

Gate City Sport Column

FLORIDA HAS A WHITE MAN'S HOPE

Veritable Giant is Offered to Wrest Honors From Jack Johnson, and is Rings' Biggest Boxer.

ONLY 20 YEARS OLD

Oscar Stuckey, by Name, Stands Six Feet, Nine Inches and Shows Fighting Ability, Report Says.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 14.—On a farm not far from this place there is in training the "hope of white man's hopes." The youth who some day in the near future counts on getting a trial for the highest honors in pugilism is Oscar W. Stuckey, 20 years of age and a veritable giant, probably as big a man as ever stepped into the ring to don the padded mitts.

Stuckey's debut into the ranks of topnotch pugilism is still remote. He is training earnestly at the present time on the Florida ostrich farm, and if size and weight count for anything his climb into the championship class is practically half finished before the start.

Measurements of the lad this state will contribute to the cause of winning back the crown now gracing the dome of Jack Johnson, when compared to other big men of the ring, appear as follows.

Giant Beside Morris.

Carl Morris, who is even bigger than the black man whom he hopes to trim some day, appears small besides this young giant. His titular hopes do not end with size, however, for his ability to take punishment and also administer it in copious quantities is the talk of the fighting fraternity of these parts. Constant training has improved him wonderfully in the finer points of the game, and still more time under able tutors is counted upon to turn out a finished boxer.

Backing will be plentiful for the aspiring youth. William Hibbard has him in charge at the present time and predicts a whirlwind career for the lad once he gets under way. Experience is the only essential lacking, but before long a few good trial horses will be engaged and Stuckey can test the worth of his blows and endurance against these.

The most phenomenal feature of the "hope" is in his height which measures no less than 6 feet 9 inches, 5 inches taller than the fast rising Carl Morris of Sapulpa, Okla., and a half foot more in length than the title-holder, Jack Johnson. His reach is about the same as the dusky title holder, being 81½ inches, while Morris boasts a span of 84 inches. His weight when

Certain Cure for Nasal Catarrh

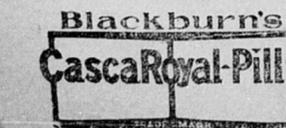
Nasal catarrh is both dangerous and embarrassing. Here is a treatment which promptly cleanses, soothes and heals the nasal passages, while destroying all the putrid, slimy matter and preventing its further formation. Obtain of any well-stocked drugstore two ounces of antiseptic vilane powder. Use a half teaspoonful to a pint of warm water. Snuff up into the nostrils 6 to 8 times. Use two or three times daily and catarrh will vanish. Gives a delightfully clear feeling and makes breathing easy. Also apply the following splendid catarrh balm to the nostrils: Mix a teaspoonful of vilane powder with a five-cent jar of vaseline.

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in good condition due to training is just 236 pounds.

Boasts Enormous Chest. Stuckey has a chest expansion of 6¼ inches, measuring 39 inches deflated and 45½ inflated, being 42½ inches at normal. From shoulder to shoulder is a length of 52 inches, while the neck measures 16½ and the waist 37 inches.

The other measurements are: abdomen, 41¾ inches, wrist 8; forearm, 12¾; upper arm, 13¾; biceps, 14½; calf, 15¾; and thigh, 26. Stuckey's sole aim is not to wrest the title away from Johnson. He also hopes to show the way to other heavyweights, and once he decides that the time is ripe for his initial appearance he will be matched with the best to be had. It is not improbable that if things continue as promising as in the past efforts will be made to secure a bout with the Oklahoma giant.

BIG FELLOWS SPAR FOR MATCHES

Wrestlers Are Having Difficulties and Are Seeking to Get Money From People Early.

Apparently from the frantic grab the managers are making for dates for the windup of the 1911 season these people believe that the wrestling game is on the wane, and it is necessary to get all the money they can before it is ended. Men are meeting matches in which there is not the least bit of a chance of there being doubt as to the outcome, the Hackenschmidt-Ordeaman bouts being one off these. Unless the three or four matches in which these men have met thus far this year are fixed, there is not a chance in the world for Ordeaman to win, but the matches still go on the latest being one at Detroit, to be contested in a week.

Frank Gotch will reach the west this week, and will make an appearance at Omaha next Saturday night. His opponent will be Demetral. There is not a chance in the world of there being any outcome to that match, but an easy victim for Gotch, but Sandy Griswold, who sometimes draws large salaries as a referee, is shouting to the people of Omaha that it will be the greatest wrestling match of the age, that this man Demetral is the greatest man in the world. The truth of the matter is that the Greek is the same class of a wrestler that he was when he appeared in Iowa several years ago, and that he has not beaten a third rater in all of his years in this country. He has been making his home in Kansas for the last few years.

