







RING CHAMPIONS TO HÁVE A BUSY YEAR

of His Title; Featherweights Meet This Month

Cleveland. Ohio, Jan. 12. — Two classes in ring battles are scheduled for a busy year. After a long wait Jack Johnson will try to hold his title against several newcomers. Thee clubs, the Olympia and National, of Philadelphia, and the Empire A. C., of New York, are now bidding for the Kilbane-Williams bout, to be fought next month. The offer from McMahon brothers, who control the Empire A. C., came yesterday. It was in the shape of a bid or \$3,000 as Kilbane's end, whereupon Manager Dunn wired back he preferred that Johnny go on under a percentage basis, It is expected that while Dunn and Kilbane are in Philadelphia between January 18 and 32 they will complete the arrangements for the Williams go and accept one of the three bids.

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Startling Statements
Affidavits of Federal Owners Include Special to The Telegraph
Chicago, Ill., Jan. 12. — Affidavits that two ball players under contract under the national agreement were traded for dogs were among the documents filed yesterday in the federal court in support of the Federal suit against organized baseball.

Mordecal Brown, former Chicago Nationals pitcher, submitted an affidavit concerning the dog transactions. "Joe Cantillon, manager of the Minneapolis club of the American Association, at one time traded a professional ball player for a bulldog," Brown swore. "Your affiant also believes that Roger Bresnahan, while manager of the St. Louis club of the National League, traded a professional player, a pitcher named Hopper, to Richard Kinsella, then manager of the Springfield, Ill., club, in the Three-I League, for a bird dog."

RITCHIE TO FIGHT WELSH

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Former Champion Accepts Offer From Titleholder For Ten-round Bout By Special Correspondence San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 12.—Wil-lie Ritchie last night accepted terms to meet Freddie Welsh in New York over the ten-round route about Feb-

over the ten-toung ruary 9.

The former champion will get a guarantee of \$5,000, with a privilege of 50 per cent. of the gross receipts, provided the match draws more than

Grocery News

Roe Herring, 3 in bunch 18¢

Nova Scotia Herring, 3 in bunch 18¢ Goodman's Egg Noodles, Premier Snappy Relish 10¢ Fancy Creamery Butter, lb.

Bestootes, pkg. 15¢ Grape Fruit, each5¢ Sweet Florida Oranges, dz. 25¢, 30¢, 35¢ Baldwin Apples, 1/2 pk., 20¢

Cranberries, qt. 10¢ Shellbark Kernels, lb. .80¢ Black Walnut Kernels, 1b. 50¢

Belgian Box for infants, food for 4 weeks .. \$3.25 Adults' Box, food for family of four, two weeks, \$2.50 SPECIALS

Granulated Sugar, lb. 5½¢ 12-lb. sack Hecker's Superlative Flour 45¢
All soaps, 6 cakes 25¢
15c Can Franco-American Pork and Beans, 2 for 5¢ 10c Cans, 3 for 25¢ 25c Can Republic Peaches

Goose Liver Sausage, 1b.

Allen's Philadelphia Scrapple, 3 lb. cake 40¢
Jones' Dairy Farm Lard,
Hams and Sausage.

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GROCER On the Square

DICK NALLIN WILL **WORK IN BIG LEAGUE**

ceives an Appointment From Ban Johnson

Diminick Mullaney, of Jacksonville, Fla., is another umpire who will be with the Americans and with whom Nallin may be assigned to special duty early in the season. Other American umpires are Billy Evans, Tommy Connolly, Silk O'Loughlin, Bill Dineen, George Hildebrand and Ollie Chill.

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PINK SLIPS FOR WHITE SOX

Chicago, Jan. 12.—That the unwelcome rattle of the tinware must be heard by no less than eleven members to five White Sox, possibly before the start of the 1915 baseball champions with the start of the 1915 baseball champions with the American League, Is a startling revelation of which some of the athletes drawing pay checks from Charles A. Comiskey may not be aware.

Whether Ed Walsh and Billy Sullivan, the old guard of the Sox batteries are to go to become managers of minor league organizations is one of the problems involved in the new player limit soon to be adopted by the American League.

