BASEBALL —Frank Selee and Jake Beckley Probably Will Be Summoned to Give Testimony in Hart-Taylor Hearing at Chicago Next March.

HOT SPRINGS —Jack Young Scored in Feature Event Over Essex Park Track.

NEW ORLEANS —Foxmead Beat Monaco Maid and Ahola in Handicap at Crescent City.

JOHN PETERS WAS STILL BIT SHORT

Smathers Is Said to Have Lost a Small Fortune on His Gelding.

MONACO MAID STOPPED.

Goldblatt Mare Tired in the Heavy Going and Foxmead Beat Her Home in the Mile Handicap.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 20.—The track at the Fair Grounds was heavy and holding to-day, with a path forming on the outside. With most of the jockeys it was an even break between cutting the corners in the deep going or swinging to the outside. Consequently the finishes were all over the track, with little chances for anyone but the judges to tell one horse from another. The track was considerably worse than it was expected to be at the close of yesterday's races.

John Peters made his second appearance to-day in a five-furlong sprint, in which he was required to carry only 106 pounds. Presuming that he had been given considerable work since his first start, the public made him an even-money favorite, and it is said that his owner, E. E. Smathers, backed him to win a small fortune in the out-of-town turf exchanges. John Peters was still a trifle short, however. Ahumada outfooted him almost all the way, and finished a length in front of him. It was strictly a two-horse race. Contentious stopped to nothing after the first three furlongs, and the others were badly outclassed.

Another disappointment was Jake Sanders in the six-furlong race for 3-year-old colts and geldings. Even money was considered a good price about him, but after doing his very best, he had to give second place to Lieutenant Rice, who was one of the second choices.

NOT FALKNIAN'S DAY.

James Arthur expected to win another purse with Falkenian in the one one mile and one-sixteenth race, but this evidently was not Falkenian's day. Jockey Livingston steered Knowledge into the good grass, rounding the lower turn, and managed to keep him in front to the end.

Foxmead, with a fondness for the going, and a good jockey on his back, easily beat the choices of the wise ones in the mile handicap. Monaco Maid, through cutting the corner, maintained a long lead for three quarters, but was all out at the end of that route. Foxmead got to her at the final three-eighths, and ran over her in the stretch.

Lou M., who has been running prominently in superior company, at last found a field which she could beat in the final event of one mile and one-sixteenth. Mr. Jack was the favorite, and there were others in the race hold in higher esteem than Lou M. After getting away badly Lou M. found her way to the front and won cleverly by a length from Mr. Jack. Swedish Lad was the speed marvel in the early part of it, but, after leading by four lengths into the stretch, he quit and finished third.

Archie Zimmer has recovered Merry Acrobat. J. J. Ogles sold him back to him for $50 less than he paid for him.

NASHVILLE SATISFIED.

Secretary J. W. Russwurm and Fred Gerhardy of Nashville were here to-day stirring up stake entries for the spring meeting there. Mr. Russwurm had little to say about racing in Nashville, beyond stating that his people were satisfied with the Western Jockey Club dates assigned them, and, even if they were not, he did not see any reason why Nashville should look for any special consideration from the new crowd. He cited the fact that the last time Nashville sided with Louisville in a turf argument, Louisville dropped Nashville with a dull thud, and after it was down took three of the six unopposed days Nashville had, while Memphis took the other three.

BEAUCHAMP REINSTATED.

Charlie Vandusen received a letter today from Jockey Beauchamp, who formerly rode for W. W. Darden & Co., in which the latter says the moguls of racing in Germany have restored his license. Beauchamp also says that George Walker, who developed all the star 2-year-olds owned by Mr. Schorr, back in the days when the Memphis brewer was famous for the success he achieved with young horses, is doing well in the land of the Kaiser, and now has something like 100 horses in his charge.

CRESCENT CITY SUMMARIES.

