"JIM" SULLIVAN, GOOD AS HIS WORD, ACCEPTS PORTFOLIO

AS TOLD IN THE CALL SUNDAY, HE TAKES 1915 JOB

No Man in Country So Well Fitted for Responsible Post as Is the A. A. U. Secretary

By WILLIAM UNMACK

Last December The Call gave out exclusively the announcement that James Edward Sullivan, secretary treasurer of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States, had been offered the position of athletic director of the Panama-Pacific international exposition. Last Sunday The Call again gave its readers exclusively the news that Mr. Sullivan had definitely decided to accept the position. Yesterday he was as good as his word, and the Exposition company was able to make the announcement last night that the directors had conferred with the "Big Chief" and that he had accepted the portfolio.

Mr. Sullivan is the greatest authority on amateur athletics in the world, and time and again has shown his master hand as an organizer of the highest caliber. He has been connected with every world's exposition ever held in this country, either as director of athletics or head of the physical departments. His appointment gives the trade mark of "international class" to the 1915 games. He is undoubtedly the only man in the country whose personality is such that foreign athletes will flock to this coast for all branches of sport.

POPULAR EVERYWHERE

He is a man of great personality, a man easily approached and always willing to lend a helping hand in the interests of the games he has devoted his life's work toward establishing and bringing from insignificance to the highest pinacle of perfection. He is popular wherever he goes and in his short visit here has made a host of friends.

Just how the big program will be handled he has not yet announced, but he has made it clear that he will appoint many of the best known amateur athletic followers and authorities to assist him in bringing the series to the successful issue that it can not help being. Later on it is probable that he will take up an extended residence in this city, but for the present he has not laid any plans. He realizes that work will have to be started immediately on the games and on his return to New York will start the machinery of the great Amateur Athletic union in motion to bring about the appearance here of European and other world athletes in 1915.

GREAT STADIUM PLANNED

Before leaving for Los Angeles last night the newly appointed athletic director outlined a tentative program of events to be pulled off during the life of the exposition. A special stadium will be built in the exposition grounds for the great series of games, etc., and "out Jim" has promised that it will be without an equal in the world.

Not even the famous and wonderful stadiums of Athens, Paris, London, St. Louis or Stockholm will be able to compare with the 1915 field on which the games are to be held. Every modern convenience for the running off of great athletic meets will be installed. A quarter mile straightaway is one of the features that has been proposed, and if this is installed Sullivan looks for world's record after world's record to be given the ax. Even Maxey Long's long standing 47 flat will receive a tremendous jolt.

This and many other new features will be included in the stadium.

STUDY THIS LIST

The program as announced by Mr. Sullivan yesterday follows:

Lawn tennis, archery, swimming, gymnastics, all around athletics, modern pentathlon, pentathlon, decathlon, cycling, soccer, baseball, handball, fly casting, trap shooting, rifle shooting, polo, military tournaments, roque, flying machine contests, auto races, golf, rugby, La Crosse, playgrounds, elementary, interscholastic meets, national college championships, Pacific coast intercollegiate championships, state intercollegiate championships, motor boats, barge racing, rowing, motor cycling, national athletics, boxing, wrestling, fencing, basket ball and other events yet to be named.

The rowing regattas probably will be rowed on the Oakland estuary, this being the only water stretch suitable for shell rowing. At present an international collegiate regatta is being worked up by Pat O'Dea, the Stanford coach, and he will confer with Mr. Sullivan later on the project. It is also possible that the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen will also bring their national 1915 championships here to be contested. Both regattas will be under the auspices of the exposition.

Athletic Director Sullivan will return from Los Angeles on Monday and will hold another conference with the exposition officials.

Kilbane Wants a Whack At Joe Rivers

(By Federal Wireless to The Call)

LOS ANGELES, April 9.—Johnny Kilbane is anxious to get into the ring with Joe Rivers again, and today his manager, Jimmy Dunn, said Kilbane would meet Rivers on July 4 if a match could be arranged, provided Rivers came in at not more than 133 ringside.

"There is no use of McCarey hunting around for an opponent for Rivers" said Dunn. "I've a boy right here who will meet him July 4 or any other time.

"Kilbane knocked Rivers out once and believes he can do it again. All that will be necessary to get a match is for Rivers to weigh in at not over 133 ringside and we will do the rest."

