

BIG FIGHTERS MATCHED.

JEFFRIES WILL MEET SHARKEY IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Between March 17 and April 30—Eitzsimmons Failed to Show Up to Talk Business.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—James J. Jeffries and Tom Sharkey were matched today for a fight, which will involve the heavyweight championship of the world. Billy Delaney, who is Jeffries' manager, and Sharkey and his manager, Barney Rich, at a resort here this afternoon. Delaney said he was to induce Bob Fitzsimmons to meet the champion once more, and he had given him due notice of his whereabouts, but neither Fitz nor his representative put in an appearance, so Delaney clinched the bargain with Sharkey.

According to the articles of agreement the fight will take place on any day between March 17 and April 30, before the club offering the best inducements. Immediately James Kennedy, representing the Yosemite Athletic Club of San Francisco, bid \$25,000 per cent of the gross receipts, and the men agreed to fight in San Francisco, under that club's auspices.

There is just a possibility that the men will not meet, and that, according to the articles of agreement, the fight will be canceled.

SIX-DAY BICYCLE RACE.

Six of the Ten Teams Were Tied at the End of the First Ten Hours.

BOSTON, Dec. 30.—Of the 10 teams which started in the six-day, 10-hour-a-day bicycle race at 1.25 this afternoon at the Park Square Garden, six were tied at 206 miles 3 laps, when the time expired tonight, while the other four teams were within a mile of the leaders. Of the leading bunch, Munro and Freeman were at the head. The pace for nearly half the time today was slow, because of a slippery track. The score at 11:25, when the first day ended, was:

Table with columns: Name, Miles, Laps. Includes Munro and Freeman, Gozoull and Sinar, Butler and McLean, McFarland and May, Samuelson and King, Leander and Leander, Fisher and Chevalier, Kegan and Kegan, Jaak and Miller, McConell and Carn.

American Association Baseball.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 30.—American Association magnates met here in executive session today to complete several important details pertaining to the new baseball league. Much enthusiasm over the association's prospects was displayed. President T. J. Hickey presided over the gathering. The executive session closed at 1 o'clock, when it was announced that, besides other matters, the magnates had adopted a constitution very similar to that of the old Western League. The action of the first meeting, held in Chicago, was approved. A uniform price of admission of 25 and 50 cents was decided upon. President Hickey announced that the American Association had secured three years' leases on parks in all cities represented in the association, except Omaha.

Lipton Set on Getting That Cup.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—J. Frederick Tams, of Tams, Lemoine & Crane, yacht brokers, who has been in Holland, Belgium and England since October 30, has returned to his country, and is here on the steamer St. Paul. He said he had a half-hour conversation with Sir Thomas Lipton, in London, shortly before leaving. "The prospect," said Mr. Tams, "that he would challenge for the cup until he either won it or was convinced that it could not be won. I certainly think Sir Thomas is very much in earnest, and that his desire to win the cup comes from sporting motives only. I wanted to get him to talk about other things, but his heart is set on that cup."

Detroit Will Not Get Lange.

DETROIT, Dec. 30.—The signed contracts of Outfielder Harley, who was with Cincinnati last year, and first baseman Frank Dillon were received today by Secretary MacNamara for the Detroit baseball club. Negotiations between Detroit and Outfielder Bill Lange, formerly with the Chicago National League club, are off. Lange wired that Detroit would have to "do better than \$9000." "The club," said Mr. Tams, "declined to offer such figures."

MEDAL FOR SCHLEY.

Presented by Maryland Councils of Junior Order of Mechanics.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The Maryland Councils of the Junior Order of American Mechanics tonight presented to Admiral Schley a magnificent medal studded with diamonds as an evidence of their personal esteem and admiration of his services to the country. The presentation took place in Admiral Schley's apartments in this city, and was made by a committee from the councils which met over from Baltimore on an afternoon train. Admiral Schley sincerely thanked the committee, and added:

"The services which this beautiful emblem is intended to commemorate were those which every lover of home and country will gladly perform for his people."

Reliance Gets Here Today.

Beaten at Home, but Hopes to Do Well With Multnomah. The football eleven of the Reliance Athletic Club, of Oakland, Cal., will arrive in the city at 7 o'clock this evening. They will face Multnomah's powerful eleven tomorrow afternoon. Although the Reliance team has been defeated in most of its games this year, the men are expert players, and are capable of playing on almost any company. Old college stars are numerous on the Reliance team, chief among them being Albertson and Castleman, expert tacklers from the University of California. Code, the quarter-back, was Chester Murphy's predecessor at Stanford, while Donaldson and Hamilton, the ends are two of the best men the Coast ever produced. The team weighs about 375 pounds per man, and the weight is well distributed. The Reliance men will register at the Imperial Hotel, and will leave for the coast on Thursday.

