COLORED MEN WILL BOX

FOUR CONTESTS WILL BE GIVEN AT ODD FELLOWS' HALL.

Corbett Will Go to Chicago to Fight After His Indianapolis Engagement—Ring Gossip.

An athletic contest and smoker is announced for next Thursday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall on Indiana avenue. The best colored boxers in the city will participate in the contests. The first bout will be a four-round contest between James Adams, of Chicago, and Rob Wilson, of Fort Worth, Tex., two clever light weights. Lewis Smith and Isaac Upshaw, the "Kentucky Whirlwind," will meet in a six-round contest, and the "Kentucky Kid" and an unknown will furnish another preliminary contest. The main contest is a ten-round affair between Fred Blackburn and "Shine" Russell, of Alexandria. Russell claims the championship of the Middle States and Blackburn has never lost a decision.

The same evening "Kid" Blackburn, the cleverest light weight boxer in the State in the colored class, will give a three-round exhibition with "Shine" Stanley. Blackburn is rapidly coming to the front as a clever light weight, and is open to meet any fighter in his class in this part of the country. He is very anxious to arrange a bout with "Kid" Ashe, the Cincinnati colored light weight.

"KID" BLACKBURN,
Local colored lightweight boxer.

CHAMPION HERE THIS WEEK.

He Will Go to Chicago to Fight After Indianapolis Engagement.

Young Corbett, champion featherweight boxer of the world, will spend three days in Indianapolis the latter part of this week, showing with "The Stranger in a Strange Land" company at the Park Theater. After his Indianapolis engagement Corbett will go to Chicago, where he will probably be matched with some of the clever little fellows in that city for six-round bouts. While in Indianapolis he may box some of the local men. "Kid" Blackburn, the local lightweight, is anxious to box with Corbett during the latter's stay in Indianapolis if Corbett will agree to take him on.

Word comes from Cincinnati that it may be necessary for young Corbett to undergo an operation before he steps in the ring again. He has a very bad ear as the result of a blow delivered by his sparring partner, Charley Seiger, the other night, and to prevent, if possible, the injury turning into a "tin ear" he may have to stand an operation.

The Colorado Athletic Club, of Denver, has offered a guaranteed purse of $10,000 for the twenty-five-round contest between Corbett and McGovern. Corbett says he is anxious to fight in Denver, but will meet McGovern before the club offering the highest purse.

McFadden Whipped by Gardner.

CHICAGO, March 1.—George McFadden, of New York, was decisively beaten by Gus Gardner, of Philadelphia, in a six-round contest here this evening. The men were to weigh in at 135 pounds, but McFadden refused to weigh and his forfeit of $100 was taken by the club. Gardner made the weight without trouble. In the third round McFadden was knocked down twice, being on the floor the second time for the count of eight. He was nearly out when the round closed. He was knocked to his knees in the fifth. The fight was Gardner's all the way, and the crowd was greatly disappointed at the showing made by McFadden.

Whistler Bested by Bernstein.

PHILADELPHIA, March 1.—Joe Bernstein, of New York, bested Billy Whistler, of Baltimore, to-night in a fast six-round bout at the National Sporting Club. Bernstein was the aggressor from the beginning and Whistler lost his head frequently. The contest was scientific and interesting.

At the National Athletic Club Sam Bolan, of New York, and Howard Wilson, of Washington, sparred six rounds, the former having the advantage.

Ring Chatter.

Kid Broad and Benny Yanger will fight at Chicago to-morrow evening.

Dave Sullivan will be offered a meeting with either Tommy Sullivan or Jack McClelland at Chicago.

It is said that McGovern received $4,680 and Sullivan $2,520 for their share of the gate receipts at Louisville.

Joe Choynski will train at his home in Lagrange, Ill., for his match with "Wild Bill" Hanrahan at Louisville March 7.

Johnny Corbett has invested $2,000 for Young Corbett in a Colorado oil company, which promises to net him quite a sum at some future date.

