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Indians Well on Way to Camp in Dixieland

Tribe Athletes in Good Spirits as Special Penetrates Southern Landscape.

ARRIVE THURSDAY NIGHT

By EDDIE ASH, Times Sports Editor.

CINCINNATI, March 10.—(On board the Indian baseball special)—Members of the Indianapolis baseball squad jacked out upon Cincinnati this morning, the first stop on the way south to the Tribe Training camp at St. Petersburg, Fla. The Hoosier diamond athletes occupy one coach in a through train and when they pulled out of here at 8 o'clock they started to put the first big dent in Owner Smith's wallet by breakfasting sumptuously in the diner in true spring training style, the eating all being at the expense of the "other fellow," meaning President Smith.

On board are President Smith, Manager Hendricks, Catchers Gossett and Hendrix, Pitchers Crum and Ferrell, Infielders Schreber, Wolf and Long, Outfielder Zwilling and newspaper men. The racket pulled out of Indianapolis at 4:35 this morning and the squad is to land in St. Petersburg Thursday evening about 8 o'clock. Pitcher Crum, first baseman Covington and outfielder Bobbitt are expected to be in the city before the team goes to the camp directly from their homes.

Ollie O'Mara has been placed in the hottest class officially, while Shortstop Jimmy Smith is still somewhere in Pittsburgh, and just what his status is has not been determined. He was sent a contract and has not been returned, so it is evident that he intends to join up with the Hoosiers later. Practice will be started Friday morning in St. Petersburg, in order to put the Indians in shape as rapidly as possible for the string of exhibition games to be staged on various dates in St. Petersburg, Tampa and Miami.

Trainer Morley is already on the job at the camp, and according to his last message to Manager Hendricks, the natives of the "Sunshine City" have prepared a big welcome for the Indians when they pull in there tomorrow night. Steve League sessions, card playing (sh-h) and "that reminds me" gatherings were in order today as the coach-cooked breakfast in a continental style. Owner Smith is a genial host and entertainer and his stories of the pony tracks kept the players in high spirits throughout the day. The usual spring training trip joke about the Mason and Dixon line was sprung and one of the rookies spent an hour gazing out the window in the hopes of seeing E. Eddie Zwilling and Dick Gossett, still sporting all shirts won by hitting triples last season, and the rookies eyes bulged when Zwilling dropped a remark to the effect that he hadn't worn anything but silk all winter.

BOXING

WIGGINS MAY MEET CARPENTIER

TOLEDO, March 10.—Prospects for a bout here between Georges Carpentier, European heavyweight champion, and Chuck Wiggins, Indianapolis lightweight, who recently returned from Australia with the heavyweight title of that place hanging from his belt, are bright, according to announcements made today by George Pufford, manager of Wiggins, and Ad Thatcher, president of the Toledo Athletic club.

Thatcher stated yesterday that he is confident of getting the French battler to sign his name to a contract while he is here under the management of Jack Curley. If so, Wiggins will be given the first opportunity to meet the champion. Pufford has already stated his terms and there is no doubt but that it will go over if Carpentier is willing to take the chance.

GREB-DEMPSEY BOUT RUMORED

AKRON, O., March 10.—Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, has agreed to terms for a ten-round bout with Harry Greb, Pittsburgh light heavyweight, to be staged at Buffalo, N. Y., Memorial day, according to an announcement made here today by the Pittsburgher. No other information on the bout was given.

Greb shaded Clay Turner, St. Paul, here in twelve rounds last night.

ARMY BOXING TOURNAMENT

NEW YORK, March 10.—Champion boxers of thirty-five army camps and platoons will compete for the championship of the eastern department of the United States army at the Sixty-ninth regimental armory here March 30 and 31. The winners of the different classes will be pitted later against title-holders of other departments for the army championship. Elimination tournaments of the eastern men will begin March 15 at Camp Mead, Md., and Ft. Totten, Ontario.

SENATE FAVORS LONG SCRAP.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 10.—The senate judiciary committee yesterday reported favorably the bill of Minority Leader James J. Walker of the senate, which is designed to legalize fifteen-round boxing bouts. The vote was 9 to 3.

K. O. FOR MULLEN.

DAYTON, O., March 10.—Hope Mullen gave Jack Pink of Newcastle, Pa., a terrific lacing for ten rounds, Kink's second of the last round. This makes Mullen's fourteenth K. O.

BURNS EASY WINNER.

FT. WORTH, Tex., March 10.—Solly Burns of Minneapolis decisively defeated Bobby Waugh of Ft. Worth in nine of twelve rounds here last night. Two rounds were even.

TOO FAST FOR BARNEY.

MILWAUKEE, March 10.—Pinkie Mitchell, Milwaukee lightweight, Monday night outboxed Barney Adam, New York, in a ten-round bout, sport writers unanimously agreed.

CHRISTIANA BEATS ENCK.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 10.—Bud Christiana of Buffalo won over Freddie Enck of Aurora by a shade here last night.

