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EMERALDS WIN, 38 to 23.

Takes Revenge on Co. G. Team of Manchester.

(Special to The Bulletin)

Willimantic, Feb. 3.—The Emerald five took revenge on Co. G of Manchester at the Valley street armory Friday evening for the defeat administered a short time ago, winning a fast and exciting basketball game the presence of a record crowd by the score of 38 to 23. Higgins and Chappell starred in baskets for the locals, while Horan was the main point getter for the visitors. The crowd was with the Emeralds from the start and the had the jump o nthe visitors throghout. The local five led at 9 to 2 during the first half; but Co. G. picked up and was only three points behind whe nthe whistle blew. In the second half the Emeralds made it a runaway match. The summary:

Emeralds		Co. G.
Higgins	Right Forward	Crockett
Chappell	Left Forward	Horan
Lewis	Center	Finnegan
J. Keirans	Right Guard	Malden
W. Keirans	Left Guard	Martin

Baskets, Higgins 7, Chappell 6, Lewis 2, W. Keirans 1, Horan 6, Madden 3; goals from fouls, Chappell 5, Higgins 1, Horan 5; referee, Kelley.

Birdie Cree Gets Unconditional Release

New York, Feb. 4.—Birdie Cree, the veteran outfielder of the New York American League club, received today at his own request an unconditional release. With the exception of a few months in 1914, Cree had been with the local club since 1909. A three year contract calling for $6,000 a year, had another year to run.

Braves Sign Backstop Devine.

Boston, Feb. 4.—The signing of James P. Devine of Albany by the Boston Nationals as a catcher was announced today. Devine has been playing in a number of semi-professional clubs about New York city.

U. of P. Five Defeats Dartmouth.

Hanover, N. H., Feb. 4.—The basketball team of the University of Pennsylvania defeated the Dartmouth five, 42 to 19, in an intercollegiate game here tonight.

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Rickard Pushing Arrangements Ahead

May Select Madison Square Garden for Scene of Willard-Moran Fight—Best Seats Will be $25 Each—Final Agreement for Contest Will be Signed Next Wednesday by All Parties.

New York, Feb. 4.—Tex Rickard, who is promoting the Willard-Moran bout which is to take place here March 17, said today that Willard's manager, Tom Jones, would be here next week and the final agreement for the contest would be signed by all parties concerned at a meeting Wednesday.

"I have not been apprised of the exact agreement arrived at in Chicago yesterday," said Rickard today, "but I am going ahead with my efforts to find a suitable place to stage the bout here. I would like to bring it off at the Madison Square arden and am ready to meet any reasonable proposition made by the managemetn of the place. Regardless of the price, I have orders on file now for twenty-three ringside boxes. I am sorry that I could not defer the meeting of Willard and Moran until summer as I am sure they would then attract one hundred thousand spectators with the bout staged in the opea air.

"I have decided that the top price fo rthe best seats will be $25 each and I intend making reservations so as to protect visiting sportsmen as well as local patrons from speculators as far as its is possible to do so.

"I clinched this match by positively threatening to bring Moran and Dillon together in this city for a purse almost as large as the one I am putting up for Willard and Moran. Willard is not coming east with Jones next week but I will insist that the champion shall train in this vicinity for at least three weeks prior to March 17. I understand Moran is going to begin training at Saratoga, but he, too, must finish his preparatory work somewhere adjacent to this city. The men themselves, will have to agree on a referee, as under no circumstances will I consent to act in that capacity as I did at Reno at the Johnson-Jeffries fight."

Bulkeley High Here Tonight.

Bulkeley High will play the Y. M. C .A. basketball five this evening in the local gym. The game promises to be exciting as the teams appear to be about evenly matched.

PUTNAM HIGH CRUSHES SOUTHBRIDGE FIVE

Bay State Boys Unable to Solve the Upstate Quintette's Speed—Score 67 to 21.

