CHARLEY DOOIN, FORMER MANAGER OF PHILLIES, AGREES TO CINCINNATI'S OFFER

"FANNING" WITH GRANTLAND RICE

Song of the Stalwart

"For we shall follow as brave a dream."

—W. E. Henley.

Behind us rest the rose-sweet years
Of soft content—and fame;
For we now take the way of those
Who play the braver game;
Who drive, head-on, against red Fate
Along the storm-swept shore,
Who drive, red-hearted, down the field
Regardless of the score.

And Love shall meet us with a rose
And necklacing our dreams,
Soft arms shall seek to hold us back
Along the singing streams;
And Failure's legions sweep our line
From front and flank and rear
Through sunless days of bitterness—
Through starless nights of fear.

And none there be to credit us
With honor or with faith,
Where Fame is but a memory,
And Love is but a wraith—
Content to know when each stark soul
Has passed the outpost stars,
The Scorer counts no medals there—
He only counts the scars.

Short Cuts

The entry who looks before every leap too often loses the impetus for the jump.

The Alibi is a wonderful institution until it collides with the Final Score.

The cruel war is beginning to spread. By charging that two ball players were traded for dogs by organized ball, the Feds are adding to the ever-growing skirmish line. Now the Kennel Club of America threatens to bust in and start something.

The Sole Entry

"Did the Feds enter baseball," queries L. H. K., "as philanthropists or as business men?"

The only philanthropists connected with baseball are the umpires. They are willing to work for only $4000 a year when their jobs are worth $4000 a day—and double that amount when the Greatzim is in the neighborhood.

If you will notice in all this boiling, bubbling vat now cooking the heart out of the game, the umpire alone is on the outside. Magnates, managers and club owners are all deep in the sickening stew, but the one entry that has always gotten the worst of it from every one connected with the game, both players and fans, is the one entry that is upholding the dignity of the pastime.

You might paste this thought in your bonnet for reference next summer as you rise on your hind legs to denounce the big "stew" who called some home athlete out at third.