Reliance Leaves for Portland.

OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 30.—The football team of the Reliance Athletic Club left this morning for Portland, Or., to play the Multnomah eleven on New Year's day. The team has been beaten by Stanford, California, Nevada and Olympic this season, but the men hope to win a victory from their northern rivals. The team is in good shape, and will put up a fast, snappy game.

Heppner Giants Defeated.

Were No Match for The Dalles Football Players. THE DALLES, Dec. 30.—The football season closed here yesterday. The Dalles Infants defeated the Heppner Giants by a score of 17 to 0. At no time in the game was the Dalles team in danger, but once were the visitors near the territory of The Dalles team. That was shortly after the game began, when, by punting, the Heppner team got the ball into the middle of the field, where it remained but a short time. The Dalles team was in splendid condition and played fast, good-natured ball.

The chief feature of the game was a 60-yard run by Elton, and play by Williams, Cooper and Bartell. The Dalles

WATERS ARE RECEDING.

DANGER FROM FLOODS IN PENNSYLVANIA HAS PASSED.

Loss Will Not Be Great—Great Damage in the South, and the End Is Not Yet. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 30.—From all parts of Eastern Pennsylvania today reports show that the rivers and creeks which became greatly swollen as a result of Saturday night's and Sunday's continuous rain, are steadily falling. There is one exception, however, the lower part of the Susquehanna River being reported to be still rising and close to the danger mark. Although considerable damage was done, the losses will not be great, and the flooded areas being lowlands along the Upper Schuylkill, Lehigh and Susquehanna Rivers. In the anthracite coal districts a few of the mines were flooded, and the water in some of them is still rising. Along the lower Susquehanna there is apprehension that damage will result from ice gorges. The water is said to be rising six inches an hour in that vicinity.

AT PITTSBURGH.

Threatened Flood Averted by the Cold Snap—Rivers Falling.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 30.—The threatened flood as a result of the heavy rainfall of Saturday and Sunday, has been averted by the cold snap of this morning. The water level of the river at this point will not reach over a 20-foot stage. Dispatches from the headwaters report the waters falling at all points.

HEAVY DAMAGE IN THE SOUTH.

A Number of Lives Lost—Train Service Crippled in Georgia. ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 30.—The torrential rains of the past two days in Georgia, Alabama and East Tennessee and portions of North Carolina caused the death of four persons as far as known and inflicted serious damage to all kinds of property. The rains have been followed by clearing and much cooler weather, accompanied by high winds.

Chattanooga Looks for a Flood.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Dec. 30.—An average of three to five inches of rain falling over the Tennessee River basin since Saturday sent the water over the 33-foot danger line here at 10 o'clock today. Water is rising at the rate of four to five inches an hour. The Tennessee flood-warning service announces that the river will go over 40 feet by tomorrow afternoon. Merchants are removing goods from the basements in expectation that they will be flooded.

Train Service Crippled.

ASHVILLE, N. C., Dec. 30.—The storm of the past two days has crippled the train service. Traffic from the West on the Southern Railway has been completely knocked out since last night, being waterbound at White Pine, N. C. Trains on the Asheville-Spartanburg division are waterbound at Campbellville, but passengers are getting through about six hours late.

Potomac Is Rising Rapidly.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The Potomac River is rising rapidly, and the serious danger of flood is apprehended here. The rise is eight inches in the past 26 hours, and the gauge is going steadily higher.

\$100,000 Damage to Power Dam.

ANDERSON, S. C., Dec. 30.—Three hundred and fifty feet of the Anderson Light & Power Company's dam at Portman Shoals, in Seneca River, was washed away last night. The damage is at least \$100,000.

Great Freshet in James River.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 30.—There is a tremendous freshet in the James River. The water is above the danger point at Columbia, and still rising. The lower part of this city is cut off.

Spillman Reaches Washington.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—W. J. Spillman, formerly of the Agricultural College at Pullman, Wash., arrived here today, to assume the office of Agrostologist of the Department of Agriculture.

Schley Considers His Case Closed.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Captain James Parker, of Perth Amboy, N. J., one of Admiral Schley's attorneys, said today that Admiral Schley regards the case as closed, but that he reserves the right to return to the Philippines, be appointed commander of the Department of the Dakotas, with headquarters in St. Paul. It is stated that the appointment lies between General Funston and General Kobbe, also a Philippine veteran, but that the latter does not desire the station.