(Speciti to The Bulletin)

Putnam, Feb. 4.—Southbridge High basketball forces advanced into Putnam tonight with high hopes of rendering the local hoop shooters hors de combat and pentrating the Putnam fortification that resisted all attacks of the season, however it took only a few minutes of hostilities for the local sharpshooters to torpedo the invaders and send them into a general retreat. When the final truce was called and firing had ceased, Captain Lowe announced that the enemy was securely entrenched and that Putnam had won the day, 67 to 21.

There was nothing to it as far as Putnam was concerned, Lowe, Shaw and Maynard rolled in basket after basket in spite of all that the Bay State team could do and at no stages of the game was the local team in danger. That Putnam has the snappiest team of the season that ever trod the local floor goes without saying and the brand of basketball that they are displaying is A-1. The lineup:

Putnam		Southbridge
Lowe	Right Forward	Nole
Shaw	Left Forward	Delehanty
Maynard	Center	Butterworth
Lombardo	Right Guard	Trainer
Giraca	Left Forward	Renaud

Subs—L. Giraca, Baker.

Goals, Putnam, Lowe 10, Shaw 11, Maynard 7, B. Giraca 1, L. Giraca 1; Southbridge, Delehanty 8, Trainer 2; fouls, Putnam, Lowe 1, Shaw 6; Southbridge, Delehanty 11; referee, Bradford; timer Handy; two 20-minute halves.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

RECEDING SESSION OF MARKET.

Caused by Fancied Danger of Rupture With Germany.

New York, Feb. 4.—A very considerable part of the recent recovery in prices was relinquished today when reports again indicating danger of a rupture of relations between Washington and Berlin caused extreme declines of tw to seven points in a wide variety of issues. The speculative element was disposed to draw unfavorable inferences from the situation and sold extensively.

To this was added a substantial amount of long stock, or closing out of bullish commitments, trading being the largest of any day of the week, except Monday, when the January decline culminated. There were other bearish factors, including the firm attitude of the coal operators against the demands of the anthracite miners and the failure of certain exported industrial dividends to come to pass.

A few stocks, notably Crucible Steel and Distillers Securities, stood out in the day's operations. Rumors to the effect that Crucible is to be absorbed by one of the largest and most successful of the steel producing companies persisted and the confident buying of that stock added the element of plausibility. At its maximum of 86 1-2, Crucible showed an overnight gain of 6 1-4.. Distillers' rise of 3 5-8 to 50 1-8 most of which occurred in the later dealings, was associated with rumors of a "melon" in the near future.

U. S. Steel was at al times the most active feature and under steady pressure, falling from its maximum of 84 1-2 to 82 1-2 and making no recovery. Declines of one to 2 1-2 points were registered by rails while Motors, Oils, various munitions and coppers were 2 to 6 under yesterday's close.

Heaviness of Mercantile Marine preferred gave rise to rumors of a hitch in the plan or reorganization.

Important shares made only nominal rallies from lowest prices in the dull final hour, the market closing with a heavy tone. Total sales amounted to 945,000 shares.

A sharp rally in francs and recurrent weakness in lires were the contrasting features of the exchange market, sterling manifesting firmness.

Heavy trading in Anglo-French 5's and Marine 4 1-2's at slight concessions aggregated $5,125,000.

