Big Three To Consider Better Athletics

Cambridge, Mass. March 23.—Harvard, Yale and Princeton universities have joined in a movement to rid college athletics of undesirable factors and to develop a better spirit of competition. A call and a conference of delegates appointed by the presidents of the three universities will meet in New York Saturday to discuss the present athletic situation and to recommend possible changes in present policies and practices, it was announced today.

The specific conditions of intercollegiate sport which will occupy the attention of the delegates were not announced. The conference itself was said to have been decided upon at a meeting of President Stratton, Angell and Lowell held in New York recently. That conference followed President Lowell's remarks about the practical tendencies of football and suggestions from other sources of the need for restrictions in sports including the deterrent from competition of athletes transferring from one college to another.

Harvard's Delegation.

The three Harvard representatives are to be Chauncey N. Greenough, dean of Harvard college, Ivy Duper I. Lee, professor of engineering, and Stephen Galatti of New York. Dean Greenough and Dr. Lee are members of both the Harvard athletic committee and the faculty, while Mr. Galatti was said to have been noted as a representative graduate in athletic affairs.

Yale will be represented at the conference by Frederick W. Allen, New York banker and former crew captain; George Grant Mason of New York, chairman of the Yale alumni advisory board and recently elected a member of the Yale corporation, and Paul Cravath, W. Mead, chairman of the executive committee and chairman of the board of trustees of the Yale Athletic association.

Princeton's three representatives will be Hugh Thomas McIlvaine, chairman of the board of athletic control of the Princeton Athletic association and chairman of the board of trustees of Princeton; Walter B. Hope, alumni trustee and former chairman of the graduate council, and Hector R. Thompson, treasurer and chairman of the Princeton university endowment committee.

Broad Athletic Interests Represented.

The only announcement of plans for the conference was contained in the following signed statement:

"The men appointed have been chosen to represent the broader interests of athletics in their relation to university education quite as much as the technical problems connected with the practical administration of the various branches of college sports. It is hoped that as a result of the deliberations of this body a new and better spirit may be introduced into the conduct of athletics and that ways may be found to eliminate or minimize any abuses which may have crept in. The delegates will meet at the Yale-Princeton club in New York on Saturday, March 25, and will hold subsequent conferences if necessary until their work is completed."

Attawaugan Team Reorganized.

The Attawaugan Athletic association baseball team has reorganized with the following officers: Manager, Charles Woods, Jr.; captain, Edward Stockton; assistant captain, Eleigh Duganeis; secretary and treasurer, Walter Robinson; official scorer, Louis Mongue. The team is looking for games and would be glad to hear from any team in eastern Connecticut.

HOLYOKE BOYS APPEAR ON THREAD CITY BOXING CARD

The Popular Athletic club of Willimantic, which is running a boxing show tonight, will put on a very strong card. Two Holyoke boys will appear in the star and semi-final bouts. Frankie Buff, the popular Polish battler, who has won his last nine starts with K. O., will appear against Battling Roberts the touch and aggressive New Britain boy, while in the semi-final Dick Berry, who made a pronounced hit with the boxing fans of Willimantic by knocking out Jack Carberry of Norwich in the opening show of the club ten weeks ago, will try and duplicate the feat by stopping his opponent Jack Healy of Hartford. Berry, who is also known as Officer Clark, is about the classiest boy ever seen around Willimantic and his manager predicts a bright future for his boy. The show will open up with a six-round bout between Kid Gerard of Thompsonville and Slugger Tousey, the Willimantic Syrian, who won his last out there. The Syrian will have his hands full because Gerard has a punch in either hand.

TILDEN WILL NOT GO TO ENGLAND THIS YEAR

New York, March 23.—William T. Tilden, lawn tennis champion, will not go to England this summer to defend the laurels he won at Wimbledon in 1920 and 1921, it was announced today by Julian S. Myrick, of the United States Lawn Tennis association.

The executive committee of the national association decided during a conference with Tilden that it would be unwise to send any of the leading American players abroad this year," said Mr. Myrick.

