WILL GIVE WILLARD ARTISTIC TROUNCING, SAYS JACK JOHNSON

Kansas Cowboy Anxiously Awaiting Bell-Believes He Can Defeat Lil' Artha With One Hand Tied Behind His Back.

By JACK JOHNSON

Two more days of good workouts will fit me for the battle of my career. I feet good enough now to fight in rounds, but want to have a few more workouts so as to be in condition to give Willard the most artistic beating any championship aspirant ever re-

By JESS WILLARD I am hardly able to await the bell that will send us in the ring. I have waited so long for a chance to win the championship that the time now so near makes me wild to get into the ring. I feel good enough to beat Johnwith one hand tied behind my back

HAVANA, April L-The above expressions given today by both fighters show the confidence that exists in each camp. Johnson is sure he will retain the cham-pionship; Willard is confident he will pionship; Willard is condent he will bring back the little to the white race. Jack Johnson is secretly devising new tricks and punches and perfecting new defensive tactics which he will use in the fight with Willard next Monday. With the doors of his training camp larked the Big Smoke has been working locked, the Big Smoke has been working under cover every morning for the last 10 days. His partners in these workouts are Colin Belf and Sam McVey.

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The reason for this socrecy on Johnson's part is that he doesn't want Willard to discover his new mode of fighting and take mans to circumvent the champion's style. In these secret workouts Johnson has been boxing 10 and 12 rounds. This makes a total of over 25 rounds of boxing the champion is going through daily. But the public is not aware of this secret training by the champion.

Before the public Johnson is boxing about 12 rounds every afternoon, following his road work. Since he began training here the champion has reduced from 258 pounds to 221.

Should Willard win the championship he is planning a triumphant fourney back to the latted States. He will hire a special train at Key West, leaving Wednesday night, and proceed by easy ranges to New York. On the trip Willard will appear on the back platform and make speeches at all towns through which the train will puss.

Willard is drawing the most fashionable



Harper Athletic Association has reorganized, and will be reoresented by a strong semiprofessional traveling team. Composed of well-known scholastic and collegate stars. Would like to hear front teams in New Jersey and Pennsylvania offering reasonable inducements. Address R. Becker, 2011 North 20th atreet, or Phone Diamond 150, between 6 and 7 p. m. The Eridgeport Baseball Club, under the leadership of Everett Magin, is confident of having a season that will be as successful as the two praceding other. In the two years of its existence Bridgeport has lost but eight sames. The team probably will line up this year, as it did last season. Shock and Dave McCornick will again be the battery. Manager Rube Magin, will cover the initial sack, shoemaker and Lemey Vickery will over the under the stars of the st

traction address Thomas R. Hill. 18th Master sirest, or phone Poplar 4642 W, between 6 and 7 p. m.

Faichill professionals have reorganized for the coming assaon, and have signed the star pitcher from first-class home teams. Address W, Elliott, 6329 Falmetto street.

The Address Home semiprofessional shape of this city. First-class home trams, such as Vitrix Southwark and Atlante City. communicate with James L. Cassidy, 1705 South 18th street.

Statem Mission A. A., a Brat-class traveling team, has cates open for all first-class home teams paying a reasonable guarantee and wishing a good attraction. Address J. Patton, 406 Vest Cumberland atreet.

Sherwood Chib. which traveled under the mass of the Ewing A. A. last season, has control home grounds at 50th street and Whithy avonue and would be pleased to hard the play avonue and would be pleased to har

IF THE MAN WHO INVENTED APRIL 1ST CAME TO TOWN



FRATERNAL SOCIETIES

Independent Order Odd Fellows M. Richards Muckle died on Tuesday, aged 50. He became an Cdd Fellow in 1846. He was

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GEORGE S. FORD State Council Secretary Fraternal Patriotic Americans.