U. S. Bonds were unchanged on call.

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Close.
100	Adams Express	149⅝	149⅝	149⅝
5000	Alaska Gold M	23⅛	22⅝	22⅝
200	Alaska Juneau	9½	9½	9½
2600	All. Chalmers	29	27½	27½
500	Allis Chalmers pr	79⅝	79	79
100	Am. Ag Chem	69⅝	69⅝	69⅝
1300	Am. Beet Sugar	67	65	65½
16900	Am. Can.	62⅞	61⅝	61⅝
300	Am. Can pr	111	110½	110½
2900	Am. Car & F	68½	66½	67
800	Am. Coal Prod	166½	162	162
200	Am. Hide &L	19½	19½	19½
1500	Am. H & L pr	51	49½	50
2400	Am Ice Sec	29½	28½	28½
900	Am Linseed	24	23	23¼
3200	Am Linseed pr	42¼	41¾	42¼
3350	Am. Locomo	67⅞	65⅝	65½
100	Am. Loco pr	102	102	102
600	Am. Malt	9½	9	9½
100	Am. Malt pr	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝
18900	Am. Smelting	101⅝	99½	99⅝
200	Am. Smelt pr	114½	114½	114½
300	Am Smelt pr B	86⅝	86⅝	86⅝
100	Am. Smelt pr A	92	92	92
11900	Am. Steel Fdry	54⅝	54⅝	54⅝
200	Am. Sugar	119⅝	119½	119½
110	Am. Tel & Tel	127⅛	126⅞	126⅞
300	Am. Tobacco	206	204	204
100	Am. T pr new	107⅝	107½	107½
2900	Am. Wool clf	51⅝	48⅝	49
600	Amer Inc	70	68½	69½
28200	Anaconda	87⅝	85⅝	85⅝
32300	Anaconda	87⅝	85⅝	85⅝
200	Ameo Oil	65	65	65
2000	Atchison	104	102⅝	103
400	Atchison pr	100	100	100
100	Atl Coast Line	112	112	112
29000	Bald Loco	115½	109⅝	110¼
700	Bald Loco pr	108½	106½	108½
2100	Balt & Ohio	89⅝	85	88
100	Balt & Ohio pr	77	77	77
100	Batopilas Min	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
500	Brooklyn R T	87½	87	87
500	Bush Terminal	119	115½	117
8800	Butte &Sup	78⅝	77¼	78
2500	Cal Petrol	33½	30⅝	32⅝
600	Cal Petrol pr	64	62	62½
3000	Can Pacific	172	169	169
1900	Cent Leather	53⅝	52½	52⅝
1700	Ches &Ohio	63	61½	61½
500	Chic Gt W pr	35⅝	35	35½
900	Chic M & St P	97⅞	96⅝	96⅝
100	C M &St P pr	132½	132½	132½
100	Chic &N W	129½	129½	129½
100	C C C & St L	40	40	40
7300	Ch D & S P Ry	19⅝	18⅝	19
1000	Chilis Copper	23⅝	23	23
1250	Chino Con Co	54⅛	53	53
900	Cluett Pd'ry	74	74	74
4100	Col Fuel & Iron	43⅝	43⅝	44
100	Col &South	28	28	28
400	Consol Gas	137⅝	137⅝	137½
1500	Contin Gas	81⅝	79⅝	79⅝
200	Con Can pr	107	107	107
5600	Corn Prod	22⅝	21⅝	21⅝
600	Corn Prod pr	96½	95½	95½
125400	Crucible Steel	86⅝	82⅝	84⅝
1500	Crucible S pr	117½	116	116½
300	Cub Am Sugar	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝
100	Cum Am S pr	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝
100	Dis & Cle G pr	22½	22½	22½
2400	Dome Mines	28½	27½	28
61300	Dist Securitis	50⅝	47	49⅝
200	Elec Stor Bat	63	62½	62½
21900	Erie	38⅝	37¼	37⅝
2000	Erie 1st pr	52½	52½	52½
100	Erie 2 pr	48	48	48
100	E M &S pr	53¼	53¼	53¼
1400	Gen Electric	173	171	171
200	Gen Motors pr	111	110⅝	111
12900	Goodrich B F	73	71½	72
1000	Granby Ming	94½	93¼	93¼
800	Gt. North pr	132⅝	131⅝	131⅝
5700	Gt N Ore Sub	45⅝	44½	44½
200	Greene C C op	48	48	48
500	Guggen Expl.	22½	22½	22½
300	Illinois Cent.	106½	106¼	106½
100	Int Agricul	22½	22½	22½
650	Int Agricul pr	63	61½	61½
7100	Int Metr Met	17⅛	16⅝	16⅝
66700	Int Merc M pr	79⅝	74⅝	75½
13400	Int Copper	45⅝	44⅝	44⅝
1200	Inter Cop	19⅛	18½	18½
100	Inter Con pr	74⅝	74⅝	74⅝
400	Int Har of N J	111	110½	110½
100	Int Har of N J pr	119	119	119
1210	Int Paper	11¼	10⅝	10¼
300	Int Paper pr	48	46	46
400	Int Nickle	208½	204	204