GRANDCOURT WINS THE LIVERPOOL SPRING CUP

Liverpool, March 23.—The Liverpool Spring cup, a feature of the opening day of the three-day race meet here, was won today by Grandcourt, a six year old bay horse, by Captivation out of La Hunne, owned by Mrs. Algernon Cox. D. E. Hayburn's Trespasser finished second, a head separating the two horses. Palomides, owned by G. A. Egerton, finished third beaten by four lengths. Thirteen horses ran.

BETTER NOT SETS WORLD'S RECORD FOR HALF MILE ICE TROT

Sydney, N. S., May 23.—Better Not of Sydney, and not Commodore Crescus of Glace Bay, established what is believed here to be a world's half mile ice record for trotters of 1.01 1-5 yesterday in a matched race between the two. The Commodore was given credit for setting a new mark when the times were announced yesterday, because of a mixup in the figures.

LANDIS WILL NOT COMMUTE SENTENCES OF RUTH AND MEUSEL

New Orleans, La., March 23.—"Babe" Ruth and Bob Meusel, outfielders of the New York American League club, must serve out the suspensions placed on them last fall by Judge K. M. Landis, for disobeying the rules of baseball.

Judge Landis gathered visiting newspapermen around him today during a game between New York and the New Orleans club, and in the presence of Colonel Jacob Ruppert of the New York club said:

"There is nothing more to add."

"Does the suspension of last fall stand as it is?" he was asked.

"Nothing more to add" said the judge as he returned to watch the game.

Ruth and Meusel are under suspension until May 20 for having violated a rule of organized baseball which prohibited them from participating in exhibition games of outside teams.

Judge Landis was entertained at a luncheon today at the association of commerce. He spent the morning visiting the training camp of the New York Americans. He left tonight for Orange, Texas, where the St. Louis Nationals are training.

DOUBLES FINALS IN TENNIS AT LONGWOOD TODAY

Boston, March 23.—Three of the 1921 finalists will play in the national indoor women's doubles wind-up at the covered courts of the Longwood Cricket club tomorrow afternoon. The tournament progressed without a hitch on the fourth day, narrowing to the last two teams in doubles, four women's singles players and six mixed doubles teams.

Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory and Mrs. L. G. Morris of New York, runners-up for the doubles title of last year, will oppose Mrs. Marion Zinderstein Jessup of Wilmington, Del., and Mrs. Frank H. Godfrey of Boston for the title tomorrow. The Delaware entrant captured singles honors last year in partnership with Mrs. George W. Wightman of Boston. Mrs. Jessup needed to be on her game today, for she and Mrs. Godfrey were hard pressed by Miss Edith Sigourney of Boston and Miss Martha Bayard, the hard-hitting Short Hills, N. J., player in the semi-final round.

Mrs. Mallory and Mrs. Jessup, keen court rivals for years, are expected to meet in Saturday's singles final.

SPINELLA, NEW YORK BOWLER, BREAKS RECORD IN SINGLES

Toledo, O., March 22.—The largest score ever bowled in a nine game series, according to available records was that by Darner Spinella, of New York, last night and today in the American bowling congress tournament here. He collected 1,999 pins, toting the lead in all the events department. 57 points ahead of the former leader, H. Stewart of Cincinnati.

Spinella rolled with the Buddy Sieve 'Cat team and got 643 pins. With his brother, Chris Spinella, in the doubles today he gathered in 714, the second highest three games of the tournament, and in his singles he found the pins for a 638 count.

The 622 score of Chris Spinella in the doubles sent the pair into the lead also in the two man event. The brothers scored 445 in their first doubles game, 412 in the second and 487 in the third for a 1,344 total, ten pins below the present record.

There were no other changes in the standings.

COLLEGE PAPERS TO ASSIST IN CORRECTING SPORTS

Cambridge, Mass., March 23.—Three undergraduate newspapers, the Harvard Crimson and the Daily Princetonian, and the Yale News, have decided upon a common editorial policy designed "to correct the over-emphasis now placed upon football, which to a certain extent has spread to other sports as well." According to an announcement to be published in the Crimson tomorrow, this policy was decided upon at a meeting of representatives of the three newspapers held March 18.