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Improved Order of Red Men Paconta Tribe is still setting the pace in the order and on last Friday's sleep the largest



Patriotic Order Sons of America

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Camp 819 decided last week to present an American flag to the Holmeaburg Presbyterian Church some time in the near future. There was a discussion as to the way of conducting the husiness of the camp and the mainter of shutter in the camp and the mainter of the camp and the camp and the camp and the present were greatly benefited by the remarks of the following brothers: P. D. P. Forest, of Camp 129; Brother Samuel Beidle, of Camp 570; State Building Trusters Problem Koch, of Camp 68, Assistant State Secretary, and also Brothers Kirk, Weiland und Stone, of Camp 182; Brother Samuel Beidle, of Camp 182; Brother Samuel Beidle, of Camp 183; Assistant State Secretary, and also Brothers Kirk, Weiland und Stone, of Camp 182; Brother Samuel Beidle, of Camp 183; Assistant State Secretary, and also Brothers Kirk, Weiland und Stone, of Camp 183; Assistant State Berger and Stone State S

Fraternal Patriotic Americans George S. Ford is probably one of the best-



George S. Ford is probably one of the best-known fraterial men in Pennsylvania, having been continuously identified with beneficial orders for more than 27 years. He was engaged in the office of one of the large textile establishments in this city when, in 1801, he was discovered by the secretary of the Junico Order of United American Machanics and made a valuable assistant. He continued there until the voluntary restrictment of the grand old commoner of that order. Edward S. Deemer, in 1807, when Mr. Ford was unanimously elected as his successor.

After the internal troubles of that order, resulting in the seconsion of a large number of councils operating under the name of the Praterial Patriotic Americans. Mr. Ford was unanimously elected as Ill Silver the name of the Praterials of the new organization. In addition to the responsibilities of that order, with its upwards of thoughout femingytanis, Mr. Friedminische George in the second of the second of American Councils. He has been second of American Councils of the second of American Councils. He has seven the second of American Councils. He has seven of the past ground of American Councils, No. 5, being second of American Councils, No. 6, being second of American Councils, P. A. Mr. Ford's a set of Philadelphia Mercantile Association. He has served for the past 21 years as finantial secretary of Cohochsink Council, P. P. A. Mr. Ford's long devotion to the principles and objects for which the Fraterial Patriotic Americans stand has enhanced his leyative and other or which the Fraterial Patriotic Americans stand has enhanced his leyative definition to his associates and friends, who affirm that 'the is always on the job and ready with the goods for delivery. At the critical time of the reorganization he atood the reorganization of the polarity of course the with the prime of life, maintails make a valuable association and has condition

The Temple Presbyterian Church, corner of Franklin and Thompson streets, was packed



The 62d anniversary banquet committee tworking hard for the success of the annu-sanguet on May 19 at the Continental Hotel and reports great interest among the member

Order of Independent Americans Wharton Council members received a great shock by the announcement that Bro. David d. Lynch, their financial secretary, had passed



M. Lynch, their financial secretary, had passed away after an iliness of a few days. The departed brother was held in high esteam by every member of the council. He was reputar and thorough in the discharge of his duties and had been relected to his office several itimes.

Thinks are beginning to huma around the room of Red. White and Biue Council, several applications for membership being received at last meeting and more are expected. The meetings of this council are unusually large, and much interest, Good Brother Arn paid an unexpected visit and all were glad to see him nected visit and all were glad to see him nected wish the distance of Bro. Wister is increasing and new members are taken in each week.

Knights of Phythias



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Aurora Lodge, No. 40, in order to create and toster a genuine fraiternal fueling among members and a close social and friendly relationship between families and riends gave an entertainment of a high order and dance has friends gave an entertainment of a high order and dance has friends gave an entertainment of a high order and dance has friends, we sening at the half, little chairman; F. H. Burch, chairman; F. H. Burch, chairman subcommittee, william A. Cook, Julius E. Pereyra, Benjamin flormer, George E. Orf, Daniel Buckley and William Hartranft, presented a program of vocal and instrumental funds of the delighted a good-staed audience. The dance, with Eskina Orthestra, and refreshments followed.

