AMONG THE AMATEURS | caused more or tess hesitancy to start a settled season shall have commenced.

Sunny Days Awaken the Athletes Into Unwonted Activity.

PREPARING FOR COMING EVENTS

'Cyclers Make Many Funs and Tennis Gets a Good Healthy Start

A GREAT FIELD DAY AMONG SUPERIORS

The past six or seven days have more than atoned for the preceding month of bad weather, and the wheelmen, tennis players and athletic association members have taken the opportunity afforded for working themselves into shape for coming events. The sun has made matters interestingly warm. almost too warm for the start off, but as it had the effect of drying the muddy roads and sogey grounds no one cared particularly how high the thermometer went, so long as the mercury did not boil over. The showers toward the end of the week did not interfere materially with out-of-door sport, and unless May weather is repeated the senson may be regarded as tairly well opened.

Decoration Day events developed several things, one of which was that the atbletes of the East End Gyms, while above the average usually to be found in such associations, cannot compete with the record-breakers o the Inter-collegiate League. The boys in the latter institution can outjump them, outride them, in fact, there is scarcely a division in the list usually presented on field days in which they do not excel. It behooves the Gyms, therefore, to spend more time in practice if it is intended to make the name of the association known abroad. The "ThreeA's" bas taken the initiative step in this direction, and during the past tew days has had three of its best men in events at three meetings in the East. Pittsburg and Allegheav have been rather backward in pushing their talent forward, and now that the start has been made it is but fair to the community that other associations follow the lead of the "Three A's."

In the 'eyeling world the clubs are not so backward, and during the season it is expected that many of Pittsburg's wheelmen will carry off honors in outside events. Already to a wheelman of this city is the first century run of the season credited, and on Decoration Day another of our wheelmen won a mile race (handicap) at New York. The State meet at Scranton will cal out a good muny Allegheny county wheel men, and that they will come home loaded with honors is a toregone conclusion.

Tennis has hardly obtained a good start yet, although many private grounds have been in darly use. Decoration Day was a great day in the courts. Nearly every net n the city was strung and the rackets were in use all day long. Particularly in the East End were the tennis cothusiasts active, and on some of the courts playing com-menced with sunrise and only ended when it was too dark to see the balls.

The Pittsburg Tennis Club's new house

has been commenced and will be finished and rendy for occupancy July 1. The club's courts have been in use daily during the week and they are said to be in perfect conlition. Practice bas already been begun for the tournament in July, and there is an carnest determination to bring back the championship cup to the city.
Out-of-town practice has hardly commenced yet and only a few desultory games

have been played. It is not that interest is being loss in the game, but there has been is expected that there will be several close so much wet weather that the delay has contests. E. H. Henderson and E. C. Mor-

caused more or tess hesitancy to start until

That was an exciting two-mile race be tween Messra Culbertson, of the East End, and Close, of the Inter-collegiate League, on Decoration Day, at the East End Gyms' field meeting. Cul-



bertson took the lead from the start. He had met with an ugly fall in an earlier race which he won, but he went around the track st a good gait, closely tollowed by Close. On the seventh lap he had increased his lead to 50 yards, but when the last half was lead to 50 yards, but when the last half was reached Close made a spurt, and as he entered the home stretch had reduced the distance one-half. Both came down the stretch at a terrific speed, Close gaining rapidly, and just as they reached the wire he forged ahead an inch or two—just sufficient to win the race. It was a most exceen that citing finish, and brought out cheers that were only checked when, it was found that Culbertson had met with another fall, just as he crossed the wire. Luckily he was not seriously hurt, although scratched and bruised by the falls.

