

SPORTS

FOOTBALL IN EAST GAINS THIS YEAR

War Will Not Have the Same Effect on Great College Game as it Did Last Fall.

MUST KEEP ATHLETICS

Harvard, Yale and Princeton Will Probably Not Play Again, But Many Colleges Will Continue the Game.

[By H. C. Hamilton, United Press Staff Correspondent.]

NEW YORK, March 29.—The resumption of football, baseball, track and other sports at the bigger universities of the east foresees a return of football when next fall rolls around.

The terrible blow that was dealt college sports in 1917 probably will not be repeated this year. At any rate it may be stated positively that the impetus given sports by the spring and early summer events already given sanction will give sports a start for the winter that should branch into something real should the end of the year.

War or no war, it has been found that athletics must be carried on. The attention the war department is paying to sports has had some effect in producing this feeling, but the cry of the public and the athletes themselves has more to do with it. College men have come to the conclusion that arbitrarily cutting off a man's chance for physical development and concentrating time on other things reads like the old proverb: "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy."

War time football, therefore, may be looked forward to. No less an authority than Coach Robinson of the university of Pennsylvania, believes that the advent of another autumn will find eastern colleges going along at the same old pace. Pennsylvania, by the way, was one of the few big eastern colleges that ignored the troubles incident to the war and went right ahead with its athletic problems—and no one can say that Pennsylvania has not done its share of war work.

Sports suffered through the lack of big games last year. Football was only a halfway sort of game with the splendor of Harvard and Yale, Harvard and Princeton and Princeton and Yale. There is no use to surround the issue with camouflage. Yale, Harvard and Princeton uphold the torchlight which leads football. Without these big games football is only so so. These games are to football what the world's series is to baseball. They bring a climax of glory, gritty determination, and drama to the end of the football season. The Army and Navy always have supplied a color that was sadly missed last year. This big game, however, seems definitely abandoned, but the Army and Navy reasons are far more important than those which emanated from Cambridge and New Haven when hostilities broke out.

Tigers Cop Easy Contest.
[United Press Leased Wire Service.] WAXAHACHIE, Texas, March 29.—The Detroit Tigers will meet Dallas in a two game series this afternoon at Dallas. They beat the Camp Bowie team 9 to 5 here in an easy game yesterday.

Tennis Meet Ends Today.
[United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, March 29.—Finals in the national indoor tennis championships will be played here today on the courts of the Seventh regiment armory. Miss Molla Bjurstedt will meet Miss Eleanor Goss, runner up last year for the singles title and Miss Goss will team with Mrs. Spencer Fullerton Weaver in opposition to Mrs. Homer Stuart Green and Miss Crona Winn in the doubles.

DON'T TAKE A CHANCE

Keokuk People Should Act in Time.

If you suffer from backache; If you have headaches, dizzy spells; If the kidney secretions are irregular.

Don't delay—likely your kidneys are sick. Keokuk people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here's a Keokuk woman's experience: Mrs. Ellen Greibach, 1512 Bank street, says: "My kidneys were out of order and inflammation of the bladder added to my suffering. I had severe headaches. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from Scott & O'Reilly's Drug Store, promptly relieved all those troubles and put my kidneys in good order."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Greibach had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

SPORTETTES

Derrill Pratt and John Laven, have withdrawn their suit against President Ball of the St. Louis Americans. The suits were for \$50,000 each and damages were asked on the grounds that Ball in a newspaper interview had accused the men of laying down.

Jess Willard and Colonel Miller conferred with the mayor and president of the police board in Baltimore yesterday and were informed that the probability of staging the fight there was very small. There is a city ordinance in Baltimore limiting all fights to fifteen rounds. They were also informed that the general public in Baltimore did not want the fight.

Harold Pogue, one of the greatest halfbacks that ever wore an Illinois uniform and an old team-mate of "Potsy" Clark's, has passed the examination for the balloon observation section of the signal corps. He went up for the first time in Omaha last week.

J. Elwood Davis who captained the Iowa football team a short time ago, has received an offer to coach Penn college this fall. As Davis has a bid in to coach at West High, Des Moines, he is undecided whether to accept or not.

Joe Tinker, president and manager of the Columbus A. A. team, is going to allow the fans to vote on what time they want the ball games to start this summer. Most of the fans are voting for either 4:00 or 3:30.

Johnny Kilbane has been appointed to succeed Charley White as boxing instructor at Camp Grant. He will report to the Battle Creek cantonment shortly.

Fred Mitchell has decided to keep eight pitchers on the Cub roster this season. Alexander, Tyler, Vaughn, Hendrix, Weaver, Walker, Carter and Douglas will probably be the slab artists chosen.

Plans are going ahead for the Drake relay carnival to be held in Des Moines on the 29th of next month. There will be thirteen events in the meet, one of which will be the exhibition 100 yard dash between some of the greatest sprinters in the west.

FEW LEAGUERS EVER OWN CLUBS

Men Who Make Reputations and Money Playing Baseball Sell. Some Get to be Owners.