TRENTON TEAM TO PLAY

The Trenton Eastern League team will be the attraction at Chestnut street auditorium Saturday night, January 16. One of the fastest games of the season is looked for. Trenton has been playing their best game of late. Last week Trenton defeated the fast Hazleton team, breaking a series of fifteen straight games which the Hazleton team, breaking a series of fifteen straight games which the Hazleton team, breaking a series of fifteen straight games which the Hazleton team, breaking a series of fifteen straight games which the Hazleton team, breaking a series of fifteen straight games which the Hazleton team, breaking a series of fifteen straight games which the Hazleton team, breaking a series of fifteen straight games which the late on the season of the season is looked for. Trenton has been playing their best game of the Sophs won from Hadletown five; score, 38 to 22. The bean on Y. M. C. A. last night won from Middletown five; score, 38 to 22. The same played at Lebanon.

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The Heal

Electrically operated locks are now used on automobile doors. Pressing a button opens the door.

Wireless telegraph waves are propagated along the surface of the earth with a velocity slightly less than 186,000 miles an hour.

Eperiments with electric plowing in Italy give the cost as follows: Animals, \$5.30 to \$5.75 per acre; steam, \$4.30; electric power, \$3.

The General Electric Company built and installed a total of fifty-eight electric locomotives for the various railroads of this country during the year 1914.

An appropriation of \$150,000 has been voted by the board of education of Richmond, Cal., for equipping the domestic science departments in the new school buildings with electric heating appliances. The equipment to be installed includes twenty-six disc stoves, two electric ovens and an electric circulating water heater.

At Bangkok, Slam, there was recently completed a municipal electric power plant with three 1,000-kilowat publish, a byproduct of rice milling, is the chief fuel, though facilities have also been provided for using fuel oil, coal or wood. A large 110-cell storage battery is part of the electrical equipment installed.

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LOCAL PLAYERS TO

Jack Johnson Returns in Defense Former Harrisburg Outfielder Re- Low Salary Limit May Also Cause a Run on the Central Pennsylvania League

> Reduction of the Tri-State salary limit will bring to the Graham circuit many husky youngsters, including a number of stars from the Central Pennsylvania League. Amateur players who were prominent in good work with local independent teams will also get into the professional game.
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> Many inquiries are being made regarding local players and those who figured prominently in the Central League. Players who are anxious to make good will have an opportunity to be looked over by the major league secuits.

scouts.

Among those who may be found in the Tri-State are Eddie Rote, Duckey Rhoades, Tom Lyter, Same! Hocker and Buck Gilday, who are likely to receive offers within the next four weeks. A list of players in the Central League, with their averages, has been forwarded to George Graham, president of the Tri-State, and he will aid the managers in locating good material.

Bits of Sports

HERE ARE SOME ELECTRICAL FLASHES YOU MAY NOT KNOW Electric lighters are made for gas stoves A belt line electric railway will circle the ancient walls of Peking, China Electrically operated locks are now used on automobile doors. Pressing a

Report of City Health Bureau Shows Increase of 271 Cases Over Preceding Year

One thousand four hundred and forty-one cases of communicable diseases were reported to the City Health Bureau during 1914, of which 33 were nonresident, according to the figures in the annual report. This is an increase of 271 cases over the record of 1913, but the reason given by Dr. J. M. J. Raunick, city health officer, is that mild epidemics in several milnor diseases prevalled.

Sixty-three cases of typhoid, of which 36 were nonresident, were recorded. Eleven resulted in death, causing a resident death rate of 13.88 per cent. a decrease of more than 12 per cent. on the figures of 1913. In that year 241 cases of diphtheria were reported, against 184 cases last year. Eight of these resulted seriously, making the rate more than 4 per cent., a small decrease over the record of the preceding year.

Four cases of smallpox, three of which were in one family, were reported. All of the cases were traced to outside sources, in which the victims contracted the disease while out of the city.

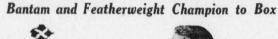
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Dr. Raunick said this morning in regard to the increase in cases: "While our communicable disease record shows a general increase over that of last year, this is accounted for by mild epidemics of scarlet fever, German neasles, mumps and chickenpox, which, fortunately, did not affect the death rate, as might have been the case had epidemics of the more serious communicable diseases prevailed."

