

# MCTIGUE IS GRANVILLE TIES FORTY-FIVE FOR 11TH PLACE IN UNION DERBY

NEW YORK, May 29.—The mystery of Michael "Methuselah" Mike McTigue's age one of the famous dark secrets of the ring, was explained today when the ancient one formally hung up his gloves and retired from the nose-nudging industry.

In a letter thanking sports writers for the "Kind things" said about him during his long career the slightly bald and wrinkled father of a large family declared he was retiring in comfortable circumstances. He suffered a two-round knockout last night at the hands of George Hoffman, a comparatively heavyweight novice.

At the end of the letter, the venerable Michael who for years had set his age at 36, wrote "on the 26th day of November, 1929, Michael Francis McTigue will be just 45 years old."

TASCRUCES, N. M., May 29.—Philip Granville, of Hamilton, Ont., tied for eleventh place today with M. B. McNamara, of Australia, in the fifty-ninth lap of C. C. Pyle's bunion derby, running the forty-four miles between El Paso, Texas and Tascrucos in 7.35.05.

Granville is rapidly recovering from his recent injuries, although still in great pain. He remains sixth in elapsed time standing.

Pete Gavuzzi, of England, John Salo, of Passaic, N. J., and Sam Richman, New York, tied for the lead in today's lap.

Salo still leads the pack in total elapsed time.

# Louis Nemis Is Out With Challenge To Stevie MacDonald

Having learned that Stevie MacDonald, former Reserve lightweight, who has been fighting in the States for the past few months, is back again in his home town, Louis Nemis, New Waterford boxer called on the Sports Editor to issue a sweeping challenge to the Reserve fighter to a bout at any time. Louis is willing to fight under any conditions that Stevie may want, and it is likely that the bout, if it goes through, will be staged in Sydney, as local promoters are willing to stage the fight on the third of June.

Nemis declared that Stevie should be more than willing to meet him.

Poetry should be written on one side of the paper only, shouldn't it? asked a young versifier.

That depends on the poetry, replied the editor wearily. Lots of it shouldn't be written on either side.

as the latter has gained valuable experience in the States, as well as having fought more often, the New Waterford boxer having been obliged to take a long layoff following his operation for appendicitis in January last.

Stevie returned to Reserve a few days ago for an indefinite stay with relatives, and is reported to be in fine shape after his campaigning in the United States. His answer to the challenge, if he chooses to accept it, will be published in this paper.

# The White Sox Pilot



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By QUIN HALL

For a good many years, the Chicago White Sox have not figured prominently in American League pennant scraps. Conditions were not always like this. There was a time when Charley Comiskey's warriors were a menace in the younger circuit every year.

Added years forced Comiskey out of the saddle. Whether this accounts for the team's poor showing or not is something which will not be discussed here, but it is a certainty that the pale hosed fellows have been aimlessly rambling in the tall grass for a long time. Much too long a spell to

suit the south side fans in the Windy City. Last year in midseason Ray Schalk walked out from under the managerial duties and Russell Blackburne, the coach, was given a shot at the job. The Sox then sputtered and won some ball games, finishing the season well enough to convince the management that Blackburne had the ability to be retained as pilot.

The season hasn't advanced far enough to show what the White Sox will do this year. The indications are that Chicago has a fair ball club which, with some luck, should give a good account of itself. During the spring romp at San Antonio, Blackburne did a whale of a lot of experimenting. He had a mess of

youngsters and he was trying various combinations. Even now he is continuing to switch from time to time.

Lena — as Blackburne is popularly known — has some good talent though the experts refuse to take the Sox seriously when it comes to pennant, contending. It would be foolish to concede them such a margin, yet Lena is making good as a manager. And that is something. Given a little time, he may yet settle on a winning combination and put the Chicago White Sox back on the baseball map. Blackburne deserves some good breaks.

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# Lobster Catch Greater But Value Is Less

OTTAWA, May 29.—Sea fish caught in Canadian waters by Canada's fishermen during the first four months of 1929 totalled 100,035,000 pounds, and had a landed value to the fishermen of over \$3,500,000 according to an announcement made from the Department of Marine and Fisheries yesterday. While the catch was slightly under the figure for the same period in the year previous, so far as its weight was concerned, it had a value of \$115,000 more. During April the Pacific Fisheries saw an increase of 245,000 pounds in the catch, the total being 6,030,000 pounds. The landed value was \$77,874 greater than in April 1928.

The Atlantic coast fisheries showed a slight decrease, however, both in

Daughter—Mother, do you want me to put the parrot on the back porch? Mother—Positively no! Your father is repairing the car in the back yard.

size of catch and landed value. The catch fell from 22,884,500 to approximately 21,500,000. The landed value was only \$65,000 less.

Lobster catches showed an increase on the Atlantic. The four months' catch was almost 50 percent greater than that recorded for the same period a year ago. It totalled 4,260,000 pounds. But the landed value was slightly lower. The April fisheries of New Brunswick show a gain in both volume and landed value, but there was a slight decrease in the other two Maritime Provinces. Quebec sees little or no fishing in April. Nova Scotia experienced a fall in the catch. This year's total for four months was 17,774,200 pounds as compared with 20,232,800 pounds a year ago. The Prince Edward Island fisheries also showed a decrease. Unfavorable weather conditions affected the catch there.

# MILADY'S FORMER STYLES TO BE DISPLAYED IN MUSEUMS

Eighteen inch waists, we are told, are gone for good—until the fashion changes again. The tight-laced bodices our grandmothers wore are fit now to be shown as curiosities in the costume sections of our museums. Our men-folk may ask in vain for a hairpin to clean their foul pipes.