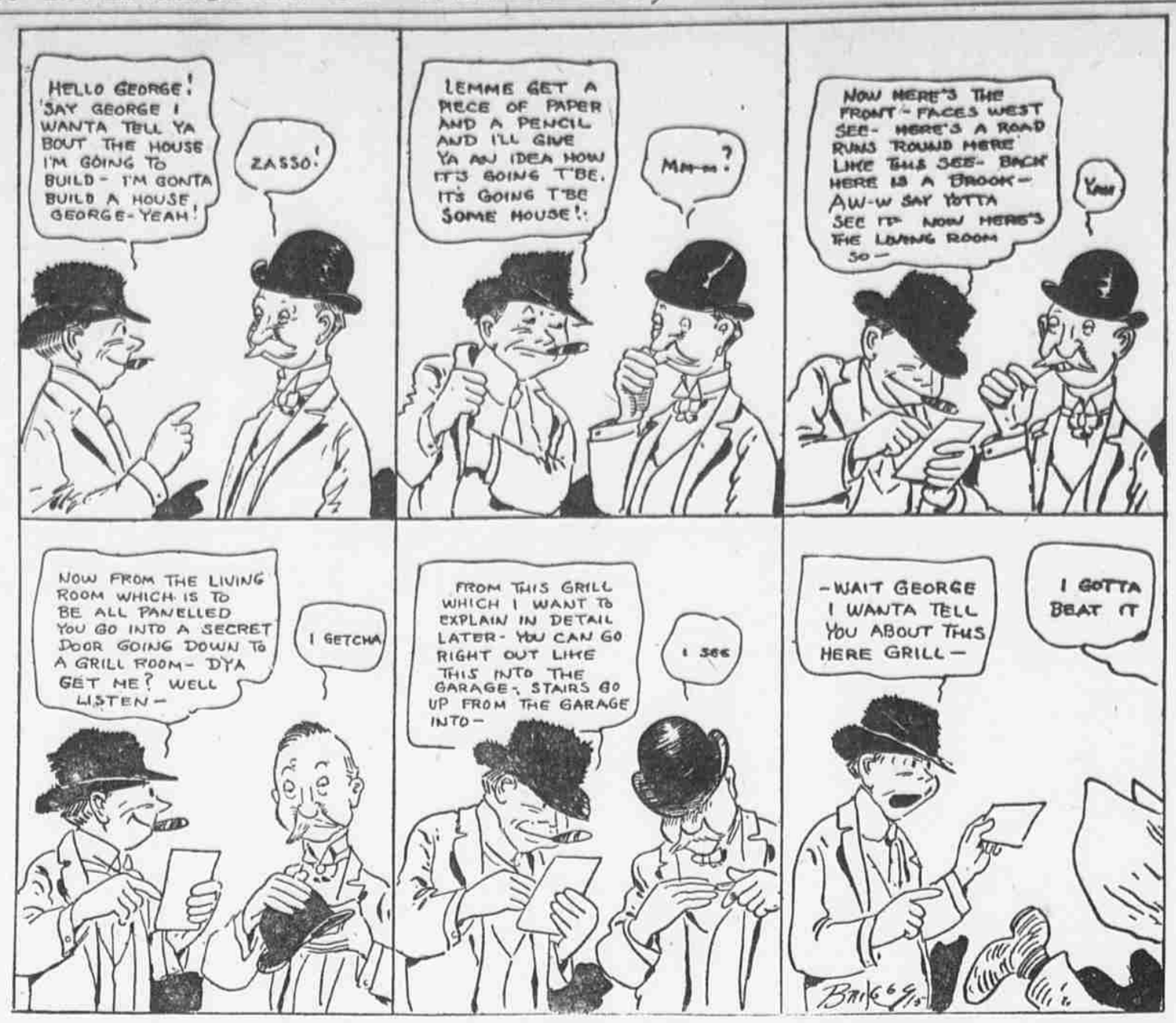
The Game's Accent

(With F. P. A.'s permission.)

A grand year lies beyond us—
And the magnate's heart was full;
"We'll have a bully season"—
With the accent on the bull.

No wonder the Redman is known as wily! By dropping something like 7 out of 11 football games last fall the Indians are now the most popular schedule attraction in the land.

Colonel E. J. Danigan, the Park H. Davis of baseball dope, whispers softly from his Lexington retreat that if Cornell booked Washington and Lee as a practice game the big red team will be eminently satisfied by October's mottled dusk.



BEWARE OF THE PEST WHO'S GOING TO BUILD A SHACK

CHARLEY DOOIN ACCEPTS OFFER OF CINCINNATI

Makes Statement That He Will Go With Herzog's Team and Bets Reds Will Beat Phillies in Race.

"I will go to the Cincinnati club on the terms offered me for two years if they want me, and if I do I'll bet Cincinnati beats the Phillies out in the race for the pennant this year." Such was the statement by Charley Dooin after he had a conference with President Baker. The former manager of the Phillies made the remark before the newspaper men who were invited specially to the office of the Phillies in the Stock Exchange Building.

The Cincinnati club offered Dooin a two-year contract at $6000 a year, and after the conference yesterday President Baker called up Manager Herzog, of the Reds, at his home in Ridgeley, Md., and told him of Dooin's decision. Herzog informed President Baker and Dooin that he was satisfied to go through with the deal, but would have to get Herrmann's permission before he could close the transaction. Herzog said he would wire Herrmann last night, and it is expected that the deal will be closed before the end of this week.

Says It Is Up to Herzog

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 15.—Garry Herrmann, of the Cincinnati club, said last night that Manager Herzog had not informed him of the completion of the deal whereby Charley Dooin, of the Phillies, comes to the Reds. Herrmann stated, however, that the proceedings were entirely in Herzog's hands, and if he had closed with Dooin and President Baker, he would approve the deal. Herrmann said he did not know what player would go to Philadelphia. He said Manager Herzog would attend to that end of the deal also.

Triangular Deal Possible

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 15.—President Schuyler P. Britton, of the Cardinals, when told last night of Charlie Dooin's agreement to go to Cincinnati for $6000 and Manager Herzog's acceptance of the terms, declared that Dooin's action means that Ivy Wingo will be used in a three-cornered trade between Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis. Wingo, according to Britton, when he jumped back from the Buffalo Feds signed a peculiar agreement which was part of his contract. This agreement specifies that the player will go at the same salary as agreed to in the contract to whatever club the Cincinnati and St. Louis management desires to send him.