Charles Petticord and William Wilson made the first century run of the season last Sunday. They left Pittsburg on Saturday evening and started from Erie Sunday morning at 8 o'clock, arriving in Buffalo at 9:30 P. M. Part of the way they were accompanied by Messrs McLain, Musler and Wiggering, of McKeesport, but they dropped out after an hour or so, and the two riders went on their way alone. Some parts of the road were in a muddy condition, but on other portions they made 12 miles an hour. In the Silver Creek region they had to walk ten miles and ride five on the rail-road. Then in the Indian Reservation the mud was over ankle deep, and they made slow time on foot, but they reached Buffalo the same day, and on Decoration Day, in company with several others, they visited Niagara Falls and saw all the sights, returning to Pittsburg on Tuesday.

The Allegheny Athletic Club field meeting on July 2 promises to be one of the greatest events of the kind ever held in this vicinity. It is exciting a good deal of interest in all the highways and byways of athletic enthusiasts and the entry list promises to be a large one and to contain names representing every institution and association in Western Pennsylvania. Inter-col-legiate athletes will be there and the East End Gyms will have a large representation in the events. It is probable that the entries from the Gyms will be as follows: 100-yard run, Hastings, Kimmel and Batch; 220-yard run, Kimmel, Batch and Hastings; 440-yard run, Fry; 4-mile run, Fry and Haley: 1-mile run, McGrew, Haley and Moore: 120-yard burdle, Fry; putting the shot, Jarrett and Boren; throwing the hammer, Fry and Boren; broad jump, Jar-rett and Miller; hop, step and jump, Jarrett and Miller; high jump, Miller and Boren.

To-morrow evening the annual election of the East End Gyms will take place, and it gan are up for First Vice President; R. L. Sleeth, Jr., and J. A. Wells are competing for the Recording Secretaryship, and E. W. Dravo and George L. Stephenson want to be Financial Secretary.

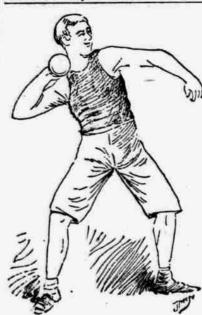
The East End Gym wheelmen had a very leasant run Tuesday evening. They rode, strawberry and ice cream festival in progress at a church. They spent the remainder of the evening in sampling the strawberries. There were about 30 in the party, among whom were the following ladies: Miss Marie Covle, Miss Konkle, Mrs. G. F. Wamhoff, Miss Stauff, Miss Jope, Miss Mathews, Miss Wells, Miss Hubbard, Miss Fawcett and Miss Armstrong.

Prof. Kirchner has been chosen to take charge of the Fourth of July amateur sport-ing events in which it is expected all of the athletic associations of the city and county will take part. The professor is preparing entry blanks and will announce in the course of a few days the date for closing of

THE SUPERIOR'S FIELD DAY.

A Long List of Events That Called Out the Suburban Residents.

Decoration Day was a great one at Superior. There were two games of ball, and in the afternoon the Superior Athletic Association had a field meeting. All the residents of that part of the suburbs turned out, and it is estimated that there were 1,800 ladies, gentlemen and children on the grounds. It was the most interesting meeting the club has ever held, and some very good records were made. The young men kept the events closely together and there were so few delays that the meeting was



F. J. Kron Putting the 16-Pound Sho'. voted successful by the spectators who, as a

general rule, become tired of this kind of meeting before it is over. Following is a list of the entries and win-ners of the various races:

Hurdle race—Wickersham, G. L. Pearson, F. J. Kron. Won by Kron in 19 seconds.
Mile walk—M. S. Wickersham, R. S. Ramsey, T. E. Keil. Won by Keil.
One hundred yard dash—F. E. Jamieson, John Follansbee, H. W. Pearson, F. J. Kron. Won by Kron in 10% seconds; Follansbee second.

Potato race—R. S. Ramsey, G. L. Pearson, F. E. Jamieson, J. T. Washob, Won by Ramsey.

Running high jump—Kron, Follanabee, H.

