

WHAT'S DOING IN SPORTING CIRCLES.

When they met their finish: Jeffries in the fifteenth round; McCarty in the twenty-second round; Ketchel in the twelfth round; Nelson in the forty-first round; Gans in the seventeenth round; John L. Sullivan in the twenty-first round.

The Brooklyn All-Stars is a recent organization made up from the Cuban Giants, the Mohawk Giants and other well-known baseball teams. Among the members are William T. Smith, Wallace C. Gordon, Henry Williams, Arthur Malette. They won the three games played last week with the Franklin (Pa.) team.

KOKOMO, Ind.—The A. B. C. team proved a hoodoo to the Kokomo Red Sox last Sunday and were never in danger. Both clubs played good ball, but the locals seemed overly cautious, which was responsible for some of their bobbles. B. Taylor carried off the honors with the stick, making three hits and scoring three of the A. B. C.'s ten runs. Score:

A. B. C.'s	---	1	0	0	2	0	1	3	0	3	—	10	10	2
Red Sox	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	—	4	4	3

BALL GAINS FAVOR IN ENGLAND.

In spite of the reports to the contrary there is no doubt but that baseball, or "glorified rounders," as one London writer puts it, is taking hold in England. Speaking of baseball in a recent issue, Lloyd's Weekly News says: "Will baseball oust cricket?" This is a question which is being eagerly discussed in various parts of the country. The newer game will be given a fillip by the international match between Wales and England, which is to be played at Liverpool next Saturday. Baseball has caught on tremendously in South Wales and in the Liverpool district, and in the southern part of the principality, at all, cricket is rapidly dying out as a summer sport. Baseball is not quite new in South Wales, for it evolved out of the English game of rounders, and has been developing steadily for 30 years. There are now forty clubs affiliated with the league, and whereas a county cricket match at Cardiff will only attract a few hundred spectators, baseball games run to five or six thousand.

The Dolly Vardens defeated the West Baden Sprudels June 12 in an exciting contest at West Baden. The pitching of Merz was fine, the Sprudels getting only two hits off him in six innings. Score:

D. Vardens	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	—5	11	2
Sprudels	—	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	—3	7	4

Batteries—Merz, Betzing and Nordak; Bantom, Miller and Kernard.

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