

The World of Sport.

THE second week of the Atlantic league season now draws to an end and finds Scranton in the lead with the excellent record of seven victories and only two defeats.

Burnham's team, taken from all points of view, is a strong one. Ferguson, Knox and Sheffer constitute a hard-hitting, fast-moving batting team, Sheffer being probably the hardest and most reliable hitter on the team.

Behind the bat the team is strong, both Toft and Millerick playing the backstop position in a steady, reliable manner, and both men being fair batsmen.

Base Ball Brevities.

PRESIDENT JAMES FRANKLIN, of the Buffalo American League team, has some very nice things to say about Frank Dillon, who played first base in this city last season and afterward covered first base in Buffalo.

Ed Deleahanty is playing a fine first base for Philadelphia, and up to date has accepted 169 out of 175 chances.

Frank Ward, odd as it seems, will be played in the outfield by Barnie at Hartford. Barnie is short an outfielder and has been forced to play Catcher Urganhart in left field.

signed two good men in Outfielder Shannon and Catcher Myers. The latter is the same back stop who caught for Paterson last year.

The uncertainties of base ball are shown strongly in the case of New York, the Allentown first baseman. In his first six games this season he made four one hits, and the Allentown papers made the disgusted request that someone purchase him a new bat.

George Carey, the ex-Baltimore first baseman, is scoring a wonderful hit at the Buffalo initial bag.

A. G. SPALDING.



A. G. Spalding has just started for Paris to assume control of the American arrangements for the athletic games at the Fair.

Mr. Spalding, who has been appointed director of the United States branch of the international sports by Mr. Ferdinand Peck.

for the winners in the race, and the best men for miles around will be entered.

Charles Murphy, the famous "mile-a-minute" cyclist, has equipped his bicycle with a piece of machinery which is unique, to say the least.

President Fogel, of the Atlantic league, yesterday announced the indefinite suspension of Thomas J. Donovan, of Green Island, N. Y., on the charge of having obtained \$35 advance money and then deserting the Newark club after playing in one game.

The Athletics have signed a new man, "Billy" Thomas, of Morristown. He is a right-handed pitcher, and is a good fielder, but a weak batter.

James Jeffries will umpire today's game at Philadelphia between the Athletics and Jersey City.

Ball Bearings.

THE executive committee in charge of the Milwaukee national meet of the L. A. W. is rapidly completing its plans, and all arrangements are being made for the accommodation and entertainment of the visiting wheelmen.

The Detroit Cycle board of trade, of Detroit, Mich., intends to hold a monster road race over the famous Belle Isle course on Memorial Day.

THE FIGHT BY ROUNDS.

First round—Jeff forced Jim, with Corbett breaking ground and sprinting. He forced Corbett to ropes, landing right to the body.

Round 2—Corbett was the quicker on his feet and landed left on Jeff. Jeff sent Corbett's head back with left on head.

Round 3—Corbett again was the quicker on his feet and landed left on Jeff. Jeff sent Corbett's head back with left on head.

Round 4—They rushed to a clinch, after which Jeff looked a left to head, Corbett tried a right to the body, but Jeff sent Corbett's head back with left on head.

Round 5—Jeff landed a couple of good punches left to the body, and Corbett's head was sent back with left on head.

Round 6—Corbett rushed in with a left to the head, and Jeff forced Corbett to ropes with right smash to chest.

Round 7—Both left left to the head and swung right to the body, staggering Jeff. Corbett followed up with another right swing to the jaw, but it was not as hard as the one before.

JEFFRIES STILL THE CHAMPION

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each time by long range sparring and together with the crowd. They were both fighting fast and hard.

What the Contestants Say.

Coney Island, May 11.—"What is the use of talking now?" said Corbett, when seen in his dressing room after the battle.

Referee Charley White said: "There was never a squarer nor fairer fight contest. Both men fought fairly, and lived up to the rules.

Jeffries was very reticent. He said: "Corbett gave me the best fight of my career, and was really a surprise. I thought I should have whipped him sooner, and I think that I would have had my left arm not given out early in the fight.

Round 10—Jeff landed a couple of good punches left to the body, and Corbett's head was sent back with left on head.

Round 11—Corbett opened with a left on the face, Jeff replied with a counter right which slipped quickly, and evaded a right swing.

Round 12—Jeff rushed madly, putting left to head, right to body. Corbett waved away without returning a blow.

Round 13—Corbett opened with a left on the face, Jeff replied with a counter right which slipped quickly, and evaded a right swing.

body and Jeff rushed him to the corner, but failed to land effectively.