In looking over the owners of major or minor league baseball clubs one does not find that many of them have ever played league baseball themselves. This does not mean that all big league players fade away and are never heard of again for there are many of them today who are getting by in the business world the same as they did when playing ball.

One of the most shining examples of a player who afterwards became a club owner is Charles Comiskey. Comiskey has had the White Sox for many years and has made a lot of money in Chicago. His fair treatment of both players and patrons has made him as many friends as any man connected with organized baseball. Some other former players who now either own clubs themselves or own stock are Clark Griffith of the Washington team; Connie Mack of Philadelphia; Branch Rickey of the St. Louis Cardinals, and others.

Joe McGinnity, who some years ago was a wonderful pitcher on the Giant's team sunk a lot of money when he bought the Tacoma club of the Northwestern league and this venture is said to have broken him. The coming year is going to be one of the toughest on minor league owners that has ever been seen. Already the International league, reputed to be one of the strongest in the east, has gone under and there will undoubtedly be others to follow before the season is over. The big leagues, however, should have a profitable season and why one holding stock in these clubs should have little cause for worry.

War Cripples Dodgers.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 29.—The Dodgers broke camp here today decidedly weaker than when they started their training. Chuck Ward, recently obtained from Pittsburgh in the trade which sent Cutshaw and Stengel to the Pirates, has been called for army service, leaving the Brooklyn club without a third baseman. Efforts will be made to get another infielder. Manager Robinson is considering Larry Koepf's status, since that player refused to report to Cincinnati.

Eastern City to Get Fight.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, March 29.—The Willard-Pulton scrap is slowly settling down to talk of an eastern location.

New Haven promoters have offered \$135,000 for the privilege of staging the affair there and the offer may be accepted at once, provided the promoters can give assurance that there will be no official interference with a twenty round go. Western cities are still clamoring for a chance to be heard by Colonel C. J. Miller, who holds the signed contracts of the principals for the big eastern centers.

Let Us Hope So.
Philadelphia Public Ledger: Secretary Baker when he returns will be handicapped in debate with the politicians by a knowledge of the facts.

SCHOLARS HELP TO LICK KAISER

Keokuk Public School Children Buy Over Twenty-five Hundred Dollars' Worth of Thrift Stamps.

SALES ARE QUITE BRISK

Jefferson and Washington Schools Are Not Slow in Picking Up Kaiser Killers, Report Shows.

Over twenty-five hundred dollars' worth of thrift stamps have been sold in the Keokuk public schools, according to the report which was made by Superintendent William Aldrich to Chairman Ingle. All but ninety-two dollars' worth was sold in March. Of the schools selling the most, the Jefferson school takes the lead, in proportion to enrollment and the number of pupils buying stamps. The Washington school has sold the most figured in dollars and cents. This is a larger school and more pupils in consequence purchased stamps. The record of the schools as reported by Mr. Aldrich is:

School	No. At-	No.	Amt.
High	339	111	\$176.28
Geo. Washington	339	144	\$132.00
Garfield	247	59	\$41.75
Wells	227	51	\$5.75
Lincoln	249	82	\$152.35
Carey	253	72	\$232.25
Jefferson	175	72	\$74.00
Torrence	161	43	\$43.75

Total 2040 \$2512.13
Of the above sales, the Washington school sold \$85 worth in February; the Garfield school sold \$7.00 worth, and a very few other stamps were sold during the month of February.

The above record is the total sales to date in the public schools, and with the exceptions noted above, the sales were all made in March. (Signed) WILLIAM ALDRICH, Member Thrift Stamp Com. of Public Schools.

KEOKUK WOMAN DIED YESTERDAY

Mrs. Helen Stahl, Many Years a Resident of Keokuk, Died on Good Friday at Home Here.

Mrs. Helen Stahl, wife of Chas. M. Stahl died at the family residence, 1709 Main street last night, Good Friday, at 11:50 o'clock. Mrs. Stahl was one of the older residents of Keokuk, coming here in 1868 and making it her home ever since. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic church and was also a member of the Ladies Rosary society of that church. Mrs. Stahl was a woman loved and respected by her friends who were many. Her loss will be keenly felt not only in the home, but among all those who knew her. She is survived by Geo. A. Stahl, Louisa Stahl, and Mrs. Eugene O'Neill, all of Keokuk; Albert J. Stahl of Denver, Colo.; Rev. Joseph P. Stahl of



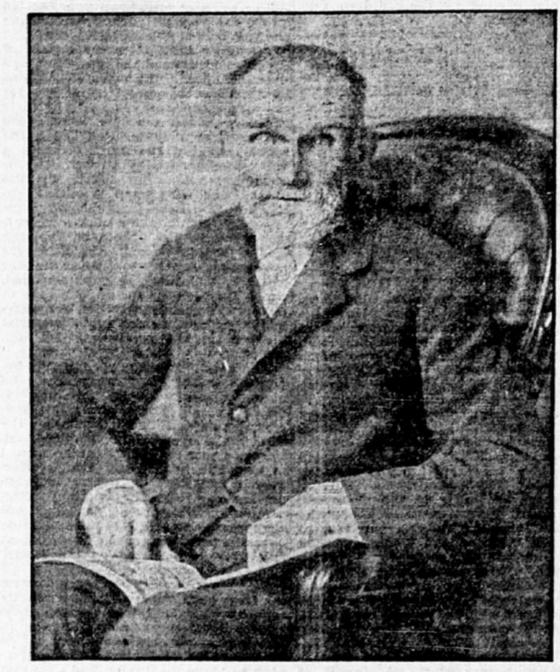
Are You Hesitating About Buying a New Automobile on Account of the War?