100	Int Nickel pr	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝
1700	Kan Coty So	27	26	26
16600	Lack Steel	58⅝	58	58⅝
200	Laclede Gas N	106⅝	104½	104½
300	Lake E & W	13½	13½	13½
500	Lehigh Valley	77½	76½	76½
100	Lig & Myers	259	259	259
300	Long Island	22	21½	21½
500	Lorillard P	190½	190	190½
100	Lorillard P pr	118⅝	118⅝	118⅝
100	Louis & Nash	124¼	124¼	124¼
900	Mackay Cos	81½	80½	81½
3300	Maxwell M Co	73⅝	69¼	69¼
1800	Maxwell M 1 pr	89	88½	88½
1400	Mxwell M 2 pr	54½	53	53
31000	Mex Petrol	108⅝	103⅝	103⅝
5100	Miami Copper	36	36	36
100	Minn & St L pr	16	16	16
1000	Mo., Kan & T	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
100	Mo., K & T pr	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
800	Mo Pacific	5⅞	5⅝	5⅝
600	Mo Pac ctfs	6	5⅝	5½
300	Mont Power	75	74	74
100	Morris & Essex	81⅝	81⅝	81⅝
100	Nat Biscuit pr	128⅝	128⅝	128⅝
100	Nat Cloak & S	75⅝	75⅝	75⅝
800	Nat Enam & S	36⅝	35	35
500	Nat E & S pr	96½	95½	96
3900	Nat Lead	70⅝	68½	69¼
100	Nev C Copper	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
940	N Y Air Brake	147	142	145
9700	N Y Central	107	104⅝	105
100	N Y C & St. L 2 pr	62	62	62
1600	N Y N H & H	67⅝	67½	67⅝
100	N Y O & West	27	26½	26½
600	Norgf. & West	118	116⅝	116⅝
100	North. Amer	71	71	71
1400	North Pacific	114⅝	112⅝	112⅝
925	Ontario Silver	8¼	7⅝	7⅝
400	Pacific Mail	17⅞	13⅝	13⅝
8800	Pen R R	57⅝	55⅝	55⅝
100	Phil Co	32⅝	42½	42½
1200	Peoples G & C	107	105⅝	105½
2600	Pitts Coal	33⅝	32⅝	32½
300	Pitts Coal pr	107½	107	107
900	Press Steel Car	57	55¼	55¼
400	Pull Pal Car	166	165	165
100	Quicksilver	5	5	5
200	Quicksilver pr	7½	7½	7½
200	Ry Steel Sp	39½	39	39
2200	Reading	78	77	77⅛
2500	Ray Con Cop	24⅝	23⅞	23⅞
100	Reading 2 pr	42½	42½	42½
10200	Rep I & Steel	33⅝	31	31⅞
110	Rep I & S pr	110	110	110
400	Rock Island	½	⅜	½
2200	Rock Island pr	⅝	½	½
100	Seaboard A L	17	17	17
300	Sea A L pr	38	37⅝	37⅝
500	Sears Roebuck	182½	180	180
200	Sloss S S & I	58½	58	58
1900	South Pacific	100⅝	99¼	99½
200	So P R Sugar	163	160	160
100	So P R Sugar pr	107	107	107
1400	Southern Ry	22⅝	21½	21½
200	South Ry pr	60	60	60
100	Stand Milk pr	87	87	87
16400	Studebaker	152	147½	149
2000	Ten Copper	57⅛	55¼	55⅛
1200	Texas & Pacific	7⅝	7	7⅝
3800	Texas Co	207½	201	205⅝
200	Third Ave	61½	61	61
200	Union Bag & P	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
3700	Union Pacific	134⅝	132⅝	132⅝
100	Union Pac pr	83⅝	83⅝	83⅝
100	United Cigar	61½	61½	61½
1000	U C S of A	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
2700	United Fruit	140⅝	138⅝	139
300	United Ry Inv	17½	17⅛	17⅛
200	U Ry Inv pr	33	32	32
400	U S C I P & F	18⅝	18	18⅝
100	U S C I P & F pr	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝
13700	U S I Alcohol	157½	152	153½
100	U S I Alco pr	108	108	108
100	U S R & M pr	2	2	2
2300	U S Rubber	53	51	51⅛
138900	U. S. Steel	84⅝	83½	83⅝
500	U S Steel pr	116⅝	115⅝	116
2700	Utah Copper	79½	78	78⅝
1000	Utah Sec Corp	20⅝	19⅞	19⅞
1700	Va. Car Chem	48½	46⅝	47⅝
10000	Wabash	15⅝	15	15
700	Wabash pr A	45½	44⅝	44⅝
2100	Wabash pr B	29½	28⅝	28⅞
2000	West Mary	28⅝	27	28⅝
500	West. Un Tel	88⅝	88	88
21400	Westinghouse	67⅝	65⅝	65⅝
100	West Mfg 1st pr	76⅝	76⅝	76⅝
900	Woolworth	124⅝	123	123
1600	Willys Over	232½	223	225
100	Wisconsin Cen	57½	57⅛	57⅛