Track heavy. Weather fair. Summaries:

First race, five furlongs—Miss Gomez, 98 (Aubuchon), 6 to 2, won; Flying Charcoal, 101 (W. Hennessy), 7 to 1, second; Ghats, 98 (Meade), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:03. Royal Deceiver, Torlo, Melita, Diaphanous, Blue Blaze, Diplomat, Doctor Gurney, Parnassus and Ethel Hinyar also ran.

Second race, six furlongs—Lieutenant Rice, 110 (J. McIntyre), 9 to 2, won; Jake Sanders, 110 (Nicol), 4 to 5, second; Omenica, 105 (J. Martin), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:18. Darius, Dixie Lad, Yorkshire, Lockout, Riverdo and J. G. Drought also ran.

Third race, mile and a sixteenth—Knowledge, 101 (Livingston), 4 to 1, won; Rachael Ward, 104 (Nicol), 4 to 1, second; Catalina, 109 (De Rouen), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:55 2-5. Falkenian, Birch Rod, Wreath of Ivy, and The Hebrew also ran.

Fourth race, mile, handicap—Foxmeda, 104 (Nicol), 6 to 1, won; Monaco Maid, 99 (Aubuchon), 8 to 1, second; Alcida, 92 (J. Hennessy), 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:45. Sis Lee, Ascot Belle, Formaster and Sambo also ran.

Fifth race, five furlongs—Ahumada, 106 (J. Martin), 9 to 2, won; John Peters, 106 (L. Wilson), 4 to 5, second; Belle of Portland, 91 (M. Murphy), 15 to 1, third. Time, :59. Hanako, Lady Draper, Contentious, Palmette and Carl Kahler also ran.

Sixth race, mile and twenty yards—Lou M., 95 (Crimmins), 6 to 1, won; Mr. Jack, 99 (McIntyre), 2 to 1, second; Swedish Lad, 87 (Schaver), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:38. Shock, Le Tabac, Hershman, Margo II, Charlie Ahl, Rockhill, Roderick, Lou, The Eye, Josie and Barker Harrison also ran.

TO-DAY'S CRESCENT CITY ENTRIES.

First race, mile, selling:

Idlebeb	94	Bengal	108
Docile	100	Falenian	107
Bob Murphy	101	Gaslighter	100
John H.	103	Canton	106
Tom Levy	104	Glendon	106
Arachne	104		

Second race, three and one-third furlongs, 2-year-olds:

Mosaic	103	Salinda	110
Little Rose	103	Bertha E.	110
Malt	107	Stradella	110
Mrs. Frank Iselsiger	107	Miss Regina	110
Marpessa	110	Fish Hook	110
Irma Brown	110	Inspector Girl	110

Third race, five furlongs, purse:

Golden Advice	86	Joey Young	102
Vipertine	91	Ram's Horn	102
Harmidal Boy	93	Dan Carter	107
Marauder	98	Ahumada	107
Brush Up	102	John Peters	107
Dossur	102	Invincible	112

Fourth race, the Live Oak Handicap, seven-eighths of a mile, $1,000 added:

Conundrum	96	Phil Finch	105
Carelessness	96	Flostenne	107
Rawood	97	Old Stone	109
Floral Wreath	100	Joe Reeske	110
Lord of the Valley	102	Gregor K.	112
Gay Boy	103		

Fifth race, mile, selling:

Sigmund	91	Revelle	97
Sir Maxim	94	Tarantus	99
Lamboon	94	Montebank	100
Mikadi Lady	96	Jordan	101
Merry Acrobat	97	Joe Lesser	102
Kleinwood	98		

Sixth race, one and three-fourths mile, selling:

Royal Arms	89	Lord Tennyson	92
Sunnar	92	The Way	97
George Vivian	85	Hymettus	100
Merlin	97	Stonewall	104
Bard	92		

CRESCENT CITY SELECTIONS.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 20—Selections:

First Race—Gaslighter, Bengal.

Second Race—Sumada, Mosaic, Fish Hook.