Funeral of Senator Sewell.

It Will Take Place Today With Full Military Honors. CAMDEN, N. J., Dec. 30.—The funeral of United States Senator William J. Sewell will take place tomorrow, with full military honors. The public will be permitted to view the body in the morning. Religious services will be held at Senator Sewell's home, Bishop John Scarborough, of the episcopal diocese of New Jersey, and Rev. R. A. Rodrick, pastor of the church of which General Sewell was a vestryman, will officiate. The military

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NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Dr. James Snyder Mackie, who was United States Minister to Chile and Bolivia under the administration of President Lincoln, died today at his home at Newark, N. J., aged 78 years.

Artist John Dalrymple.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The Evening News this afternoon prints the following dispatch from Belfast: "A well-known Scottish artist, John Dalrymple, died at starvation's height on Christmas night. His body was found in miserably squalid surroundings. Dalrymple exhibited at the Royal Academy, and had won prizes for designs at the Paris Exposition."

Theo Bardell.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Theo Bardell, of Summit, N. J., a leading figure in the smelting and refining business, died at his home today, at a feverish age of 65 years. He was about 52 years of age, and his health was rated at about \$5,000,000, all of which he amassed by inventions for smelting and refining ores.

Mother of Mrs. Chester A. Arthur.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—A dispatch to the Herald from London announces the death of Mrs. J. A. Fithian, mother of Mrs. Chester A. Arthur, and the Comtesse de Artois, who was born in 1801, and was taken to California for interment.

Ex-Congressman W. H. Cowles.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Dec. 30.—Ex-Congressman W. H. Cowles died at his home in Charlotte today. Cowles was a Confederate army, and served four terms in Congress.

PROBLEM OF ARBITRATION.

State Department Informed of Views of Pan-American Congress. WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The State Department received dispatches today from Mexico City, making clear for the first time what is to be expected on the subject of arbitration. It has been the most important and the most difficult problem before the Congress of American Republics. The advice came from Mr. Buchanan, the American delegate, who was assigned to look after this particular question. He states that an agreement on the lines of The Hague conference appears to be favored by the majority of the republics, and that the only real basis of action to be taken by the congress, he also states that those republics which desire to go further than The Hague agreement will probably sign an independent convention for compulsory arbitration.

Command for Funston.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 30.—The Pioneer Press this morning says that it is probable that Brigadier-General Funston will be returned to the Philippines, be appointed commander of the Department of the Dakotas, with headquarters in St. Paul. It is stated that the appointment lies between General Funston and General Kobbe, also a Philippine veteran, but that the latter does not desire the station.

INDUSTRIAL COMBINATIONS.

Census Bulletin Giving Their Capitalization and Other Statistics. WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Census statistics made public today show industrial combinations show a total authorized capitalization, May 31, 1900, for the 183 corporations reported, of \$1,975,229,200, and capital stock of \$1,068,000,000. The total authorized capital includes \$70,137,250 in bonds, \$1,255,500,000 in preferred stock and \$1,075,101,600 in common stock. The capital stock comprises \$1,042,417,750 in bonds, \$1,255,500,000 in preferred stock, and \$1,075,101,600 in common stock. The total value of all the products of the combinations reported is \$1,042,265,264, and subtracting the value of the products of the hand trades of the material and machine tool industries, which amount to \$1,216,163,160, the products of the industrial combinations in 1900 is found equivalent to 20 per cent of the total gross products of the manufacturing industries of the country as they existed in 1890.

The 183 corporations reported employed an average of 899,192 wage-earners, receiving \$194,549,715 in wages. Employment was also given to 24,353 salaried officials, clerks, etc., receiving a total of \$22,633,625 in salaries. Miscellaneous expenses of these combinations aggregated \$15,433,077. The cost of material used amounted to \$98,927,524. The gross value of products, less the value of material purchased in part-manufactured form, gives the net or true value of products of these combinations as \$1,042,265,264. The increase in the value of the raw materials resulting from the various processes of manufacture.

The 183 corporations reported control 219 plants that were active during the census year, and 174 reported as idle during that period. The returns show an average of 11 active plants to each corporation. Of all the corporations, 107 were organized prior to 1895, and in the years 1897, 1898, 1899 and prior to June 30, 1900, there were organized seven, 20 and 13 corporations, respectively. Over 50 per cent of the total number of such corporations were chartered during the 15 months from January 1, 1898, to June 30, 1900.

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