Round 14—Both were fast in answering the gong, each landing left, but they failed to land a clinch follow-up.

Round 15—Corbett was the aggressor, sending left twice to the face.

Round 16—Corbett was up on his toes at the call of time and sent left to Jeff's body.

Round 17—Corbett rushed into a left smash on the face, but countered with half left on the ear.

Round 18—Jeff tried two lefts for the body, but they were missed.

Round 19—Jeff landed a couple of good punches left to the body, and Corbett's head was sent back with left on head.

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JONAS LONG'S SONS. Extraordinary Sale of Books—Saturday.

We broke all past records in book selling last Saturday with some offerings that were really phenomenal.

3c each for another big lot of Paper Novels, worth up to a quarter; 200 titles by nearly all the popular authors.

25c for the biggest Book Bargain of the year. The lot includes an assortment of \$1.50 COPYRIGHTED BOOKS—most of them written within a year, but slightly soiled in handling; former prices were \$1.00, \$1.10 and \$1.25.

\$1 for all the new copyright works of fiction, including: To Have and to Hold—Johnston; His Lordship's Leopard—Wells; From Kingdom to Colony—Devereaux—Grant; The Garden of Eden—Howard; Unleavened Bread—Grant; The Farringtons—Fowler; Philip Winwood—Stephens; Parson Kelly—Mason; The Puritans—Bates; Savrola—Churchill; The Gentleman from Indiana—Tarkington; The Seven Seas—Kipling; The Bondwoman—Ryan; Light of Scaryth—Castle; The Black Wolf's Breed—Dickson; That Fortune—Warner; The King's Mirror—Hope; A Double Thread—Fowler; and two hundred and fifty others almost as good.

Boys' Clothing—Saturday Specials. We give all our thoughts of dressing to the boys. We take every particle of pains to insure perfect fit, accompanied by every detail of comfort and style.

19c for Boys' Caps, in all the new shapes and colors, including plain blues, plaids and checks in all sizes. Worth up to 35c.

25c and 50c for Boys' Straw Hats in all new Summer styles; very nobby shapes and in every color. Worth double.

50c for some splendid Wash Suits for Boys—just the thing for warm weather wear. Others up to \$3.25, including the new Washable Kilt Suits. Sizes from 3 to 15 years.

\$2.50 for a big lot of fine Blouse Suits, including all-wool Serges, elegantly trimmed; large sailor collars, pants lined throughout. Many in this lot sold up to \$5 and \$6 earlier in the season.

YESTERDAY'S BALL GAMES

All of yesterday's Atlantic league games were stopped by rain, and as a result the percentages remain the same.

Table with columns for League, Team, Wins, Losses, P.C. (Atlantic League, National League, American League, Eastern League)

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Scranton-Allentown, rain. Wilkes-Barre-Elmira, rain. Athletics-Jersey City, rain. Reading-Newark, rain.

Scranton will play its first Sunday game a week from tomorrow when Newark will be played on the Jersey-men's own grounds.

REPORT IS DENIED.

Pennsylvania Officials Have Not Heard of Plan to Borrow \$15,000,000.

Philadelphia, May 11.—The report from New York that the Pennsylvania Railroad company had arranged to borrow the sum of \$15,000,000 for one year at 4 per cent, to meet the recent transactions in stock purchases, notably that of the Long Island railroad, was denied today by Captain John P. Green, first vice-president of the Pennsylvania railroad, and by William A. Patton, assistant to the president.

Butler Re-Elected. Will be Chairman of National Population Committee.

Stoux Falls, S. D., May 11.—The popular national committee met here today. After an animated discussion, in which every phase of the coming campaign was gone over, Senator Butler was re-elected chairman of the national committee by a majority of seven in a total vote of seventy-six.

MINOOKA.

Brother Philip, of the Order of Christian Brothers, located at Philadelphia, arrived here last evening, having been called to the bedside of his father, James Egan, who is dangerously ill.

Clark's Stable Sold. New York, May 11.—The entire racing stable of the late Hon. William H. Clark was sold today.

Madman's Crime. Kills Nine Persons and Burns a Barn Filled with Cattle.

Rome, May 11.—A peasant in a village near Ancona, during a sudden attack of madness, murdered nine members of his family and wounded several others.

CHINESE DELICACY.

Peanut Buds Rubbed into Ginger Jelly at \$10 Per Ounce. "The Chinese have a strange idea of table delicacies," says a writer in the New Orleans Times-Herald.

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