If Terry McGovern and Abe Attel are matched to fight in Louisville on Derby night, May 2, another large Indianapolis crowd will journey to that city to see the contest.

Martin Julian has experienced hard luck since he assumed the management of the Penn Athletic Club, in Philadelphia. Several of the contests at that club were fakes of the worst kind.

The Appleton, Wis., club wants McGovern and "Kid" Broad to meet there in an eight-round contest for a purse of $2,000. Broad has accepted, but McGovern believes the purse is too small.

An effort is being made to arrange a match between Terry McGovern and Benny Yanger to take place in Kentucky across the river from Cincinnati some time before the McGovern-Corbett fight.

Danny Dougherty is at his home in Philadelphia, where he will rest up for a few days and then take a trip to New York to join out with McGovern in the "Road to Ruin" combination.

The Philadelphia papers say that Tommy West is another member of the pugilistic fraternity who should be forever barred from the clubs in that city because of his lay-down to Young Peter Jackson last week.

A club in London, England, has written to Tommy Ryan, asking him what inducements would bring him there to fight a good middle weight. Ryan also has an offer from a club in the West for a "go" with Mysterious Billy Smith.

The Denver Times says that, no matter what may be said of Young Corbett's cleverness and speed, the public wants to see him fight again. "The people like a fighting champion, not a man who contents himself with boxing bouts on the stage," says the Times.

Discussing his match with Young Corbett, McGovern is quoted as saying: "I am tickled to death at being matched to fight Young Corbett again. I'll prove who is the featherweight champion in jig time. Corbett is certainly a good man, but he is not the best in the business. I'll take no chances in training this time and will be 'right' when I square off."

In New York last week McGovern reiterated his statement that he knocked out Dave Sullivan and said: "If Sullivan wasn't good and out then I would have put him out as soon as he got on his pins." That is just what the Indianapolis men thought who saw the fight.

Much interest is being taken in the match between Joe Gans, of Baltimore, the colored lightweight, and Frank Erne, of Buffalo, lightweight champion of the world, for the championship. The contest will take place in about eight weeks at Fort Erie for a $3,000 purse.

Fitzsimmons has begun active training for his fight with Jeffries. Gus Ruhlin is his training partner, and when they first put on the gloves Ruhlin smashed Fitzsimmons on the nose, bringing the blood. Fitz retaliated with a hook on the wind that made Ruhlin wince.

"Philadelphia" Jack O'Brien will make his first appearance in this country after his successful thirteen months' stay in England, during which time he cleaned up everything in the fistic way that could be found in the old country, in Philadelphia to-morrow night, when he meets Andy Walsh, of Brooklyn.

Terry McGovern will assist Bob Fitzsimmons in his training for the fight with Jim Jeffries. Both the big and little man will have opportunities to learn something by being in the same training quarters. Fitzsimmons said after he refereed the McGovern-Sullivan fight that McGovern still had a lot to learn, and maybe he can teach him what he lacks when they train together. It is believed the little fellow can also give Fitzsimmons a few lessons in the art of speed and side stepping.

New Orleans Times-Democrat: "By the way, that was a rather curious move made in New York to regulate boxing," said a man who takes a deep interest in the manly art, "and will strike the country generally, I imagine, as being an extraordinary sort of thing. I believe they call themselves the American Athletic Association, and they propose to regulate the science of boxing. What have they to do with it? They have no more interest in boxing in this country, and have no more to do with it than some organization formed in Hong-Kong, or at some other distant place. Boxing is not allowed in New York. If an organization of this sort is formed, and if it is to exercise any influence on the sport, it should originate in the South or in the West. New Orleans would be a fitter place. Scientific boxing is allowed in the South. It is allowed in the West, but New York has no more interest in it than Siam. But they met. They organized and announced that they would regulate the art in this country. By what authority the men of the country who take an interest in such matters would like to know. So far as I am aware no set of men in the South and the West have delegated to them the authority to act, and from the way I look at the thing there is something comical about it. New York may be the center of gravity, all roads may lead to the metropolis, and all that sort of thing, but when it comes down to the matter of regulating a thing with which she has no sort of connection, in which she has no sort of interest, I am inclined to think she will have to pull in her horns and make way for those who have a right to speak and act. New York has no credentials, and is not entitled to a seat in the convention. Or maybe she was thinking about the Chinese Boxers."

