

# INTERSCHOLASTIC CRICKET LEAGUE MAY REVIVE SPORT THAT ONCE FLOURISHED LIKE BAY TREE

### AS LOSE CLOSE GAME TO PIRATES

One Wild Throw and Lack of Opportune Hitting Responsible

DUGAN IS OUT OF IT



MORAN'S RECRUIT HURLER

Jacksonville, Fla., April 3. Disability to hit opportunities cost the Athletics the fifth game of the exhibition series here with Pittsburgh yesterday. Their opportunities for a display of only batting, however, were very limited. It was not the chance of a run, even more so than the chance of a hit. It was a tight hitting contest with the pitchers dominating in most every round. While the Athletics were outplayed by only the American League's only margin of the national league, Pittsburgh really hit the ball as hard as any team in the league. The only error of the game, which was highly interesting, short and snappy, decided the result. Just why Gregg did not permit Gardner to field Hamilton's slow-rolling grounder in the third inning was not clear. Gardner was right up with the ball, having played far in for a left-handed batter, and was in a pitcher's position to get the ball to the batter and runner. Gregg, who, being a left-handed thrower, was obliged to lead completely around before he was in a position to make the throw to Burns.

### HERZOG IN MACON, GA., BUT HAS NOT SIGNED

### King of the Hold-Outs Will Have Interview With Houghton Today

### NEWS OF THE CAMPS

Macon, Ga., April 3. Charley Herzog, the hold-out, arrived at Macon yesterday from the Stallings plantation at Haddock and announced he was just as far from signing a contract as ever. It is believed, however, that he will fall in line after his confab with President Houghton of the Boston Club today.

Fort Worth, Tex., April 3. \*The Detroit Tigers and Cincinnati Reds were here today for the third game of their spring series, with the Reds leading the series by a score of 2-1. The game was a close one, with the Reds winning by a score of 2-1. The game was a close one, with the Reds winning by a score of 2-1.

Fresno, Cal., April 3. Howard Embke and Duffy Lewis, former big leaguers playing with the Peasin grocers here, today suppress the Chicago Cubs, who won 12 to 1 yesterday. Alexander and Dixie Walker pitched for the Cubs.

Houston, Tex., April 3. The champion White Sox are a game behind the Houston Texas League team today, having dropped the second of a series, 1 to 0. Lefty Williams pitched niftily, but the Sox made only four hits.

Shreveport, La., April 3. It was a "Speakers' trial of Cleveland Indians that descended on this town today. This took a run home to the field, the result of an ugly bound of a rapid fire grounder.

San Antonio, April 3. Fully seven thousand spectators, mostly soldiers, witnessed an exhibition game between the Giants and the Camp Travis teams, on the latter's big field yesterday afternoon. This camp has a ball ground which includes a grandstand accommodating 5000 persons, and admission is charged the soldiers, the money going to the athletic fund of the camp.

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## SCHOOLS TO HAVE CRICKET LEAGUE

### Howard W. Middleton Again Will Organize Interscholastic Association SIX-TEAM CIRCUIT

By PAUL PREP

Plans are under way for the formation of a six-team cricket league in this section to be known as the interscholastic cricket league. Howard W. Middleton, Sr., the well-known cricketer of the Philadelphia Cricket Club, is at the head of the organization and has sent invitations to join the league to the following schools: Central High, Northeast High, Penn Charter School, Haverford School, Westtown School and Haverford College.

### Schoolboys Unfamiliar With Game

Cricket as a scholastic sport has been on the decline in the last few years, due no doubt to the fact that very few schoolboys know the game and, secondly, that no one in the high schools appears to care whether the sport is continued or dropped. Frankford High dropped out of the league in 1916, while Germantown High and Germantown Academy didn't play out their schedules last year.

If Westtown and Haverford College decide not to enter the league this season a four-team organization will be formed. The Merion Cup, symbolic of the championship, is now in the possession of the William Penn Charter School. Northeast won the title in 1915 and Penn Charter in 1916-17.

