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HART TALKS OF GAME

FORMER NATIONAL LEAGUE PRESIDENT SAYS SEASON WILL BE SUCCESSFUL

EXECUTIVE BOARD IS STRONG

Old Organization Does Not Expect to Be Hurt by the Loss of Star Players — No Umpire Schedule.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—"I have just finished weighing fifty dozen National league baseballs," said Secretary "Nick" Young yesterday, "and when these have been expressed to the various clubs everything will be in readiness for Thursday's opening, as far as the work at headquarters is concerned.

"This will be the thirty-second season of the National league, and I see no reason why it should not be successful. Harmony has been restored, and that will be the main factor in the coming campaign. Speaking from a business standpoint, the league never had a stronger executive board than that composed of Messrs. Brush, Soden and Hart, who will control the important details of league management, with Mr. Brush acting as chairman.

"No, I do not think the loss of star players will hurt as much as predicted. The National now has its opportunity of going ahead and building up teams of young, dashing players, while ignoring the old stars who have gone. If there is such a thing as a fund of $100,000 to win these players back I know absolutely nothing about it.

"The National is pursuing a different policy toward its rival than it did a dozen years ago. In 1890 every effort was made to paralyze the Brotherhood schedule and keep up a sharp, decisive fight. This year conflicting dates have been avoided, and it looks like a long fight."

Asked what he thought of the coming pennant race, "Uncle Nick" said: "Not one of the club presidents—not even Barney Dreyfuss—thinks it will be a runaway race for Pittsburg. Boston and Chicago look upon their teams as stronger than last year, and Pittsburg is fully as strong as it ever was. Cincinnati will have a team every bit as strong as the one which beat Pittsburg out of the pennant in 1900. Brooklyn, New York and Philadelphia all express themselves as satisfied with the prospects for their respective teams. St. Louis looks weaker, but Frank Robison, I believe, will make a successful fight to keep his contract-jumping players from playing elsewhere."

Speaking of his umpires, Mr. Young said: "For the opening games next Thursday I will probably send Emslie to Cincinnati, Cantillon to St. Louis, O'Day to New York and Tom Brown to Brooklyn. From recent correspondence I have had with Tom Lynch I would not be at all surprised if he steps in now and then to help me out the inevitable holes one always drops into in assigning umpires. There will be no umpire schedule this year, but assignments will be made so as to work to best advantage. One or two of my umpires were offered big inducements to leave the staff, and I feel rather proud in saying they have decided to stick by the old colors."

Mr. Young said nothing would be done toward moving headquarters to New York until after the meeting of the executive board, which would not be held until the playing season was on.

COMMY IS SATISFIED

WHITE SOX OWNER BELIEVES HE HAS WINNING TEAM.

CHICAGO, April 13.—Comiskey, the master of the champion White Sox, did not start for Kansas City last night. He simply exercised a successful magnate's privilege and changed his mind. Late in the afternoon of Friday he said that he might go to the thriving Missouri village today and inspect his all-star team, but the chances are he will not join his squad of ball players until they arrive at Notre Dame next Monday.

The "Old Roman" thinks well of his rejuvenated team of champions and is more than satisfied with their showing during the training season.

"The more I figure on that bunch of men, the better I like our chances of winning the pennant this year," said Comiskey yesterday. "I know that the boys have worked hard during their sojourn at Excelsior Springs, and when you come to think of it condition is the only thing necessary for that team, because they know all the ins and outs of the game already, and you can't teach them any new tricks of the trade. I am not afraid of the pitchers, Patterson, of course, is a trifle late in rounding into form, but he never does get right until the latter part of May. Griffith and Callahan are evidently on edge right now, and I am more than pleased with the reports I have received about Garvin and Platt. Jack Katoll is another man who will be in shape when the team gets home. There is no need of losing a moment's sleep over that infield of ours, and I wouldn't trade my outfield for any two there are in the business today.