Roller is on the warpath again, and is writing letters begging for matches between himself and Ordeaman. He claims that he is in condition at the present time and that he will not be able to hold this condition for very long and that he wants to meet Ordeaman and Reimer while he is in this shape.

It will be surprising if the game will be able to stand the sort of matches which have been contested by the foreigners this year and retain its popularity. There has been little to criticize thus far in the tour of Frank Gotch as he is meeting different men at all of the places with very few exceptions.

Assist Nature. There are times when you should assist nature. It is now undertaking to cleanse you system—if you will take Hood's Sarsaparilla the undertaking will be successful. This great medicine purifies and builds up as nothing else does.

Schedule Revision. President Justice announced his schedule revision today. An opening will be taken from Hannibal and given to Galesburg and a closing taken from Keokuk and given to Kewanee.

FORT MADISON DEMOCRATS

Slate for City Election is Made Up With Johns at Head.

Following is the democratic slate for the Fort Madison city election: For mayor—A. E. Johns. For solicitor—No one. For treasurer—A. M. Lowrey. For assessor—Frank R. Smith. For councilmen-at-large—M. J. Collins and John Kottmer. For councilman, first ward—John Allen.

Second ward—N. C. Roberts. Third ward—W. W. Storms. Fourth ward—D. H. Kern, Jr. Fifth ward—John Korschgen, G. M. Wilken.

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WATERLOO WINS FINAL ROUND

Knockout Blow Put Over Last Night When Al Tearney Failed to Invite Quincy to Today's Meeting.

DROP THE LITIGATION

President Declares Plans of Getting in Readiness for Opening of the Season Will be Put Under Way.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 14.—The Waterloo (Ia.) baseball club last night won the final round of its fight to retain a place in the Three-Eye League. Its victory was tacitly admitted when Al Tearney, president of the league, issued a call for a meeting here today, notifying Waterloo of the meeting and neglecting to invite the Quincy (Ill.) club to send a representative. President Tearney already has received word from each of the eight clubs that representatives will attend.

A playing schedule for 1911, with Waterloo given its full number of games, probably will be adopted and the proposed appeal from an injunction which the Waterloo club has pending against Tearney and other club members will be discussed.

This appeal will not be taken, according to Tearney, who said, in view of the circumstances, there is a tendency to drop further litigation, for this season at least. The four northern clubs, Waterloo, Dubuque, Davenport, and Rock Island, have voted as a unit in the fight matching their four votes against the southern clubs, Peoria, Danville, Springfield and Bloomington. Judge Gridley, in the Superior Court, held that President Tearney could not cast a deciding vote to the disadvantage of Waterloo, and, in view of the even strength of the two factions, it is said no further fight is likely.

The Quincy club was voted into the league by the four southern members at a meeting in January at which the same members voted to oust Waterloo. Judge Gridley held this meeting to be inoperative.

BEGINNING OF MATHEWSON

While in St. Louis the Other Day Giant Twirler Tells of Early Incident.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat: "I believe I owe my success as a baseball pitcher to Phenomenal John Smith, who was the manager of the club I was with in Norfolk, in the Virginia," says Christy Mathewson, the premier pitcher of the National league. "I was assigned to pitch the opening game at Portsmouth that season. Portsmouth is just across the bay from Norfolk, and there was great rivalry between the two teams. I was just out of college and, I guess, rather rattled to be picked for the opening game. At any rate, I passed the first three batters, never getting a strike over the plate. The fourth man smashed a three-bagger to center and before the inning was over Portsmouth had scored five runs.

"The Norfolk fans were yelling to Smith to take me out, and I, of course, thought he would, but that is just what he did not do. Instead of chasing me to the bench he put his hand on my shoulder and said: 'Christy, you have got the stuff, but you are a little nervous. You are going to get over it in an inning or so and I am going to leave you in to the finish if Portsmouth gets 100 runs!'

"And finish I did. Portsmouth never got another run, while we got six and won the game. The confidence that Smith's act in leaving me in to win my own game gave me stuck to me forever after. Had he taken me out I believe I never would have amounted to much as a pitcher, for without confidence a pitcher does not amount to much. Had he jerked me out right then I would have been just as nervous the next time I started. As it was I lost only two games that year, and both were extra innings 1 to 0 affairs.

"That experience of mine causes me to believe that many a good pitcher is ruined by big league managers, particularly those who are guiding first division teams. You take a team that is up fighting for first place and if a young pitcher gets away badly he is sent to the bench before he gets a chance to settle down to his own accord. And you cannot blame the manager. For that reason I think that a young pitcher really gets a better chance to show his value with a second division team, where the managers are not so prone to bench a pitcher when he shows signs of wobbling a little." Christy got a salary of \$50 a month that year.