They, too have changed. That drooping mustache which made a breakfast of boiled eggs and coffee such a messy affair is pruned from all but a few eccentric faces. The cup which dutiful children used to bring papa with a Chinese mustache protector, lies now disregarded in the attic and will be the rage in the curl shops (with "fakes" galore on sale) in ten years time.

But in odd corners of the world the modes we have discarded are the height of fashion. How husbands sigh when in the ethnological section of the British museum, they see that exhibit from Assam, the combined hairpin and tobacco-plug holder. How

# BIG LEAGUE TOM HEENEY BALL RESULTS DEFEATS RIOUX

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Phila. ....	7	9	0
Boston .....	1	6	1
Earnshaw and Cochrane, MacFadyen and Berry.			

	R	H	E
New York .....	3	8	2
Washington .....	8	14	1
Pipgras, Sherrin and Dickey, Marbery and Tate.			

	R	H	E
Cleveland .....	11	19	1
Chicago .....	1	6	1
Zeln and L. Sewell, Thomas, Adkins and Autrey.			

	R	H	E
St. Louis .....	6	13	1
Detroit .....	7	12	1
Stewart, Coffman, Strelceki and Schang, Ferrell, Uhle and Phillips.			

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Montreal .....	4	12	0
Buffalo .....	2	7	1
Fogsett and Niebergall, Williams and Urban.			

	R	H	E
Jersey City .....	6	8	0
Newark .....	3	7	2
Underhill, Henderson and Jorgens; Ross, Moore and Skiff.			

	R	H	E
Baltimore .....	3	8	3
Reading .....	9	14	0
Clarkson, Thomas and Cronin; Holley and Styles.			

	R	H	E
Toronto .....	12	14	0
Rochester .....	8	12	4
Leverenz, Satterfield and O'Neill; Littlejohn, Barclay, McCracken, Lingrell and Mancuso.			

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Brooklyn .....	4	12	0
New York .....	1	3	2
Dudley and Picinich, Benton, Henry, Scott and Hogan, O'Farrel.			

	R	H	E
Boston .....	2	9	4
Phila. ....	12	12	0
Delaney, Brant and Spohrer, Collins and Davis, Susce.			

	R	H	E
Chicago .....	2	11	2
Pittsburgh .....	8	10	0
Malone, Chvengros and Grace; Swetonic, Hills and Hargreaves.			

(First game)

	R	H	E
Cincinnati .....	3	4	3
St. Louis .....	4	4	1
Donohue and Gooch; Haid and Smith.			

(Second game)

	R	H	E
Cincinnati .....	2	8	0
St. Louis .....	6	8	2
Luque and Dixon; Johnson and Wilson.			

Mr. Jack Jones' eyes must sparkle—if he is a frequenter of this treasure house—at the sight of those flat blades, rather like the envelope opener which still litters our desks, which Ainu men use for lifting clear the mustache when drinking.

How the modern girl must wonder when she sees those two dozen hoops of rattan upon which a myriad of small brass rings are threaded, which serve the young ladies of the Iban people, in Sarawak, as the latest things in corsets.

# Miles Will Race In Pictou County June Thirteenth

(Canadian Press) MONTREAL FORUM, May 29.—Tom Heeny, New Zealand heavyweight, defeated Elzear Rioux, Montreal heavy aspirant here tonight in the eighth round of their scheduled ten round set to, when Rioux was disqualified for striking a foul blow. It was an unsatisfactory bout throughout, Rioux's holding tactics and low blows marring the fight. Heeny did all the leading but found trouble in getting in at close quarters with Rioux owing to the latter's long arms and holding in the clinches. In addition, Rioux hit more than ten low blows during the fight, but Referee MacPharland let these pass on because they were of light variety and harmless. The New York arbitrator warned Rioux on four or five occasions to go in and help Heeny make a fight of it.

NEW GLASGOW, May 28.—Johnny Miles, winner of the 1929 Boston Marathon, will appear in Westville on June 13, under the auspices of the St. Bees Church. According to present information, Miles will appear in Sydney, Westville and Halifax only on his tour of the Maritime Provinces, and his visit to Pictou County will no doubt draw the largest section of the province. The present plans of the committee in charge of Miles' appearance in Westville are to stage a five mile road race open to the province, for which suitable prizes will be awarded. The main game is having one of its legs in Pictou County and there is no doubt but that the five mile race will include the large number of local outside runners who are showing such splendid form at the present time. It is learned here that Miles will appear in Sydney before running in Westville, after which he will journey to Halifax for his final appearances in Nova Scotia. It is expected that Jimmie Hawbolt will be one of the local runners to compete. The wonderful race staged between these two plodders two years ago still fresh in the public mind and the predict another keen race when they meet on June 13th.

# PERCY WILLIAMS WILL BE IN IT

WINDSOR, Ont., May 28.—Percy Williams, the Canadian Olympic sprinting champion, Eddie Tolan, colored sprinting marvel from the University of Michigan, Johnny Fitzpatrick and other Canadian notables in the athletic world have been invited to the opening of Kennedy Collegiate here in September.

Wife (showing husband expense fur coat)—One really can't help feel sorry for the poor thing that's skinned for this.

Husband—I appreciate your sympathy.

Did you hear about the one-eighth Scotchman who demanded a high price ticket to the movie?

# BRINGING UP FATHER

—By George McManus