

IMPROVED TEAM FOR SCHOOL BOYS ATTRACT CROWD

Annual Competition for Public Ledger Trophy at Third Regiment Today

CENTRAL HIGH FAVORITE

Third Regiment Armory, March 3.—The most important sports event in Philadelphia...

It was the confidential prediction of every one in the host of spectators that one or more records would be smashed...

SEVEN PHILS START FOR SOUTHERN CAMP

Shettline in Charge of First Squad Off for Spring Training

Seven members of the Phillies left this city this morning for the spring training camp...

BASKETBALL NOTES

24 Wechter, of Troy, who was injured in indoor football game between Jasper and Ulica...

Tomorrow's Soccer Games

American League Benefit Game. Athletic Union vs. All-American at Tacony Ball Park...

WHITE SOX ALSO HAVE PENNANT CHANCE

IF MANAGER ROWLAND IMPROVES TEAM WORK

Lack of Cohesion Responsible for Failure of the Team Last Year

By CHANDLER D. RICHTER

When the Chicago White Sox got off to a flying start last season, fans throughout the country expected Rowland's team to make a runaway race out of the American League campaign...

With a lead of five full games going into June, the White Sox suddenly went into a tailspin...

At the recent meeting of the American League, Rowland explained to the writer why the Sox went to pieces...

Rowland Explains

"We went to pieces last season because we got such a good start and were going too good early in the season...

Rowland is not claiming the pennant for the Sox, but declares he can see no team in the American League...

Pitchers Were Good

For years the White Sox pitching staff has been rated as one of the best in the country...

Scott and Benz are veterans, who could be depended upon to win at least 50 per cent of their games...

There is a chance that Ed Walsh may be of some use to Rowland this season...

Skalk a Marvel

With the wonderful Ray Skalk to do practically all the catching, the White Sox have a decided edge on any team in the league...

Mayer, the second catcher, is a capable receiver in all positions...

The miserably hitting of the heavy hitting Fourrier caused Manager Rowland to purchase Jack Ness...

Fight for Positions

The shortstop and third-base positions depend entirely upon the showing of the candidates...



CLARENCE ROWLAND Manager of the Chicago American League Club.

Terrific out of the line-up if he is half as good as he is touted.

Eddie Murphy, Felsch and Jackson probably will be the regular outfield, despite rumors to the effect that the latter would be benched in favor of Leibold or John Collins...

Thomas, Basketball Star Years Ago, Defends Rules Used by Eastern League

Former President of American League Agrees With Charley Keinath That Collegiate Game Has Been Spoiled by Changes

JOHN THOMAS, president of the old American Basketball League years ago, and a man who is recognized as one of the leading basketball authorities in the country...

Thomas, who has played, managed and coached teams which have used the styles of play, writes the following interesting letter to the EVENING LEADER:

To the Sporting Editor of Evening Leader: Sir—In an article appearing in your issue of Saturday, February 26, of the Philadelphia Evening Leader...

Players Hobbled

They have hobbled the players, preventing free and natural action to such an extent that the game has become a farce...

Not Dissatisfied

Second, he states that he formed an alliance with Doctor Raycroft to reform the game and that they decided to withdraw from the game...

ROOKIES AND REGULARS

CHICAGO—Hoink Zimmerman, star third baseman, is off of the Philadelphia staff...

MINERAL WELLS, Tex.—Joe Benz, White Sox hurler, today awaited an answer to his appeal to Southern Dave Danforth...

PALESTINE, Pa.—The Browns started the ball rolling in a 5-inning practice session. The Whites and Grays played a 7-up tie.

MARLIN, Tex.—Jim Thorpe, who caused John McGraw more disappointment than Merkle's mortal sin, has just returned to his old home...

MACON, Ga.—Bill Donovan's Wankers are bowing down. The smiling manager separated his flock, segregated his teams, and sent his troops to the front lines.

JUNIORS DISPLAY CLASS IN INDOOR TENNIS MATCHES

Wilson's Speed Defeats High Quality Play of Fischer

MEN'S EVENTS ONE-SIDED

Honors yesterday's tennis play at the armory go to the juniors, since all the men's singles were too one-sided to make the matches extremely interesting...

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Both boys hit hard. Wilson almost too hard, since he threw away several important points by trying for speed...

Masked Boxer Unmasked

Unknown Brought Here by Dick Curley Still Mystery

2777777, from "From Where (?)", is still a mystery, although he was unmasked at the request of the Department of Public Safety...

Teams Evenly Matched

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SNAPPY SCRAPS ABOUT SCRAPPERS

Evening Ledger Decisions of Ring Bouts Last Night

BROADWAY—The "Unknown" defeated "Pat" Hill. "Coster" won from "Pat" Hill. "Walt" Hinkle outboxed "Walt" Hinkle. "White" Fitzgibbon stopped "Eddie" Hertz at the Souffereil, and the winner will win the title of Kennington.

Who is Kennington's best hantam? This information has had fans in the mill district waiting since James Fitzgibbon came to this city from Virginia and settled down in that section...

Sammy Decker will dip his shoes in rosin tonight, when he gets a new start in combat with Young Jack Toland at the Quaker City.

Lois Darbacher of this city, is making matches at the Elm Hotel, New Bedford, Mass. He is seeking for a 15-round encounter between Pete Herman and Al Shaber.

Pittsburgh fans will see their featherweight favorite, Johnny Ray, who is predicted for a titular title by his home town constituents in action with Champion Johnny Kilbans...

Philadelphians was a real fight town on the night of March 17 last. With Ed Williams and Johnny Kilbans meeting at one club and other billed at another arena, the entire city

was full of FIGHT, FIGHT, FIGHT—saw A local promoter in planning another great show St. Patrick's night this year.

Michael Brown has been taken in tow by Bobby Morrow, Morrow handled Young Higgins with the latter decided to retire. The supervising a billiard room downtown now.

Negotiations have been started for a match between Tommy Hook of this city, and George Chaney, for a bout in Baltimore.

Bobby Quinn may stage another special show at the Douglas Club next week.

The entire show at the National tomorrow night follows: Eddie McAndrew vs. The Duke, Frankie Fleming vs. Frankie White, Eddie Wallace vs. Frankie McManis, Leo Larson vs. Young Rector and Bobby McLeod vs. John W. Ritt.

Following his bout with Steve Latta at the Olympia Monday night, White Moore will appear in a series of bouts in New York. Several Gotham promoters have made him offers.

Ray Collins to Coach

FAIRFAX, Va., March 3.—Ray W. Collins, for several years pitcher of the Boston Americans, will coach the baseball team of Bellows Falls Academy this season.

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