"The week at Notre Dame ought to harden the men and get them just right for the opening of the championship. If we get a good start, and with an even break of luck we will get a good start, you will find the White Stockings fighting for the first place from the very first day of the season. Pennants are not won on paper, and baseball is mighty uncertain, but that does not alter the fact that I believe our swell team will more than make good this season."

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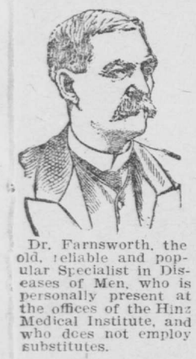

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Short Ones About the Ball Tossers.

Pitcher Jack Chesbro, of Pittsburg, has bought considerable real estate.

Labor unions in Milwaukee have placed a boycott on the Milwaukee team.

Selee picks out third base as the weak spot on the Chicago American team.

Tommy Dowd has purchased a franchise in the New York State league. He is located at Gloversville.

St. Louis led the National leaguers in home attendance last season, and attracted 15,000 more persons than the Chicago Americans.

Hanlon is wild to think Sheckard jumped to Baltimore. He says if the courts can reach this player he will have no peace.

Frisbee has returned his signed contract to the Worcester management, and will report for duty April 15.

Fred Raymer, who played on the infield for the Chicago Nationals last year, has signed with the Los Angeles club.

Bert Jones, who signed with Colorado Springs and Philadelphia, will stick to the former.

Ed McKean, the famous Cleveland shortstop, has signed to manage and play first base for the Rochester team of the Eastern league.

Smith, formerly with Rochester, is already a favorite with the rest of the players of the New York team, and they all agree that he plays an exceedingly fast game at second.

Kane, the San Francisco pitcher, is really named Cohen. He says that he changed his name because small boys yelled: "Three balls," and it rattled the umpire.

Sockalexis has been running a ferry boat since the ice broke on the Penobscot river. He will report at Lowell in a few days.

Worcester has signed an infielder named Madison. Madison has come well recommended, and has seen service in the Toronto and Syracuse clubs.

The two veterans of the Chicago National team, Lowe and Menfee, are showing the youngsters how to put life into their practice. They are livelier than any other members of the team.

Kansas City fans were delighted when they heard that Clyde Robinson had joined the team.

"Chick" Stahl is running a saloon in Fort Wayne. He was never known to chew, drink, smoke or swear. All he did when at home was stand around in the saloon, look pleasant and watch the cash register.

These men play on a team in California: Muhlendorf, Terrajas and Ivancovich. Wonder if the fans are able to pronounce their names?

The Cincinnati Enquirer states that the Baltimore fans are up in arms over the signing of Scheckard. They do not want a contract jumper on the team.

ABE FRANK OVERRATED

TURFMEN DECLARE THAT BENNETT MAINSTAY HAS GONE BACK.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 13.—Fifty of the Nashville turfmen who went to Memphis to see the running of the Tennessee Derby have returned, and almost to a man they declare that Abe Frank has gone back and that he is greatly overrated. They have concluded that the Bennett mainstay is not going to have the Cumberland Derby at his mercy, for they think that he is gradually letting down and will not be so good three months from now as he is at the present time.

Tom Hayes, who has just returned from Memphis, said that he was disappointed in the race put up by Frank and, in fact, some of the other horses entered in the race. He expected Frank to win in a canter. He said: "Frank is not as good as persons think he is, and he will have a lot of trouble winning the Cumberland Derby. Frank picks up 127 pounds in the race, while my horse carries only 107, which is eleven pounds less than Buccleuth carried in the Tennessee Derby. I don't think the Hanover horse can give him the weight and beat Buccleuth. My colt ran a good race at Memphis. I had no idea he could win, but started him for second money."

Hayes says he will make it warm for the Bennett horse or any of the others in the Cumberland Derby. He will start two horses—Buccleuth and Crimean or Buccleuth and Jordan.

W. H. Jackson Jr. entertains the same opinion of the Bennett horse as does Haynes. Jackson says Frank is much overrated.

ATTELL TO MEET YANGER

WINNER FROM BROAD TO FIGHT THE TIPTON SLASHER.

