

341 TEAMS ENTER IN PENN RELAYS

Runners Will Go 3,1416 Feet Farther in Each Mile Than in Former Years

Pennsylvania's relay races, which will be held April 23-24 on Franklin Field, have this season attracted an amazing list of entries. In championships and class races they embrace 95 college teams, 56 preparatory school teams, 109 high school quartets, 71 grammar school teams and 10 parochial school teams—a total of 341 teams entered for the various events. This does not include the special events for which several colleges will have entries.

The entries for the championship relays are the best that have ever been received. There is not a single event in which fast and close races are not promised. The entry for the preparatory school championship raises that event to one of the big features of the meet.

All athletic games held on Franklin Field hereafter will be conducted under the rules of the Olympic Federation, as a result of which runners will be obliged to travel 3,1416 feet farther in every mile than heretofore. This is due to the fact that the track will be measured 12 inches from the pole, as in the case of England, in place of 13 inches from the pole, as has been customary in this country. The work of relaying the track on Franklin Field is nearly completed and changes have also been made in the straightaway stretch on the south side of the field in order to make room for five hurdles. The new rules will help discuss throwers, since the circle will be 8 feet 2 inches in place of 7 feet, as heretofore.

The entries for the high school championships in which Tech, Central and Steelton will take part are as follows:

One-Mile Relay—Philadelphia Central, Washington Central, Brooklyn Manual, Newark Central, Lynn (Mass.) and Bloomfield.

Class 1—DeWitt Clinton, Englewood, Erasmus Hall, West Philadelphia, Philadelphia Northeast, Worcester Classical, Providence Technical, Atlantic City, Washington Central.

Class 2—Harrisburg Central, Reading, Steelton, West Chester, Williamsport, Altoona, Greensburg, Masten Park of Buffalo.

Class 3—Baltimore City College, Baltimore, Poly, Trenton, New Brunswick, Dickinson of Jersey City, Morris of New York city, Washington Western, Harrisburg Technical, McKinley Manual Training of Washington.

Class 4—Wilmington, Radnor, Norristown, Philadelphia Southern, Lansdowne, Newark South Side, Newark East Side, Rahway.

Class 5—Ocean City, Philadelphia Trades, Frankford, Camden, Cheltenham, Chester.

Class 6—Lower Merion, Phoenixville, Downingtown, Media, Bristol, Plainfield, Mount Vernon, East Orange.

Class 7—Vineland, Salem, Haddonfield, Bridgeton, Woodbury, Collingswood, Moorestown, Ashbury Park.

Class 8—Easton, Mauch Chunk, Pottsville, Pottstown, Doylestown and Bethlehem.

Class 9—Glassboro, Mount Holly, Palmyra, Chattle, Stacy of Burlington, Wildwood, Rutherford and Haddon Heights.

Class 10—Kennett Square, Tredyffrin-Easttown, Haverford, Upper Darby, Spring City, Jenkintown, Cape May Court House, Egg Harbor City.

Class 11—Germantown, Darby, Swarthmore, Roversford, Martintown, Lansdale, Sellersville, Schwenksville.

Class 12—Berwick, Bloomsburg, Lebanon City, Columbia, Waynesboro, York, Altoona.

Class 13—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 14—Easton, Mauch Chunk, Pottsville, Pottstown, Doylestown and Bethlehem.

Class 15—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 16—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 17—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 18—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 19—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 20—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 21—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 22—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 23—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 24—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 25—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 26—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 27—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 28—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 29—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 30—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