AUTOMOBILE SHOW.

Chicago Exhibition Crowded with Vehicles—Contest Programme.

CHICAGO, March 1.—The automobile show opened to-day, and, though not quite all the exhibits were in place, there was a larger attendance to-day by far than at any previous show. So much space had to be given to exhibits that it was impossible to provide for a track, and the various manufacturers will have to be content to show their machines inert instead of carrying prospective purchasers around the ring. The following list of contests has been announced, dates to be selected later:

Free-for-all, best time, one mile, flying start by any self-propelled vehicle of any class in competition, or singly, using gasoline, steam, electricity or gas as motive power.

Best time, one mile, in competition by gasoline-propelled vehicle of any class.

Best time, one mile, in competition by steam-propelled vehicle of any class.

Best time, one mile, in competition by electrically propelled vehicle of any class.

Best time, half mile, in competition by any member of the Chicago Automobile Club, using his own automobile of any class.

Best time, two miles, in competition by any member of the Chicago Automobile Club, using his own automobile of any class or any kind.

The prizes in each instance are a club cup.

The convention of auto-club men for the formation of a national federation of automobile clubs will be held at the Coliseum on Monday at 11 a. m.

Everything connected with the auto industry and interests is shown at the exhibit. A striking feature of the show is the lavish display of electric signs that greet the spectator on every hand. Another is the large number of familiar names that were formerly features of the bicycle industry.

Schaefer Challenged by a German.

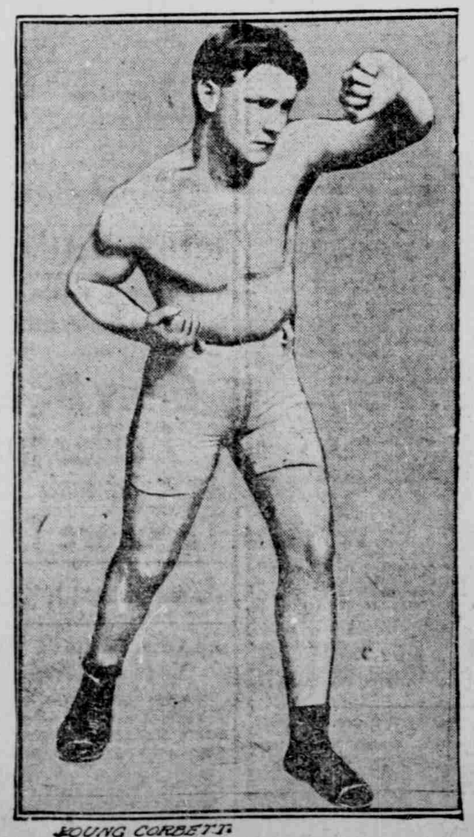
BERLIN, March 1.—Hugo Kerkau, the billiard champion of Germany, has challenged "Jake" Schaefer, the American champion, for a straight match. Schaefer, writing from Paris, offered to play Kerkau in Berlin, 3,000 points balk line, giving the German player 800 points start, for a stake of 20,000 marks or less.

Cycler Krebs Won.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 1.—Krebs, of Brooklyn, won the six-day bicycle race which ended at 12 o'clock to-night, finishing very strong.

Colombian Troops Landed.