ST. LOUIS, April 13.—Abe Attell has agreed to meet Benny Yanger before the West End club April 24. George Siler will referee the contest. Attell's victory over Broad Thursday night entitled him to the match with the "Tipton Slasher." Attell shows little effects of the fast fighting he engaged in.

Manager McKenna says the reason his protege did not put the Cleveland kid out was because he had injured his right hand in a bout with a man double his weight, while training to meet Broad. Attell has a swollen fist, but it is the consensus of opinion that he received this from one of his swift jabs on Broad.

In the contest arranged for April 24 the men are to weigh in at 125 pounds at 6 o'clock. Both men can get under this weight without much difficulty, though Yanger is the heavier of the two.

JOHNSON SEEKS A REST.

President of American League Is Off on a Vacation.

CHICAGO, April 13.—Ban Johnson, president of the American League of Baseball clubs, who has been ailing for the past two weeks, left Chicago yesterday at noon for Indiana, where he will endeavor to improve his health by a series of mud baths.

So far as known Mr. Johnson's illness is not of a serious character, but at the same time it is troublesome to him. The American league magnate expects to be back in Chicago by next Thursday or in time for the American league's opening date here.

ELGIN TEAM IS ANNOUNCED.

Manager of Illinois Town Team Has Signed Several Fast Ones.

ELGIN, Ill., April 13.—Manager Ode Gleason, of the Elgin baseball team, made the official announcement of his team for this season yesterday. The players under contract are: Catcher, Hughes, of Sycamore, brother to Hughes the Chicago National league pitcher; pitcher, Bubser, last year in the Western league; first base, "Big Jack" Donahue, of Chicago; second base, Brenner, of Elgin; third base, Jack Quinn, of Chicago; shortstop, Kinnally, of Chicago; left field, Mack, of Elgin; center field, McNeerey, of Elgin; right field, Hugo, of Aurora.

BRUSH STILL AFTER PARENT.

President of Cincinnati Team Is Sending Letters to Player.

BOSTON, April 13.—John T. Brush has not yet given up the idea of getting Parent. The latter has received two letters since he has been in Augusta, but the chances of his deserting do not seem at all good. Parent says he would have been with Cincinnati had Brush played fair with him, but he washes his hands of him now.

It is settled that "Billie" Hamilton will go to the New Yorks. Boston has no use for him and New York has a good opening for him.

GAME ENDS IN A DISPUTE

WESTS AND FLOAN & LEVEROOS PLAY ONLY THREE INNINGS.

Two thousand enthusiastic fans were disappointed yesterday afternoon, when at the Post Siding grounds the game between the West Publishing company and the Floan & Leveroos' teams came to an abrupt end in the first half of the fourth innings, with the score standing 2 to 1 in favor of the latter.

Kerns, of the West team, made a hit, stole second, and as he was attempting to steal third the backstop of the Floan & Leveroos' team threw the ball into left field in an effort to catch him at third. A spectator, it appears, kicked the ball in to the shortstop, who threw it home in time to catch Kerns at the plate. He was called out, and the Wests protested on the ground that the ball, having been blocked, should have been returned to the pitcher before being thrown to the home plate. A lengthy argument ensued, and the Wests refused to continue unless the decision was reversed, and as the umpire persisted in adhering to his first decision, Capt. Salmon called his men from the field. The game was then awarded to the Floan & Leveroos' aggregation. Depati, for the Wests, had a fine assortment of benders which the men opposed to him were able to solve for only one hit. "Hank" Gehring, who officiated on the slab for Floan & Leveroos', was touched up for three singles.

CLARKSON MAY TURN "PRO."

New York Management Is After Star Twirler of Harvard Team.

BOSTON, Mass., April 13.—Rumor is continually connecting the name of Walter Clarkson, Harvard's star twirler, with professional baseball. This time rumor says Manager Fogel, of New York, has opened negotiations with the crimson crack to join the New York team.