Third Race—John Peters, Ram's Horn, Vipertine.

Fourth Race—Old Stone, Floral Wreath, Lord of the Valley.

Fifth Race—Joe Lesser, Merry Acrobat, Sigmund.

Sixth Race—The War, Hymettus, Stonewall.

M. A. C. DEFEATS SOUTH SIDE.

Cherry Diamond Team Has Hotly Contested Game With Y. M. C. A.

The Missouri Athletic Club and the South Side Young Men's Christian Association basketball teams engaged in a lively contest last night at the latter's gymnasium, the M. A. C. team winning by the score of 42 to 35.

The M. A. C. boys did not play up to their usual standard in the first half, but improved during the second.

Hughes, left guard of the Y. M. C. A., displayed unusual ability in his playing.

The South Side's second team defeated the M. A. C.'s second team by the one-sided score of 21 to 10.

The second teams lined up as follows: South Side—Zein, Werblen, Speis, Bereth, Phillips. M. A. C.—Carter, Pasco, Smith, Methudy and Solomon.

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Rauscher	Left full back	Baumgartner
Kiesel	Center	Stein
Arbeiger	Right guard	Logan
Busch	Left guard	Hughes

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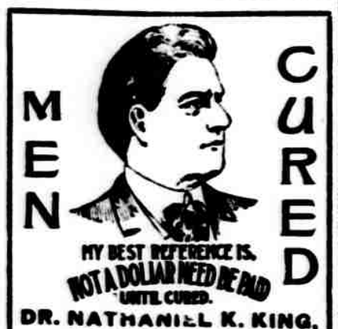
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HOUCK IS RULED OFF TURF FOR LIFE

Judge Murphy Finds St. Louis Owner Guilty of Attempt to Bribe Jockey.

JACK YOUNG COMES TO LIFE.

Heavily Played at Short Price, Baker Horse Won Handicap at Essex Park by a Nose.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Hot Springs, Ark., Jan. 20.—Charles Houck of St. Louis, formerly a jockey, but an owner for the last year or so, was ruled off for life by Judge Murphy at Essex Park to-day. Houck owned the horse Falkland. His alleged offense was an attempt to bribe Jockey Feicht to pull Falkland in a race on January 11. Feicht refused the bribe, which was $50. Falkland finished third in that race. Yesterday Falkland won.

Falkland was bought from Houck by John Lahiv of St. Louis for $600. The ruling against Houck does not affect the horse.

JACK YOUNG A WINNER.

The feature of to-day's racing at Essex Park was the victory of Jack Young in the mile and one-eighth handicap. Jack Young was held at 7 to 10 in the betting, but barely managed to beat Little Elkin by a head. Little Elkin showed a strong burst of speed in the stretch and might have won at a longer distance.

Proceeds set the early pace, but gave way to Possession. Young, as usual, laid out of the early running, but made a strong move in the last quarter. Smithson rode a very weak race on Possession, who finished third. The judges gave him a week on the ground for the lack of energy displayed in his handling of the mount. Little Elkin really ran the best race of the lot and is rounding to his best form right now.

Towsan beat Delphie a head in the third. Delphie is a great front runner, but the favorite got up at the sixteenth pole and outgamed the filly to the wire. Buttons, said to be a good thing, finished third without any excuses, save that he likes a faster track.

Ben Heywood, Charley Bowman's horse, took the last at the favorite's price. Heywood was off in good shape and won easily. At one time in the journey he showed signs of quitting, but Cormack drew his whip, and Heywood instantly reformed.

LANSDOWNE'S GOOD RACE.

Lansdowne, in the three-quarters event, probably ran the best race of the day. He was practically left at the post, but set gamely after his field, pulled down the contenders one by one, and won in a desperate drive by a head from Iole, who had set the pace all the way.

The first two races went to outsiders. Port Worth beat a cheap lot of 2-year-olds in the opening scramble. He was off well and won all the way, with daylight behind him at the finish. Mohur, the choice, ran a dull race, and was outside the money.