ATHLETICS' HURLER ENGAGED

Herb Pennock to Wed Miss Freck, of Wilmington.

WILMINGTON, Del., Jan. 15.—Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Freck, of 1303 Franklin street, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Esther, to Herbert Jeffers Pennock, pitcher for the Athletic baseball team in Philadelphia. The engagement was announced at a tea given recently. The bride-to-be is a graduate of the Lane School in Germantown and is popular here. The date of the wedding has not yet been announced.

BASEBALL NUGGETS

Dick Harley, the former major league outfielder, whose home is at 925 Corinthian avenue, was notified yesterday that he has been appointed head coach of the Penn State baseball team.

Harley, who has been with Detroit, Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Louis and Cleveland in the big leagues, will take charge of the Staters' candidates February 1.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Jan. 15.—Five major league clubs are after Ferguson, the Michigan University star pitcher.

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—Speedy determination of the injunction proceedings instituted by the Federal League to prevent organized baseball from interfering with its operations and players is expected when the case is opened here next Wednesday before Judge Landis in the United States District Court.

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—Henry O'Day, last year manager of the Chicago Nationals, probably will resume his old position as National League umpire, he told friends yesterday.

Report Murray Traded to Reds

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—From a semi-official source it was learned that Manager McGraw, of the Giants, has traded Outfielder Red Murray to the Cincinnati Reds for Pitcher Rube Benton. Neither McGraw nor Secretary Foster could be reached to confirm or deny the rumored barter. Murray for several years was the regular right fielder for the New York Nationals. He served most of last season on the bench. Benton is a good pitcher.

Gov. Tener Leaves Tuesday

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 15.—Governor Tener announced yesterday that he would leave for Chicago next Tuesday, immediately after his successor is inaugurated as Governor of Pennsylvania, to take an active part in the Federal League baseball suit.

Series May Be Off

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The settlement of the relative merits of the Yankees and the Sagamore may have to be delayed until the world's series, or perhaps even longer. Frank Farrell signed an agreement with Charles H. Ebbets last season for a term of years, but it is probable that the new management will try to have this arrangement nullified.

Italian Joe Gans a Winner

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Italian Joe Gans outpointed Billy Bush in 10 rounds at the Coney Island Sporting Club last night.

Nonpareil A. C. Kens. Ave. & Ontario Pat. McHale, Prop.
TONIGHT—TONIGHT
SIX BOUTS—SIX BOUTS—SIX BOUTS
RALPH ERNE vs. JACKIE CLARKE

TONIGHT—TONIGHT—TONIGHT
Quaker City A.A. Billy Nusbickel, Prop. 26th & Dauphin Sts.
LOUISIANA vs. HARRY SMITH
FOUR OTHER GOOD BOUTS

BEST SHOW OF THE SEASON
National A. C. TOMORROW NIGHT
PRESTON BROWN vs. JOHNNY SCHIFF
REGULAR PRICES—REGULAR PRICES

OLYMPIA A. A. Broad & Bainbridge Harry Edwards, Mgr.
MONDAY NIGHT, JAN. 18
WILLIE MOORE vs. FRED YELLE
Adm. 25c. Bal. Res. 50c. Arena Res. 75c. 11

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM ON THE SEA OF SPORT

Nelson Makes a Record

Let us crown old Battling Nelson with
the honor wreath of laurel,
Let us slip the Dane the homage as
a wise and canny pug;
Let us hand it to him freely who deserves it, here's the moral,
He's the first to say he's slipped a
bit of all the kings of slug.
He's the first to stand up squarely and
acknowledge freely, fairly,
That old father time has reached
him with the punch-destroying
drug.

In other words, Nelson is about the first of the few men who have been of real ring importance to realize a man doesn't last forever, or at least the first to say so. The Battler admitted to an interviewer at New York, in announcing his desire to get another fight, that he knows he's not the man he used to be. Here is real valor. Poor old Joe Gans, a year or so before his death, thought he was as good as ever, but he was only the pitiable shell of the marvellous fighting machine he had been. It's the same in other lines of sport. The big leaguer forced back to the bush thinks the youngster who displaces him is doing it by pull. Few see the light and less acknowledge it.