Sands Wins Way to Finals In National Tennis

BOSTON, April 9.—Charles Sands of the Racquet and Tennis club, New York, won his way into the final round of the national amateur court tennis championship today by defeating Dr. G. S. Derby of Boston in a four set match.

The third set ran to 14 games. Summaries:

Semi-finals—Charles E. Sands, New York, beat G. S. Derby, Boston, 6—4, 6—0, 6—8, 8—2. Joshua Crane, Boston, beat D. P. Rhodes, Boston, 6—2, 6—1, 6—1.

WASHINGTON 13, TORONTO 2

WASHINGTON, April 9.—The Washington Americans overwhelmed the Toronto International league team here today. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Toronto	2	7	2
Washington	13	17	0

Batteries—Rudolph, Brant and Trout; Cashion and Williams. Umpire—Colliflower.

Finals for World's Skating Title Will Be Run Off Sunday

Wilfred Stoutenberg.

Cyclonic Stoutenberg Is a Likely Winner of the Championship

Wilfred Stoutenberg, who will be in the final for the two mile roller skating championship of the world at the Coliseum on Sunday, is skating better than he has ever done in his life. He first sprung into more than local prominence as a racer when he beat Harley Davidson, the then world's champion and perhaps the most famous skater that ever lived, in a now historic contest in San Francisco. But "Stockey" is now going much faster than he was then, and his sprint is at once the wonder of spectators and the despair of opponents. There is one man who seems able to beat him, and that is George Richardson, present Pacific coast champion. These two racers about divide the races and the contest is always a thriller. They will meet for the world's title Sunday and the five other winners of the perliminary heats of this series will also be competing.

Midge Sherman won the fourth heat of the two mile professional championship at the Coliseum last night. Paul Turk was second and Fred Marshall third. The winner's time was 5 minutes and 48 seconds. The fifth heat takes place tonight and should prove a thrilling contest, as Mel Weingarten, Fred Marshall and Dan Arena of Oakland will be taking part.

MRS. BAKER OUTPLAYS HER RIVAL, MRS. POND

Fair Golfers Play Many Interesting Matches on the Links at Ingleside

By H. McDONALD SPENCER

The second round in the ladies' division of the northern California tournament, which was played yesterday at Ingleside, has eliminated all but players of the scratch class, Mrs. Walter Martin having been put out in the first round.

The scores indicate how much greater is the gulf between lady golfers than is the case with the corresponding ranks of men players.

Mrs. Thomas F. Baker of Burlingame defeated Mrs. G. P. Pond by 5 and 4. Mrs. Clark, who is playing in great form, won from Mrs. Scribner, 9 and 7. The winner made 42 going out, which is equal to what I have seen in a Pacific coast championship finals for men. Miss Alice Warner also continues her good play, defeating Mrs. Armsby 8 and 6, the latter having found difficulty on the greens.

Mrs. Ford, by her victory over Miss Hotaling, also qualifies for the semi-finals today, playing Miss Warner, while Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Clark are the contestants in the other half.

Yesterday's results:

Mrs. Thomas F. Baker defeated Mrs. G. P. Pond, 5 and 4; Mrs. J. R. Clark defeated Mrs. O. Scribner, 9 and 7; Miss Alice Warner defeated Mrs. G. Armsby, 8 and 6; Mrs. C. F. Ford defeated Miss Jane Hotaling, 3 and 1.

U. C. and Olympics Will Meet on Track

On Saturday the University of California track and field team will enter its final preliminary meet when the men go against the Olympic club athletes. The Olympic club has not shown up to good advantage this season, but on Saturday will have its strongest team in the competitions. Trainer Walter Christie yesterday announced the blue and gold entrants as follows:

100 to 220 yards—Stanton, Wood, Wadsworth, Scott, Hazeltine, Griffin, Threlkeld.

440 yards—Todd, Clark, Meyer, Straub, Ellis, Woodruff, Hunt, Cochran.

880 yards—Smith, Griffiths, Cuendett, Edwards, Muenter, Black, Cliff.

One mile—Wood, Crabbe, Wright, Saxon, Vedder.

Two miles—Stowills, Vedder, Mills, Gregory, Spindet, Zeillie.