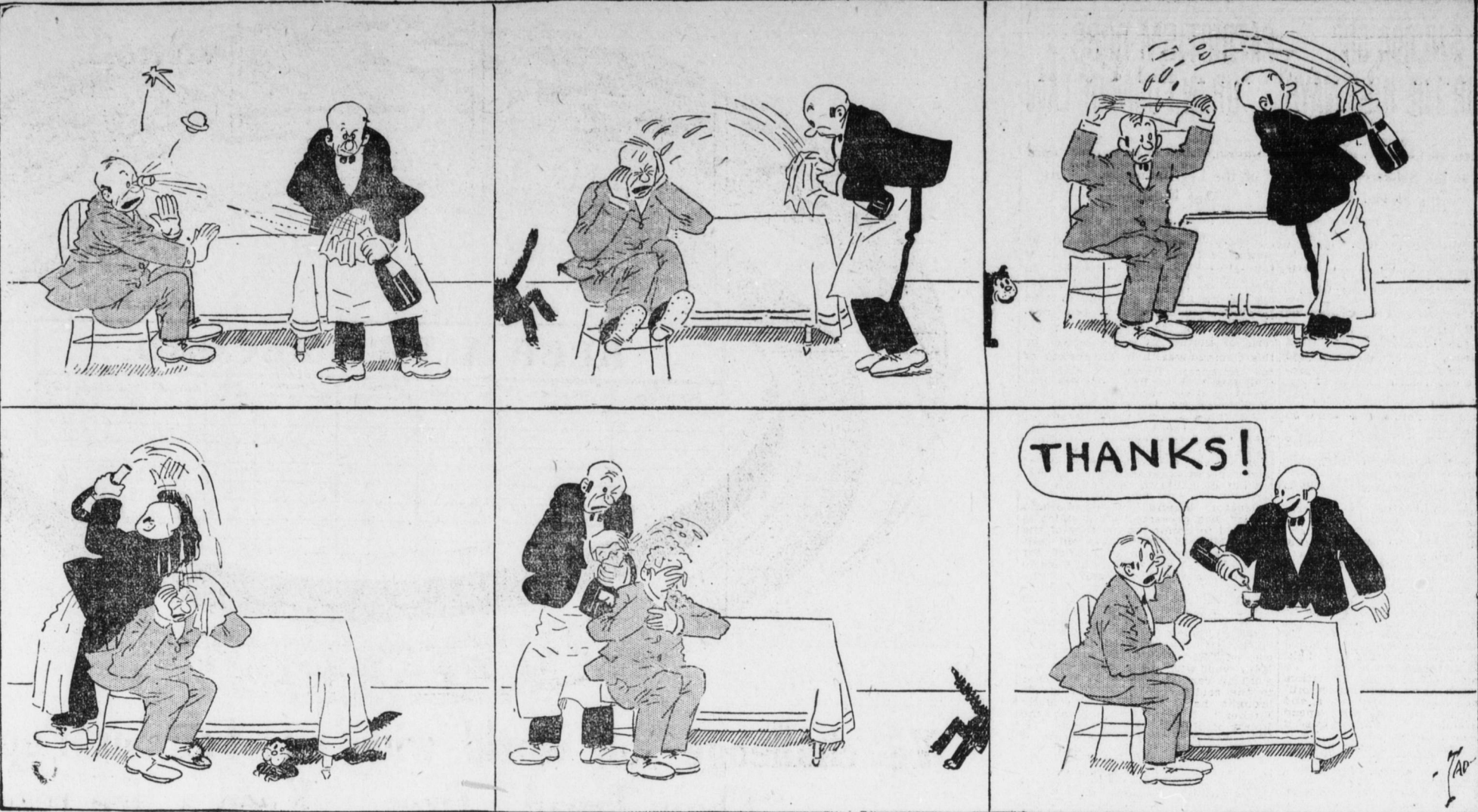
Class 31—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 32—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 33—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

Class 34—Malvern, Narberth, Coleriville, Abington, Parkersburg, Boyertown, Hatboro, West Grove, Birdsboro.

A Picture Story With Just One Word



GREAT THROGS SEE CHAMPIONSHIP FIGHT

(Continued from First Page.)

A score of blankets were placed there as padding.

From two platforms moving picture machines were focused on the ring. Five machines comprised the battery, three to be used regularly and two to be held in reserve.

Bell Forgotten

There was great excitement about 11 o'clock when it was discovered that no one had thought about the bell to be rung at the starting and stopping of the rounds. Two messengers were dispatched on the journey to Havana to purchase a gong.

The ring was finished shortly before noon. While the strongest, it was also the greatest ever erected for a world's championship. The band in the grandstand entertained the crowds. The first tune it rendered was "By the Beautiful Sea," which set the American contingent whistling.

Late arrivals at the arena told of many automobile wrecks along the narrow and crowded road from Havana but up to noon there had been no serious accident.