A Good Contract

All University of Pennsylvania men should welcome the news that the Red and Blue again is to clash on the soil of New England. Dartmouth will prove no easy nut to crack for Penn. The game will give a good basis for comparison of the Red and Blue with other big teams.

The Club Is Growing

Meadowbrook takes the lead of the local amateur organizations through that bunch she sent to New York last night.

All Talk at Once

That 12-hour endurance bowling contest to be held next week is responsible for the idea.

Why not get Ban and Gill and Garry
And Ward and all those other chaps
In one big room, and let them harry
The atmosphere till all collapse?

Unsent Telegrams

To Carranza: Why not let Johnson and Willard settle the difference between you and Villa? Simplest thing in the world. Pick out the man you like best. If he's losing have some one shoot the other fellow.

Paid Coaches? No!

President Hibben, of Princeton, takes the proper stand when he urges that collegiate athletes be freed of the rapidly growing system of paid coaching. In his report to the university trustees, Doctor Hibben expressed the hope that paid coaches would soon be eliminated. Aside from the great expense to the athletic associations incurred by maintaining a corps of professional coaches and trainers, there would undoubtedly be a much better spirit of sport aroused by the fact that winning teams were due solely to the efforts of the students themselves and not shared with or dimmed by the fleeting glory of some coach. The smaller colleges would also be placed more on a par with the larger institutions, as their finances do not permit them to engage high-salaried coaches. Considered from every angle, Doctor Hibben is to be congratulated for having sounded the proper keynote in collegiate sports.

Why Not Bar Post-graduates

Barring students who graduate from the Philadelphia public high schools in February from engaging in athletic contests the remainder of the year is a very excellent move on the part of the supervisory committee. Athletes, even though they return to school for post-graduate work, should not by any means be permitted to take part in the school's open athletic activities. The establishment of the rule does not work any greater hardship on one group than another and for this reason is fair.

Football Men Laugh

Harvard football stars have refused great bids made for their services since they won the collegiate championship. So far as can be learned, not one of the men has been tempted. There is commercialism in football all right. Yes, if it is commercial to sell 70,000 tickets at $2 each without giving the speculators half a chance. The knockers will probably sit up and take notice when it is proved to their entire satisfaction that the Harvard players turned down golden offers of every kind. The men on the football team had splendid opportunities to make extra money by appearing in various roles for athletic goods houses. Did they fall? We should say not!

WON WORLD'S SERIES, BUT LOST BRIDE

The New York World prints a special story from Kokomo, Ind., as follows:

It's all off between Miss Ethel Clark, of Chicago, and Hank Gowdy, the star Boston catcher. The breaking of the engagement by Miss Clark, who is visiting friends here, was due to a story circulated during the world's series to the effect that she had promised to become Mrs. Gowdy providing the player distinguished himself in the series.

The unwelcome notoriety which accompanied the story so aroused Miss Clark that she forthwith ruled Gowdy out at home and busted up the game. She refused to discuss the breaking of the engagement beyond saying that there was no chance for Gowdy. She still wears an engagement ring, and when it was hinted that there might be a reconciliation she only smiled and shook her head.

STRIKES AND SPARES

With each succeeding weekly series the Overbrook Green quintet increases its advantage in the race for the interclub bowling title, the leaders sweeping last night's matches with Merion White, while their nearest rival, Merion Maroon, lost one of its games with Overbrook White. Racquet Maroon was the only other quintet to clean up, capturing all three contests from Germantown Blue. In the remaining matches, Germantown White, Manufacturers' Yellow and Union League White took the odd game from the Racquet Reserves, Union League Blue and Manufacturers' Blue respectively.

Moore, of Overbrook Green, rolled the highest single total of the evening, toppling 226 pins in his second game.

Majestic defeated the Rexalls twice in the matches rolled on the Casino Alleys last night by the teams of the Casino League. Section B, Montieth, of the Rexalls, rolled the highest score of the evening, toppling 237 pins in the second game. Wilmot won two from Terminal and St. James captured two from Bellevue. Continental downed Agassiz twice.

KUMMER IS STAR

Totals 11 Out of 20 Free-goal Shots in Eastern League Basketball Game.

