

Barmouth's hockey seven defeated Cornell at Hanover, N. H. in a slow and uninteresting contest 1 to 0. The players had to contend with a coating of slush on the ice, caused by the drizzle of rain which fell during the game.

In the intercollegiate wrestling meet at New Haven between Yale and the University of Pennsylvania Yale won five out of the seven events. The only fall was secured by Walter of Pennsylvania, who threw Hayes of Yale in six minutes. The other six events were decided on points.

The National Baseball Commission has reinstated Players Frank M. Owen and William Partell, who had been on the ineligible list for having participated in games against the "Logan Squares" of Chicago last fall, on condition that they pay a fine of \$50 each.

"Do you keep a second girl?" "No, my wife isn't strong enough to wait on more than one."—Kansas City Journal.

ASHEVILLE SEE WRESTLING CONTEST

Special to The News.

Asheville, N. C., Feb. 10.—John Drake, of Asheville, defeated Jim Parr, the former English champion here Monday night in a catch-as-catch-can best two out of three wrestling match. The first fall was won by Parr in eight minutes, the second by Drake in 28 minutes and the final and decisive fall by the local boy again in 28 minutes.

Greatest interest was displayed here in the match, Drake having defeated Parr two weeks ago in a handicap match and having shown great cleverness. A purse of \$300 was up on last night's bout, 70 per cent. going to the winner and 30 to the loser.

Both wrestlers started off fast. Parr worked all of the tricks of the game and clearly had Drake's nerve. After eight minutes Parr secured a bar and a leg hold and forced Drake's shoulders to the mat. After a rest the men went at it cautiously and matters seemed to be even for fully twenty minutes. Several times Drake got out of tight places. The wrestlers began to mix it and finally the local boy se-

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