Total sales 891,220 shares.

MONEY.

New York, Feb. 4. — Call money steady; high 2; low 1 3-4; ruling rate 1 3-4; last loan 2; closing bid 1 3-4; offered at 2.

COTTON.

New York, Feb. 4.—Cotton futures closed easy. March 11.85; May 12.07; July 12.18; October 12.21; December 12.22.

Spot quiet; middling 12.00.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT				
May	135⅛	134 15-16	133¼	134
July	125⅝	126 3-16	124⅝	125⅛
CORN:				
May	79⅛	79 5-16	78⅝	79 9-16
July	79⅛	79½	79	79⅝
OATS:				
May	50⅞	51⅛	50 9-16	50 13-16
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

JOE STECHER SELF-TAUGHT WRESTLER.

Young Nebraskan Grappler Becoming Prominent on the Mat

Joe Stecher, the self-taught heavyweight wrestler from Nebraska, is a freak in more ways than one. Although only 23 years old, according to his own version of his life, which agrees with that of others, he has become one of the world's most prominent wrestlers as the result of his own endeavors. He insists that he taught himself and hoots the stories that he was brought to his present perfection by Farmer Burns, the old grappler of renown, who lives in Omaha. In speaking of himself, Stecher said, recently:

"It makes me tired to see that story about Burns breaking me into the business. I taught myself, by practice, by study of my own qualities, by watching good wrestlers, and by studying the pictures of first-class men in action. My only trainer and coach has been my brother Anton, with whom I am working out at Bothner's.

"That it is possible to become a clever heavyweight without systematic coaching from a recognized expert is proved by the cases of a number of other wrestlers. Ed. Lewis, one of my most prominent rivals, taught himself, just as I did; and he is one of the most scientific and well-formed wrestlers of today.

"I am well above six feet, and have always had legs that were strong, out of proportion to the rest of my body. They were also extraordinary pliable. If I had taken up boxing, or something of that sort, I might never have noticed what valuable legs I had, but in working out at wrestling I noticed right away that I could scissors hold more firmly than other men because my legs were long enough to go around an opponent's body and leave my feet free for locking.

"Continual observation showed me that the legs could be used for the pressure they exerted, as well as for the purpose of merely holding, and I set out to develop that specialty. Now they credit me with having the most powerful legs in the business, and perhaps they are. I have tried all forms of wrestling, but naturally prefer catch-as-catch-can, in which I have the full use of my legs.

"I think it is a mistake for wrestlers in practice to keep at it so long that they become dead weary, and also have a tendency to make themselves muscle bound. I get on he mat for short stretches and find that amply sufficient."

MILLER HUGGINS FEARED MATTY'S FAST ONE

"Big Six" Mixed 'Em Up Strong at Critical Times.

Miller Huggins, of the St. Louis Cardinals, is a pretty wise judge of a ball player—including pitchers—and what he has to say of their strength and weakness is of interest. Huggins was talking about Christy Mathewson and remarked that he could see little difference between the Matty of now and of ten years ago, except—and here let Huggins tell it:

"Matty no longer possesses a fast ball. That alone is the reason for his lost effectiveness. In the old days he had a wonderful fast one. He rarely used it, but when he did it was with effect. He used it to cross batters, and he did cross them for years. Now that the speed is done, Matty no longer is as effective as in the old days.