PANAMA, Colombia, March 1.—The government chartered steamer Chucuito returned here Thursday night after landing off Agua Dulce reinforcements for General Castro and money for the payment of his troops. Commander Huertas, of the Chucuito, reported having sighted the revolutionary fleet near Anton, which place Gen. Herrera, the revolutionary commander, has now made his headquarters. The return trip of the Chucuito was made during the night, thus evading an attack by the revolutionary gunboat Padilla.



YOUNG CORBETT.

THE BOWLING AVERAGES

FIGURES SHOWING WHAT THE KNIGHTS OF THE PINS DO.

Carter Still Leads the I. B. L.—F. S. B. A. Averages Not Given—Arrangements for State Meet.

There are fifty-four men in the Indianapolis Bowling League who have averages of 165 or better. Carter still leads the league with an average of 183 and Bryson is second. Kirkhoff again resumed his place in third position. The bowlers in the Independent League retained their good averages. The averages of the Fraternal Association are not published to-day, owing to the illness of the son of Secretary Balz. The averages follow:

Indianapolis League Averages.

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Brown, Marion	179
Old, Washington	179
Lee, Washington	179
Cooper, Marion	178
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Fields, Turners	177
Leap, Marion	176
M. Levey, Capital City	175
Vinson, Capital City	175
G. Seidensticker, Turners	175
Burton, Ko-We-Ba	175
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Dicks, Turners	168
Kahlo, Capital City	168
McElwaine, Washington	168
Meinsinger, Ko-We-Ba	168
Bumb, Turners	167
Evans, North Side	167
Dollman, Capital City	167
Gay, Ko-We-Ba	167
Meyer, Crescents	167
W. C. Mannfeld, I. B. C.	166
Pollard, North Side	166
Juday, North Side	165
Balz, Turners	165
Fehrenbach, Turners	165
Popp, I. B. C.	165

Independent League Averages.

Graff, Rambler	188
Allen, Prospect	187
Buchanan, Tish-i-Mingo	181
Romer, Dewey	180
Pritchett, Tish-I-Mingo	178
Gielow, Tish-i-Mingo	177
Kimmel, Tish-i-Mingo	177
Ray, Tish-i-Mingo	177
Keeter, Rambler	175
Klump, Rambler	174
Fox, Prospect	172
Kleis, Hoo-Hoo	172
Parnin, Tish-I-Mingo	172
Resner, Rambler	172
Kleine, Hoo-Hoo	172
Kerr, Prospect	171
Baase, Compeer	170
Gardner, Rambler	170
Rassfield, Compeer	170
Sachs, Compeer	170
Maisoll, Rambler	170
McGrew, Tish-i-Mingo	169
Rinne, H., Hoo-Hoo	168
Nolting Electric	168
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Gantner, Compeer	167
Taylor, Tish-I-Mingo	167
Sielken, Tish-i-Mingo	166
Linegar, Dewey	166
Hendrickson, Compeer	166
Rabe, Electric	165
Adams, Electric	165
Wickard, Prospect	165
Churchman, Prospect	164
Hettkam, Rambler	164
Nieman, Rambler	164
Neiger, Compeer	164
Heller, Prospect	163
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Partlow, Tish-i-Mingo	163
Zitslaff, Rambler	163
Hutchinson, Prospect	163
McClellan, Compeer	163
Gable, Dewey	162
Laubert, Compeer	162
Buddenbaum, Hoo-Hoo	162
Vincent, Electric	162
Moehlman, Rambler	161
Haas, Compeer	161
Holloway, Rambler	161
Meyer, C., Electric	161
Resener, C., Hoo-Hoo	161
Meyer, F., Electric	160
Schmidt, Rambler	160
Brinkman, Dewey	160
Rinne, C., Hoo-Hoo	160
Mayer, Hoo-Hoo	160

Official Standing I. B. S.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Marion	120	18	.870
Washington	96	42	.696
Ko-We-Ba	95	43	.688
Capital City	94	44	.681
Turners	75	63	.543
Pastime	60	78	.435
North Side	56	82	.406
I. B. C.	42	96	.304
Crescent	31	107	.225
National	21	117	.152

Shortridge Bowling League.

