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BASEBALL BOXING WHIST

SPORT NEWS
OF THE DAY HERE AND everywhere

FOOTBALL BILLIARDS HUNTING

NEXT CHAMPION IS NOW BOXING

Successor to Heavyweight Crown is Likely Among Leading Contenders

One of these days Jack Dempsey is going to be flattened for the long count and a new champion set up in his place. Dempsey being a very able-bodied, sure fisted young man at the present time, when it is sought to visualize the man who ultimately will wrest the title from him, one is prone to picture some raw youth now toiling in a mine, a shop, or on a farm, ignorant, as yet, of the destiny which awaits him. As a matter of fact—and this particular fact has its basis in the record books—the man who will beat Dempsey is fighting today. Moreover it is a two to one shot, according to the book, he was fighting when Dempsey battered Willard into submission at Toledo.

The book contains the following information for the compilator of dope:

J. L. Sullivan

John L. Sullivan won the heavyweight championship from Paddy Ryan in 1882 and held it for ten years, when he was beaten by James J. Corbett. Now, Corbett did not embark upon his ring career until 1885, three years after Sullivan won the title but, with the exception of Willard, who was a product of a peculiar situation in boxing, Corbett was the only man to win the championship who was not fighting at the time the championship was won by the man he defeated.

Corbett lost to Bob Fitzsimmons in 1897 and Fitz's record reveals he first boxed professionally when he took part in a tournament in 1880, though it was not until 1889 that he may be said to have begun to follow the game for a living. At any rate this later date preceded Corbett's winning of the title by three years.

Jack Johnson

Fitzsimmons, in turn, lost to James J. Jefferies in 1899 and the book shows the conqueror of Lanky Bob took up the business of fighting in 1896, when Corbett's reign still had a full year to go. Jeff retired in 1904, but came out of retirement in 1910 to meet Jack Johnson, who had beaten Tommy Burns, claiman of the title as a result of his victories over a number of second raters during Jeff's period of idleness. Johnson, who clinches the championship by beating Jefferies at Reno, dates the beginning of his service in the ring to 1899, the year in which Jeff first knocked out Fitzsimmons.

Then Willard loomed on the scene, Willard, a farmer and horse trader in Kansas, was one of the horde which flocked to the ring in response to a call for a white man to beat Johnson, who had made himself obnoxious to followers of the game, and his first appearance within the ropes was not until 1911, a year after Johnson had reached the top of the heap. Winning the title in 1915, Willard surrendered it in 1919 to Dempsey, who had began to fight the same year Willard toppled the negro in Havana.

Present Contenders

Which brings us down to the present. The leading contenders for the heavyweight championship at this writing are Harry Wills, Tom Gibbons and Jack Renault, with outside chances accorded for the sake of argument to Luis Angel Firpo, who already has had one crack at it, and Ernino Spalla. If these men seek encouragement in their quest they may get it from their records. Willis began to fight in 1911, Gibbons in 1913, Spalla in 1918 and Firpo and Renault in 1919—either before or in the same year that Dempsey sealed the heights.

Sport Chat

This is the season when the professional baseball promoters and owners of clubs fight things out, and it has been generally expected that the aftermath of the meetings may have unpleasant results. One of the causes of trouble is the dislike some of the wealthy men in the business have taken to High Commissioner ex-Judge Landis. But others besides these now realize that when the Major League made provisions for a High Commissioner in 1921, they tied themselves down a little bit too much and did worse for the future of baseball than they realized. They thought in fact that they had done the best thing possible.

Landis, though he has ruled with an iron hand, seems to have done pretty well so far, and the baseball law which was passed regarding his appointment, is likely to favor his re-election after his seven-year term is up, because if the league should not be able to agree upon him again or upon someone else, they are bound to drag baseball into politics, which is the last thing either the club-owners or the patrons of the sport should desire.

The agreement made between the Major Leagues in 1921, and which the best lawyers in the United States say is next to unbreakable, provides amongst other things, that: "The first Commissioner under this agreement shall be Kenesaw M. Landis. Upon the expiration of his term of office (January 12, 1928) or upon his resignation or death during his term, his successor shall be chosen by a vote of the majority of the clubs composing the National and American Leagues. In the event of failure to elect a successor within three months after the vacancy has arisen, either Major League may request the President of the United States to designate a Commissioner."