Jasper basketball team continued its home-floor winning streak by defeating Reading, 21 to 17, in Nonpareil Hall last night in an Eastern League game. The teams played a close guarding game. Jasper led at the end of the first 20 minutes of play, 8 to 6. Although Reading outscored the champions from the floor, netting the ball six times to Jasper's five, Kummer had a good night on free-goal shooting, totaling 11 out of 20, while Sears tallied five out of nine goals called on Jasper.

Monster Meet May 14

Representatives of St. Joseph's College, La Salle College and Catholic High School met last evening at second named school and formed plans for a monster track meet to be held on May 14.

If the meet proves a success the school authorities will endeavor to combine the schools into a league to include the four major sports—football, basketball, baseball and track. The idea holds well for the institutions in all sports but track. Another meeting will be held in April.

Yale's Fencing Dates

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 14.—The Yale University Fencing Association announced its schedule yesterday as follows: January 16, Bowdoin, New Haven; January 23, Springfield Y. M. C. A., Springfield; February 13, Columbia, New York city; February 20, Navy, Annapolis; February 27, Harvard, New Haven; March 12, University of Pennsylvania, New Haven. The intercollegiate preliminaries will be in Boston the latter part of March and the intercollegiate finals will be in New York early in April.

THREE BOXING SHOWS BILLED HERE TONIGHT

Amateur Bouts to Be Held at Gayety, Nonpareil and Quaker.

Professional and amateur bouts are scheduled in this city tonight. The regular weekly performances will be staged at the Nonpareil and Quaker City Clubs while at the Gayety Theatre the semi-final numbers of the 115-pound tournament will be decided.

Willie Moody Wins Fight

In the final bout at the Broadway Athletic Club last night Willie Moody defeated Freddy Corbett. Hard hitting was the principal feature of the contest, but Moody packed the hardest punch and landed oftener than his opponent.

After six rounds of hard boxing the semi-windup between Buck Fleming and Reddy Moore, terminated with honors even.

In the other bouts Pat Malone earned the decision over Joe Brock; Frankie Rich defeated Mike Russell, while Johnny Cochran knocked out Derby Jasper in the third round.

Givler-Donley Bout Draw

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Jan. 15.—In one of the greatest battles ever witnessed in this city, Fighting Bob Givler, of Allentown, and Mickey Donley, of Newark, went 10 rounds to a draw. Young Jack McCarron disposed of Martin Canole in the fifth round, while Steve Columbo, of Fullerton, was sent to the mat for the count by Jakey Max, of this city, in the fourth round.

SCHOLASTIC NOTES

De Lancey School's track candidates are shaping up well in their preliminary practice drills. Captain Langford, Robinson, Little, Irvin, Addicks, Kenny, V. Martin and Rowe are the stars.

Seven veteran ball players will be back in Northeast High's line-up this year. Captain Webb, Backer, Dunn, McComas, Silverman and the Ridpath boys will again represent the Red and Black in the national pastime.

Indoor track candidates and battery candidates for the baseball team are working out daily in La Salle College's gymnasium.

The shuffleboard finals at De Lancey School will be decided next week. A bowling tourney will follow.

Brown's Football Schedule

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 15.—The Brown football schedule for 1915 was announced yesterday. Brown retains her position in the Yale and Harvard schedules, and, as usual, ends with a Thanksgiving Day contest with Carlisle.

The chief innovation on the schedule is the substitution of Syracuse for Cornell in the big midseason contest. Other changes are the substitution of Williams and Trinity for Wesleyan and Norwich.

The complete schedule follows, games not otherwise designated being played in Providence:

Rhode Island State, September 25; Trinity, October 2; Amherst at Amherst, October 9; Williams, October 16; Syracuse, October 23; Vermont, October 30; Yale at New Haven, November 6; Harvard at Cambridge, November 13; Carlisle, November 25.

Yale Football Schedule Announced

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 15.—The Yale University football schedule for next fall, announced last night, contains only one change from last year, the Springfield Y. M. C. A. College taking the place of Notre Dame. With the exception of the annual contest with Harvard, which will be played at Cambridge, all the games will be played in the Bowl. The schedule follows: September 25, University of Maine; October 2, University of Virginia; October 9, Williams; October 16, Springfield Y. M. C. A. College; October 23, Washington and Jefferson; October 30, Colgate; November 6, Brown; November 13, Princeton; November 20, Harvard.