The Shortridge Bowling League bowled as usual on the Pastime alleys yesterday morning. The Delectables won three from the Hoot Mons and the Invincibles took two out of three from the Mayers. The teams now stands: Delectables, .833; Invincibles, .722; Mayers, .389, and Hoot Mons, .059.

Following are the totals in yesterday's games:

Delectables	657	708	605
Hoot Mons	502	652	573
Invincibles	664	695	655
Mayers	762	588	655

The State Championship.

There will be a meeting of the committee appointed by the different leagues this afternoon at the Marion Club, at 2:30 p. m., to discuss plans for the coming state bowling contest. All members of the various committees are requested to be present.

BASEBALL ON SUNDAY.

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will not support the American Association. We fear he has another guess coming.

Manager Ned Hanlon, of the Brooklyn club, has the following to say of the baseball situation: "I think everybody wants to see the thing settled some way or other so that we can play ball. Something will have to be done. Should the case go against Spalding in the courts I suppose the league will meet and go on voting just where we left off."

Milwaukee's new park will be completed about May 1. President Quinn let the contract last week for the erection of the grand and open stands, in which accommodations for seating about 7,000 people will be provided. The grand stand will be complete in every particular and will seat 4,000 people. The improvements contemplated will cost about $12,000.

If Walter Wilmot has any consideration for the scorers in the American Association he will change the names of a few of his players under contract. Look at the lot, as now made up: Pitchers—"Dad" Clark, Theodore Czaperiewski or "Young" Corbett, Fred Luther and Jack Morrison. Catcher—Jim Norvarek. First base—"King" Perry Werden. Shortstop—Lee Quillan. Thirdbase—Charley Rice. Field—Walter Wilmot and Elmer Dotson.

The various major league clubs will get in their spring work in the following places: American League—Baltimore at Macon, Ga.; Boston at Augusta, Ga.; Cleveland at New Orleans; Chicago at Excelsior Springs; Detroit at Ypsilanti, Mich.; Athletics at Newport News; St. Louis at home; Washington at home. National League—Brooklyn at Savannah, Ga.; Boston at Thomasville, Ga.; Chicago at Champaign, Ill.; St. Louis at home; Pittsburg at Hot Springs, Ark.; Philadelphia at Charlottesville, Va.; New York at home; Cincinnati undecided.

Dale Gear is now gathering in youngsters for a try-out in the spring. During the last week he has added two pitchers to his team, and says that he has more promising material in view. There are always a few stars developed out of the raw material each season, and Gear hopes to be the lucky one this year. He has just announced the signing of E. S. Reinig, of St. Louis, who is highly recommended, and Ralph Gibson, of the Cedar Rapids club of the Three I League, who was much sought after by several Western League teams and the Brooklyn National League Club.

Van Brunt seems to have a desire to finance every club in the Western League. His downfall will be worse than playing the flirting markets on the wrong side when he gets through with his hobbies. The Western League claimed that Peoria was anxious to get into that organization, and that Whitfield had to go there to prevent the business men fighting over who should put up the money, but after Whitfield spent several days in Peoria he acknowledged that it was hard work to raise a stock company with $10,000 capital to finance the club, and of that amount only about one-fifth has been paid. What will a club do with $2,000 during these war times? It would be worse than drawing two cards to a flush in every jackpot.

Charles H. Ebbets, of Brooklyn, is growing milder in his denunciations of the Freedman-Brush crowd. He says:

"If four clubs should decide to go into the American League or consolidate with it we have not the physical power to stop them, but they would be involved in endless litigation, and if they went our four would go ahead as the National League. We recognize that we are in the National League, and we want to stay there. We want sportsmanlike baseball, and won't stand for any trust scheme under any consideration. But I am not saying that there are any clubs that are thinking of going over to the American League. We are awaiting the decision of the court, and fully expect to see the same eight cities in the National League this year that were in it last year. If we win in the courts they can't get out, and if they win we can't get out."