Erema, Barney Schreiber's old mare, now owned by W. Kern, won the second all the way from Jake Ward, another long shot. Meehanus, the favorite, got nothing.

ESSEX PARK SUMMARIES.

Play was much better in the ring owing to the fine day, and thirteen books drew in to handle the money. Weather clear; track fast. Summaries:

First race, three furlongs—Port Worth, 106 (Creamer), 4 to 1, won; Mathis, 110 (Sperling), 7 to 2, second; Saidora, 110 (Gilbourne), 5 to 2, third. Time, :39. Mina Baker, Mountain Lad, Dr. McCarty, Mohur, Prince Glenn, Kingstonian, Dick Hanlon and America II also ran.

Second race, five furlongs—Erema, 101 (McLaughlin), 6 to 1, won; Jake Ward, 108 (Barron), 16 to 1, second; Nepenthe, 98 (Wenrich), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:00⅘. Hello Girl, Ogowa, Little Billingsley, Marchioness, Meehanus, Annie Chapman and I. Samelson also ran.

Third race, seven furlongs—Towsan, 111 (Cormack), 2 to 5, won; Delphie, 99 (Goodchild), 3 to 1, second; Buttons, 110 (H. Chisham), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:32⅘. Aden and Liberia also ran.

Fourth race, one and one-sixth mile, handicap—Jack Young, 106 (Bickham), even, won; Little Elkin, 98 (Goodchild), 10 to 1, second; Possession, 106 (Smithson), 3 to 1, third. Time, 2:00. Proceeds also ran.

Fifth race, six furlongs—Lansdowne, 106 (Roach), 3 to 1, won; Iole, 102 (Hoffman), 3 to 1, second; Maggie Lesber, 102 (Obert), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:20⅘. Colonel Preston, Easy Trade, The Captain, St. Paula, Tete Noir, Nuptial and Port Arthur also ran.

Sixth race, one mile and twenty yards—Ben Heywood, 105 (Cormack), 7 to 10, won; Allan, 106 (Feicht), 4 to 1, second; Gigantic, 108 (Trixler), 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:50. Santa Teresa, Excentral, Pathos and Hucena also ran.

TO-DAY'S ESSEX PARK ENTRIES.

First race, three-eighths of a mile, purse:

Belden	109	Mazzini	112
Bago	115	Mint Boy	118
Henchman	115	Mountain Lad	118

Second race, five and one-half furlongs, purse:

Charadella	100	Erste Platz	102
Hagamans	103	Gotta Stone	106
Miss Gunn	106	Fergus	107
Macenna	108	Miss Eberles	108
Arc Light	110	Defusion	109
Glowstar	108	Benifico	110

Third race, three-fourths of a mile, selling:

Peggy	85	Rubric	94
Wild Irishman	94	Scotch Dance	94
Nameoki	105	Van Ness	100

Fourth race, mile and an eighth, selling, the Eastman Hotel stakes:

Bill Curtis	101	Neversuch	100
Canteen	103	Judge Himes	114

Fifth race, seven-eighths of a mile, selling:

Red Thistle	107	Cashier	95
Priority	95	Silvermeade	96
Remorse	100	Courant	104
Easy Trade	105	Critical	104
Ed Tierney	110	Canajoharie	110
Irish Jewel	99		

Sixth race, mile and an eighth, selling:

Compass	93	Turrando	97
Falkland	107	Little Elkin	97
Excentral	90	Ben Heywood	105
Swiftwing	108	Pforzel	94

ESSEX PARK SELECTIONS.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Hot Springs, Ark., Jan. 20—Selections.

First Race—Mint Boy, Iago, Mazzini.

Second Race—Erste Platz, Arc Light, Defusion.

Third Race—Scotch Dance, Nameoki, Wild Irishman.

Fourth Race—Neversuch, Canteen, Bill Curtis.

