

DUMPING FROM BALLYARD TO SHIPYARD HASN'T STOPPED BENDER FROM SETTING RECORDS

BENDER, ONCE PRINCE OF PITCHERS, NOW IS KING OF SHIPFITTERS

Charles Albert's Record-Breaking Work at Merchants Yard Praised by W. T. Wilson, Works Manager; Ben Hauser, Former A's First Baseman, Boosted

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL Sports Editor Evening Public Ledger

CHIEF CHARLES ALBERT BENDER, the Phil hurler, who has been restored to good standing in big league circles, also stands well in the shipbuilding game.

"It has been common gossip that ball players who went to work in shipyards did so with the intention of getting out of war service. It also is a common belief that these men were given soft jobs with the idea of keeping them in the yard for the ball team.

BENDER has made no plans for the season. "I would rather play ball this year," he said, "but if it could be arranged so I could manage the club in the shipyard and get an extra salary for it, I would just as soon remain with the Merchants. However, it's too early to say anything now."

One Boss for White Sox; That One's Kid Gleason

WILLIAM "KID" GLEASON, who hastened to Chicago last Tuesday in response to an urgent message from Comiskey, has taken charge of the White Sox ball club and is getting things in shape for the training trip next month.

Gleason hopes to get all of the old players in line and expects many youngsters to deliver before the season starts.

The Quinn case was similar to the Perry episode, inasmuch as Charley Comiskey, like Connie Mack, refused to accept the ruling of the National Commission as final.

There are two good first basemen at Liberty this year—Holke and Luders. Both are good, steady players and make up in consistency what they lack in brilliancy.

Colgate Will Have Strong Eleven, Says Hubbel

CHARLEY HUBBEL, star halfback on the Colgate football team two years ago, has returned to civilian life after serving his country on the high seas.

Hubbel says Colgate will come back strong on the gridiron next fall and make a record that will stand for years.

"But have you noticed the schedule for next year?" asked Hubbel. "It is the hardest ever attempted by a small college, but we are not afraid of it."

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IN THE Yale game two years ago he grew so excited that he fainted before the end of the last period, and doctors worked over him for an hour.

Championship in College League Would Be Unfair

It was announced recently that Cornell had been admitted to the Intercollegiate Basketball League and led the circuit with a clean record of six games won and none lost.

When the league schedule was framed this season it was believed that Cornell would not have a team, and therefore the Ithacans were left out of the list of dates.

It is a matter of fact, the league is merely a mythical one this year. Its main function is to govern the games and pick the winners.

HOWARD BERRY will compete for the Meadowbrook Club in the Milrose meet next Tuesday, according to an announcement made by Sam Dallas.

The former Penn star will run in the 300-yard dash and relay events and is said to be in good shape.

BURNHAM Scores Billiard Win

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Frederick C. Burnham, the Connecticut Billiard champion, defeated Johnny Tillman in the continuation of the National Class B 12 1/2 ball billiard championship tournament yesterday.

COULD HE HAVE STOOD THIS TEST?



NAVAL TRAINING LOSSES TO S. P. H. A.

Poth's Team Blows in Final Minutes and Drops Game, 31-24

MAKE GREAT RALLY

Losing in the last three minutes of play is a common fad in the Naval Training Camp basketball circles.

But even at that the sailors deserved to win, as they completely outplayed their opponents, and when the field goals were summarized, a department of minutes and lost out by the score of 31-24.

The game was really thrown away by the Navy Yarders. This was the result of poor foul throwing, a department of the game in which they have previously proven decidedly proficient.

Manager Poth was unable to account for the inability of his men to connect from the fifteen-foot mark and expressed his displeasure in no uncertain tones.

This week his club has been scheduled for five games and next week they will play but one, and that will be on Friday evening with Hancock, considered by many as the best club in the American League.

FOWNESE PINEHURST WINNER

Statzell Second in Novel Anniversary Golf Play

Pinehurst, N. C., Feb. 22.—A record field of sixty-five players took part in the thirtieth anniversary flag contest here yesterday.

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TRAVIS GOLF PRESIDENT

Elected Head of the New Palm Beach Organization

Palm Beach, Fla., Feb. 22.—A new epoch in Palm Beach golf annals was started last night with a banquet at the Hotel Commodore.

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Another Japanese Star Coming Here in Spring

Ichiya Kumagae Says New-comer Is Star and Will Arrive in Time to Enter Summer Tourneys

NAME IS YAMAZAKI

By ROBERT T. PAUL

ANOTHER Japanese tennis star is planning to invade this country.

The new player's name is Yamazaki. As for the pronunciation one should not even guess at it until after receiving a lesson from either Kamazae or Seichiro Kashio.

Different Opinions

The only dope on Yamazaki's ability is that furnished by Kumagae and Kashio.