NOTRE DAME'S VICTORY.

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in the carnival: Thirty-five-yard dash, novice, for members of Indianapolis Y. M. C. A.; thirty-five-yard dash, open; mile relay, Y. M. C. A., open; shot put, handicap, open; running high jump; high school relay; pole vault, handicap, open; four-hundred-and-forty-yard run, novice, Y. M. C. A.; thirty-five-yard hurdle, three hurdles, open; four-hundred-and-forty-yard run, handicap, open; mile relay, intercollegiate; eight-hundred-and-eighty-yard run, handicap, open; mile run, handicap, open.

The shot put and running high jump will be simultaneous events. While these are in progress the high school relay race will start. W. E. Day, physical director of the Detroit Y. M. C. A., will act as referee and starter.

The following compose the Indianapolis Y. M. C. A.'s team: J. Grady, B. Gates, C. Woodbridge, L. Miller, A. McCollum, Charles Shank, Frank Jones, Harry Wheeler, Jack Shideler, Thad Shideler, C. C. Horner, J. B. Steep, E. Cassady, Will G. Kaylor, J. C. Duckwa, W. Morgan, S. Hendryx, F. Doudican, V. Bowers, C. McKinney, W. Pauli, J. Barlow, Charles Dyer, H. Densler, J. McIntire, A. Eberhardt and H. Raffensberger.

ROUGH BASKETBALL.

The "Preps" and Freshmen Play at Butler Gymnasium.

The "preps" demonstrated their supremacy over the freshmen in basketball and brutality last night in the Butler gymnasium. The game was the roughest exhibition of basketball that has been seen this year, neither team being able to get their team work started. The officials refused to call the fouls and the floor resembled a football mass.

A large crowd was out to witness the game, on account of the "scrap" which was scheduled to take place, but the two classes agreed to give a rough and tumble exhibition, which pleased the crowd as much as a class rush.

The "preps" were more experienced at goal throwing and thus gained their victory. Dodson seemed to be the only freshman that could find the basket, he scoring all the field goals for his side. At the end of the fray the "preps" had seventeen points, while the freshmen could only count seven. Guffin and Hall did the best work for the "preps." The line-up follows:

Preps.	Positions.	Freshmen.
Guffin,	Forwards	Tomlinson,
Hall	Forwards	Dodson
Kingsbury	Center	Sheerer
Wilson, Adams,	Guards	Murray,
Davenport	Guards	Eichoff

Goals from field—Dodson, 2; Guffin, 3; Hall, 1; Kingsbury, 1. Goals from foul—Tomlinson, 1; Guffin, 1; Kingsbury, 1. Officials—McGaughey, Longley and Butler. Time—15-minute halves.

GIRLS AT BASKETBALL.

The Shortridge Team Defeats Girls of the Classical School.

The Shortridge girls' basketball team defeated the Classical School team for the second time yesterday morning in a well-played game in the latter's gymnasium. The score was 9 to 3. No boys were admitted, but the fair supporters of each five made plenty of noise and yelled for their favorite team. The north end of the gymnasium was given to the followers of the blue and white of the Shortridge team, while the south end was reserved for the wearers of the red and white of the Girls' Classical School. Each side had about an equal number of "rooters," who cheered long and loud during the contest.

The Classical supporters were ably led in the yelling by Miss Hilda Fletcher, and Shortridge was led by Miss Ruth Moorehead. At times the yelling became so loud that the whistle could scarcely be heard and reminded one of an S. H. S.-M. T. H. S. contest. The blue and white contingent relied mostly on the old stand-by, "Give them the ax," and the song, "Oh! You Must Be a Member of the I. H. S." The classical side introduced their new yell:

"Hippty-hip, hippy hus,
What in the world's the matter with us,
Nothing at all, nothing at all,
We are the team for basketball."