"Matty was one of the first to learn that change of pace was a real asset. He had some tantalizing curves. We'd figure those curves and get ready when Matty would serve his speed ball—and we'd pop up a fly or fan.

"I've batted against Matty many times, and I always feared him. Most of all I feared that speed ball. I figured I could hit his other offerings—but that speed was something else again. He never threw it often enough for us to get familiar with it, or with the motion he used. Matty used his speed ball only in unexpected moments, and he surely made a wonderful record.

"The men who last in baseball are those who conserve their energy, using it only when need. "Mathewson Wagner and Lajoie are instances. No one ever saw Matty pitch his arm off when there was no need. If his team got away with a lead, he took things easy—saved his arm.

"And Matty is still in the game, while hundreds with arms that seemed as powerful, but whose brains were a somewhat minus quantity, have gone —and been forgotten."

IS MEREDITH SLIPPING?

Some Sport Fans Think so While Others Say He is Still Matchless.

Has Ted Meredith hit his last stride and is he going down hill? That is what many a sport fan is asking after the recent performances of the great runner. It is the question that the University of Pennsylvania fans are asking especially and Ted will have to show the stuf to stick with the big fellows.

A fortnight ago he finished last in a 1,000-yard race; but at the time he had done little if any training and was pounds overweight. None the less there were many ready to sing his swan song for him. Then came the oston Athletic association meet, in which the Red and Blue star ran a memorable race, losing to Dave Caldwell by only two yards and leaving Tom Halpin, of the Boston club, and Higgins, of Holy Cross, in the ruck. A runner, not wholly in condition, who can perform as Meredith did in Boston surely gives grounds for the impression that he has yet a long way to go before he meets that toboggan which awaits all great athletes. Yet Arthur Duffy, of the Boston Herald, the greatest of all sprinters in his collegiate days at Georgetown, thinks that the Quaker is beginning to slip. "It would not be surprising," he writes, "if the work that Meredith has been doing for Penn is beginning to tell on him. Since Meredith has been running for the Red and Blue he has been competing in quarter and half-mile contests, not only in the different dual meets, but in the intercollegiates as well. When "Ted" flashed a double winner in the quarter and half at the intercollegiates last spring one old-time trainer remarked: 'A wonderful performance, but is sure to have its effect on this great runner later.'"

Other followers of the track who witnessed his desperate struggle against Caldwell do not follow Mr. Duffy in this opinion. Meredith, they say, is still a matchless athlete, who with a little more training will be striding along in unbeatable style. Howard Valentine thinks that witnin a month Meredith will be showing "the greatest form ever seen in an American runner."

TRINITY DROPPED FROM WESLEYAN'S SCHEDULE

Owing to Eligibility Rules—Season Opens With Connecticut Aggies.

Middletown, Conn., Feb. 4.—Wesleyan University's football schedule for next fall, announced today, does not include a game with its old rival, Trinity, as the new eligibility rules adopted by the Hartford college are not agreeable to Wesleyan. A date has been left open, however, in case a mutual understanding can be reached later.

The schedule: Sept. 30, Conn. Agricultural College at Middletown; Oct. 7, Rhode Island State College at Middletown; October 14, Bowdoin at Middletown; Oct. 21, New York University at New York; Oct. 28, Amherst at Middletown; Nov. 4, Williams at Middletown; Nov. 11, open; Nov. 18, Columbia at New York.

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Miss O'Connor Establishes Record.

At the Aetna alleys Friday evening Miss Devall's team won all three games from Miss Jackson's. Miss O'Connor broke the alley's record for ladies in obtaining a high single of 83. The results.

Miss Jackson's Team

Miss Lewis	72	70	54	65	— 261
Miss Roessler	60	43	45	57	— 205
Total	132	113	99	122	466

Miss Devall's Team.

Miss Devall	63	71	80	63	— 277
Miss O'C'n'or	80	83	64	65	— 292
Total	143	154	144	128	569

Miss Devall's team won all four games Miss O'Connor rolled high single with 83 and high total with 292.