Rarely Came to Net

Some interesting facts as to why Kumagae and Kashio were so unused to the American style of net play was given up by Kashio while watching the Middle States Tournament on the Wanamaker Store roof the other afternoon.

Double More Popular

It seems that double matches are more popular than singles in Japan.

Two MORE GIANTS SIGN

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MANY HOLIDAY SOCCER GAMES

Replay Match Between Merchants and Coates Big Attraction Today

PURITANS PLAY ROVERS

From a soccer standpoint today will be one of the biggest days throughout the season for followers of the old Scottish game.

Only one game is scheduled in the Delaware River Shipyard League, that being between the newly constructed Hog Island and the old team, the Harlan team from Wilmington.

MANY SHOTS TODAY

Numerous Holiday Trap Events on Schedule

Holidays and Saturdays are big days among the devotees of the target game.

ELI TANKMAN SETS RECORD

Binney Swims Fifty Yards in 24 5/8 Seconds

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 22.—Edward Binney, Jr., of Yale, set a new collegiate record in a dual meet between Eli and Princeton.

EQUALS OWN SWIM RECORD

McGillivray Captures the Century Title in 55 2/5 Seconds

Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 22.—Perry McGillivray, of the Great Lakes Training Station, won the championship at that distance last night at the Pittsburgh A. A. pool and equalled his record of 55 2/5 seconds.

Yale Wrestlers Throw Tigers

Black Contest at Palace Ring

NEW COLUMBIA COACH

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FIVE PENN VETERANS ON WATER POLO TEAM

Kistler Lauds Faries as Best Player on Squad—Confident of Winning Three Matches

ONLY 4 DATES LISTED

By EDWIN J. POLLOCK

WITH five veterans from the 1918 squad and a promising new recruit, Coach George Kistler, of the Penn water polo sextet, is looking forward to a successful year in the tank, owing to the fact that the schedule was arranged on a war basis, only four meets are listed, and of these the Red and Blue tutor is confident of winning three with an even chance of landing the laurels in the fourth engagement.

The Penn water polo team, captained by Columbia tutor and the City College of New York and Princeton one. The only home exhibition will be staged next Saturday night at Westminster Hall with the Morningstar Heights aggregation.

Captain Ted Murdoch, Walter Faries, Bud Fisher, Bill Tandy and I. Waterhouse have been through the fire of competition and their ability at the game has been proved.

Faries Team Star

Faries, who recently returned from the service, is the star of the sextet, and it is upon him that Coach Kistler is counting for the majority of the count-down meeting today at Westminster Hall.

The team this year will feel the absence of Herb Collins, who was killed in an airplane accident.

Baseball League May Be Formed at College Meeting Here Today

Representatives of Penn, Cornell, Dartmouth and Columbia and possibly Yale and Harvard will hold an important inter-collegiate meeting here today for the purpose of forming a baseball league.

RITCHIE BEATS BENNY LEONARD

Former Champion Gets Decision Over Titleholder in Four Rounds

BOTH BOXERS BATTERED

San Francisco, Feb. 22.—Willie Ritchie, former lightweight champion, won a newspaper decision last night over Benny Leonard, the present champion, in a four-round bout.

WARD QUITS TO CLIFFORD

Kansas City Boxer Claims Foul in Fifth

George Ward, of Kansas City, quit in the fifth round of his bout with Jack Kilbane, featherweight champion of the world, at the latter's request.

KILBANE TO BOX HERE

Featherweight Champion Signs to Meet Frankie Brown March 10

Cleveland, O., Feb. 22.—Johnny Kilbane, the featherweight champion of the world, will stage his comeback in a Philadelphia ring.

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St. Luke's Noses Out Hillers

St. Luke's took a close basketball battle from Chestnut Hill yesterday by a score of 21 to 19.

CORNELL LOSES; PENN GOES FIRST

Columbia Five Hands Initial Reverse to Ithacan Cage Team

PLAYS HERE TONIGHT

Cornell suffered its first defeat in the Intercollegiate Basketball League last night when Columbia won from the Ithacans in New York, 25-21.

The defeat of Cornell came as a distinct surprise because the Morningstar Heights quintet was rated as the weakest in the circuit.

The Ithacans have four veterans from last year, Ormer, Stewart, Molinet and Randall.

The Penn quintet that will face Cornell will be the same as the one which opened Princeton last Tuesday night.

PENN MEETS SYRACUSE

Relay Team Opens Indoor Track Season at Buffalo

The Penn one-mile relay team left for Buffalo last evening for Buffalo, where it will formally open its indoor track season tonight by competing in a special relay with Syracuse.

BASKETBALL

Pennsylvania vs. Cornell

WILMINGTON, Feb. 22, 8:30 P. M. Preliminary series, Cornell vs. Penn. Tickets on sale at A. A. Office and Gimble's.

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