

NEWS OF RING, TRACK, MAT AND FIELD TOLD IN PITHY PHRASES

EXCEPT ON MEMORY'S WALLS

Effects to Revive Foot Ball in Butte Recalls Great Team of '96, Now Forgotten--Jockeys at Track Mix It Up--Gossip.

Strange how excitement over an idol or a bunch of idols will die down and how interest in an event will wane into forgetfulness.

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Nothing took them like the gridiron game. Horse racing, coursing and pugilism all paled before it. It is said that \$100,000 could have been raised in a single day to back the team, had this amount been necessary.

Phenomenal Jumping. Athletic experts in the old world have been staggered recently by the phenomenal jumping of Joe Darby, Jr., a boy 11 years old and weighing just 42 pounds.

Jockeys Come to Blows. After the match race of Thursday in which Silver Dick beat Judge Thomas and Populist to the wire, a little incident occurred near the entrance to the race track that has not before found its way into print.

Gould's New Yacht. The Taurus is the name of the yacht that George J. Gould, the famous American millionaire, has chartered from Baron de Rothschild.

Opie Is the Boy. A careful comparison of the records of local boxers will convince the impartial critic that Howard Opie has more of the stuff which goes to make championship material than any of them.

Swiss Marksman Coming. It is announced that crack Swiss riflemen from the Alps are to take part in the Olympian contests to be held in Chicago, as well as representatives of other sports.

"YOUNG CORBETT" IN THE MIDST OF HIS TRAINING

Has Adopted Same Routine That Prepared Him for Victory Last Year and is Confident of Winning.

ACCIDENT MARS THE RACE FOR GENTLEMEN RIDERS

Romany and Ace Both Run Away and Ben Cornelius Is Thrown--Only Two Favorites Won Yesterday.

DOHERTY BROTHERS WIN

Ward and Davis Lose the Honors Achieved Two Years Ago at Longwood, Mass.--Large Crowd.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Pacific Northwest League. Spokane at Helena. Butte at Seattle. Tacoma at Portland.



CRACK BASEBALL TEAM OF IDAHO FALLS.

ROOT WILL TAKE ON RYAN IN SEPTEMBER

Jack Root, who was to have fought Murphy in Butte, but who failed to come here for the reason that boxing was stopped, will take on Tommy Ryan in Salt Lake two weeks after his contest with George Gardner, provided he is returned the winner over Gardner.



TOMMY RYAN.

be the most important middleweight battle since the time Fitzsimmons sent Jack Dempsey into the land of Nod.

"DEAD BALL GOLF" THE FAD

Modification of the Great Out-Door Sport Is Gaining in Popularity.

HOT SHOT IS HANDED TO EDITOR W. W. NAUGHTON

Well-Known San Francisco Sporting Writer Throws It Into the "Fake Hollerer"--Naughton's Hearing.

HOW THE STORY STARTED

Amateur Fortune-Teller Predicted Victory in Eighth by Cards.

SPORTING BRIEFS.

Eastern sporting men are picking "Young Corbett" to again defeat Terry McGovern.

BOWLING OF BENNY ASTONISHES BUNCH

PING-PONG CHAMPION LAYS IT ALL OVER OPPONENTS IN MATCH AT THORNTON HOTEL.

BENNY CAN BOWL A BIT AND DON'T YOU FORGET

He May Squirm About Some and Excite the Risibilities of the Spectators When Endeavoring to Get Out of a Tight Hole, but Benny is There and the Whole Cheese, Too--Track Chat.

Not only is the popular judge and sporting writer Benny Benjamin a ping-pong player but he is also an athlete of no mean ability.

Jack Atkins' Clean Up.

"Overcoat" Jack Atkins has been laying extremely quiet of late, but yesterday he was very much in evidence and along with Oscar Baer won a thousand dollar combination in the pool rooms.

That Polo Pony.

Much credit is due George Miller for his patience in handling the speedy sprinter Silver Dick.

The Good Dope.

Captain Clark's dope on yesterday's races was extra fine.

A Lovely Stunt.

One of Starter Chinn's assistants performed quite a "stunt" in yesterday's second event, which was most disastrous to the talent.

Hagerdon to Go East.

More than likely Hagerdon in the near future will be shipped East, where he undoubtedly will make good.

Howson Second.

Jockey Howson was sharply scored by Judge Murphy after his ride on Jennie Hughes in the sixth event.

Tecumseh Takes Second Race.

[SPECIAL TO INTER MOUNTAIN.] Montreal, August 9.--The second of the Senawaska yacht races was run yesterday.