The officers of Aurora Lodge, which is one of the cidest in the State, having been instituted in 1867, are as follows: Chan. Com., James Winter; vice than, Daniel Buckley; prelate, Benjamin Gormer; Resper records and seal. William A. Ocok; master finance, Daniel. C. Hunjer; master archeaged, F. Theodore Obson; master arms, F. A. Rurch; master work, George Edwards: liner guard, George Orf, outer guard, Charles C. Reyser; rep. Grand Lodge, Julies E. Fereyra.

Funeral of Rev. Dr. S. M. Nichols The funeral of the Rev. Dr. Sanford M. Nichols, a widely known Methodist clergyman and former superintendent of the Methodist Church in Camden, who died in the Methodist Hospital in this city, will be held on Saturday afternoon, at 1 a'clock, at the First Methodist Church, Camden. The services will be conducted by the Rev. S. A. De Maris, superintendent of the Camden District. Addresses will be made by the Rev. Holmes F. Gravatt, pastor of the First Methodist Church; Blahop Berry, of this city, and the Rev. John R. Mason. Internent will be made at Itarisish Cemetery, Camden. The hody of Doctor Nichols will be placed on view temperature. clargyman and former superintendent of

OBITUARIES

DR. L. W. THOMPSON

Trustee of Philadelphia County

Homeopathic Society. Dr. Landreth W. Thompson, trustee of the Philadelphia County Homeopathic Society and former professor at Hahnemann Medical College, died yesterday at his home, 1701 Green street. As a leader in the medical profession of this city Doctor Thompson did a vast amount of research practice and hospital work, is thought to have undermined his health, indirectly causing his death. He was 52 years old. Dector Thompson came from a family of physicians who were prominent in their day. His grandfather, Dr. David James,

day. His grandfather, Dr. David James, and his great-grandfather, Dr. Isaac James, were among the ploneer physicians who were influential in making Philadelphia one of the medical centres of this phia one of the medical centres of this country. He was connected with the staff of the Children's Homeopathic Hospital and a visiting surgeon at St. Luke's Hospital. He served many years as corresponding secretary of the Germantown Medical Club. He was unmarried, and is survived by his aunt, Mrs. H. M. Moore, daughter of Dr. David James, and his daughter of Dr. David James, and his daughter of Dr. David James, and his cousins, Dr. D. Bushrod James and Dr. John Edwin James.

The funeral services will be held Safurday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at his late

Edward Sutch

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Edward Sutch, who for more than 12
years was caretaker at the upper and
lower Roxborough filtration plants, died
yesterday of pneumonia at his home, 8
Minerva avenue, foliowing a three days
filmess. He was 70 years old. His 28
years of continuous service in the department of the Water Bureau equipped him
with a grounded knowledge of the intricate water system. It was his alertness
in applying the stop-valves when the distribution main in Roxborough broke three
years ago that prevented further destruction and loss of property. The funeral
services will be held Saturday afternoon,
at the Roxborough Methodist Episcopal
Church, with interment at Leverington Church, with interment at Leverington

Mrs. Fannie E. B. Weitzel Mrs. Fannie Edwards Beyd Weitzel, an active worker in the Tioga Presbyterian Church, 16th and Tioga streets, and who four weeks ago was widowed by the death of her husband, Paul Ross Weltzel, succumbed yesterday to melancholia at her home 3200 North 15th street. She was in her 76th year. Mrs. Weitzel is survived by three sons, P. Elmer and Herbert E. Weitzel, members of the Weitzel Lumber Company; E. Boyd Weltzel, president of the Industrial Requirements Company. and three daughters. The funeral will take place Saturday morning from her late home.

Miss Jennie S. Pattison

Miss Jennie S. Pattison, a teacher at the Mary Disston Public School of Holmesburg for many years died yes-terday at her home, 8012 Frankford avenue. She was 58 years old, and had been in failing health for some time.

Miss Pattison had as her pupils men active members of the Emmanuel Episco pal Church of Holmesburg, where funeral services will be conducted Saturday afternoon. Miss Sadie Pattison is an only

John M. Truax

WILMINGTON, Del., April 1.-John M. Truax, vice president and general man-ager of the Truax Electrical Company, died vesterday afternoon at the Homeopathic Hospital of typhoid fever. He was 43 years old, and leaves a widow, a son and daughter.

