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## MONKEY AND PARROT ASSEMBLY.

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L. A. W. Delegates, However, Chose Officers Quietly.  
T. J. Keenan, Jr., Chosen President.  
Mott Rebuked.

Providence, Feb. 9.—Some great fighting to prevent espousal being taken on the question of race control by the league, the unanimous election of all the candidates for office, decided endorsement of the recommendations for better management of the racing board, the acceptance of a report of the Executive Committee that it had been unable to find an organization which, in its judgment was capable of managing racing, and the selection of Jacksonville, Fla., as the place for the next annual gathering marked the work of the national assembly of the League of American Wheelmen here to-day.

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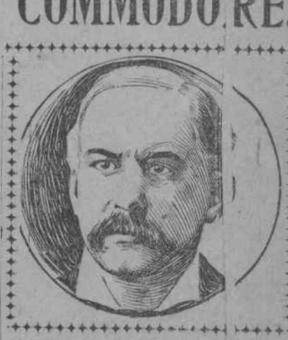
"I have no desire to tie up Fitzsimmons by any agreement he may sign with Sharkey. Fitz will sign articles calling for a fight in November, but I will agree to allow Fitzsimmons to fight anybody he chooses in the meantime. I may state here that Sharkey is matched to fight Charlie Mitchell in England on May 20."

The Sailor Is Matched to Fight Mitchell in London. To-day Articles Will Be Signed for the Fitz-Jeffries Bout.

question of appointing a time for the contest was discussed, Julian this time extending the limit from eight weeks to June 1, but O'Rourke held out for November. These men said that he had been authorized to match Jeffries against Fitzsimmons, and was prepared to go ahead. Julian asked Jeffries' representative if he would post a forfeit immediately to bind the match. Egan replied that a check was now posted on behalf of Jeffries, and that he would be unable to cash it until to-day.

## JEFFRIES, J. P. MORGAN AGAN EJECTED COMODORE.

Annual Meeting of the New York Yacht Club.



Commodore J. P. Morgan.

\$70,000 Subscribed for New Club House.

The New York Yacht Club's annual meeting was held last night at the club house, No. 57 Madison avenue, when about all of the old officers were re-elected for the coming year. The annual regatta was fixed for June 22, and it was announced that \$70,000 additional had been subscribed toward the new club house, which makes a total of \$70,000.

The following officers were elected: Commodore—J. Pierpont Morgan. Vice-Commodore—Lewis Cass Lybrand. Race Committee—August Belmont, Victor L. V. S. Oddie. Treasurer—John W. Harst. Member—John W. Harst, Fred Suggen—Morris J. Aash, M. D. Rosalia Comaroff—Henry W. Wood, W. H. A. Croise and Edward P. Darrell. Library Committee—Fordham Morris, Arthur H. Clark and Theodore C. Zeveloff. Race Committee on Club Stations—William H. Thome, Frederick H. Benedict, H. A. Schurz, Vaughan Clark, Murray Purdy, New York, C. S. Sands, Harrison B. Morse, John P. Dull, H. Baster and Edward H. Ladew.

## TULLO PACED AT TOP WEIGHT.

Mr. Vosburgh Announces the Imposts for the Brighton Handicap.

By Francis Trevelyan.  
Owing to the absence of a quorum the regular monthly meeting of the Jersey Club was not held yesterday, but several matters of interest to racing men were made public. The most important of these was the list of weights for the Brighton Handicap, at a mile and a quarter.

Table with 2 columns: Race Name and Weight. Includes items like 'Pocantico Handicap, for 3-year-olds', 'Metropolitan Handicap, for 3-year-olds', etc.

## TO PLAY OUR ELEVEN.

University of California Likely to Send a Football Team to Tackle the "Big Four."

For the first time in the history of college football there will be presented this year an opportunity of comparing the relative merits of Western and Eastern football. During the Fall an eleven from the Pacific coast, comprising the best players from the University of California and the Stanford University will visit the East.

## FOOTBALL FINANCES.

The Princeton Team's Receipts Were \$17,650, and the Balance on Hand is \$1,727.

## M'CAFFERTY LOST HIS BEAR RECORD.

He Bet Heavily on the Horse, but Troxler Didn't Obey Orders.

By Frank J. Bryan.  
New Orleans, Feb. 9.—There was little about the racing at the Fair Grounds to-day to enthuse over. In the early part of the day it was rosy times for bettors, the first three races going to decided favorites. Then came a change, and for the rest of the day their profits flowed back to the ring.

## SPRAKER'S NEW RECORD.

The Wonderful Schoolboy Jumper Creates New Figures at the Berkeley Games.

John S. Spraker, the wonderful schoolboy jumper, distinguished himself yesterday afternoon at the Berkeley School games by winning three events. Although not in the best of health, Spraker cleared 5 ft. 10 1/2 in., establishing a new indoor scholastic record. For the fourth consecutive year the youngster won the twenty-yard dash, this time covering the distance in three seconds, and the hundred-yard race in 17 1/2 seconds.

## BROOKLYN MAY SECURE BERGEN.

Hanon and Manager Selee, of Boston, Discuss Baseball Deals.

Frank Selee, manager of the Boston Baseball Club, the pennant winners of last year, arrived in New York yesterday. At the Fifth Avenue Hotel he met Ned Hanlon, who will manage the new Brooklyn. It was immediately assumed that the meeting of the two star managers was prearranged for the purpose of making some exchange of players. This both men denied. Nevertheless, it was rumored that Hanlon might secure Bergen, the crack catcher of the Beaneaters. Behind the bat is the only place on the Brooklyn nine where strengthening is needed, and the report that Bergen might be bought by Hanlon is a plausible one.

## New Orleans Entries.

First Race—Seven furlongs—Gold Mine, Toke, Money, 127; The Winner, 140.  
Second Race—Six and a half furlongs—Men of War, 127; The Winner, 140.  
Third Race—Five furlongs—The Winner, 140.  
Fourth Race—Four furlongs—The Winner, 140.  
Fifth Race—Three furlongs—The Winner, 140.  
Sixth Race—Two furlongs—The Winner, 140.

## To-day's Probable Winners.

At New Orleans.  
FIRST RACE—THE WINNER, SANGER.  
SECOND RACE—CASHIN, COL. KADEN.  
THIRD RACE—BANGS, S. S. S. LEVY.  
FOURTH RACE—VICTORINE, LUCKY MON.  
FIFTH RACE—APPLE JACK, MISS ROSS.  
At Poughkeepsie.  
At a meeting of amateur racemen, railroad men citizens of Poughkeepsie at the Manhattan Hotel yesterday, an association was formed to control and manage racing on the Hudson. Poughkeepsie is the headquarters of the best features of baseball. It is more appreciated than elsewhere that a pitcher cannot make any motion in advance of delivery. If he did it should constitute a balk and the pitcher would be liable for a base. This would give the man on base a chance to run and would add greatly to the interest in the game. I am firmly in favor of such rules and hope to see them adopted.

## BE PATIENT.

A Hard Virtue to Practise, but It Brings No Regrets.

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## Entries for the Twelve-Hour Race.

Thirty-five entries have been received for the twelve-hour go-as-you-please foot race.

## Business Notices.

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## TO LICENSE BOXING IN MISSOURI.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 9.—Two bills have been introduced in the House for licensing boxing and sparring contests. One by Burleigh, of St. Louis, allows limited and restricted contests by incorporated athletic associations; the other bill, by Caldwell, of Kansas City, licenses all kinds of boxing and sparring matches and athletic contests in cities over 100,000 inhabitants.

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