The Celtics Are Coming

Glasgow Celtics, of Scotland, are making preliminary arrangements with a view of touring this country, according to the announcement of John Scullion, the Hibernian representative on the American Football Association. It is planned for the Celts to play a couple of games in every city in the country where soccer has gained a stronghold, the games likely being played at the close of the present Scottish season.

MEREDITH RACES TO SENSATIONAL VICTORY

Captures Millrose 600-yard Event in Near-record Time.

James E. ("Ted") Meredith, world's best middle distance runner of the University of Pennsylvania, but who ran in the silks of the Meadowbrook Club of Philadelphia, won the 600-yard special invitation race at the games of the Millrose A. A. in Madison Square Garden, New York city, last night.

The deep-chested, sturdy-limbed wearer of the Red and Blue, broke the tape in 1 minute 13 3-5 seconds, only one-fifth of a second behind the indoor world's record for the distance, held by Thomas J. Halpin, of the Boston Athletic Association.

This same Thomas J. Halpin, whose wonderful running has thrilled New York athletic enthusiasts on many occasions, crossed the line about three yards behind Meredith, while Homer Baker, running a most remarkable race, taking into consideration that his leg is still sore, weak and bound up, was third. Hirshon, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, and Dave Caldwell, of the Boston Athletic Association, the intercollegiate half-mile champion, fought it out for minor honors, and the latter was fourth.

J. G. Loomis, of the Chicago A. A., holder of three national titles, made his bow and won the high jump by clearing the bar at 6 feet 1 inch. He jumped smoothly and easily, and not once did he even jar the crossbar, much less knock it down.

Sydney Leslie, the junior cross-country champion of 1913, won the coveted Rodman Wanamaker two-mile handicap, as he did a year ago. He had a handicap of 55 yards, with Kolehmainen on scratch and Mike Devanzov on the 15-yard mark.

Southern Trip for Williams Nine

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., Jan. 15.—A new departure in the Williams baseball schedule this year will be a Southern trip during the Easter recess, when five games will be played as follows: April 8, University of Virginia, at Charlottesville; 9, Georgetown University, at Washington; 10, Norfolk A. A., at Norfolk; 12, University of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia; 13, Princeton, at Princeton.

Penn to Race Michigan

Michigan will clash with Pennsylvania in a medley relay race at the indoor meet of the 65th Infantry Athletic Association in Buffalo February 5. The Wolverine management accepted an invitation today to send its runners against the Quakers. A furlong, quarter, half and mile are the distances the men will run.

Hal Coleman Again in Form

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Hal Coleman, a former holder of the title, won his second game in the national amateur class B 18.2 balk line billiard tournament at the Amateur Billiard Club yesterday afternoon. Coleman defeated Charles E. White, also a former champion in this division, by a score of 300 points to 293 in 60 innings.

Charley White Dies

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Charles E. White, well known about the New York race courses for years, and at one time manager of the Metropolitan Turf Association, died in his Brooklyn home, 110 Clinton street, yesterday morning, from an attack of apoplexy.

Columbia Oarsmen Report

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Thirty-five students answered the first call for crew candidates at Fordham yesterday.

Columbia wrestlers will grapple with the New York A. C. team tonight at the 59th street clubhouse.

One-year Rule in Vogue

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 15.—The Athletic Council of the University of Pittsburgh last night passed favorably upon the adoption of the one-year residence rule to regulate athletics at the institution. The rule will affect football, baseball, basketball and track teams and will go into effect in September, 1918.

ORGANIZE TO RETAIN BIG TENNIS TOURNEY

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Supporters of the Casino, at Newport, R. I., as the proper place in which to hold the national lawn tennis championship tournament have begun the organization to defeat the plans of the West Side Club. It is their expectation to overcome the opposition to Newport by advocating the policy of placing the problem before the clubs and players of the country, together with an amendment to limit the entry list, to be acted upon at the national meeting of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association in 1916.

Several of the officials, all of whom request that their names be omitted from the controversy, declare that Karl Behr and his followers are overstepping the proprieties in their eager canvassing for proxies to vote at the annual meeting. The greatest anger is aroused because S. Wallis Merrihew, publisher of the official paper, has taken advantage of his official capacity to have proxies for voting indorsed over to him.