120 yard high hurdles—Preble, Beeson, Baker, Knapp, Maker.

220 yard low hurdles—Bruick, Riddick, Preble, Beeson, Baker, Knapp, Maker.

Hammer throw—Shattuck, Coolidge, Wiley, Boardman, Weinard, Harris.

Shotput—Lockhart, Thomas, Doyle, Shattuck, Lee, Besch.

Pole vault—Bangs, Young, Wright, Graves, Frisbie, Gavin, Reische, Mugee, Ostrander.

High jump—Beeson, Hill, McFie, Ariols, Rector, Ostrander, Bradway, Calle.

Broad jump—Allen, Bogardus, Maker, Bradway, Root, Reed, Weatherbee.

McCarey May Sign Rivers And Cross for July 4

(By Federal Wireless to The Call)

LOS ANGELES, April 8.—Joe Rivers and Leach Cross of New York may be the attraction at Vernon for Independence day. With the unsatisfactory outcome of their 10 round affair last night, it is thought these two would be the strongest card possible outside of a match between Ritchie and Rivers. But as champion Ritchie has evidenced no desire to fight here, Uncle Tom McCarey said he would consider the Rivers-Cross go. Rivers' friends here say the Mexican's seemingly poor showing last night was because of small ring and open boxing rules in vogue in New York. In a 20 round contest at Vernon, and with clinching and infighting allowed, they claim Cross wouldn't last 10 rounds.

COLLEGE OARSMEN FAST SHAPING UP

Great Interest Centers in the Regatta Between Coast Universities

Scientists assert that there is no such thing as perpetual motion, but if they were to inquire into the intercollegiate contests between California and Stanford they would have a new theory to go on. Just as long as the sun rises and sets California and Stanford hold their dual track meets and eight oar rowing regatta. Next Saturday week both the track meet and regatta will be pulled off.

The regatta this year will once more be made doubly interesting by the presence of the University of Washington eight oar crew. The northern varsity gave Stanford a great fight last year and are coming south for this regatta full of pep, enthusiasm and confidence of taking the honors of the three cornered regatta. The Washingtonians, in charge of Coach Hiram Conibear and Captain Harry Waller, will reach the city next Sunday and put in all the week over the course.

Coach Conibear has announced his crew with their weights as follows:

Captain Waller, 170 pounds, stroke; A. C. Campbell, 165 pounds, No. 7; Hutton, 181 pounds, No. 6; Walski, 191 pounds, No. 5; Archie Campbell, 180 pounds, No. 4; Bonney, 172 pounds, No. 3; Frankland, 166 pounds, No. 2; Taylor, 149 pounds, bow. George Schwabland, a senior, who is turning out for his fourth year, will get his first opportunity to pilot the varsity in an intercollegiate race.

This crew is considerably heavier than the one that represented the northern university last year, and Coach Conibear has great hopes of seeing his boys send the prow of the shell over the line ahead of both Stanford and California.

Stanford varsity crew has been working out daily for some time past under the coaching of Pat O'Dea. The men have not been selected for the big race, but those mostly used in the new English shell are: R. Olmstead, stroke; Blase and Hulsman, 7; Jacomini, 6; Captain Duryea, 5; Clover, 4; Haggart, 3; Grebe and Rehme, 2, and Jeffers, bow.

California has two strong crews rowing on the estuary, and the final eight men are yet a matter of conjecture. The likely looking slide pushers are: Sutton or Merrit, bow; Young, No. 2; Lyons or Craig, No. 3; Hallner, No. 4; Williams or Denman, No. 5; Shaw, No. 6; Georgeson, No. 7, with Captain Art Eaton in the stroke slide. Hutton or Coombes will be the coxswain.

California and Stanford yesterday exchanged their crew eligibility lists. The men on each squad cover both the varsity and freshman crews. The lists are as follows:

Stanford—F. M. Worth, J. C. Wood, B. Williams, B. M. Sawbridge, A. J. Oyster, C. A. Ouse, J. E. Meade, C. W. Long, F. E. Keast, P. Kierbiel, R. J. Lessup, L. B. Jones, A. Jones, P. Hayes, H. P. Hart, R. S. Hamaker, W. A. Green, J. H. Goodman, P. S. Gillespie, A. B. Fisher, E. E. Font, W. T. Finch, R. Fox, E. W. Eaton, M. J. Cody, J. D. Chance, E. Bandini, E. H. Ford, J. S. Jedees, Gus J. A. Commini, Ivan Hulsman, G. F. Haggart, J. S. Grepe, C. L. Foulke, R. F. Duryea, P. P. Clover, G. C. Branner, William Bloeser, Roy Blase.