A Challenge

The West End basketball team of Willimantic, claimants of the junior championship of eastern Connecticut, would like to arrange a game with any junior team of Norwich, in Norwich, the team not to average more than 17 years. We ask a guarantee. We can play any night next week. For games, address, Mgr. S Heller, 945 Main St., Willimantic, Conn.

TODAY'S SPORTS

Rowing

Opening of the flat racing season in England.

Track

Central A. A. U. championships, at Chicago.

Northwestern University interscholastic meet, at Evanston, Ill.

Golf

United North and South amateur championship for women, at Pinehurst.

Florida amateur championship tournament, at Orlando.

Florida winter championship tournament, at St. Augustine.

Wrestling

Eastern intercollegiate championships, at Bethlehem, Pa.

Boxing

Rocky Mountain Conference championships, at Denver.

Southern A. A. U. championships, at Dallas, Texas.

Southwestern A. A. U., championships, at Columbus, Ga.

Ever Hammer vs Joe Jawson, 15 rounds, at Chicago.

U. S. FINISHING CO. LEAGUE.

Calendar Room.

Carroll	80	93	80—	253
Gorman	74	91	87—	252
Ryan	71	85	77—	233
Donahue	102	91	91—	284
McCarthy	97	99	94—	290
	424	441	429	1294

Can Room.

Turcotte	74	98	81—	253
Boisvin	94	77	100—	271
Starr	97	93	88—	278
Boyd	87	81	86—	254
Lisiski	108	102	108—	318
	460	451	463	1374

At The Palace.

Trolley League.

Fuller	91	81	110—	312
Johnson	96	93	127—	316
A. Aldi	118	104	104—	326
Simeon	120	118	125—	363
M. Aldi	107	124	119—	350
	532	530	585	1647

Taftville.

Bentley	105	99	112—	316
Brooks	100	92	90—	282
Edwards	110	110	92—	312
White	94	112	98—	304
Dugas	97	115	116—	333
	506	528	505	1540

Cooper Re-Elected Yale Captain.

New Haven, March 23.—John S. Cooper, Jr., of Somerset, Ky., was re-elected captain of the Yale basketball team tonight. Winton M. Bernadin of Kansas City, Mo., was named manager for next year.

What's The Matter With Plainfield?

Manager Harry Collins of the Baltic Wanderers is waiting to hear from the Plainfield basketball team regarding a game to be played at Plainfield in the near future.

Exhibition Games.

At Mobile, Ala.—St. Louis (A.) 4, Brooklyn (N.) 3.

At St. Petersburgh, Fla.—Washington (A.) 2, Boston (N.) 2.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

MARKET WAS REACTIONARY

New York, March 23.—Reactionary tendencies in stock market prices attained wider proportions today on a reduced volume of business. The further setback was attended by developments which seemed more or less susceptible of bearish interpretation.

First among these was the cut in the Northern Pacific railways annual dividend rate from 7 to 5 per cent., announced after the close of yesterday's session. That stock sustained an extreme decline of 3 points, only a small part of which was recovered.

Great Northern, whose directors met last week deferred dividend action, also was heavy and extreme losses of 1 to 2 points were made by trans-continentals and several of the coalers.

Foreign and domestic oils, especially Mexican and Pan-American petroleums, General Asphalt, Standard Oils of New Jersey and California and Sinclair Consolidated, were inclined to ease.

Sugars gave way on another reduction in prices of products, tire issues were "spotty" on the unfavorable state of the crude rubber market and chemicals and fertilizers reacted to the reported failing off of demand. Brooklyn Rapid Transit, Studebaker, Ann Arbor preferred and International Nickel were among the few issues to show strength at the close.

Sales amounted to 865,000 shares.

Apart from the Northern Pacific episode, bearish sentiment was heightened by the continuance of stiff money rates and the collapse of German exchange. Call loans opened and renewed at 4 1-2 per cent., but a 5 1-2 per cent. rate prevailed in the last half of the session.

The precarious German economic position was reflected in the slump of marks to a fraction under 30-100th. Most other foreign exchanges were sympathetically affected, sterling falling almost one cent, the reactions of 2 to 5 points is practically all the continental exchanges.

STOCKS.