It is also said Fogel is satisfied with the result of whatever communication he has had with Clarkson, although the fact that the latter accompanied the Harvard nine on its Southern trip is taken here to indicate that he will not leave the nine until the completion of the college year, if at all.

HARVARD TEAM AT ANNAPOLIS

Crimson Players Will Train on Naval Academy Grounds.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 13.—Harvard's baseball squad, numbering twenty-two in all, which is on its Southern trip, arrived here Thursday afternoon and put in the first practice on the Naval academy grounds. The team will leave tomorrow for Washington, where it will play the University of Virginia.

Head Coach "Bill" Read will join his team in Washington and return to Annapolis with them Sunday evening. The team will use the Naval academy grounds for practice next week.

Two games have been arranged between the Crimsons and the Middies, one to be played on Tuesday and another Thursday. Next Friday the sailors will go to New York, and thence to West Point, where they will play the soldier boys Saturday.

PLAYER KILLED BY FALL.

W. W. Marsh, of Richmond, Va., Falls Over Embankment.

RICHMOND, Va., April 13.—W. W. Marsh, son of the Rev. M. M. Marsh, while practicing on the ball grounds at Lynchburg yesterday, ran to catch a high fly, fell over a fifteen-foot embankment, and received injuries from which he died. He had just signed with the Wilmington, N. C., team.

HAUGHTON TO INVESTIGATE.

President of St. Louis Club Will Look Up Harry Forbes.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 13.—Charles Haughton, president of the West End club, left tonight for Chicago to learn whether or not Harry Forbes proposes to keep his date to fight Johnnie Regan here for the featherweight championship of the world. Haughton is not entirely satisfied that Forbes is not trying back out of the fight. There is a general opinion here that the little champion fears to meet Regan.

YO TAMBIEN'S RIDER DEAD.

Well Known Old Time Jockey Dies at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 13.—Jockey Jordan, who rode Yo Tambien when that great mare was at the height of her career, died here yesterday. Jordan was regarded as a great rider ten years ago, but was not successful in avoiding trouble with the track officials. He was once fined $1,000 for disobeying a starter's orders. The fine was the largest ever imposed upon a jockey for a similar offense. Jordan for a number of years had been employed as a blacksmith at the fair grounds track.

SPORTS ENJOY COCKING MAIN.

Little Game Birds Fight It Out Near Appleton, Wis.

APPLETON, Wis., April 13.—A fierce cocking main was pulled off near Appleton last night, in which birds belonging to D. Pierce, of Appleton, defeated birds belonging to "Pop" Whitaker, of Detroit. About 100 sports from Detroit, Chicago, Milwaukee and Appleton were present, and thousands of dollars changed hands. The Pierce birds won ten of the thirteen battles. The fighting continued from 10 o'clock last night until 5 o'clock this morning.

MERRILL DENIES THE STORY.

Beloit's Star Athlete Will Not Join Professional Baseball Ranks.

BELOIT, Wis., April 13.—The report sent out from Milwaukee last night stating that Ed Merrill, Beloit's star athlete, has signed to play with the brewers, is emphatically denied by Merrill. He is not going into professional ball at all.

Hart to Inspect Orphans.

CHICAGO, April 13.—President Hart went to Champaign last night to gain his first glimpse of the reorganized Orphans. Manager Selee sends word from the training camp that the team of youngsters is rounding into form very fast.

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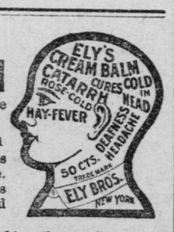

TO ANOKA AND BACK

TWENTY MINNEAPOLIS CYCLISTS HAD A ROUGH TRIP YESTERDAY

HANSEN CUT OUT FAST PACE

Accidents Were Thick and Two of the Party Returned by Train—There Were Several Shake-Ups.