The School of Pedagogy has made rapid strides forward in athletics during the last two years. The basketball team during the last season was one of the best in this section and registered victories over all of the local high school squads.

As a result of its greater interest in athletics, many star high school athletes have been attracted to Pedagogy in the past two years. The baseball team has been practicing at Houston Field, through the courtesy of Doctor O'Brien, since the team was organized. This advantage will mean nothing to the New Yorker, according to Glassman; in fact, no more than the clause in the contract which calls for six rounds of boxing.

Johnny Burns, of the Cambria A. C., appears to be the only critic who picks Cline to win. Incidentally, Burns is the only Irishman whose opinion on the outcome has been asked. Burns' opinion has been a strong rooster for Tendler and this is the first time he has picked him to lose, but Cline's experience and the advantage in weight he will have seem to be overwhelming arguments in his favor and they are the two reasons Burns advances for making the choice he has.

## TENDLER'S MANAGER PREDICTS KNOCKOUT WIN OVER CLINE IN SIX-ROUND BATTLE TONIGHT

### Phil Glassman Believes His Boy Can Put Over Dreamland Punch—Southpaw Favored by Majority Over New Yorker

By BILL BELL

PHILADELPHIA, or at least all that part in the south end of the city, is solid in supporting Tendler, verbally, vocally and financially and every seat in the house has been reported sold.

Two Southpaw Champs

The bout will be a test for both boys. Cline never has met a boxer as awfully clever as Tendler, and Cline probably is the stiffest puncher for Tendler to face. Only two left-handers ever have held boxing championships in this country, and there are able for both.

Frankie Neil, who won and lost the bantam title before he had cast his first vote, was a left-hander but fought with his left foot extended, instead of the right, giving the agility most right-handers possess. Al McCoy, like Tendler, was a genuine southpaw, keeping his right hand and foot extended. However, he gained the middleweight title through what was more or less of a fluke. A chance punch dropped the champion, George Chip, for the necessary count.

Boxing experts always look askance upon left-handers, but Tendler has attracted their attention by knocking out Frankie Nelson in succession, and he is now considered everywhere as a formidable contender for the crown held by Leonard.

## BARROW IS SEARCHING FOR GENUINE KEYSTONER

Ed Barrow evidently is none too optimistic over the probability of Johnny Evers lasting at second base, for he has obtained two alternatives. Recently he bought Bob Fleher from Rochester and later he obtained Dave Shean from the Reds in a trade for Pitcher George Foster. Shean, who two years ago managed the Providence club of the International League, was due to go from the Reds anyway, while Foster is a holdout.

It is not at all certain that Matty will be able to induce the right-hander to work for the Reds, as he has announced some days ago that he was through with the game and that he would devote himself to the raising of hogs on his Oklahoma ranch.

If he could approach his 1915 form, Foster would make a very valuable addition to Matty's forces, for that season he won twenty games and lost only eight.

Benny Valzer, the French champion, is ready for his ten-round bout at Buffalo tomorrow evening with Elmer Deane, of Buffalo.



PITCHER MILES MAIN

This is the elongated moundsman who packed up and deserted the Phil Camp without even warning Moran. He ascribed homesickness as the reason.

## GOLFER BACKED DOWN ON HUTCHINSON MATCH

### Amateur Got Cold Feet When Hearing of Pro's Work with Two Clubs

An amateur who challenged Jack Hutchinson, the Glen View professional, to a match for a big stake in which the "pro" was to be allowed only a nibble and his putter for the round is said to have called off the contest on being informed that Hutchinson was good for a score of 80 with these two clubs. The chances are Jack would have bettered 80 by several strokes.

This one-club business is not so difficult as it looks to the tyro. Thomas W. Sasser, an amateur, demonstrated this when in the semifinal round of a one-club tournament on the Baltimore Country Club course he went around from scratch in 77, and in the final made an 81 in a gale of wind.

He used a jigger throughout. If any players would leave their caddie bags in the locker room and go around the course with one club often than they do they would soon find themselves playing a much improved game.