The following is a summary of the transactions on the New York Stock Exchange to 3 P. M.:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Allied Chemical	61½	62¼	60¾	62¼
Allis Chalmers	43½	44⅞	43½	44⅞
Allis Chalmers pr	84	84½	84	84
Am Ag Chem	58⅝	58	56¾	56¾
Am Beet Sugar	41	40½	40½	40½
Am Bosch Mag	42¾	41⅞	41⅞	41⅞
Am Can	45½	45⅞	45½	45⅞
Am Cotton Oil	25	24¾	24¾	24¾
Am Cotton Oil pr	54	54	54	54
Am Hide & Leath	13	13½	13	13½
Am Hide & Leath pr	69½	69½	68½	68½
Am Car & Fdy	157	159½	156½	159½
Am Locom	156½	157½	156½	157½
Am Woolen	97	98	96½	98
Am Smelting	51	51½	50½	51½
Am T & T	97	98½	97	98½
Am Tob	57½	57½	57	57½
Am Tob B	67½	67½	67½	67½
Am W Paper	27½	27½	27½	27½
Am Water Works	45½	45½	45	45½
Anaconda	31½	31½	31	31½
Atlantic Gulf	97	97	96½	97
Atlantic Refining	1,000	1,000	990	990
Baldwin Loco	95½	97½	95½	97½
Baldwin Loco pr	97½	98	97½	98
Baltimore & Ohio	38½	39½	38½	39½
Batopilas Min	6½	6½	6½	6½
Bethlehem Steel B	61	63	61	63
Brooklyn R T	19½	19½	19	19½
Burns Bros	85	85	85	85
Burns Bros pr	85	85	85	85
Calif Petrol	21½	22	21½	22
Cerro de Pasco	43½	43½	43	43½
Chandler Motor	108	108	104	104
Chem Foam	37	37	37	37
Chesapeake & Ohio	57½	57½	57	57½
Chicago & N W	89½	89½	89	89½
Chicago R I & Pac	34½	34½	34	34½
Chile Copper	13½	13½	13½	13½
Chino	34½	34½	34	34½
Colorado Fuel	38	38	37½	37½
Col Gas & Elec	56½	56½	56½	56½
Comm'l Solvents B	9½	9½	9½	9½
Corn Products	102½	102½	102	102½
Crucible Steel	76½	77½	76½	77½
Cuba Cane Sugar	25½	25½	25	25½
Cuba Cane Sugar pr	69½	69½	69	69½
Cuba R R pr	12½	12½	12½	12½
Cudahy Packing	53	53	53	53
Davison Chem	45½	46½	45½	46½
Del & Hud	117½	117½	117	117½
Del Lack & West	115	115	115	115
Denver & R G	11½	11½	11½	11½
Detroit Edison	85	85	85	85
Dome Mines	32½	32½	32½	32½
Erie	13½	13½	13	13½
Erie 1st pr	25½	25½	25½	25½
Erie 2d pr	17½	17½	17½	17½
Fairbanks	52	52	52	52
Fairbanks Morse	16½	16½	16½	16½
Fisk Rubber	13½	13½	13½	13½
Gen Asphalt	72½	72½	72	72½
Gen Electric	144	144½	143½	144½
Gen Motors	19½	19⅞	19½	19⅞
Gen Motors pr	77	77	77	77
Goodrich	24½	24½	24	24½
Grt North pr	72½	72½	72½	72½
Grt North Ore	35½	35½	35½	35½
Hupp Motor Car	15½	15½	15½	15½
Illinois Central	101½	101½	101½	101½
Inspiration Cop	40	39¾	39¾	39¾
Int Harv	95	94	95	95
Int Mer Mar	15½	15½	15½	15½
Int Mer Mar pr	70½	70	70	70
Int Mot Truck	35⅝	34¾	34¾	34¾
Int M Truck pr	77½	77½	77½	77½
Int M Truck 2 pr	67⅞	67⅞	67⅞	67⅞
Inter Paper	46	45⅞	45⅞	45⅞
Inter Paper pr sta	100	100	100	100
Int Paper pr sta	63	63	63	63
Kennecott	29½	29½	29½	29½
Lehigh Valley	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝
Marlin Rock	24	22	22	22
Maxwell Motor B	18⅝	18	18½	18½
Mexican Petrol	121⅝	118⅝	119⅝	119⅝
Miami Copper	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝
Mo K & T w i	12⅞	12½	12½	12½
Mo K & T w i pr	33	32½	32½	32½
Missouri Pacific	21⅝	21½	21⅝	21⅝
Missouri Pac pr	52½	52⅝	53	53
Nat En & St	34½	34	34½	34½
Nat En & St pr	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝
N Y Air Brake	63	62	62	62
N Y Central	62	62	62	62
N Y N H & H	20⅝	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝
Norfolk South	19⅝	17	19½	19½
Norfolk & West	106⅞	106⅞	106⅞	106⅞
North Am	55	55½	55⅝	55⅝
Northern Pacific	75⅝	74⅝	75	75
Penn R R	37⅝	37⅝	37⅝	37⅝
Pittsb Oil	9	8½	8⅝	8⅝
Pierce Oil pr	53	52	53	53
Ray Con	14⅞	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
Reading	73⅝	72½	72⅝	72⅝
Reading 1 pr	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝
Reading 2 pr	46⅝	46⅝	46½	46½
Repl I & Steel	51½	51	51	51
Repl I & Steel pr	78	77½	77½	77½
South Pacific	86½	85⅝	86	86
South Railway	21½	21½	21½	21½
Southern Ry pr	53½	53½	53½	53½
Tenn Copper	11½	11	11	11
Tobacco Prod	61½	61	61½	61½
Union Pacific	133	132½	132½	132½
Union Pac pr	72⅞	72½	72½	72½
U S Rubber	61½	60½	60⅝	60⅝
U S Rubber pr	106⅞	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
U S Steel	94½	93⅝	93⅝	93⅝
U S Steel pr	117	116⅞	117	117
West Un Tel	57⅝	57½	57½	57½
Willy Oland	8⅝	8	8	8
Willys Oland pr	30	28½	28½	28½
Worth Pump	50½	49½	50	50
Worth Pump B	69⅞	69½	69½	69½