Harvard Ianks Dartmouth at Hockey.

Boston, Feb. 4.—Harvard College went far to support its claim in the intercollegiate hockey champion tonight, 6 to 0. The Crimson play was effective and enabled Harvard to use several second string players, who were among the scorers. Five goals were made in the first period.

SPORTING NOTES.

Candidates for the Tufts varsity baseball team will shortly begin their preliminary training for the coming season.

A little lesson in how to play the game of hockey was given the Harvard Club hockey seven by the Arena Hockey Club eam Wednesday night, and when the class had been sent from the ice the score stood 11 to 2 in the Arena team's faovr.

Captain Henry T. Stafford, '16, of Orleans, Vt., announced a few days ago that the men will be called out early next month for indoor work in the cage, so that the players may be in the best of shape when it becomes possible for outdoor work.

Eddie Plank, the veteran left-handed pitcher who once starred for the Philadelphia Athletics, and who, as a member of the St. Louis Federals led the Federal league twirlers last year, has stirred up a storm in baseball which will have a far-reaching effect.

"Big Six" Christy Mathewson, baseball pitcher extraordinary of the Giants, examined several motor boats, sat at the steering wheels, operated the leversand had a good time generally. He expects to add motor boating to his list of outdoor achievements.

Robert C. Folwell, coach of the University of Pennsylvania football team, has been selected to succeed Dr. Carl Williams as Pennsylvania's representative on the football rules committee at a meeting of the board of directors of the athletic association of the university.

Joe Higgins, the Holy Cross middle distance flier, will not pit himself against Dave Caldwell, the peerless runner of the B. A. A., in the proposed special match race at 1,000 yards at the annual B. A. A. invitation meet to be held at Mechanics' hall, Boston, Saturday night.

The University of North Carolina will have Harvard methods to help it in upholding the honor of the South when it comes to Cambridge next fall to play football against the Crimson. Tom Campbell, who has been a member of the Harvard coaching staff since his graduation from Cambridge in 1912, has been appointed athletic director at North Carolina.

Jim Poulos, claimant of the middleweight championship of the world, will wrestle in the Woburn Armory, Boston, Saturday night, February 5, against John Carlson, the Swedish middleweight champion. Poulos has caused a lot of interest in and around Woburn since he returned from his Western campaign, in which he took part in some of the most important battles in that section.

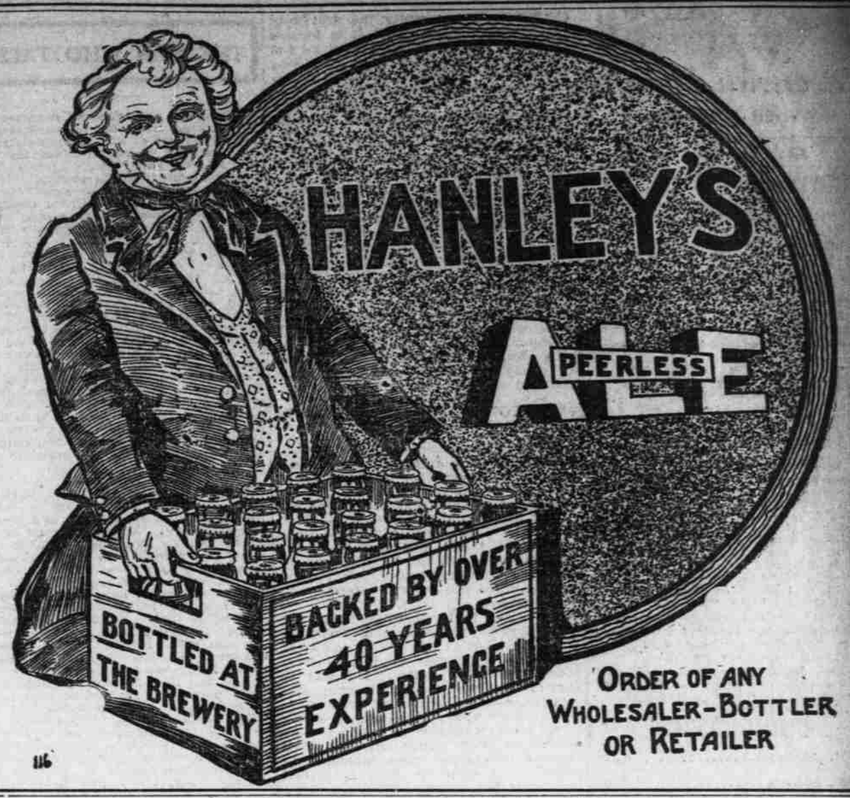
It will be the Red Sox versus Harvard on Monday, April 10. Two days prior to the official opening of the American league season in Boston, Manager Bill Carrigan and his team of world's champions, fresh from the training fields of the South, and after a three days' skirmish at Brooklyn with Charlie Ebbets' Trolley Dodgers, will show their wares upon Fenway Park with Captain Nash and his Crimson team-mates as rivals.