Fifth Race—Canajoharie, Cashier, Priority.

Sixth Race—Turrando, Falkland, Ben Heywood.

CLOSE FINISHES AT ASCOT PARK.

None but the Judges Could Separate Three Horses in Last Race.

Los Angeles, Jan. 20.—Big fields and several very close finishes were the features of the racing at Ascot to-day. The finish between Lady Kispar, Lady Mirthful and MacFlecknoe was so close that hardly any two spectators agreed as to the order of the finish. After deliberating for several minutes, the judges placed them as named. Neither had more than a nose advantage over the next horse. Two favorites won.

Weather, cloudy; track fast. Summary:

First race, mile—Jardin de Paris, 97 (Miller), 6 to 1, won; Freestas, 99 (Perrine), 7 to 2, second; Sinbad, 98 (Moriarity), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:46⅘. Disintegration, Clarice, Phra Bright, Erne, Doctor Tom, Bessie Wolfley, Miss Powell, May Holladay, Churchlight, Golden Ivy and Headstrong also ran.

Second race, three and a half furlongs—Father Chitham, 120 (McDaniel), 7 to 1, won; Expressing, 120 (Moriarity), 4 to 1, second; Cash Box, 115 (Dugan), 11 to 5, third. Time, :43⅘. Rain Cloud, Sunfire, Betty Penzance, Annis and Placena also ran.

Third race, Slauson course—Aunt Polly, 112 (Otis), 9 to 2, won; Alemanar, 116 (Truehl), 12 to 5, second; Great Mogul, 116 (Fullers), 13 to 1, third. Time, 1:16⅘. Ben Eric, Lem Reed, Effervescence, Bill Young, Lindarose, Sir Christopher, Rose of Hilo, Nanon, Revel and Limb of the Law also ran.

Fourth race, mile—McGrathiana, Prince, 102 (Dugan), even, won; Dod Anderson, 102 (Leuchi), 4 to 1, second; Ben G., 107 (Kent), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:41⅘. Straggler, Bandillo and Haupala also ran.

Fifth race, Brooks course—Invictus, 99 (Perrine), 8 to 1, won; Position, 110 (Dugan), 4 to 5, second; Iraz, 94 (Kent), 6 to 1, third. Frangible, Helgerson, Lauretta Phillips, Allabout and Doctor Clark also ran.

Sixth race, Slauson course—Lady Kispar, 98 (McComas), 10 to 1, won; Lady Mirthful, 109 (Fitzpatrick), 10 to 1, second; MacFlecknoe, 114 (Fuller), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:11. Evermore, Ricefol, Estado, Estrellada, Pilon, Lou Merrill, Kitty Roark, McJetta, Suave, Metlakatla and Ericola also ran.

TO-DAY'S ASCOT ENTRIES.

First race, six furlongs:

Palmist	115	The Gadfly	100
Laura F. M.	112	George Kelly	111
Whitestone	105	Lauretta Phil'ips	97
Dusky Secret	100	Manora	92
Ledatrix	92	Homebred	87

Second race, five and a half furlongs:

Descuento	116	Skeptic	102
Taxer	107	Edgraffe	102
Tramoto	107	Kahallan	102
Pasadena	105	Buckster Holy	99

Third race, the Inglewood Hurdle Handicap, mile and a half:

Milas	175	Ruth's Rattler	135
Nitrate	172	Cassador	135
Grafter	162	Can Nell	130
All-stance	140	May Holliday	130

Fourth race, six furlongs:

Club	115	Oeyrobe	108
Elfin King	110	Komombo	102
Cerro Santa	110	St. Winifrede	106
Edinborough	110	Funnyside	99

Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth:

Emperor of India	115	Princess Tulane	101
Schoolmate	114	Sais	98
Arabo	95	Loretta M.	90
Requiter	105	Ralph Rose	88
High Chancellor	108		

Sixth race, mile and seventy yards:

Watercure	113	Briarthorpe	106
Bitmoful	109	Dutiful	90
Arabo	108	Persian	87

ASCOT SELECTIONS.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Los Angeles, Jan. 20.—Selections:

First Race—Homebred, Palmist, Laura F. M.