California—A. F. Bridge, B. B. Blake, O. W. Young, Arthur Eaton, A. S. Hollberg, E. K. Craig, F. F. Lyons, L. T. Coombs, J. McClean, E. C. Cordes, L. W. Georgeson, Paul Chaltom, C. E. Denman, R. C. Shaw, T. C. Hutton, R. E. Merritt, C. Z. Sutton, C. J. Williams, R. N. Hallner, E. C. Morehead, M. F. Davis, C. D. Hart, M. D. Curtis, A. M. Hazzard, F. D. Heastand, J. E. Wright, T. E. Gay, W. B. Auger, A. H. Sherwood, H. N. Pratt, B. H. Pratt, G. E. Hodgkin, R. J. Stull, N. F. Dougherty, G. L. Ebner, H. A. Norris, A. G. Black, C. S. Huntington, J. S. Brown, G. F. Cornwall, G. H. Gale, J. C. Howard, J. P. Anderson, Gilbert Stewart.

School Tossers Play Many Good Games

Horace Mann 95 pound midgets defeated the Franklin dwarfs yesterday at Southside diamond by 8 to 4. Southpaw Simpson twirled a good game for the winners. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Horace Mann	8	5	2
Franklin	4	4	7

Batteries—Simpson and Foley; Golden and Golden.

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On their home grounds Hamilton school defeated Grant by a score of 11 to 3. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Hamilton	11	8	3
Grant	3	2	4

Batteries—Trowbridge and Healey; Desmond and Wells.

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Fairmont and Bernal played a nip and tuck game at Balboa park, the former winning. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Fairmount	8	11	3
Bernal	7	10	4

Batteries—Fenan, Benson and Cassidy; Hogan and Driscoll.

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Two games are scheduled to be played today. Columbia will play state normal at Southside, and Hancock and Washington will cross bats at North Beach.

McAllister May Don the Gloves in Los Angeles

(By Federal Wireless to The Call)

LOS ANGELES, April 9.—Bob McAllister, the San Francisco middle weight who made Los Angeles boxing fans sit up and stare when he won the middle weight and heavy weight amateur championships here last year, is in Los Angeles for a few days.

"I feel like a house afire," said McAllister. "This boy Willie Meehan was a tough nut to crack up in Oakland, but I guess I succeeded. It was peculiar to note how many people who told me what a hard man Meehan was before the bout changed their minds and said he had gone back afterwards.

"I am going to take on Paddy Laven of Baltimore in San Francisco April 25. I expect to have no trouble with him. After that I may come down south and talk business with Tom McCarey."

While there is little doing among the middle weights at the present time, McAllister may be given a chance with the winner of the Daly-Fagin go, which is the windup of the Brown-Anderson affair.

Lipton's Challenge Sent To N. Y. Y. C.

(Special Cable to The Call)