All billiard players are requested to attend a general meeting of the City Billiard League in the G.W.V.A. rooms on Sunday at 8.30. 304

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Col. McMordie (V.)	4	1000	250
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F. Stephens (B.P.) .	4	967	242
G. McIlmoyle (B.P.)	4	958	240
B. Jelich (B.P.) ..	4	945	238
Alex. Volume (V.) .	2	462	231
G. P. Tinker (V.) ..	3	679	226
E. Pearce (G.)	4	886	222
C. Balagno (B.P.) .	4	872	218
J. Walsh (V.)	3	655	218
B. Morgan (G.) ...	4	865	216
F. Pyle (V.)	4	860	215
G. Blythe (G.)	2	411	206
D. Brown (G.)	4	817	204
G. Waugh (G.)	4	788	197

Second Division

Babe Fortin (B.P.) .	5	750	150
J. Beesley (G.)	5	750	150
D. Howe (B.P.)	4	600	150
W. J. Nelson (G.) .	3	450	150
F. Zieman (B.P.) ..	3	450	150
A. Donald (B.P.) ..	2	300	150
I. Hillman (G.) ...	2	300	150
J. Weir (G.)	1	150	150
W. Stewart (G.) ..	1	150	150
J. Brown (S.A.) ..	4	585	146
Dr. West (V.)	5	723	145
G. Blythe (G.)	4	558	140
M. MacLachlan (S.A.)	4	553	138
J. Andrews (S.A.) ..	5	692	138
S. Suga (G.)	5	683	138
F. Aldridge (B.P.) .	4	545	136
M. Andrews (S.A.) .	4	545	136
C. L. Youngman (V.)	5	673	135
G. Mallet (B.P.) ..	2	267	134
J. Allan (S.A.)	5	536	134
S. Macdonald (S.A.)	4	530	133
D. McAuley (C.) ..	5	658	132
E. Fenelon (V.) ...	5	657	131
H. Wearmouth (V.)	2	264	131
J. Maclean (C.) ...	3	391	130
G. P. Tinker (V.) ..	3	391	130
W. Mitchell (B.P.) .	5	644	129
J. May (C.S.)	5	646	129
G. Kelsey (C.S.) ..	3	375	125
W. Murray (C.) ..	2	250	125
D. McLean (C.) ...	5	613	123
J. Bulger (C.S.) ...	4	491	123
M. Lamb (C.)	5	604	121
S. Darton (C.S.) ...	5	592	118
H. Parr (C.S.)	3	352	117
S. L. Warrior (V.) .	5	576	115
M. Stephens (G.) ..	2	210	105
A. Bales (C.S.)	5	512	102
W. Williscroft (C.)	4	381	95
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Next Games Will be Played on January 15 in Men's Section of Fraternal Whist League

The second half of the schedule for the men's section of the Fraternal Whist League will start on January 15. The schedule is issued as follows by Fred Wermig, secretary-treasurer:

January 15
Elks vs. Loyal Orange Lodge.
Moose vs. St. Andrew's.
I.O.O.F. vs. G.W.V.A.
Knights of Columbus vs. Sons of England.
Sons of Canada vs. Knights of Pythias.

January 22
Elks vs. Sons of England.
K. of C. vs. G.W.V.A.
I.O.O.F. vs. K. of P.
Sons of Canada vs. St. Andrew's.
Moose vs. L.O.L.

January 29
K. of C. vs. K. of P.
I.O.O.F. vs. St. Andrew's.
Sons of Canada vs. L.O.L.
Elks vs. G.W.V.A.
Moose vs. Sons of England.

February 5
Moose vs. G.W.V.A.
Elks vs. K. of P.
K. of C. vs. St. Andrew's.
I.O.O.F. vs. L.O.L.
Sons of Canada vs. Sons of England.

February 12
I.O.O.F. vs. Sons of England.
K. of C. vs. L.O.L.
Elks vs. St. Andrew's.
Moose vs. K. of P.
Sons of Canada vs. G.W.V.A.

February 19
G.W.V.A. vs. St. Andrew's.
Sons of England vs. L.O.L.
Elks vs. K. of C.
Moose vs I.O.O.F.

February 26
K. of P. vs. St. Andrew's.
G.W.V.A. vs. L.O.L.
Elks vs I.O.O.F.
Moose vs. Sons of Canada.

March 5
Sons of England vs. G.W.V.A.
I.O.O.F. vs. K. of C.
Elks vs. Sons of Canada.
K. of P. vs. L.O.L.

March 12
St. Andrew's vs. L.O.L.
Sons of England vs. K. of P.
Sons of Canada vs. K. of C.
Moose vs. K. of C.
Sons of England vs. St. Andrew's.
G.W.V.A. vs. K. of P.
Sons of Canada vs. I.O.O.F.

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Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 6830.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 5th day of January, 1925, for the purchase of Licence X 6830, to cut 2,515,000 feet of Spruce, Cedar and Hemlock, on an area situated on Sewell Inlet, Queen Charlotte Islands District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 6838.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 5th day of February, 1925, for the purchase of Licence X 6838, to cut 3,250,000 feet of Spruce, Cedar and Hemlock, on an area adjoining Lot 1936, Selwyn Inlet, Queen Charlotte Islands Land District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

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EUGENE H. SIMPSON,
Name of Applicant.
Dated December 19th, 1924.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve covering Lot 4435, Cassiar District, is cancelled.

G. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Lands Department,
Victoria, B.C.,
19th December, 1924.

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the reserve covering Lots 6529f to 6529j, inclusive, Range 5, Coast District, is cancelled.

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