C. Cameron, Won by Kron, 5 rt. 4 in.; Foll-C. Cameron. Won by Kron, 5 ft. 4 in.; Foll-ansbee, 5 ft. 3 in.

Two hundred and twenty yard dash—H.
W. Pearson, 27 ecconds: F. Kron second.
Putting shot—Kron, Keil, Ramsey, Wachob, Follansbee, Won by Kron, \$1 ft.

10 in. Follansbee—Second, 29 ft. 1 in.

Hop, step and jump—J. W. Allison, W. B.
Copeland, M. S. Wickersham, J. T. Wachob,
Won by Allison, 39 ft. 3 in.; Wickersham
second, 35 it. 7 in.

Throwing ball—R. S. Ramsey, G. L. Balston, T. E. Kell, Fulton, F. E. Jamieson, L. H.
Estep. Won by Ramsey, 105 yards; Raiston
second.

Three legged race—G. L. Pearson and G. L.
Raiston, F. E. Jamieson and Wickersham, H.
C. Cameron and L. H. Estep. Won by Cameron
and Estep.

A Day of Sport Similar to the Whitsur tide of Old England. The Order "Sons of St. George" will hold a reunion picuic at Ross' Grove to-morrow. All lodges in the vicinity, 12 in all, will participate. They have arranged a long participate. They have arranged a long programme of field sports, and intend to make it a gala day, similar to the "Witsuntide" of old England. The order originated in this State a little over 20 years ago, and has spread through the land with wonderful rapidity. It is no part, or has no connection with the ancient "order of St. George and Garter." While it has adopted England's networks as its protesters. England's patron saint as its prototype, and confers the rank of Knight of the Garter, in true chivalric style its knights do not fight in armor, but champion the cause of the widow and orphan, the sick and needy. The order is composed of Englishmen and their sons, and is social and fraternal. The

ollowing is the programme of sports: following is the programme of sports:

Sack race, 75 yards; foot race, 100 yard dash; loot race, 100 yard dash; loot race, 100 yard dash, for sons of members under 16 years of age; three-legged race, 75 yards; wheelbarrow race, blindfolded; hurdle race, 150 yards, ten hurdles; food race, 100 yards, for daughters of members under 16 years of age; fat man's race, 75 yards, weight to be over 210 pounds; cricket match, between the members of the various lodges; backward foot race, 30 yards, with hands tied in front; foot race, one quarter mile dash; football match, open to all clubs; foot race, 100 yards, free for all; foot race, 100 yards, each carrying an egg in a tablespoon; foot race, one-half mile dash, with not less than five to start; throwing baseball; greased pig races for boys.

Tennis Tonrasiettes.

TENNIS players at Superior are getting eady for a tournament. A NEW club has been formed on Fremonistreet, near Jackson, Allegheny. THERE are 60 private courts, counting singles and doubles, east of Craig street. On one court at the East End over a 120 games were played on Decoration Day.

Ouly a few practice games have been played so far by the Wilkinsburg Tennis Club. A LARGE percentage of the family hotels and boarding houses have added courts to their lists of conveniences.

MESSAGE. CALLOW AND REED were the first to play on a Pittsburg tennis club court this season. It was on Decoration Day. THE proper color for tennis players, both ladies and gentlemen, is white throughout this year. A black or red belt without a sash is also the thing.

The court at Mrs. Lockhart's on N. High-land avenue has been put in good condition, and some interesting games may be ex-pected there this summer. MESSES. MOORHEAD AND COSTER have been having several practice games at the Pittsburg Tennis Glub grounds. Mr. Moorhead is playing his old game and intends to have the championship cup to be played for in the July tournament.

THERE are 30 ladies who generally take advantage of ladies' days at the East End Gyms' courts, and seldom less than 20 are to be found on the grounds. Friday was a disappointment on account of the rain. Tuesday, if the weather is fair, there will be a large turnout. large turnout.