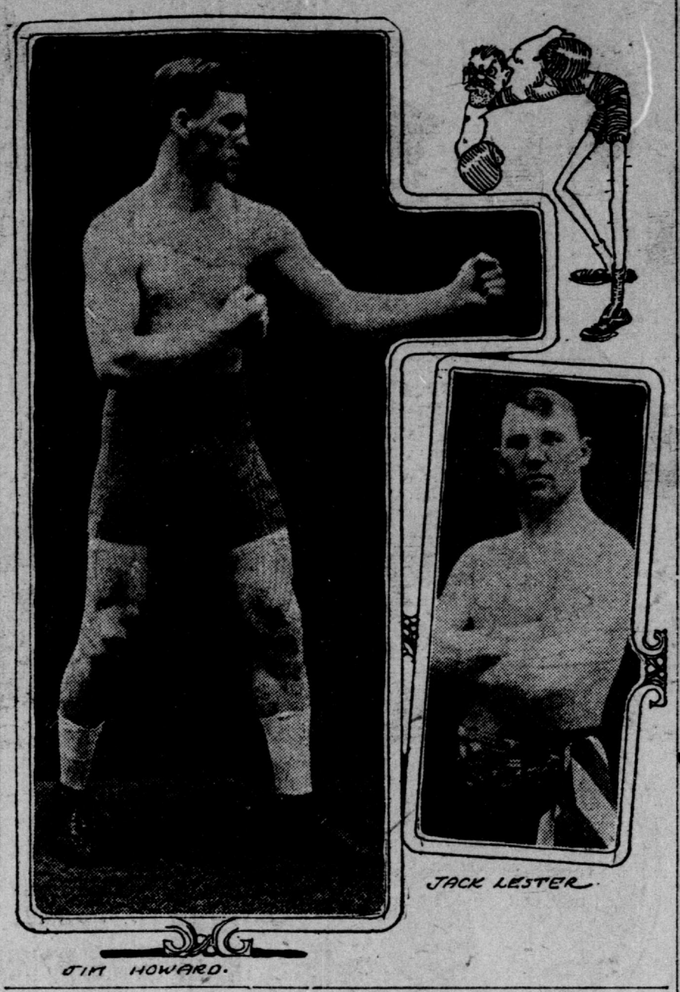
LONDON, April 8.—The Royal Ulster Yacht club tonight forwarded Sir Thomas Lipton's unconditional challenge for the America's cup and addressed the following letter to Mr. Cormack, the secretary of the New York Yacht club:

"I have the honor to inform you that the Royal Ulster Yacht club has received the following communication from Sir Thomas Lipton:

"'Although our opinions differ from those of the New York Yacht club as to the meaning of the deed of gift, in the interests of yachting and with the view of eliminating any possible source of discord I shall be glad if you will inform the New York Yacht club that I withdraw all stipulations as to the size of the yacht defending the cup and look forward to a good race with my 75 footer in 1914.'"

TWO LIVE ONES FOR FRIDAY NIGHT

Jimmy Howard (at the Top) and Jack Lester



COUNTERPART, AT 12 TO 1, HAS SIXTH RACE ALL TO HIMSELF

California Colt Dynamo Has Tumble, Severely Injuring His Rider

(Special Dispatch to The Call)

NORFOLK, Va., April 9.—Class was lacking today in all six races, although the finishes were close and exciting. The last race, once around the circle, was the feature and the winner turned up in Counterpart at 12 to 1. The son of McGee was a wild horse and, with a feather up, ran rings around his opponents. Golden Treasure, played by the railbirds, did well to be second from Pon's plater. The public pinned its faith to Spellbound, ruling a hot favorite, but as usual on the far turn he bolted and finished among the also rans.

McCreary, starting for the first time in the opening scramble, outclassed the others and won, going away from the pacemaker, Veno Von.

The two year old, second on the card, attracted nine youngsters. Old Cross was backed off the boards, but he encountered considerable hard luck. Carbureter did well, after a letup since the Chareston meeting, to score at 6 the Charleston meeting, to score at 6 the way.

The California colt Dynamo came in for a heavy play as the horses were going to the post in the third race. Foley's recent purchase, however, came to grief as the horses were straightened out for the wire and fell, throwing his jockey heavily to the ground. The boy was badly injured and unconscious. The winner turned up in Ancon, held at 3 to 1 in the betting. Bedwell's Jonquil was second, with the rank outsider Arran third.

Smash was backed for a killing to capture the fourth race, closing at 7 to 10. Chemulpo ran kindly and won with something to spare from the red-hot choice. The 100 to 1 shot, Tiger Jim, did well to show. With his speed, Jessupburn tore off in front and spreadeagled his field. The favorite, Theo Cook, closed like a cyclone to be second from New Haven.

The summary:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; 3 year olds and upward:

Odds.	Horse.	Fin.
2-1	McCreary	1
3-1	Veno Von	2
5-2	Cloud Chief	3

McCreary 4-5 place, 2-5 show; Von 1 place, 1-2 show. Chief 1-2 show. Dust, Running Account, Racine, Lady Sybil, also ran.