—Read The Daily Gate City.

LOST FINGER IN MACHINERY

Frank Ernst Met With Misfortune at Warsaw Shoe Factory and is Minus His Thumb.

NEW BOWLING ALLEY

Rumored That George Bott Will Erect Modern Three Story Business Block in Warsaw.

WARSAW, Ill., March 14.—Frank Ernst had the forefinger and thumb of his right hand crushed in a machine at which he was working at the shoe factory. Amputation was made at the first joint of each member. The accident is deeply regretted, as Frank was one of the best hands at the factory and is unusually careful, this being the first mishap he has had in over a year, working at the same machine.

The canning company shipped four carloads of tomatoes Saturday.

J. W. Kirkpatrick is quite ill, being threatened with pneumonia.

The force at the button factory is being increased.

Quite a number of Warsaw families take Sunday dinner at the Adams House, Landlord Daugherty making a special effort to have an appetizing menu.

It is reported that many of the foremen on the dam at Hamilton, would reside here, if there was an early car on the trolley that would put them on the job by 7 a. m.

The engineers surveying the permanent right of way for the water power transmission wire to St. Louis, leave here every morning and return every evening. They are working a few miles east of here, and running south.

Wm. Floto is removing his tobacco factory to the store building just west of city hall. His factory will be on the east side in the rear, and the rest of the room will be used as a bowling alley, under the management of Mr. Floto. The room has been nearly papered and the alleys will be cleaned up and put in good shape and opened about March 15.

It is rumored that Geo. Bott will erect an up to date brick store and office building, three stories in height, on the Goddard corner, recently purchased by him, southeast corner of 4th and Main streets.

Warsaw is making an effort to get state aid for country roads this spring, not before it is needed.

Henry Klump has sold the Warsaw steam laundry to a man in Missouri. Our people hope the latter is an experienced laundryman, and will operate.

Sam Quick will remove this week with his family to his farm, after several months residence here.

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FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES. Keokuk Aerie, No. 683—Meets first and third Wednesday of each month at Eagle's hall, corner Eighth and Main. Visiting brothers cordially invited. Frank Moeller, W. President; C. A. Noakes, secretary.

FRATERNAL CARDS

MASONIC. Hall, corner Fourth and Main Eagle lodge, No. 12—Holds its regular meeting the first Tuesday evening of each month.

Hardin Lodge No. 29—Holds its regular monthly meeting the second Monday evening of each month.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS. Hall Seventh and Main Streets. Keokuk Lodge, No. 13, meets regularly Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Geo. Hardin, N. G.; Otto Anschutz, Recording Secretary.

Pucketchuck Lodge No. 43, meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. L. E. Wittich, N. G.; Geo. W. Immgart, Permanent Secretary.

Herman Lodge No. 116, (German), meets regularly every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. A. H. Linnenburger, N. G.; Albert Kiefer, Rec. Sec.

Pucketchuck Encampment, No. 7, meets first and third Thursday evenings of each month. Wm. C. Kummer, Scribe.

A. O. U. W. Keokuk Lodge, No. 256—Meets every Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock at hall over Keokuk Savings bank, corner Fifth and Main streets. Visiting brethren cordially invited. Thos. W. Lester, M. W.; A. E. Moore, recorder.

K. of P. Morning Star Lodge, No. 5—Meets Fifth and Blondeau, K. of P. building Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. C. C. Koepf, Chancellor; J. A. Burgess, K. of R. and S. Visiting Knights fraternally invited.

KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF SECURITY, KEOKUK COUNCIL, No. 1039. Meets the first and third Monday of each month, at A. O. U. W. hall at 8 o'clock. O. W. Rowe, president; Ernest Best, Financier; Mayme C. Schenk Secretary.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA Gibbons' Hall. Keokuk Camp, No. 622—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. Our latch string is out to neighbors. C. B. Lake, V. C.; J. A. Pollard, Clerk.

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Original Notice. State of Iowa, Lee County, ss. In the District Court of said county, Keokuk, May Term, A. D. 1911. Susan R. Sanders, Plaintiff, versus John C. Sanders, Defendant. Original Notice.

To the Above Named Defendant: You are hereby notified that a petition is now on file in the clerk's office of the District Court aforesaid at Keokuk in behalf of the above named plaintiff, against you and claiming a divorce from you, from the bonds of matrimony on the grounds of desertion, and asking for such other and further relief as may be equitable in the premises.

And unless you appear and defend before noon of the second day of the next regular May term of said court, to be begun and holden at Keokuk on the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1911, default will be entered against you and judgement rendered thereon as prayed for in said petition.

WILLIAM TIMBERMAN, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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