THE tennis fixtures for the presenth month are: June 13—New Haven L.C., New Haven, Conn., New England Championship: June 20—Philadelphia Cricket Club, Wissahickon Heights, Philadelphia, Indies single, double and mixed double championship: June 20—Hudson River, L. T. A., Yonkers, N. Y., asso.

ciation tournament: June 27—Tiogs A. A.,
Philadelphia, single and double tournaments
Neighborhood Club, West Newton, Mass,
in vitation tournament, Orange L. T. C.,
Orange, N. J., Middle States championship;
Bochester L. T. C., Bochester, N. Y., annual
open tournament; Ampersend L. T. C., Saranac Lake, N. Y., open tournament.
The "A A" teams courts are D. Bognets

THE "3 A's" teams courts are on Boquet street. Allegheny, just opposite from Recreation park, which is to be known hereafter as the Allegheny Athletic Association Park. The courts are in a plot 300x100 and are six in number. Tourneys have not yet been announced, but they will be soon decided upon,

Cycling Rambles, WHEELMEN report that the county roads JOHN GROVE made a 20-mile run in quick time on Decoration Day.

SOUTH END wheelmen of Philadelp his will have a tournment on the 25th. THE next run of the East End Gym wheelmen will take place on Friday evening. Over 140,000 wheels were built in the United States last year and 20,000 imported. THE Mt. Vernon, O., wheelmen have renewed their organization as a League club, TERRE are 16 lady riders in Braddock and others are thinking of taking to the wheel. It is estimated that there will be 10 000 cyclers at the national meet in Washington on July 18.

THE Keystones are off on a run to McKees-port to-day. They will have a club century run next Saturday. Bosron is to have a track built specially for cycles. Such a thing might prove an ad-dition to Pittsburg.

On July 3 Mr. Charles Petticord will en-deavor to make the record from here to Buffalo, 250 miles, in two days. The New York State meet will take place at Buffalo on June 17 and 18. Several wheel-men of Pitteburg have announced their in-tention of being in attendance.

THE East End Gym wheelmen will hold a meeting to-morrow evening, when new members will be elected. It is expected that about 20 ladies will be admitted to membership.

G. A. Banker, of the East End, won a race in New York on Decoration Day. It was a mile handicap, and he was entered under the Manhattan Athletic Club colors, winning in 2 minutes \$3.35 seconds. THE Allegheny cyclers are off for a run to Beaver to-day. They will return to-night. Next Sunday they will go to Butler and re-turn, 72 miles, and the Sunday following to New Castle and return, 108 miles.

The cyclers complain of the actions of a policeman who signals the cars at the corner of atwood and Forbes streets. They intend to read him a section of the State law bearing on the rights or wheelmen in the streets. A good many of the cyclers are putting cyclometers on their wheels, with the in-tention of competing for the mileage medais which will be awarded to those who make

1,000 miles or more this summer. In Angust of 1890 Mr. C. Pitcairn made 1,180 miles. PRESIDENT ALLERTON, of the Keystones, will sail for England on the 11th to be gone three months. Early last week the members of the club rode to his house and were charmingly entertained at a dinner. They all wished him a pleasant trip. He takes his wheel with him.

wheel with him.

Cycling in the matter of speed is about to undergo a development which, if all that is claimed be true, is startling, indeed, and will introduce a new era of record breaking, in which the cyclist will be pitted not only against the high-mettled racer, but against steam itself. A Liverpool, Enriand, gentionan has invented some mechanism which, without any extra exertion, doubles the highest speed at present obtainable. The mode of propulsion is the same.

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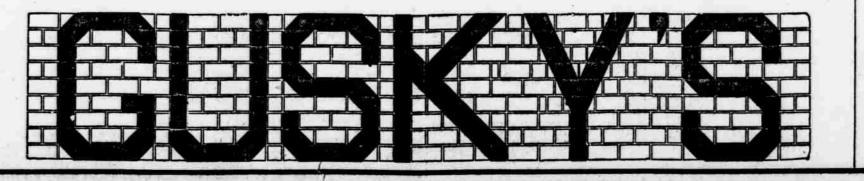
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