There was a liberal percentage of women among the spectators. Most of them occupied box seats, many of them were Americans.

Johnson arrived at the track at 12:25 but did not appear until later. His wife came to the ringside accompanied by Tom Flanagan, who has been acting for Johnson.

At 12:30 Announcer Jim Mace exhibited Johnson's receipt for \$20,000, the balance due him on the purse, and the meaning of these papers was explained to the crowd in Spanish and English.

Johnson Enters Ring

At 1:11 (1:40 New York time) Johnson made his appearance, being applauded by the enthusiastic Cubans. One minute later he crawled through the ropes, clad in a gray bathrobe and wearing his usual golden smile.

The negro's first move was to ascertain where his wife was located.

Four minutes later prolonged yelling and cheering announced the appearance of Willard. The crowd went wild over the young fighting giant, screaming and handclapping as he crawled through the ropes. Willard wore heavy winter blue trousers and a black sombrero.

Havana, April 5.—Although Jack Johnson and Jess Willard did not meet till 12:30 o'clock this afternoon, Havana time, for the heavyweight championship of the world, the early hours of the forenoon saw thousands of the way to the Mariano race course, where the fight was staged.

Neither the black champion nor the cowboy fighter changed over night their optimistic forecasts of the outcome. Each man was sure he would win.

It was the old story of skill and strength against youth and strength, with the betting odds at 6 to 5 on Johnson's skill. Johnson, one of the largest men who ever stepped into a prize ring, faced an opponent measurably larger and ten years younger than himself. The negro champion

JOHNSON-WILLARD FIGHT BY ROUNDS

(Continued from First Page.)

"Dope" on the Fight

Contestants—Champion Jack Johnson, of Texas, and Jess Willard, of Kansas. Tickets to the amount of \$80,000 had been sold in advance, but the \$3 seats were to be sold at the turnstiles at the four gates to-day.

Surprise found men waiting in line. Some of them had been there all night. Forty-five rounds was the scheduled length of the fight, but few of thousands who gathered entertained even a passing belief that it would go that long. That would mean three hours' fighting, allowing for the one-minute rest between rounds.

Tex O'Rourke, one of Willard's advisers, thought that in the first rounds the advantage would be with Johnson because of his superior skill. After this, O'Rourke said, Willard would wear the champion down. In thirty rounds or less, he thought, Willard would win.

Willard Arose Early

Jess Willard popped out of bed with the rising sun this morning and after a light run stretching exercise partook of his breakfast. He then prepared himself for a short run on the road, after which he said he would rest until time to go to the ring.

"I am fit," said Willard to a crowd of admirers who came over to his training quarters to look the cowboy fighter over. "Why shouldn't I be ready? I have studied Johnson's style, understand his methods and have planned my ring campaign accordingly. I rather expect the fight to run about fifteen rounds at least. Johnson's condition will enable him to carry a fast pace for that distance. Then the strain will tell and I will push him to the limit."

Johnson Confident

Jack Johnson smiled his famous golden smile at his headquarters this morning while he idled away the time before the fight. The black champion took a stroll before breakfast, but beyond that did nothing in the line of exercise. Johnson is undoubtedly over his best ring days and though he said he would enter the ring at 225, he appeared to be several pounds heavier.

"I'll be right there all the way," laughed Johnson this morning. "I know when I have reached my best condition. All this talk of my having lost my punching ability is nonsense. Just you ask my sparring partners. They will tell you. As to Willard, I know he is a strong boy, but you know that old Fitzsimmons once said, 'The bigger they are the harder they fall.' I'll get him with a series of blows that will put him under before many rounds have been run off. I just love the championship and I am not going to lose it."

There has been little preliminary betting, but there were indications that the day would become more brisk as the fight wore on. Almost every one with money to place apparently waited for an eleventh-hour shift in the odds in the hope of better terms. Johnson was favorite with the odds at 8 to 5 and 6 to 5. These were the figures obtained to-day at the Miramar Hotel, where the late arrivals from Key West and New Orleans flocked before the fight.

Uncertainly as to Johnson's real condition and Willard's ability are the factors which have kept down the betting and there was as much speculation regarding these questions this morning as there was a week ago.