MONEY

New York, March 23.—Call money firmer; high 5 1-2; low 4 1-2; ruling rate 5 1-2; closing bid 5; offered at 5 1-2; last loan 5 1-2; call loans against acceptances 4.

COTTON

New York, March 23.—Cotton quiet; middling 17.89.

Liberty Bonds.

	Open.	Low.	Close.
U S 3½s 1st	98.50	98.00	98.04
U S 3½s 1st 4s	98.00	98.00	98.00
U S 4½s 1st	98.92	98.64	98.76
U S 4½s 2d	98.12	97.92	98.02
U S 4s 3d	99.24	99.20	99.20
U S 4¼s 4th	98.76	98.12	98.30
Victory 3¾s	100.92	100.88	100.90
Victory 4¾s	100.04	100.02	100.04

Quoted in dollars and cents per $100 bond.

Foreign Exchange.

With the exception of sterling, all quotations are in cents per unit of foreign currency:

Sterling—	Yesterday	Year Ago
Demand	$4.38½	$4.01½
Cables	4.39	4.01¾
Francs	9.07	6.92½
Guilders	37.30	35.42
Marks	.30	1.07½
Lira	3.12	3.97
Swiss francs	19.45	17.15
Pesetas	16.53	13.90
Belgian francs	8.47	7.25
Kroner	.014	....
Sweden	26.12	20.15
Denmark	21.37	17.40
Norway	17.45	20.04
Greece	4.50	....
Argentina	33.60	70.93

BOND MARKET

New York, March 23.—Bond prices eased perceptibly today from recent substantial advances. The investment demand fell away on continuance of high money rates and speculative profit-taking.

Dealings in the Liberty series were large, but a majority of those issues closed at fractional declines. High grade rails were not especially affected by the reduction of the Northern Pacific stock dividend, but the trend among underlying issues was irregular.

Mexicans were heaviest of the foreign division, reacting on denials of progress of negotiations with Washington. French continents eased but French municipals were higher with Seine 7's.

Arthur Kahn of Interborough Rapid Transit 5's was the prominent feature of the local utilities, that issue rising 3 1-4 points. Steel, oil and rubber bonds showed irregular changes.