SECOND RACE—Four furlongs; 2 year olds:

Odds.	Horse.	Fin.
6-1	Carbureter	1
10-1	Zack Wiggins	2
20-1	Colonel C	3

Carbureter 2 place, 1 show; Wiggins 4 place, 2 show; Colonel 4 show. Old Cross, Pat Rutledge, Trifle, Colors, Lord Esterling, Madge's Sister, also ran.

THIRD RACE—Five and a half furlongs; selling:

Odds.	Horse.	Fin.
3-1	Ancon	1
3-1	Jonquil	2
20-1	Arran	3

Ancon 6-5 place, 1-2 show; Jonquil 1 place, 1-2 show; Arran 4 show. Captain Jinks, Miss Tromp, Anna Claire, Willis, Dynamo, also ran. Scratched—Feil.

FOURTH RACE—Five and a half furlongs:

Odds.	Horse.	Fin.
2-1	Chemulpo	1
7-10	Smash	2
100-1	Tiger Jim	3

Chemulpo 1-8 place, out show; Smash 1-5 place, out show; Jim 6 show. Roseburg, Hans Creek, also ran. Scratched—Island Queen, Coeur d'Alene.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; 3 year olds and upward:

Odds.	Horse.	Fin.
4-1	Jessupburn	1
2-1	Theo. Cook	2
4-1	New Haven	3

Jessupburn 8-5 place, 4-5 show; Cook 4-5 place, 2-5 show; New Haven 7-10 show. York Lad, Black Branch, Touch Me, Jim O, also ran.

SIXTH RACE—One mile:

Odds.	Horse.	Fin.
12-1	Counterpart	1
3-1	Golden Treasure	2
10-1	Judge Walser	3

Counterpart 5 place, 2 show; Treasure 4-5 place, 2-5 show; Walser 2 show. Spellbound, Hedge Rose, Chryseis, also ran. Scratched—Judge Monck.

His Honor Didn't Want to Be Wised Up

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 9.—Counsel for Jack Redmond and Joe Welling, pugilists facing trial for prize fighting, offered to stage a 10 round bout in the municipal court today to demonstrate the difference between prize fighting and a boxing exhibition. The court declined the offer. Redmond and Welling pleaded not guilty and will be tried at the present term of court.

The Call's Selections For Today's Card at Virginia Meet

By JOE MURPHY

Following are the entries and The Call's selections for today's races at the Jamestown track:

FIRST RACE—Four furlongs; 2 year olds:

Index.	Horse.	Wt.
7647	CHARLES CANNELL	117
7616	ZACK WIGGINS	112
....	SALVATION NELL	104
7627	New Colors	107
....	Zodiac	110
7374	Free Trade	112
7627	Wanita	113

Charles Cannell has shown the best of those that have faced the barrier. Zack Wiggins ran second yesterday to Carbureter and should again be inside the money.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; selling:

Index.	Horse.	Wt.
7590	ROYAL MESSAGE	107
7629	SMASH	90
7638	TROY WEIGHT	113
7638	El Oro	117
6570	Big Dipper	95
7648	Shilielah	99
7635	Brynary	101
7637	Coppertown	107
6482	Double Five	110
7630	Aviator	110

Looks like a good thing for Royal Message to win. Last race third and was heavily played. Smash ran second yesterday to Chemulpo.

THIRD RACE—Five and a half furlongs:

Index.	Horse.	Wt.
7624	MONACACY	113
7629	PARIS QUEEN	102
7629	EATON	104
6464	Chuckles	107
7624	Tale Carrier	105
7629	Charles Buford	101
6088	Kayderoseros	104

Monocacy has to repeat the race when he won the Charleston derby to land the long end of the purse. Paris Queen last race was undoubtedly short. Eaton never better than at present.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:

Index.	Horse.	Wt.
7636	PALANQUIN	110
6593	GROVER HUGHES	121
7612	SIR BLAISE	108
7636	Yorkville	95
6600	Kormack	103
4177	Messenger Boy	104
7630	Hoffman	108

Palanquin has been racing consistently, winning all his starts this season; is a grand colt. Grover Hughes has been working nicely, but it is his first start.

FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs; 4 year olds and upward:

Index.	Horse.	Wt.
7649	KITTERY	107
7650	QUESTION MARK	107
7650	VENETA STROME	99
7628	The Gardener	109
7631	Blue Mouse	106
6589	Excalibur	106
7619	Cynosure	99

Kittery won the other day; again figures to make a runaway race. Tossup for the place between Question Mark and Veneta Strome.

SIXTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards:

Index.	Horse.	Wt.
7651	CLEM BEACHEY	104
7651	MOLLIE S	107
7640	RAGMAN	109
7628	Cheer Up	104
7635	Irene Gummell	99
7514	Star Gift	102
7631	Camellia	102
7628	Joe Gaitens	104
7640	New River	108
7639	Benedictina	109
7631	The Squire	112

An open race. Clem Beachey has shown consistent form. Mollie S is speedy and last race a good one.

BEST BETS—PALANQUIN, KITTERY

Stanford Names Varsity Racquet Wielders

(Special Dispatch to The Call)

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, April 9.—R. L. Murray '13 of Palo Alto, Captain Virgil Sheldon '14 of Berkeley, William N. Hutchinson '14 of Palo Alto and Louis Sloss '16 of San Francisco will compose the varsity tennis team which will represent Stanford in the intercollegiate tournament which will be played with the California racquet wielders in Berkeley on April 23 and 24.

The players are rated in the order named and they will contest in four singles matches with the California players. Sheldon and Murray compose the first doubles team, while Hutchinson and Sloss will form the other.

By defeating his classmate, Herbert Hahn of Pasadena, yesterday afternoon in one of the closest matches seen here this semester, Louis Sloss won the fourth place on the varsity team. Hahn will be the first substitute.

RED SOX 8, HOLY CROSS 1

BOSTON, April 9.—The world's champions had their last workout prior to the opening of the American league season at the expense of the Holy Cross team today. The Red Sox finished errorlessly. The weather was bitterly cold. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Holy Cross	1	6	2
Boston	8	12	0

Batteries—Murray, McManus and Carroll; Collins, O'Brien and Carrigan, Cady.

LESTER READY TO SHOW LOCAL FANS

Northwestern Giant Must Make Good in His Bout With Al Kaufman

Whether Jack Lester, the northwestern heavy weight, is a boxer worth while, or whether he is only a flash in the pan will be decided tomorrow evening at the Pavilion rink. Lester clashes with Al Kaufman, the only available opponent to be had for him at the present time, and it is up to him to show his class or else to step back among the bushers from whence he came.

Lester never has appeared before a local gathering, and therefore the fans have had no chance to get a line on his form. He made many a good showing in Australia during the year and a half in which he remained there, but Australia is a different country than the United States so far as the fighting game is concerned, for the clean break style is in vogue there, while the slambang style is what catches the popular fancy of the Yankees.

Kaufman ought to be a good trial horse for Lester. He knows the game from A to Z, and while he is nothing like the man he used to be, still he is big and strong and retains that dangerous punch. If Lester decisively defeats Kaufman he is worthy of recognition, but if the former blacksmith puts it on him, then the northwestern giant must step down and out.

Kaufman's friends still believe that he has a few fights left in him, and they are all boosting him in his comeback start. Al has been working for the last two weeks at Millett's and looks to be in good shape.

Jimmy Howard, the Chicago middle weight, also will make his bow to the fans of this city. He will start against Willie Meehan, the former newsboy and the toughest and gamest member of the local 158 pound colony. They say that Howard is clever and shifty and possessed of a good punch, and he certainly will need everything at his command if he hopes to get away with Meehan. Up to the present time Bob McAllister is the only man who has beaten the former newsie.

Bobby Johnson, the veteran feather weight, will try to do a comeback turn against Walter Scott, the speedy little fellow from the Mission. Johnson was a speed marvel in his day and he may spring a surprise. Scott has been a consistent performer in the four round ranks for the last couple of years.

The balance of the card is as follows: Tom Nickola vs. Walter Coffey, middle weights; Eddie Miller vs. Tex Welsh, bantam weights; Salinas Jack Robinson vs. Red Mann, lightweights; Dummy Thomas vs. Bratton, lightweights; Buck O'Neill vs. Eddie White, lightweights.

Big Athletic Contests Stir Up Interest

The intercollegiate conference meet to be held at Berkeley May 10 gives promise of being the greatest set of intercollegiate games ever held on the Pacific coast.