MONTREAL, Que., April I. — William Stitt, general passenger agent for the Canadian Pacific Railway, foll dead in his office today.

Deaths

BACON.—At his residence, 1537 North 19th st., on March 31, 1915, Rev. SAMUEL FREDERICK BACON. D. D., aged 81 years, Friends and relatives, also members of the Presbytery of Philadesphila, are invited attend the funeral services, at Heidelberg Reformed Church. 19th and Oxford sts., or Saturday afternoon, April 3 1915, at 2 o clock. Remains may be viewed at the church after 12 o clock noon.

HOYD.—On March 31, 1915, at her late residence, S13 Richmond st., SARAH, widow of Edward Boyd, in her Sid year. Due notice of the oneral will be given.

CAMPHELL.—On March 30, 1915, JANE SNOW CAMPHELL, aged 84 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on April 2, at 3 p. m., at her late residence, tear S17 North Camac st. Interment at Mount Morlah Cemetery.

CARHARY.—On March 31, 1915, KATHARINE M. CARHARY (nee Maxwell), wife of John B. Carhart. Funeral on Saturday, at 2 p. m., from her father's residence, John Maxwell, 2212 North 30th st. Interment private.

Maxwell, 212 North 30th st. Interment private. COHEN,—On March 30, 1915, CLOTLIDA FLORANCE COHEN, daughter of the late Jacob I., and Hannah Florance, in the 85d year of her age. Funeral services and in-terment private.

services on Saturday alternoon at 2 km precisely, at his late readence, 2465 Ambert. Interment private in North Cedar Hill Cemetery.

JONES.—On Third Month 30th, 1915, HANNAH T., wife of the late Jeremiah C. Jones, in her Tith year. Relatives and friends are invited, without further notice, to attend the funeral, from her late readence. St. James Apartments, 22 South Church at James Apartments, 22 South Church at James Apartments, 23 South Church at James Apartments, 25 South Church at James Apartments, 26 South Church at James Apartments, 27 South Church at James Apartments, 27 South Church at James Apartments, 28 South Church at James Apartments, 28 South Church at James Apartments, 29 South Church at James Apartments, 29 South Church at James Apartments, 20 South Church at James Apartment Private, at Plymouth Meeting Burying Ground, Fa.

KORNDOERFER. — On March 31, 1915, FLOR-ENCE H., son of the late Hannah and John Mahoney, formerly of Gilberton, Pa. Funeral on Saturday, at S. a. m., from his late residence, 10th and Columbia ave. Services at St. Malachy's Church, at 9:30 s. m. Interment Frackville, Pa. Train leaves Columbia Ave. Sintion at 10:36 s. m.

McLAUGHLIN.—On March 31, 1915, at his late residence, 37 Central ave., Rockledge, Pa. WILLIAM F. McLAUGHLIN, husband of Kate A McLaughlin (nee Duuglass) Funeral services on Saturday, April S. at 1:30 p. m., at the Bethamy Baptist Church, Rhawn st., Fox Chase, Philadelphia. Interment Lawnwice Genetery.

MEYER.—On March 30, 1915, MORITZ, husband of the late Emilie Rosver. In his Sth Year. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services on Friday morning, at 10:30 colock precisely, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. Heineberg, 1021 North 18th street. Interment at Mt. Shnal Cemetery. Kindy omit flowers.

MORE.—In West Chester, Pa., on Thirdday, Third Month 30t, 1915, MARGA-RETTA J. MORE, in the Soit year of her age. Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral without further notice, from the Chester, Pa., on Thir

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O'RRIEN.—On March 31, 1915, PATRICK
H., husband of Mary A. O'Brien (nee Hart)
Funeral on Monday, at 8.30 a. m., from 2018
East Cumberland st. Solemn Requiem Mass
at the Church of the Visitation, at 10 a. m.
Interment Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Automobile funeral.