Total sales (par value) aggregated $19,496,000.

METAL MARKET

New York, March 23.—Copper easier; electrolytic spot and nearby 12 7-8 a 13; later 13 a 13 1-8.

Tin steady, spot and futures 29.37.

Iron steady, prices unchanged.

Lead steady, spot 4.70 a 4.80.

Zinc quiet, East St. Louis delivery, spot 4.70 a 4.75.

Antimony spot 4.55.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, March 23.—Sharp setbacks in the price of wheat resulted today from heavy liquidating sales and from lack of any aggressive demand. The market closed weak at 2 and 4 5-8 cents net lower with May $1.33 to $1.32 1-8 and July 1.17 1-4 to $1.17 5-8. Corn lost 1 5-8@1 3-4 to 2 cents; oats 1 to 1 5-8 cents and provisions 5 to 20 cents.

After the close it was a generally accepted opinion taught one of the biggest holders of wheat had disposed of most of his line. A break to a new low record for German exchange rates was one of the factors which tended to unsettle confidence on the part of bulls in the wheat market and there were also reports current that Australian wheat which had been shipped to India was being re-sold to other countries. Besides domestic crop conditions, taken as a whole, appeared to be favorable to the bear side of the market, notwithstanding advices from Oklahoma that the green bug pest was increasing. Another influence which acted as a weight on wheat values was absent of any indication of important export business being done. Assertions that Norway was in the market for liberal May shipments of wheat and rye failed to bring about any fast rally, and the close was at almost the lowest point of the day.

Corn and oats went down grade in sympathy with wheat. It was said exporters at the seaboard were offering to re-sell corn to domestic bidders.

Provisions were affected by the weakness of grain and were unresponsive to an advance in the hog market.

Chicago Grain Market.

Wheat—	High.	Low.	Close.
May	135¾	132	132¾
July	119¾	117¼	117¾
Sept.	112	110¼	110¼
Corn—			
May	60¾	59½	59⅝
July	63⅝	62¼	62⅞
Sept.	66¼	64⅝	64⅝
Oats—			
May	38	36½	36⅝
July	40	38¾	38¾
Sept.	37	35⅞	35⅞

SPORT WORLD BRIEFS

Catcher Wickey McAvoy, of Baltimore, has spurned an offer of $3,000 for the season and left the Winston-Salem training camp for his home in Rochester. He says he will play Minor League ball. McAvoy was recently reinstated by the board of arbitration of the National association.

Harry Greb has received an offer to take part in three bouts abroad. He intends to make a trip to Europe if negotiations fail for a match with Gene Tunney. He will sail May 10.

"Wee Willie" Spencer, who took a trimming at the hands of Young Montreal of Providence, Tuesday night, will step with Joe Lynch at the Rink Sporting club of New York on April 7. Willie Spencer doesn't rate with the topnotchers, his manager manages to keep him busy because the youngster is a good club performer.

Mickey Travers of New Haven aims to win a decisive victory over William Murphy Monday night when they clash in the Elm City. The two battled in Lewiston, Me., several weeks ago and reports were that Murphy whipped the New Haven'er. This accounts for Travers' determination to win so that there will be no debate as to who really is the superior performer.

The Boston College baseball nine that will be hurled against Jack Coffey's Giants next month in an exhibition game at the new ball park, is being coached by Olaf Henrickson, who gained considerable fame as a pinch hitter for the Boston Red Sox.

"Rogers Hornsby may be the champion batter of the National League, but I'd rather pitch against him any day than against Eddie Roush," says Burleigh Grimes, a great student of batters.

Charles L. Herzog, former major league star, has signed a contract to coach all the baseball teams in the third army corps area this season.

A. Dale Mitchell of Cincinnati, O., was elected manager of the Trinity college basketball team for next year at a meeting of the athletic committee held recently. T. E. Jones of Perth Amboy, N. J., and William E. Merchant of Carlsbad, N. M., were elected assistant managers.

For the first time in the history of the Massachusetts Golf association the next open state championship will be held west of the Connecticut river. While it is not officially announced to that effect, it remains only a matter of going through the usual formality to place it there. There is not a cloud on the horizon to prevent the Springfield Country club from being the scene of action.