The passenger car is not a luxury if you have the money to buy and maintain it. The directors of our national affairs all use cars; most of them new ones that have recently been purchased. Isn't it advisable to start now with a new car of known and permanent value, as your absolute need for such a car may arise at a time when the prices and deliveries are not as favorable as they are at present? Many people have already decided that the wise course is to buy a new Cadillac car now and make sure of a necessary and dependable medium of transportation. The number of Cadillac cars available for sale has already been reduced by the Government's requirements. It is daily becoming more difficult to get shipments through by freight. In view of these conditions, it is to your interest that we urge you to place an early order for a Cadillac, and avoid delay or disappointment. May we assist you in selecting the type of Cadillac which will best meet your requirements?

Keokuk Cadillac Company

1019-1021 Main Street. Keokuk, Iowa.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY



Easter wouldn't be Easter without the mention of Ben's birthday. He always observes Easter Sunday as his birthday anniversary. Usually he is able to be in town and see his friends, but Ben has been ill for the last year, and another Easter day must pass without his getting in from the county home where he stays. However, his friends have not forgotten him and extend birthday greetings to Benjamin Holsey, enquire.

First Baptist Church
TABLEAU SERMON
SUNDAY EVENING, 7:30
EASTER CANTATA
SUNDAY MORNING, 10:45

Physically Unfit.
[United Press Leased Wire Service.] WASHINGTON, March 29.—Found physically unfit for overseas duty, Brig. Gen. Charles L. Phillips and Brig. Gen. Henry H. Whitney have been discharged from their national army commands and returned to their assignments as colonels in the coast ar-

IOWA T. P. A.'S TO MEET HERE

Convention Will be Held May 3 and 4 and Post H is Planning to Entertain Many Visitors.

The Iowa division of T. P. A. will hold its annual convention in Keokuk this year May 3 and 4, with Post H of the T. P. A. of Keokuk as the host at this meeting. Between 125 and 150 delegates are looked for at this session. Post H has been busy with arrangements for the big meeting, and expects to entertain the visitors in regular Keokuk style. Committees are appointed and are at work on the plans for the convention. The meeting will open Friday morning with a business session, and these sessions will be held until the convention adjourns. Entertainment features also are being arranged for the big event. It is planned to establish official convention headquarters.

WHY WOMEN DREAD OLD AGE

Don't worry about old age. Don't worry about being in other people's way when you are getting on in years. Keep your body in good condition and you can be as hale and hearty in your old days as you were when a kid, and every one will be glad to see you.

The kidneys and bladder are the causes of senile afflictions. Keep them clean and in proper working condition. Drive the poisonous wastes from the system and avoid uric acid accumulations. Take GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules periodically and you will find that the system will always be in perfect working order. Your spirits will be enlivened, your muscles made strong and your face have once more the look of youth and health. There is only one guaranteed brand of Haarlem Oil Capsules, GOLD MEDAL. There are many fakes on the market. Be sure you get the Original GOLD MEDAL Imported Haarlem Oil Capsules. They are the only reliable. For sale by all first-class druggists.

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Grand Home Demonstration Sale

Get ready now for a very extraordinary proposition of the wonderful UNIVERSAL Combination Range. Nothing like it ever offered before. To prove the remarkable baking efficiency and fuel economy of the UNIVERSAL Combination Range, we will place one in every home on most liberal terms ever devised. Don't miss this!

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(U. S. Patent Issued Dec. 22, 1917)

is the range that Marion Harris Neil, former Cooking Editor of the Ladies' Home Journal, and National Culinary Expert, recommends so highly. It is also "starred" by Good Housekeeping Institute. Largest selling combination range in America.

Burns Gas and Coal or Wood
—No Parts to Change

Best baking and roasting range. Made of cast-iron and UN-VIT Porcelain Enamel—will last a lifetime. Uses less fuel, keeps kitchen warm in winter, cool in summer. Really gives you two stoves for the price of one. Watch tomorrow's paper for Day of Sale.



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WALL PAPERS DRAPERIES

Giants Start North. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 29.—The Giants today begin their series of spring exhibition games on their trip north, when they meet the local Texas league club here.

Yanks Weak on Hurlers. MACON, Ga., March 29.—Realizing the weakness of his pitching staff, Miller Huggins, manager of the Yankees, today started on a hunt for new material. The fact that Rube S... has been told he is not wanted by the Giants makes it probable that the Giants again will wear a New uniform, this time in the Am... league.

The loss of Bob Shawkey has a wide hole in the Yankee... staff.

St. Paul Pioneer Press: De... saving should be popular with... body but the lighting compan...