Clubs that they almost are afraid to take out would soon become their firm friends and they would play with a hand, dried, hot, cold, more confidence all the way through.

## Evening Ledger Decisions of Ring Bouts Last Night

READING—Henry Hauber should have won in fast ten-round bout, Louie Foster drew with Tim Callahan, Leo Finerman bested Bobby Norfolk, Frank O'Brien, substituting for Joe Carlson, drew with Buck Taylor.

## BIG BOUT MAY GO TO THE WEST

### Definite Announcement of Place May Be Made in 24 Hours

## LOCATION IN DOUBT

New York, April 3. Within twenty-four hours Colonel J. C. Miller hopes to be in a position to announce where the big fight between Joe Egan and Jimmy Brits will be held on July 4 scrap will be held and within a short time thereafter all the other arrangements will be completed and announced to the public.

New Haven is very much in the running, according to a statement made by Colonel Miller, but no man whose name has been mentioned so far will be given any part of the bout. A business man whose name has been kept secret is, according to Colonel Miller, working to help stage the bout. He may succeed.

Some volunteer information regarding the status of boxing in Connecticut has reached Colonel Miller and things are shaping themselves toward a western location for the bout more and more—with the probabilities leaning toward Denver.

"I won't say anything about the location of this fight until everything has been decided upon," Colonel Miller declared.

"We're not going some place where we're not wanted. We've got to be just as welcome as the flowers in May. And I'm not trying to stage it myself. Nobody can buy it. I believe it will draw a big house. I believe that boxing is in more favor now, since the army is teaching it as an aid to its men when they get into hand-to-hand fighting, than ever before."

## Golf Pro Has Fight Record

Bob Clark, brother of Jack Clark, the St. Albans golf professional, has been in the big way for more than two years and he may be in the thick of it again before long. He has a record of 10 wins and 10 losses, which caused him to be sent home, and for the first time he is afraid to take it out.

## CHAS. MITCHELL, PUGILIST, DEAD

### Former English Middle and Heavyweight Champion, Passes Away

#### LAST OF OLD GUARD

London, April 3. Charley Mitchell, former English middleweight and heavyweight champion, is dead at Brighton. He was born November 24, 1861, in Birmingham, England.

Mitchell's most famous fight was with John Sullivan at Chantilly, France, March 10, 1884. He held the famous heavyweight title to a draw in thirty-nine rounds. Five years later Mitchell was knocked out, by James J. Corbett in three rounds.

The death of Mitchell marks the passing of another of the old guard of boxers, which included John L. Sullivan, Bob Fitzsimmons and Mike Donovan, all of whom have passed away within the last three months.

His ring record follows:

January 11—Bob Cunningham, won; Birmingham; 50 minutes; knockouts.

November 22—C. Smith, won; Wolverhampton; 17 minutes; knockouts.

July 18—Wm. Hayes, won; London, Eng.; 20 minutes; gloves.

February—Cardiff, won; Antwerp; 4 minutes; knockouts.

June 16—Jack Burke, draw; Antwerp; four and 12 minutes; knockouts.

April—Won middleweight competition; London, Eng. Won heavyweight competition; London, Eng.

1883

April 8—Mike Cleary, won; New York; three rounds.

May 14—John L. Sullivan, lost; New York; three rounds.

July—Wm. Hayes, won; Leadville, Col.; four rounds.

Bill Lynn, won; Leadville, Col.; two rounds.

October 2—William Sheriff, draw; Florence, L. I.; six rounds.

1884

March 20—Joe Dennis, won; New York; four rounds.

March 25—Jack Kitzin, draw; Boston; four rounds.

May 12—Billy Edwards, won; New York; three rounds.

October 13—Dom. McCaffrey, lost; New York; four rounds.

October 21—Jack Burke, draw; New York; four rounds.

November 24—Jack Burke, draw; New York; three rounds.

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February 23—John F. Scholer, won; Toronto, Ont.; four rounds.

May 23—Mike Clarke, draw; Chicago; four rounds.

June 20—Jack Burke, draw; Reno; six rounds.

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