Twenty fast bicycle riders of Minneapolis, led by A. A. Hansen on his motor cycle, made the trip to Anoka yesterday under unfavorable conditions. Upon returning to the Flour City Cyclists' club house late in the afternoon they had all kinds of hard luck stories to tell—strong wind, sand drifts on the path, broken rims and forks and tumbles innumerable.

The party left at 11 oclock in the morning, and all was smooth sailing until well outside the city. The first unusual obstacle that was encountered was a horse. The horse was hitched to a buggy and had a position where it could see the approaching riders. The chuckety-chuck-chuck of the motor cycle was something new to it, and the animal became nervous and backed down a hill. But the horse wanted to know, and as the party passed it raised up on its hind legs to get a better look. This struck Olesky as being funny, and he laughed so hard that he fell off his wheel and a few others toppled with him.

From that point all continued well until within a mile of Osseo. Hansen's motor was going at a fifteen-mile clip, and it was not until he was fairly in it that he noticed a heavy sand drift. He gave the warning cry of "sand" too late. What followed would have made a good study for Palmer Cox. A snapshot at the proper second would have shown half a dozen human beings flying through the air, while as many more would be seen rolling into the sand pile at the side of the path. Through the cloud of dust and steam Hansen grinned fiendishly at the wreckage before him. There were a few handle bars to straighten out, some dirty faces to wipe and the procession proceeded.

Tandem Team Ambitious.

After passing through Osseo Theodore Clements and Frank J. Burtscher, on a tandem, made up their minds to wrest the leadership of the party from Hansen. They made one good try, but after covering a mile in less than two minutes fell back to the rear to take a much-needed rest. A short distance from Anoka the same tandem team took a bad tumble, and Burtscher's face was badly scratched. The front fork of the wheel was broken.

Several minor accidents happened during the trip, and after reaching Anoka the party hunted up a repair shop and, finding it open, assumed temporary ownership. Punctures were repaired, forks straightened out and brazed and broken spokes replaced. Later the party repaired to a hotel for dinner.

The trip back to the club house was made with a side wind in a few minutes over an hour. The party came in on the installment plan, as all were not equal to the pace set by the motor. Clements and Burtscher met with another accident on the return and came in by train during the evening from Osseo.

The following made the run: A. A. Hansen, C. D. Barnum, Mr. Hollman, on motors; C. J. Johnson, C. J. Tyren, Louis Niederhofer, N. C. Hopper, F. J. Burtscher, Theodore Clements, Harold Kelby, Victor Peterson, A. H. Anderson, C. Olesky, G. R. Welden, W. L. McMullen, C. V. Bergeson, Tom Rockey, Carl Johnson, Fred Corrie, C. Olman, sixty years old, also made the trip.

NOW THE WEEDING OUT

MANAGER SELEE IS TO DROP SEVERAL ORPHAN CANDIDATES.

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., April 13.—When the team which is to represent the National league in Chicago for the season of 1902 lines up for the opening game at Cincinnati next Thursday afternoon there are likely to be surprises. Manager Selee is firmly convinced he has a baseball club that will be well up in the pennant race at almost any time in the year.

The work of the players, despite the adverse conditions under which they were forced to do their preliminary training at Champaign, has been surprisingly good. The games with the University of Illinois team have been the best thing for the youngsters that could have happened. They were beaten all first, to be sure, but the players were all strangers to each other, and no signal code had been arranged. Since Manager Selee called his men together for the signal practice, a little over a week ago, there has been a notable change in the playing of the men. For the first few days the team showed much improvement, and, as a result, victories instead of defeats were credited to the youngsters.

There now remain only two more games to be played with the Illinois team before the struggle for honor, and the National team pennant will begin. On Wednesday the team will start to Cincinnati to open the season.

Before that time the weeding out process will be under way. Selee will have a difficult task, selecting the men who are to remain with the club, with such a likely aggregation of youngsters to pick from.

One thing is sure, and that is that some will have to go, for with twenty-four men signed eight will be disposed of in some manner or other in order to get inside the limit of sixteen. The limit last season was sixteen, and it is unlikely it will be changed.