The followers of basketball in the village of Noank are anticipating an interesting contest in the game Friday night between the Westerly quintet an dthe Noank team. This is the first time that the Westerly five has played Noank this year. Noank will have the best team available on the floor and with a new set of puzzling plays mastered for this game the followers of the five are quite enthusiastic over the chances of the team.

The Army and Navy football game will be played on Franklin field, Philadelphia on Saturday, November 25, the date that Yale and Harvard meet in New Haven, according to a report made public there today. It is said that Navy will again insist that this year's game be played here under the agreement between the academies, and it is understood that the officials of the two institutions have virtually agreed upon November 25 as the date.

Himie Brewer, who is likely to be the new owner of what is left of the old Worcester New England league club, doesn't care a hang what league Worcester is in. He says: "I'm buying Worcester. I have always retained the belief that Worcester is the most minor league baseball city in the country. If I happen to secure the franchise, I will guarantee to provide better baseball for Worcester and I am satisfied the fans will recognize it."

The more one thinks of the offer of $5,000 which the manager of Battling Levinsky declared he was willing to give JeJas Willard or Frank Moran if either could hit his protege once during a ten round bout the bigger joke it seems. Al. Reich fought Levinsky twelve rounds at Boston last week and although Levinsky was given the decision, some of the critics declared that if Reich had followed up his advantages he might have stopped Levinsky. Reich hit his opponent many times, and some of the blows were hard ones. What object there could be in making such an offer is hard to understand, unless it was for advertising purposes, for Willard or Moran would have no trouble in hitting or, for that matter, defeating Levinsky.



Kansas City Sues St. Louis Feds.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 4.—Suit to collect $920 in expenses and court costs was brought by the Kansas City American Association baseball club against the St. Louis Federal League club in the circuit court at Independence, Mo., today. An injunction suit to restrain the St. Louis club acquiring Pete Compton, a Kansas City outfieldr, was decided in favor of the local club in St. Louis last summer. The present suit is to collect money spent in litigation at that time.

Indianapolis Club Buys Two Majors.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 4.—Manager Jack Hendricks of the Indianapolis American Association team, closed a deal today with the St. Louis American League club, whereby J. L. Leary, first baseman and Frank Riley, a right hand pitcher, become the property of the Indianapolis club. The purchase price was not announced.

Willard to Train at Hot Springs.

Chicago, Feb. 4.—Jess Willard, who has bee nsigned to box ten rounds with Frank Moran March 17 in New York, may do most of his training at Hot Springs, Ark. His manager today received a telegram from the business men's league of Hot Springs, inviting the champion to go there to prepare for the match. It was said Willard might accept the offer.

Y. M. C. A. Accepts

The Y. M. C. A. basketball team accepts the challenge of the Crescent five of New London, the game to be played at the local gym on the evening of Feb 26.

Literary Impression.

After wading through some of the magazines, a man gets the impression that as long as a magazine editor can get a picture of a pink woman wearing a September A. M. gown for the front cover, he doesn't care a hang about what is printed inside.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Well Supplied.

Anyway, a man never has to worry about a ventilating system for his air castles.—Los Angeles Express.

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