TITLE BILLIARD MATCHES

Ireland and Coupe Will Play for Championship.

Two pocket billiard matches for the amateur championship of the city will be played Tuesday night and the following Monday night at the Columbia and De Langh parlors, respectively. R. Ireland, representing Columbia, will oppose M. Coupe, of De Langh's, for the laurels. The matches will be for blocks of 100 points each.

Ireland won the championship of the Philadelphia League, while Coupe holds the title in the Quaker City League.

WITH THE CUEISTS

Calvin Demarest, of Chicago, and Harry Cline, the Philadelphia representative in the Champion Billiard Players' League, divided honors in two league contests held at Allinger's Academy yesterday. Demarest won the afternoon match in 29 innings, defeating the local cueist 300 to 268, while in the evening block Cline captured first honors, winning by the score of 300 to 266 in 15 innings.

Warren Briggs outplayed William Keville 75 to 48, in the fourth game of the first annual Class A amateur pocket billiard tourney at the Park Parlors. Briggs played consistently throughout.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Jan. 15.—George Sutton defeated Welker Cochran, 500 to 166, in a Champion Billiard Players' League match here last night. Average and high runs: Sutton, 80, 95; Cochran, 18 4-9, 34.

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—Charles Morin, of Chicago, defeated Charles McCourt, of Pittsburgh, 60 to 24, in an Interstate Three-Cushion Billiard match here in 71 innings, with a high run of 4. McCourt's high run was 2.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 15.—Hugh Heal, of Toledo, defeated Jess Lean, of Chicago, here in an Interstate Three-Cushion League Billiard match, 50 to 39. The game went 115 innings and each had a high run of 4.

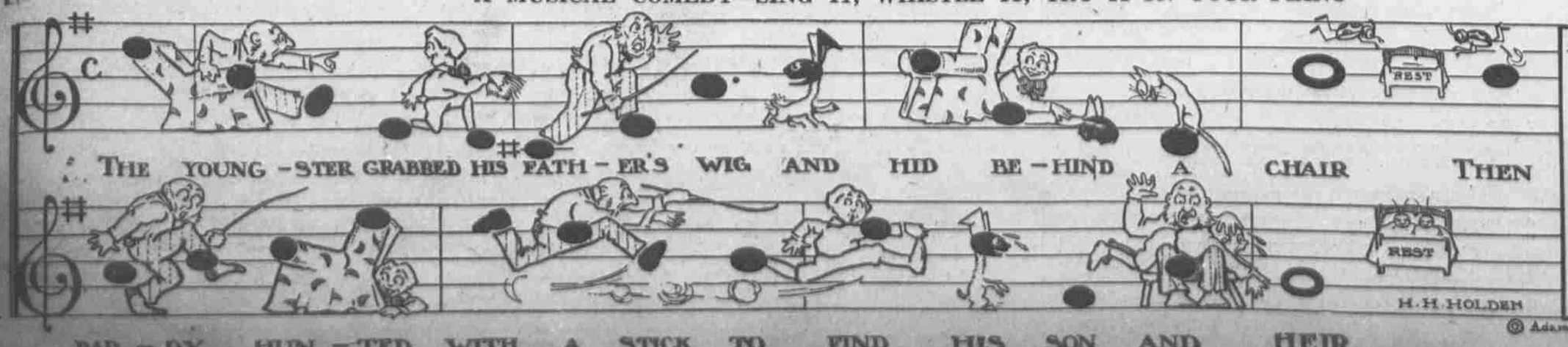
What's the Name, Please?

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 15.—Cleveland sporting writers gathered with officials of the local American League club today to decide on a new name for the Naps. The sale of "Nap" Lajoie to the Athletics necessitates the move. Suggested names are "Cobts," "Black Sox," "Bucks" and "Hustlers."

Entertains Guy Vaughn

Guy Vaughn, of racing-day fame, was a visitor at the Automobile Show yesterday as the guest of William Yerkes, of the Stearns Motorcar Company, agents for Stearns and Moon cars.

A MUSICAL COMEDY—SING IT, WHISTLE IT, TRY IT ON YOUR PIANO



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