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POSES OF KID WILLIAMS, THE BANTAM CHAMPION

The two have very different styles of fighting. Williams is a strong built along his lines. He is a clevendous development. Kilbane is not youngster who depends on his tremer boxer, who relies more on his brains to win. He would have difficulty in holding off Williams.

urer Erb read a report showing a good balance in the treasury. The Rev. E., Victor Roland, pastor, announced that almost one hundred new members have been received into the church during the past year.

HOW TO MAKE HOME-MADE PASTE

In the November Woman's Home Companion appears a department called "The Exchange"—a department in which household suggestions are contributed by various readers. An Oregon woman tells as follows how to make home-made paste:
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Baseball Diamond Romance Will Terminate in Wedding





MISS HAZEL MEYERS JOHN MASCHEN

Special to The Telegraph

Annville, Pa., Jan. 12.— 1. romance, which began on the baseball diamond at the University of Georgetown, will terminate this summer with the marriage of John Maschen, a student at Lebanon Valley College, whose hime is in Waynesboro, and Miss Hazel Meyers, of Baltimore. The engagement was made public at a dinner party given by Miss Meyers at her home, in Baltimore, during the holidays.

When Lebanon Valley's baseball team played her Southern schedule, Georgetown University was the third contest on the list, Maschen, who is a star player, covered the shortstop so sition for Lebanon Valley, and it was he who drove in the winning score in the ninth inning. He did not know that Miss Meyers had suddenly changed her cheering from the home team to the Lebanon Valley, nine. That which followed is now a happy history.

PLANS TRADE TRIP

COMMERCE BODY

Intense interest in the next trade extension and "get acquainted" trip of the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce was shown at the first meeting of the committee in charge, which was held at noon to-day at the Harrisburg Club.

Those present were Charles W. Burtnett, chairman; Brook Trout, Stanley Jean, Carl W. Davis, J. A. Grieshaber, Joseph Klinedinst, A. E. Buchanan, Henderson Gilbert, president, and E. L. McColgin, secretary, Roughly the route agreed upon for the next trip will be up the Northern Central to Sunbury, along the Susquehanna probably as far as Wilkes-Barre, returning via Hazleton, Pottsville and Reading. The trip will be made on February 10 and 11.

The committee and officers of the chamber desire to have it clearly understood that in addition to promoting business, the great benefits from the trip are in the way of better acquaintance among those who participate, a knowledge of what other Pennsylvania cities are doing and general advertisement of Harrisburg as a live city; that does not entirely rely upon business people coming to it, but that goes out after it. It is part of the chamber's general advertising and selling can paign of the city's advantages in order to capitalize Harrisburg.

WARSHIPS FOR TAFT AND T. R.

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Ex-Presidents Will Be Invited to Opening of Panama Canal Special to The Telegraph
Washington, D. C., Jan. 12. — A number of distinguished guests, including men not now holding official positions, will be invited to attend the official ceremonies in celebration of the opening of the Panama Canal if Congress provides sufficient funds for the execution of the tentative plans of the committee in charge.

Ex-Presidents Taft and Roosevelt will be invited if Congress makes an adequate appropriation for the entertainment of official guests, and the disposal of each for the first of the committee of the

the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer at the annual congregational meeting last night. Grover Wolf, David G. Garman, George Lukens and George Witmer were chosen deacons. Treas-

FIRE LOSS \$40,000 IN EXCESS OF 1913

Will Travel Through the Susque-State Printing Fire Boosts Year's hanna Valley on Next Extension Loss Above Normal; Total Tour, in February Damage \$117,878.17

PROMISE JUDICIAL REFORM

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Non-partisan judicial reform to speed up justice and reduce the cost of procedure is promised by senators before Congress adjourns. The House has already agreed to the reform meatistics, and they have been favorably reported to the Senate by the judiciary committee.

STRIKE SHORT LIVED

Another miniature short-lived "strike" of the "stone-gang" at the county almshouse was nipped in the bud again yesterday by the inauguration of the bread-and-water treatment. After one meal the "strikers" went back to work.

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