PACKARD, — At Wilkes-Barre. Pa. or
Wednesday. March 31, 1915, ELISABETH
DWIGHT, daughter of the late John H. and
Elisabeth Wood Packard. Funeral from her
late residence, 31 West Ross street, WilkesBarre, on Friday. April 2, at 345 p. m.
PIERCE.—On March 29, 1915, RACHEL W.,
wife of Alexander Pierce. The relatives and
friends of the family are invited to attend
the funeral services on Friday. April 2, at
230 o'clock, at her late residence, 4507 Laiper
st. Frankford. Interment East Cedar Hill
Cemetery.
RIFFING.—On March 31, 1915, CLABA L.

2:30 o'clock, at her late residence, 4807 Laiser at., Frankford, Intermont East Cedar Hill Cemetery,
RUFFING.—On March 31, 1915, CLARA L., wife of John Ruffing, Funeral on Saturday, at 1:30 p. m., from her daughter's residence,
Mrs. George Palsics, 3936 North 9th st. Interment private.

SCHAFER.—At her residence, 2433 Olive st., on March 31, 1915, KATF A., wife of Frank Schafer. Due notice of the funeral will be given

SCHAFER.—At her residence, 2433 Olive st., on Morch 51, 1915, KATE A., wife of Frank Schafer. Due notice of the funerat will be Shitthwaite, aged 65 years. Funeral on Saturday, at 3 p. m., from 14 Queen lane, Germankown. Interment private.

SUTCH.—On March 31, 1915, EDWIN 8.

SUTCH. Husband of Lila May Sutch (nee Stanley), in his 70th year. Funeral on Saturday, at 3 p. m., from 16 late residence, Minerva ave. Shawmont, Upper Roxborough. Services in the Roxborough M. E. Church at 2 p. m., from 18 late residence, Minerva ave. Shawmont, Upper Roxborough Services in the Roxborough M. E. Church at 2 p. m. Interment at Leverlagton Cemetery. THOMPSON.—On March 31, 1915, DR. LANDRETH W., son of the late Doctor John Wesley and Anna R. Thompson. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral Services on Saturday afternon, at 2 o'clock, at his late residence, 1701 Green street. Interment private.

TRACY.—On March 31, 1915, SUSAN TRACY. Funeral on Monday, at 8:30 a m. from her late residence, 34 North 37th st., west Philadelphia. High Mass of Requiem at St. James Church at 10 a. m. Interment Cathedral Cemetery

TULIAS—On March 31, 1915, MATILDA H., widow of Dr. Ell R. Tullis. Funeral on Saturday, April 3, at 11 a. m., from hor late residence, 408 Stevens st., Camden, N. J. Interment private, Harleigh Comotory.

TWINING.—On April 1, 1915, at her late residence, 109 Harvey st., Germantown, ISABELIA WYLIE, wife of William S. Twining, Interment at Toledo, Ohio.

WARE.—Mrs. ANNA M. WARE, at her late residence, 100 East Walnut lane, Germantown, on Wednesday, March 24, 1915, aged 97 years. She was buried on Friday, March 26, at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

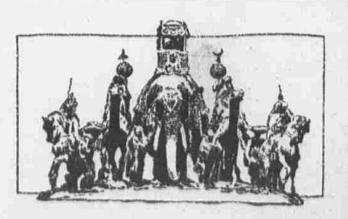
WEITZEL.—On March 31, 1915, PANNIE EDWARDS BOYD, widow of Pul Ress Weitzel, in her 76th year. Funeral services and friends of the family are privated to attend the funeral services. on Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock precisely, at his late residence, 3721 Baring st. Interment private of the late residence, 3719 Baring st. Interment private.

WHITING.—On March 30, 1915, JOHN R.

white residence, 3/21 Baring st. Interment private.

WHITLOCK.—On March 21, 1915, MARY A, daughter of the late Daniel and Rachel Whitlock, Funeral on Saturday, at 3 p. m. from 850 East Russell st. Interment Greezmount Cemetery.

WILSON.—At Eayr-stown, N. J., on March 21, 1915, R. FLOYD WILSON, husband of Emily and son of Richard B, and Hannah Wilson. Funeral on Saturday, April 3, at 2 p. m., from his late residence, Eayrestown, N. J. Interment Lumberton, N. J.



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