Second Race—Pasadena, Taxer, Skeptic.

Third Race—Grafter, Nitrate, May Holliday.

Fourth Race—Oeyrobe, Elfin King, Club.

Fifth Race—Loretta M., Sais, Princess Tulane.

Sixth Race—Bitmoful, Briarthorpe, Dutiful.

Results at Oakland.

San Francisco, Jan. 20.—There was a heavy plunge on Morita at Oakland to-day in the opening race, but True Wing won easily. Cousin Carrie was a redhot favorite in the third. Halford, however, came fast into the stretch and won by a length and a half. Summaries:

First race, six furlongs—True Wing, 108 (Daly), 5 to 1, won; Morita, 108 (Bell), 9 to 5, second; Laurese, 105 (Jones), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:18⅘. Maid of Fetooy, Nisa, Pousse Cafe and Pearl Waters also ran.

Second race, six and one-half furlongs—Lady Kent, 107 (Davis), 7 to 10, won; Doctor Sherman, 105 (Bennett), 4 to 1, second; Aled Burns, 112 (Bell), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:22⅘. Saints, Play Ball, Rosea, Profitable and Hugh McGowan also ran.

Third race, one and one-half furlongs—Halford, 103 (Jones), 2 to 1, won; Cousin Carrie, 104 (Chandler), 7 to 5, second; Sir Preston, 106 (Davis), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:41. Greenock, Suburban Queen, Waterspout and Standard also ran.

Fourth race, one mile—Instrument, 106 (Martin), 19 to 1, won; Haven Run, 104 (Davis), even, second; Inspector Munro, 104 (Sullivan), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:46⅘. Mr. Parmum, Bedford, Virginia, Doctor Sheets and Pencil Me also ran.

Fifth race, seven furlongs—Platt, 110 (Jones), 7 to 5, won; Meadia, 106 (Sullivan), 4 to 1, second; Handy Hill, 106 (Daly), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:32. Eschoes, San Jose, Macene, Glendora and Lady Fashion also ran.

Sixth race, one mile—Captain Morse, 119 (Bell), 10 to 1, won; Sadfiete, 96 (Miller), 6 to 1, second; Ink, 104 (Martin), 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:46. Circus, Tom Slavin, Claudator, Rowena and Maxtress also ran.

TO-DAY'S OAKLAND ENTRIES.

First race, five furlongs:

Royal White	110	Yellowstone	103
Bummer	108	Standard	103
Karabel	105	Transfeller	102
Eliceto	98	Lorado	100
Per Hawaiian	105	Silicate	98
Landlus	98		

Second race, three and a half furlongs:

Captain Burnet	110	Miss Tracy	102
I'm Too	111	Schellie	102
F. W. Barr	110	Yearning	97
Novi	110	George A. Knight	97
Miss Berg	107	Syphon Girl	102
Bellona	107		

Third race, seven furlongs:

Tom O'Shanter	111	Red Cross Nurse	107
Hainault	106	South Land	95
Anvil	95	Doctor Sherman	90
The Prettier	107		

Fourth race, mile, handicap:

Claude	125	Gateway	106
Honiton	105	Bombardier	106
Elliott	111	The Lady Robesia	105
Military Man	91	Judge	105
Letoka	108	Sea Air	101

Fifth race, mile and a quarter:

Bottom	104	Royalty	98
Briers	104	Flying Torpedo	96
Modicum	98	Hurka	94
Barrack	99		

Sixth race, mile and a hundred yards:

Big Beach	98	Hoolican	105
Am	105	Sea Air	102
Yada	108	Lady Goodrich	102
M. A. Powell	108	Arisbe	103
Head Dance	105		

OAKLAND SELECTIONS.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

San Francisco, Jan. 20—Selections:

First Race—Bummer, Doublet, Silicate.