Early estimates of the crowd which began to gather with the sunrise placed their number at 17,000. They came from everywhere. The hotels emptied after an early breakfast.

The promoters being during the morning to Johnson's headquarters to pay him the \$30,000 which he was to receive as his share of the gate receipts, win or lose. Under the agreement Johnson was to receive two one-third of the moving picture privilege. Willard's share was 25 per cent. of the total receipts and one-third interest in the moving pictures.

Charlie Collins to Fight Young Herman Miller

Special to The Telegraph

York, Pa., April 5.—Charlie Collins, the Columbia middleweight and Young Herman Miller, the Southern champion, from Baltimore, will meet tonight for the third time. This time they are to go over the ten-mile, their previous meetings being over the six-round distance. The other two bouts were voted the fastest ever seen in York and Manager Joe Barrett is expected to overflowing. Kid Smith, also of Columbia, will meet Battling Kelly, of Baltimore.

Fellow Who Soaked "Pete" Gets 8 Months

(Continued from First Page.)

When James Lewis, charged with assaulting Pete S. Blackwell, Steelton, by banging him over the head with a beer bottle, was called for sentence this morning, in the Dauphin County Court, Mr. Blackwell, chief prosecuting witness, was innocently slumbering away back in the courtroom near the steam heat pipes. Mr. Blackwell grinned genially when aroused and hurried to the witness stand.

The witness explained that he, as president of a Steelton club, had attempted to evict Lewis because the latter was drunk and obstreperous, when Lewis promptly whacked him with a beer bottle. The bottle struck the victim's head and was shattered. Mr. Blackwell brought half of the bottle along to court.

Lewis got eight months in jail and a fine of \$5.

Police Have No Fear of Rioting Over Fight

(Continued from First Page.)

It was not thought necessary to-day at the police station to put on an extra force of "coppers" to quell any riots that might arise in the city over the Johnson-Willard-championship fight at Havana.

No trouble had arisen this afternoon at the opening of the fight, but every member of the department is on the alert in case any outbreak is seen.

TWICE MARRIED; TO TRY IT AGAIN

(Continued from First Page.)

Despite previous interference of death and the divorce courts both Irwin M. Kissinger and Jennie C. Masterman, 42 and 45 years old, respectively, want to try married life again and today they applied for a license at the Dauphin county license bureau. Kissinger's first wife died in November, 1909, and the second was divorced on November 4, 1914. The bride's first husband died in Philadelphia in 1890 and the second died in St. Louis in 1905.

J. H. BENDALL SERVICES

Funeral services for John H. Bendall, an employe of the L. W. Cook department store, 308 Market street, for twenty-seven years, were held at the home, 214 Herr street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. Dr. Silas C. Swallow officiating. Burial was made in the Harrisburg Cemetery.

Mr. Bendall was a member of Ridge Avenue Methodist Church. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Josephine Bendall, and one sister, Mrs. Fred Pierce. Pallbearers were members of the L. W. Cook firm, and representatives from the lodge to which he belonged.

BURIAL HERE

Jacob Lenny, aged 25, of Wisconsin, who died Thursday, was brought to this city by Undertaker C. H. Mauk for burial in the Harrisburg Cemetery.

MOHAWK
MADE WITH PATENTED SLIP-OVER BUTTONHOLE THE EASY WAY

Lion Collars
OLDEST BRAND IN AMERICA
UNITED SHIRT & COLLAR CO., TROY, N.Y.

High School Programs

—FOR—

1915

We have, this Spring, an exceptionally attractive line of samples of Printed and Engraved High School Invitations and Programs. Class members and chairmen of committees are urged to get in touch with our Sales Department at once as the supply is limited and orders should be placed promptly to insure early delivery.

The Telegraph Printing Co.
Printing—Binding—Designing—Photo-Engraving
HARRISBURG, PA.

Day after day, three packages of FATIMAS pass over the counter to every one package of any other 15 cent cigarette. That means odds of 3 to 1 that you too would prefer them.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

in favor of FATIMA

FATIMA
THE TURKISH BLEND
Cigarette

Distinctively Individual

20 CIGARETTES
15 CENTS