TOO SMALL FOR THOMAS

SHARKEY WANTS BIGGER PURSE BEFORE FIGHTING IN ENGLAND.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Gus Ruhlin and Tom Sharkey are not to box in England after all. Billy Madden, the "Akron Giant's" manager, says today that the proposed tilt is off.

"This is a severe disappointment to Ruhlin and myself," said Madden, "for we pinned our faith and money on having this battle come off. I am still willing to give Sharkey a chance to reconsider, and if he likes I will arrange to have the winner take all, or any way Sharkey deems satisfactory. Kid McCoy has also refused to box Ruhlin, and when I wanted to substitute 'Denver Ed' Martin he also rebelled, drawing the color line."

When Sharkey was seen tonight he said: "It is true that I have canceled my mill with Ruhlin, and that I will not sail for the other side on April 26, as I had intended. The reason is simple. The purse offered, $5,000, is not enough. If they hang up a good purse I will agree to tackle Bob Fitzsimmons in England."

TOM O'ROURKE IS ARRESTED.

Sporting Man Says Mean Things to New York Policeman.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Tom O'Rourke, the sporting proprietor of the Delavan hotel at Thirty-ninth street and Broadway, was a prisoner in Jefferson Market police court yesterday, charged with disorderly conduct. Policeman Vose, of the Tenderloin station, said O'Rourke called him a loafer and other bad names in front of the Delavan early this morning. O'Rourke said that by standing in front of the hotel the policeman was "hurting its reputation." He was paroled for examination on Wednesday.

BULLARD ANNOUNCES CREW.

Captain of Harvard 'Varsity Squad Names His Men.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 13.—Captain Bullard, of the Harvard university crew, announced the makeup of the varsity squad yesterday morning. Twenty men have been retained, and they will report on April 21.

In the squad there are many new oarsmen who have not been previously identified with the varsity organization. They were selected by Capt. Bullard and Coach Higginson from the crews which rowed yesterday in the final races. The list follows: Cunningham, Swift, Francis, Shuebruk, Colby, Covel, Smith, Gregg, Hartwell, Derby, James, McGrew, Ayer, Foster, Phillips, Dunbar, Sanger, Lloyd, Jackson, Bullard, Bancroft; cockswains, Johnson, Otis, Ivy.

SHUT OUT BY THE SAINTS

CINCINNATI SHAMROCKS OUTCLASSED BY KELLEY'S TEAM.

Special to The Globe.

RICHMOND, Ind., April 13.—The Saints shut out the Cincinnati Shamrocks this afternoon, making nine runs and playing an errorless game. The weather was cold, but those who braved it saw a fast game and a creditable exhibition on the part of Kelley's men. The manager was able to play on the initial sack and put up his customary good game. The infield was invincible; Kelley, Huggins, Geier and Shay all taking part in a number of sensational plays.

Cook pitched the first three innings and Cribbens finished the game. Hurley and Check with Dillard, composed the outfield. Jessup caught the entire game.

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NEW STARS THIS SEASON

OLD-TIME CYCLE CHAMPIONS ARE ON RETIRED LIST.

CHICAGO, April 13.—It's down with the old love and up with the new in cycle racing this year. New stars must be created in the sprinting ranks to fill the places of a number of prominent men retired, and to take the places of others who have rejected spring racing for pace following.

In the latter ranks there are a number of missing men, including Johnnie Nelson, once one of the most popular racing men seen on the American track, and Jimmy Michael, the wonderful Welsh rabbit, and the greatest attraction race-meet promoters ever found outside of Nelson. Four men remain in the top bunch of middle distancers, Elkes, Walthour, Stinson and Moran. In the field of sprint riders Kramer is almost supreme, most of the riders ranking near him including Willie Fenn, the second man in the sprinting ranks. George Collett, Floyd McFarland, Howard Freeman, Otto Meya, Lester Wilson and many more, having decided to follow pace. Tom Cooper, the once champion; Hardy Downing, the popular California ranchman, and several other sprinters have retired for good and all.