Second Race—Syphon Girl, Miss Berg, I'm Too.

Third Race—Hainault, Anvil, Tom O'Shanter.

Fourth Race—Claude, Honiton, Military Man.

Fifth Race—Flying Torpedo, Briers, Modicum.

Sixth Race—Sea Air, Big Beach, M. A. Powell.

UNION RACE TRACK TO BE SOLD TO-DAY.

Second Disposal of the Plant Will Take Place on the East Steps of the Courthouse.

Receiver John M. Woods will hold his second sale of the Union race course on the east steps of the Courthouse this afternoon, the sale having been ordered on account of the former purchaser, Jordan W. Lambert, having asked that the sale be set aside on account of a misunderstanding over the question of taxes.

On the last sale the property was sold for $63,000. Captain P. J. Carmody, Billy Frank and several other stockholders, including Henry Griesiedeck, state that they will raise this price considerably, as they believe that the time is opportune for making another effort to conduct the plant.

Captain Carmody stated that the sum probably would go as high as $150,000. Mr. Lambert has said that he will again be a bidder for the plant. He says that he believes the tract is available for real estate purposes, as there is an option for the outright purchase of the ground for $50,000 in six years.

News that Eli Corrigan has almost succeeded in organizing a circuit, while lacking definite confirmation, seems to have encouraged stockholders in the Natural Bridge road plant, and they evidently intend to be strongly represented to-day.

HIGH BEATS SMITH.

Central Boys Defeat Red and White in Close Game of Basket Ball.

Central High School defeated Smith Academy in the Interscholastic League basket-ball game at Louisiana Hall last night in a very close game by the score of 13 to 8.

Team work was a noticeable feature on the part of both sides, and this prevented either from running up a very large score.

The figures at the end of the first half were 7 to 5 in favor of the red and black. White Smith could not get the lead, the red and white players put up a plucky game.

The throwing of Otto Schwarz on foul goals was a feature, and he pocketed the majority of his tries. In the opening game, the second team of High School defeated the Yeatman High School by the score of 16 to 2.

The line-up:

High School.	Position.	Smith Academy.
Roeder	Left forward	Bixby
Barrett	Right forward	Schmitz
Lewis	Center	Giesecke-Ahrens
Hecker	Left guard	Griffin
Tittman	Right guard	Maneur-Strauss

Referee—DoctorOcock. Time of halves, fifteen minutes.

High School and Smith Academy teams will go to Alton this afternoon to play teams of that place. The red and black five will meet Shurtleff, while the red and white will oppose Western Military Academy.

High School will play McKinley High School at Louisiana Hall to-night.

HART-TAYLOR CASE STILL IN THE GLOW

Beckley and Selee Will Probably Be Witnesses at the Hearing.

FIRST BASEMAN'S STATEMENT.

Declares That It Is an Outrage to Use His Name in Connection With Baseball Scandal.

The Taylor case is developing new angles and drawing others besides Taylor and Hart into the controversy.

From present indications it appears that Manager Frank Selee of the Chicago team and Jake Beckley will appear at the hearing of the pitcher.

Selee, it is now learned, was opposed to Taylor early in the season of 1903, and advised Hart to trade him as soon as possible. Before the games in which Taylor's alleged crookedness is supposed to have occurred, Selee offered Taylor to Cincinnati for Seymour and Ewing. The tender was refused. Later negotiations were reopened, but eventually the Robisons landed Jack. Selee, it is understood, was opposed to Taylor on account of the latter's disposition. If the Taylor case ever comes to trial the chances are that Selee will be asked his reasons for wanting to get rid of a pitcher of Taylor's ability.

And now comes Jacob Beckley. Jake says it is an outrage to have his name connected with the Taylor case. Beckley is now helping Jake Holtman starting at the Los Angeles track.