Long before time for calling the game the gymnasium began filling and when the play commenced there was not a vacant seat and quite a number stood. The playing of both teams was fast and although the Classical girls were somewhat smaller than their opponents, yet they gave the blue and white team a warm argument. The goals made by the High School girls were all from the field, and soon after the game started. They were well earned and the result of very clever team work on the part of Ethel Dorsey, Rachel Baker and Gladys Nehrbas. The only score on the Classical side was an exceedingly pretty throw by Irma Manigold, who saved her team a "whitewash." At the end of the first half the score was 9 to 0 in Shortridge's favor. The red and white team struck a faster pace in the second half and kept their opponents from scoring, while they made three.

The members of both teams all played well and worked especially hard in the second half when there was much time taken out in order to let the players "get their wind." Probably the best individual playing was done by Gladys Nehrbas, Ethel Dorsey and Rachel Baker, on the Shortridge five, while Irma Manigold, Lydia Parry and Hazel West carried off the honors for the Classical School.

At the conclusion of the game the followers of the victorious team marched in a body down to the school and gave their yells.

The game yesterday was the result of a challenge from Classical, and the captain of the Shortridge five, Gladys Nehrbas, says that the High School team will now challenge the Classical girls, and the game will again be played in the latter's gymnasium. It will be some time, however, before these teams meet again, because the Shortridge five hopes to play Knickerbacker, Butler and the Y. W. C. A. in the near future. Following is the line-up and summary of yesterday's game:

Shortridge.	Position.	Classical.
Rachel Baker	Forward	Irma Manigold
Gladys Nehrbas	Forward	Gertrude Free
Ethel Dorsey	Center	Hazel West
Laura Zwick	Guard	Violet Barber
Nora Lacey	Guard	Lydia Parry

Officials—Referee, Ralph Jones; scorer, Joe Minor; umpire, John Kittle; timer, Glen Diddel.

Shortridge—Goals from field: Ethel Dorsey, 2; Rachel Baker, 1. Missed goals from foul: Gladys Nehrbas, 2.

Classical—Goal from field: Irma Manigold, 1. Fouls: Hazel West, 1; Lydia Parry, 1.

Earlham Girls Defeat Butler.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

RICHMOND, Ind., March 1.—The admirers of the game of basketball were treated to a fine contest at Earlham College this afternoon, the contestants being the Earlham and Butler teams. The teams were well matched and the locals were able to win only by a small margin. The score was 11 to 9. The Butler players were more experienced than those of Earlham, and for this reason the Quakers feel more importance attaches to their victory than would otherwise. Two weeks ago Earlham girls defeated Oxford by a large score and a week ago the boys of Earlham defeated Miami by a one-sided score. The teams lined up as follows this afternoon:

Butler.	Positions.	Earlham.
Essie Hunter	Forward	Ada Elliott
Nelle Senour	Forward	Nellie Davis
Helen Downing	Center	Gertrude Wiltsee
Anna Vance	Guard	Jewel Taylor
M. Baldwin (c.)	Guard	Ruby Davis (c.)

Talk of an Athletic Carnival.

Members of Brownson Council, Y. M. I., are making preparations for holding an athletic carnival in their gymnasium, corner of North and Noble streets. It is thought the meeting will be held early in April. Invitations will be sent to all the Catholic boys' societies of the city. The events will include short and long runs, high and broad jumps and pole vaulting, etc.

Racquet Champion Defeated.

CHICAGO, March 1.—Harry Boakes, the professional racquet player of the Chicago Athletic Club, evened matters to-day by defeating Champion George Standing, who beat him yesterday in three out of four games. To-day Boakes turned the score around. The games resulted as follows:

Boakes	11	15	15	15
Standing	15	2	8	6

Two Teams Tied for First Place.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 1.—Leander and Rutz and Turville and Lake still retain their tie for first place in the contest for the twelve-hour championship of America, having added forty-six miles and one lap to-night to the previous score, making the total for the ten hours of the race 228 miles and nine laps. The remaining six riders are tied for second place with a score of 228 miles and eight laps.