A committee consisting of President John Elliott of the Pacific association, Trainer Walter Christie of California and Dad Moulton of Stanford will pass judgment on the records of the entrants received, and by their selection the conference committee will abide. This will insure only the high class stars, and will do away with the necessity of a lot of very unnecessary heats with second raters entered.

Yesterday the University of Southern California forwarded the following entry list for the meet: Sprints, Throop, Bradley, Carrigan; 440 yards, Hodge, Berger; 880 yards, Tipton; 2 miles, Swiggert; hurdles, Kelly, Ward; shot put, Kelly; broad jump, Earle; high jump, Ward; pole vault, Watkins; discus, Livernash.

The University of Oregon will not be represented, but the University of Washington will send a couple of men. The Oregon agricultural college has sent a full list of names, as follows:

One hundred yards, Baker; 440 yards, Walters; 880, Smith and Reynolds; one mile, Williams; two miles, Lafky; high jump, Woodworth; pole vault, Miller.

Besides these colleges, Pomona and Occidental of Los Angeles will be represented, and the University of Nevada will also compete.

Famous Breeder of Polo Ponies Dead

NEW YORK, April 8.—Harry Tappan of San Antonio, Tex., widely known in sporting circles as a breeder of polo ponies, died suddenly today at a hotel near the Meadow Brook Country club on Long Island. Tappan came to New York last Saturday with a carload of polo ponies and had completed negotiations for the sale of 20, to poloists who are to take part in the international polo match at the Meadow Brook club in June, when he was taken ill yesterday. He was 45 years old.

FIGHTERS ENTER TRAINING CAMPS

Wolgast and Murphy Start to Condition Themselves for Their Next Bout

Ad Wolgast and Harlem Tommy Murphy have at last started to work. They both settled down to the grind yesterday morning and they both promise to keep at it hammer and tongs till they step into the Eighth street arena a week from next Saturday afternoon to settle their long standing feud.

This match is really the only important one in sight and naturally, it is holding the interest of the eastern and middle western fans as well as those of San Francisco and vicinity. Their last memorable go is still fresh in the minds of all those who witnessed it. The next one promises to be even more exciting and if it does nothing else, it will surely eliminate one of them from the army of contenders for Willie Ritchie's lightweight crown.

Quite a bunch of fans gathered at the Seal Rock house to watch Wolgast go for the first time since his meeting with Murphy on Washington's birthday. He was up early and out on the road and in the afternoon he jumped into the ring of the pavilion and called for sparring partners.

Phil Knight, the tough youngster from Kansas City, was there to respond to the call and they boxed and fought and wrestled for two rounds. This boy Knight is a second Battling Nelson, always boring in and keeping on his toes every minute of the time. He gave Wolgast a fine workout. The former champion was sweating and puffing at the finish of the second round, but he was still anxious for more action, so they trotted Dick Wayne out.

Wayne also is a shifty performer, fast on his feet and ready to keep mixing things up at all times. Wolgast went right after him and they kept slamming back and forth for six lively minutes.

The former champion probably realizes that he did not work hard enough for either of his last two battles. Anyhow, he is starting off in a business like way this time. He has nearly two weeks in which to fit himself for his meeting with Murphy, and if he applies himself to his task there is no reason in the world why he should not pull up fit for the contest of his career.

The little fellow from Harlem was even busier than his stocky opponent. He traveled eight rounds, four each with Eddie Miller, the local feather weight and four with Johnny Frayne, his old time sparring mate. Murphy looks good. In fact he always does, and this is one of the reasons why the San Francisco fans always have been so willing and ready to back him.

None of Murphy's friends are worrying as to his form. He never was known to be caught off his guard in any fight which he ever fought in this city. He is confident of his ability to take the measure of his opponent from Michigan, and if he does there is little doubt but that he and his manager, Jim Buckley, will camp right on the trail of Willie Ritchie and try to force him to fight.

There has been no betting on the battle up to the present time, but it looks an even money proposition and take your pick.

BALTIMORE 5, ATHLETICS 3

BALTIMORE, April 9.—The Baltimore International league team won today's game with the Philadelphia Americans, 5 to 3, through Shawkey's exceptional pitching. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	3	2	2
Baltimore	5	9	6

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