Summing up the candidates at they look at present, the Tiger should present a team just as strong as last year's outfit at bat and bit better in the field, but the strength of the pitchers and catchers is still a problem.

Playfellow, that badly disgraced four-year-old full brother of the renowned Man o' War, will be seen under silks this season if "Sunny Jim" Fitzsimmons and James F. Johnson, of the Quincy Stable, have their way.

No outsiders can referee boxing bouts in New Jersey. To be eligible for a license a referee must have lived in the state three years.

The Cincinnati Reds have a native son in the person of "Red" Lutz. He is a catcher, and his said a good one.

Pete Herman, former bantamweight champion, is in New York. The stocky New Orleans bantam is aiming for bouts with the top notchers in his class. He looks in great shape. Herman watched Midget Smith and Joe Burman mix in the Garden Monday night.

The Garden doors are now closed to boxing for a period of six weeks. The circus has taken possession of the spacious emporium.

Midget Smith, whipped by Joe Burman Monday, will take part in another contest next Monday night when he will try conclusions with Johnny Gray of Brooklyn in a twelve-round bout.

Andy Chaney, a real two-fisted machine in action, whom fans would like to glimpse in the ring once more, has worked himself into shape after a long seige of illness. The blonde Baltimorean looks in the proverbial pink. Since battering his way to the top, Chaney has yet to lose a referee's decision.

Benny Leonard collected $15,000 for the exhibition with Johnny Clinton in Boston Monday. It was the easiest piece of change the champion has laid his hands on since the lightweight crown descended on his head.

William Marshall, for twenty-four years associated with the Gawentsia Club of Lake Forest, died late Monday in Chicago after a long illness. He was one of the first Scotch professionals to come to this country. Mr. Marshall was first vice president of the Illinois Professional Golfers' Association.

The Giants once more are in high spirits, for Frank Frisch, who was sidelined by Rafferty of the White Sox last Wednesday, was in uniform Tuesday and took part in the bonehead workout. He wore a tennis shoe on the right foot and a slight limp was detected in the adjacent member, but otherwise he appeared to be in good condition and did his share of the odd work in the spot between practice. Frisch declares said that he would be in shape to play against Indianapolis if Manager McGraw cared to take the chance.

Bill Klem is not wild about Judge Landis' scheme of having all big league umpires go into spring training. Klem has been south for eight consecutive seasons, but he says not all the umpires want to. He has been fortunate in not getting into jams, but when an umpire is with the same club for days at a stretch, as is the case on these spring tours, things could easily become unpleasant if there were any spats or kicks of moment, is the opinion of Klem.

Young Montreal of Providence outfought "Wee Willie" Spencer of New York in each of the ten rounds of the final bout of the Veterans of Foreign Wars show in Infantry Hall at Providence Tuesday night.

Latest reports from Dallas, the Indians' training camp, that the injury to Tris Speaker's knee is more serious than was thought and will probably keep the Indian pilot out of at least one-third of the games played by the Clevelanders this season, caused consternation among followers of the Indians.

Sidney E. Hutchinson, chairman of Pennsylvania's Council on Athletics, has donated a permanent trophy to be run for annually at the University of Pennsylvania's relay carnival in the four-mile college relay championship of America. The one and two mile races have had challenge cups now for some years—the Mike Murphy Cup for the one mile and the Meadowbrook Cup for the two-mile race. The carnival management is desirous of gradually having a permanent trophy awarded for all the relay championships of America. Two others already have been promised, one for the 440-yard and the other for the 880-yard relay race.

With the stay of the Yankees at New Orleans almost at an end, Miller Huggins, mile manager of the wrecking crew on the payroll of the Huston-Ruppert crews, has about made up his mind on what players he will hold down when the team reaches the home reservation known as the Polo Grounds.

Gene McLann, Bridgeport pilot, and Billy Gilbert, who will hold the reins of the Waterbury club this coming season, are both in a scramble for some of the wage talent Miller Huggins of the Yankees will discard after the games on Friday and Saturday.