In the amateur ranks there is quite as much of a change, for all the prominent sprinters and pace followers have been turned into the professional ranks. Joe Nelson, the young brother of Johnnie Nelson, will take on professional clothes at an early date after May 30. Nelson is now the amateur champion of the pace followers and promises to rank among the leading professionals. Marcus Hurley escaped the ax, and, although a college man, will be able to hold his own in the championship ranks. As a professional he would surely give Kramer a hard tussle for the honors. In the amateur pacing ranks after Nelson makes his change there will be left an almost clean field for the rising young amateurs, for there is little that is worth much in competition remaining except Walter Smith.

REPORTER HAD A GUARD

POLICE PROTECT NEWSPAPERMAN WHILE HE SCORES BALL GAME.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 13.—Under orders from the mayor and sheriff, the first game of the state intercollegiate baseball series was played today under the surveillance of a heavy guard of police, deputy sheriffs and detectives. The usual precautions were due to threats made by state college cadets, who, on Tuesday, egged and badly beat Commandant McKee and the day following stoned and drove a reporter from the grounds. They threatened to attack the reporter if he visited the park today, and as late as noon a committee, with the sanction of the president of the college, visited the editor of the reporter's paper and urged him not to allow Reporter Goode to attend the game, fearing violence. The presence of the officers had a salutary effect and the reporter was not molested. Kentucky University team defeated the cadets by a score of 7 to 6.

BUTLER PICKING RELAY TEAM.

Notre Dame Coach Gives Quarter-Milers Another Try-Out.

NOTRE DAME, Ind., April 13.—Notre Dame's quarter-milers were given their second tryout yesterday to enable Coach Butler to pick the relay team that will compete in the championship contests in Philadelphia on the 26th. A stiff wind was blowing up the track, but the men succeeded in doing the 440 yards in 52 2-5 seconds, five of them finishing in a bunch. Staples won first place, Gearin second, Kirby third. Capt. Herbert, who resumed training only a few days ago, was in poor condition and was beaten by Uffendal, who ran fourth.

Boston Players Start North.

AUGUSTA, Ga., April 13.—The Boston American league team left here at 2:30 yesterday afternoon for the North. The men are all in fine condition, except Prentiss, who is suffering from a slight accident. The team will play two games in Waterbury, Conn., next Tuesday.

IS OUT FOR ONE SEASON

FRANTZ, OF HARVARD, IS SUSPENDED FOR ONE YEAR.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 13.—The ineligibility of Orville G. Frantz for a position on the baseball nine is the greatest loss that has come to Harvard in many years. While Frantz's position at first base will be hard to fill, it is the loss of the whole-souled enthusiasm given the men by a natural-born leader, whom every student admires, that they will miss most.

The announcement that Frantz was ineligible under the rule governing professionalism came like a thunderbolt from a clear sky to the undergraduates, but when they learned that it was the big first baseman himself that had brought the matter us, everybody said: "That's just like Frantzie."

In the summer of 1895 the town of Wink field, Kan., not far from Frantz's home, organized a nine and asked Frantz to play with them. That was long before the days when he thought of coming to Harvard, and before he ever dreamed of playing first base on a Crimson nine. Frantz joined the nine and with it made a tour of three weeks, playing against town teams in the neighborhood. For his services he received about $36, which was used to pay his expenses. Just the exact amount of money he received Frantz does not remember, as the incident occurred so long ago, and because at the time he thought nothing of it.

Prof. Ira Hollis has had a letter from the manager of the nine, and who is now professor in Purdue university, Indiana, in which he says that the facts as given by Frantz are correct. He, too, had forgotten how much money Frantz received. Prof. Hollis has also a number of letters from other men, and they all bear out Frantz's statement of the case.

In the light of the facts presented to it, the athletic committee came to the conclusion that the case was not one of clear out-and-out professionalism, and accordingly, Frantz was punished, as was Murphy and Story, by not being allowed to play this year.