He forgets the ponies long enough to remark: "I am an honest player and defy any man to prove otherwise.

"Taylor I know didn't want to pitch that day in Pittsburg. Night before Jack and myself were out to the Can Club on the Perrysville road. The pace was fast, but I took good care of myself. We landed at the Monon House later than usual that night. It was Taylor's turn to go on next day. Nick must have seen that Taylor was in no shape to pitch, but he made no change in the schedule.

"I recall that as the bus was about to start away from the Smithfield Station, a pal of Jack's told him he was going to put a few 'quids' on him that afternoon.

"Jack shouted to him to keep the money as he was not in shape that afternoon.

"Taylor is right in saying that a drop single in left, which our man out there could not get, caused trouble. This was in the first inning, and two men were out. The call on Harry Smith was 'two strikes,' and no balls. Jack sent a close one on the inside and Smith, in pulling away, hit it with his bat, driving a slow fly back of third base.

"Taylor was in bad shape, and at that Pittsburg did not hit him hard. He made one long hit himself, if I remember rightly."

Beckley will not come East to testify in the Taylor-Hart case unless transportation is sent to him.

The admission that Beckley makes about himself and Taylor explains to a certain extent why the Cardinals could not finish as strong as the .500 mark last year, and reflects very little credit on the manager of the team.

Had Nichols used judgment neither Beckley nor Taylor would have been allowed to play in a game, which according to their own admission, they were in no physical condition to participate in.

Weakness on the part of the local National League managers for the last three years explains in a measure that team's poor showing. Burke abused Donovan, and Pat did not resent it. Taylor, Beckley and others practically looked upon Nichols as a figurehead. It was not their fault. They took just as many liberties as they were allowed. Nichols, like his predecessor, Donovan, lacked backbone, and this cerebral weakness caused the poor showing the Cardinals made with the good material at hand.

Catcher Jim McGuire of the New York Americans has accepted that club's terms for next season. Griffith, it is understood, is after Jack Doyle, and will give to that player a chance, provided he gets himself in condition by the time the season rolls around.

P. J. Hynes, the Browns' right fielder, is planning a trip to either Hot Springs or West Baden to get himself in condition for the coming season.

Pat is in good condition now. He has been playing football at Kulage League all winter, and this has helped his wind considerably. He is also one of the handball fraternity headed by Jack O'Connor that gives daily exhibitions of the game on friendly walls in North St. Louis. Hynes wants to go to Hot Springs to get himself in the very best of condition. Pat now weighs 171 pounds, as against 190 during last season, and he feels that if he could reduce four or five pounds he would be right.

Griffith has eleven pitchers on his staff, including himself. He intends to send the whole bunch to Montgomery, Ala., two weeks before the rest of the team, in order to get the outfit in shape. His pitchers are Chesbro, Powell, Orth, Clarkson, Puttnam, Newton, Whiteley, Holycross, another youngster, and himself.

The Athletics have released Infielder Mullen to the Chicago White Sox. Mullen wanted to go to Toronto, but Comiskey refused to waive claim.

Lee Tannehill doesn't like the dimensions of the figures submitted to him by the Chicago Americans, and is thinking of going into business. That won't prevent him from being on hand when spring roll call comes.

Davenport Defeats Becker.

Davenport had comparatively little trouble in winning from Becker at the Grand's handicap tourney game last night and beat the latter by a score of 30 to 20. The score:

Davenport—1 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 2—30. High run, 8, average, 37.

Becker—0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 2 1 0 1—20. High run, 2, average, 22.

Fillmore Wins From Remark.

By playing unusually clever billiards last night, Fillmore, a scratch man in the Royal three-cushion handicap tournament, defeated Remark with a handicap of ten by a score of 25 to 22. Fillmore made an average of .72. The score:

Fillmore — 1 0 0 2 0 1 0 2 0 1 0 2 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 2 1 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 4 1 2—25. High run, 4, average, .72.

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