Trinity is probably the only college in the country to have a blind man competing for the varsity athletic teams, but among those appearing recently for track try outs was Herman Immeln, totally blind, who reported with the weight men and cut in on how heaving the shot. Immeln is in his third year at Trinity and is a high stand man in his courses. He has taken part in all of his class scrams and by constant work in the gymnasium has kept in excellent condition. He made a very good showing for a man who was out for the first time.

The 12-round boxing contest between Terry Martin, New England bantamweight champion, and Carl Tremaine of Cleveland, scheduled to be held in Toledo, March 24, has been postponed until April 3, it was announced. Tremaine requested the postponement because of an injury to his right hand sustained in his recent bout with Jabez White.

Since Jack Coffey, who is directing the Fordham baseball candidates until April 1 started outdoor practice games a week ago, three new men have attracted his favorable attention. They are Mike Dunn and Vinnie Cascarella, infielders, and Arthur Bouton, outfielder.

The superiority of the Yale swimming team is disputed by the naval academy, and the middies are anxious to meet the New Haven mermen. Negotiations have already been begun for a match between the two teams and there is a fair chance that the contest will be held at New Haven on April 1. The navy management has just written that the Navy is willing to meet Yale under almost any conditions. Yale won the championship of the intercollegiate league for the last two seasons and the Elis are also sure of the title again this year. The Navy has a strong team this season and among its most prominent stars are Vandair, intercollegiate record holder for 220 yards; Kanekanoff, the Hawaiian star; Polling and Winkler.

Charlie Pilkington of Meriden has been established as the favorite to meet with Tommy Leahey in Worcester Friday night.

T. D. Armour and Ellsworth Auenstus, favorites in the Bellaire championship, won their matches Tuesday in the first round. Armour defeated Ralph Stuart of Braeburn by 3 and 2, and Augustus won from C. P. Joffray, who was runner-up in the Minnesota championship last year, by 2 and 1.

Seems that all managers who secured veteran players in the recent trades believe their teams have been greatly strengthened. If the pilots' bunch runs true to form—Groh makes the Giants unbeatable; the addition of Scott, Bush and Jones means another pennant for the Yankees; Peckinpaugh will keep the Senators in the race; the Red Sox, with Duran, Burns, Smith and Harris, will again be a real ball team; Melanis is the player Cleveland needed to cop the flag; Marquard and Kopf will keep the Braves up there fighting all season; Cuishaw will strengthen the Tigers, Whitted will boost the pennant chances of the Superbas, and George Burns will bring the Reds back to life.

Pitcher Virgil Barnes is making his third attempt to land a regular job on the pitching staff of the Giants.

In John Weissmuller, of Chicago, and Charles Speer, the Mercersburg aquatic sensation, Uncle Sam has a pair of young swimmers who are tagged to become world champions.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Social Stunt Night

A social with stunts as a feature of the programme is to be given this (Friday) evening at Bushnell chapel at the Central Baptist church for the members of the church Sunday school and their friends. The committee in charge is looking for a large attendance and has planned that will give everybody a good pleasant evening.

Sale of Last Great Plain Farm

Wellington A. Miner sold his last Great Plain farm of the best farms in this section yesterday to Louis Weber. Sale was made through the agency of W. E. Hill. Thayer Bailey, Norwich, Conn. The new owner will conduct the farm the same as the previous owner.

Freeman Avenue Property Sold.

James L. Case has sold to Jean H. Tarrant to Harry Hargreaves, the property owned by him consisting of a modern cottage of six rooms and bath, known as 56 Freeman avenue. Mr. Hargreaves purchases the property for a home.

"Have you decided upon a name for the baby?"

"Not yet. It's so difficult to find one that will screen well."—Exchange.

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Motion Pictures and Vaudeville at Davis Theatre.

Vaudeville and Motion Pictures at Strand Theatre.

Motion Pictures at Breed Theatre.

TODAY'S EVENTS

Centenary of the birth of Nathaniel Collin Hughes, a distinguished North Carolina clergyman and educator.

The United States Senate has voted to pay for holding a vote on the ratification of the Versailles treaty.

Argument is to be heard before the Nebraska supreme court today on the constitutionality of the much-discussed Reed-Norris bill, legalizing beer.

Student representatives of Yale, Har