REBELLION IN CHINA.

Over 1,000 Former Soldiers Pillaging Near the City of Nan-King.

PEKING, March 1.—The Chinese Foreign Office now admits that the rebellion in the vicinity of the city of Nan-Ning, province of Quang-See, seventy miles north of the Gulf of Tonquin, is very grave, though this was denied yesterday. Over one thousand former soldiers are engaged in pillaging. An edict has been issued commanding the Chinese authorities to afford protection to the missionaries and other foreigners. Mr. Conger, the United States minister, has notified Prince Ching, head of the Foreign Office, that he expects China will speedily suppress the rebellion and protect the foreigners in that part of the country.

Ready to Pay Second Installment.

SHANGHAI, March 1.—The taotal was ready to pay the second monthly installment of the indemnity due yesterday. But the question of the division of the indemnity is still at a deadlock.

MARCONI'S LATEST FEAT.

Received Messages from Cornwall While 1,500 Miles at Sea.

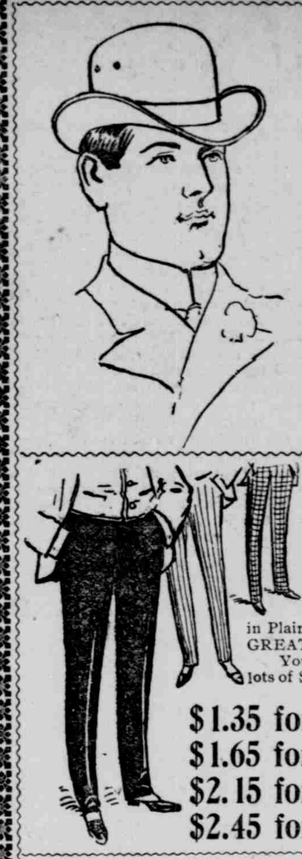
NEW YORK, March 1.—Signor Marconi, who arrived to-day on the Philadelphia from Southampton, reported a new wireless telegraph record. "This time," said Marconi, "there can be no error. Captain Mills and Chief Officer Marsden signed each message received as witnesses. Fifteen hundred miles at sea regular messages were received from the Cornwall station and ticks were recorded at a distance of 2,000 miles. It had been said that my Newfoundland messages were due to my imagination and to atmospheric currents, so I requested the captain's signature to bear me out. I am not going to establish any wireless service between Cuba and the United States, as has been reported, nor have I any intention of establishing a line across the English channel."

GLADYS NEHRBAS, Capt. S. H. S. Team. LYDIA PARRY, Capt. Classical School Team.

"The New Thought."

Paul Tyner, in Review of Reviews.

A new departure, characterized at once by sturdy optimism, earnest purpose and settled confidence, is the metaphysical movement of to-day. Essentially American in its origin, it has already made its way across the sea, with other American products, and claims an international scope, not losing its Americanism, however, in its transatlantic extension. There is reason to believe that what is somewhat vaguely known as "The New Thought" now numbers more than a million adherents, of whom more than half a million are in the United States. To most of these, the cult stands for a practical, every-day working philosophy that takes the place of a religion, and is, indeed, to these people, the only possible religion. At the same time, thousands of its followers retain their conventional affiliations, finding in the "New Thought" welcome aid to understanding and appreciation of the living spirit under the dead letter in all religions. Thus, the new teaching appeals equally to people in and to those out of the churches, emphasizing the essentials on which people of various beliefs, or of no belief, may very humanly unite. One reason for its rapid spread in popularity is here apparent, and makes interesting an examination of its development. The movement has for its basic purpose nothing less than a lively realization of the metaphysical truth at the base of all religion and philosophy, not as a mystical or intellectual abstraction, merely, but as a working force in actual life, eligible to all men everywhere.



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