SCHEUBER ON PROBATION

FLEET HARVARD FRESHMAN MUST MAKE GOOD IN STUDIES.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 13.—F. B. Scheuber, the fleet Harvard freshman sprinter, has been put on probation by the faculty. The announcement occasioned no little surprise, as Scheuber was looked upon as a sure point winner in the Yale and Mott Haven games. He came to Harvard from Hopkinson school, where he established good records in the sprints, hurdles and pole vault. He is at present one of the holders of the world's forty-yard dash record.

At the annual games of the Boston Athletic association, held recently, he defeated Arthur Duffy, of Georgetown, the national 100-yard champion, and again equaled the record for the short dash.

Scheuber is plugging hard at his studies and Trainer Graham has hopes of having the ban removed before the Yale games. With Schick and Scheuber in the sprints Harvard should secure first and second places easily in both the 100 and 220. The young freshman will continue training daily until the final decision is reached in his case.

SCHAEFER TO PLAY VIGNAUX.

Billiard Champion Will Arrange a Match With French Expert.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Jacob Schaefer cabled his wife today that he had been matched to play Maurice Vignaux, the French billard expert, for the championship of the world in this city in May.

After defeating George F. Slosson and others in a tournament for the world's championship last December, Schaefer sailed for Paris, where he has since been giving exhibitions. Vignaux challenged him, but desired the match played in Paris. This was not acceptable to Schaefer, who, as champion, has the right to name the place.

The exact date on which the match will be played is yet to be decided.

HAMM'S

Gaston—I feel thirsty; I will get us a bottle of Hamm's Beer.

Alphonse—Pardon me, my Dear Gaston, I will get this bottle of Hamm's Beer.

(See tomorrow's paper.)

BEER

HAD A NARROW ESCAPE

BOILER UNDER CHICAGO TEAM THREATENED TO EXPLODE.

CHAMPAIGN, April 13.—When the Chicago players came down for breakfast Thursday morning they did not know what a narrow escape they had had that morning between 5 and 6 o'clock. The hotel fireman had gone to sleep, and while he was enjoying his nap the pump which supplies the boilers with water refused to work. The electric lights went out and Proprietor Hatch was notified that something was wrong. He hurried down stairs, and after making an investigation hauled the fires out of the furnaces. He did it just in time to let the boilers cool, and prevented them from bursting and blowing a lot of people into eternity. The players' rooms are directly over the boiler room and had the boilers exploded there wouldn't have been enough men left on the Chicago team to play a game of bean bags. Herman Adolph Schaefer, after hearing of his narrow escape, made a tin-can sneak to the Illinois building, where he took out an accident policy for $5,000, which will cover him during the rest of his stay in Champaign.

UNION DENIES THE REPORT.

Milwaukee American Association Team Is Not on Boycott List.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 13.—The Milwaukee association club is not on the unfair list here. The Carpenters' District Council of Milwaukee has promulgated the following circular letter signed by President William Teichert and Secretary Joseph Gruber:

An article being published throughout the press to the effect that the Milwaukee Carpenters' District Council had placed the Milwaukee Baseball club of the American association on the unfair list is without foundation, for the managers have employed nothing but union men in the construction of the buildings upon their grounds.

Therefore, the report is false, and the carpenters wish the public to take notice of this fact also all the papers which have published anything to the contrary.

BIG FOOTBALL DATE FIXED.

Harvard and Yale Teams Will Meet on Saturday, Nov. 22.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 13.—At a meeting of the representatives of the Harvard and Yale Football associations held yesterday afternoon in Boston, it was decided to hold the annual football game between the two universities on Yale field on Saturday, Nov. 22. The news was joyfully received by the student body, as there had been persistent rumors of late that no date would be settled until the new agreement was drawn up.

The varsity crew, baseball and track teams have settled their dates already for this year, and everything looks bright for an amicable understanding between the crimson and blue.

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