Preparations Under Way for Meet at Bloomington

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 10.—Indiana university will "shut down" at noon tomorrow and there will be no more classes until Monday morning, as the school is preparing for the annual basketball tournament. The action was taken so that the students may turn out for the final games in the state high school basketball championship tournament.

Season tickets for the tournament were placed on sale by the Chamber of Commerce yesterday and it was announced today that more than half the tickets had been sold. The seating capacity of the university gymnasium, where the tournament is to be staged, has been increased by the addition of 4,000 seats. In order to accommodate the host of visitors expected here, 1,500 army cots have been secured from Ft. Benjamin Harrison, to be placed in the Student building.

I. A. C. Picks Strong Outfit for Junior Indoor Track Meet

Lipps Going After Honors With Eight Men—Mott Has Big Task.

Athletic Director George Lipps of the Independent Athletic club has announced the names of the eight men who will represent his organization in the junior indoor I. A. C. track and field championships at the state fair grounds coliseum March 17, and on paper, the team "listens" good enough to go south with a few first place medals. After a month of hard work with the host of former high school and college men in the clubs, Lipps separated his eight best men from the rest and the next week will be spent in grooming them for the fray.

Crawford Mott will probably turn in the big number of points for the Independent team. This speedy youngster is entered in three events, the 220 and 440-yard dashes and the 880-yard dash, and he is expected to finish near the front in each of them. Harold Liebig is another member of the team who has a heavy burden to carry. He will compete in the 30 and 440-yard dashes and 880-yard dash. Liebig's favorite distance is the 880 yard. His time for this distance in practice has been exceptionally low and he is hoped to finish first in the event.

The men picked to fill the positions on the Independent team are: Justin Harvey, one-mile run; Albert Melvin, five-mile run; Byron Woods, 440-yard dash; Harold Liebig, 30 and 440-yard dashes; Edgar Houser, high and low jump; Byron Woods, 440-yard dash and 880-yard run; Harold Day, fifty and 220-yard dashes; Crawford Mott, 220 and 440-yard dashes and 880-yard run; Harold Liebig, fifty and 440-yard dashes and 880-yard run.

The Hoosier Oils used the Irvin-Robbins rough in their first two games, and in the third bout the auto boys came back strong and capped.

The Hamiltons of Capitol No. 2 league dropped two games to the Feeney Furniture five on the Capitol alleys.

The furniture fellers nosed out in the first game by an eighteen-pin lead.

E. Striebeck got 209 and 200 for the Feeney in his second and third games. Lindley upset 202 for the Hamiltons in his first game, but couldn't connect in his other two games.

The Thornton Coffee Shop knights were gassed three in a row by the Capitol Specials. The second and third games were close.

Krauss Bros. and the Ferndales mixed it, and when it was all over the Krauss crew had annexed two out of three.

Deubig rocked over 205 for the Fernale 205 and Stritt 215.

The Lucky Strikes and the Steamers came together and the Steamers won the better of the argument by a two-to-three count. The Lucky Strikes had their luck with them in the second scrimmage.

The New Style Lagers dropped the first two games to the Hoosier Coffee, but grabbed the third one.

Faust Jr. of the Lagers got 205 in his third game and Sutro, his team mate, turned in 210 in his first attempt.

MACON, Ga., March 10.—After watching his band of twenty-three Tigers in action yesterday, Manager Jennings today told them all to cut loose. Coombs also told his pitchers to go to curves now. Ralph Phillips, Italian third baseman, is making a fine impression with his work in training.

TAMPA, March 10.—Bobbie Roth joined the Nationals today. Clark Griffith has turned back pitcher Davenport to St. Louis, following discussion of salary and the national commission may be asked to take up the case of Eddie Garrity, the last holdout.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 10.—The crying need in the Phillies' camp is pitching material. There are only three pitchers who can be classed as regulars—Meadows, Smith and Rixey. Helman and Tannehill are the latest arrivals.

LAKE CHARLES, March 10.—Bad weather continues to hinder the work of Connie Mack and his Athletics. Rain yesterday caused the postponement of the "family game."

NEW ORLEANS, March 10.—Ragin postponed practice in the Spahn camp.

Pennsy Officials Favor Basket Series

PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—The athletic council of the University of Pennsylvania today approved the proposed series of basketball games between Pennsylvania, winners of the Intercollegiate league title, and the University of Chicago, champion of the western conference.

Should the Chicago faculty also grant permission for the games, the first contest will be held in Chicago, the second in Philadelphia, and in case of a tie, the third in a neutral city. The date for the first game has not been definitely decided. It will be either on March 16, 19 or 20. The second contest will be held on March 24 and the third, if one is necessary, on March 27.

Cathedral High Quintet Wins Series From Y. P. C.

The Cathedral High school basketball teamers closed their season last night with a 12-to-11 win over the Y. P. C. quintet on the Marion club floor. The first half closed with the "Yipsies" leading, 7 to 5, and Kelly, their star forward, increased the margin to eight points with a clever shot from the floor a few minutes after the second period opened. With only a short time to go, the Cathedral boys rallied and Grannan put them in front with a shot from under the ring. Ruckelshaus and Harmon were the big factors in the Cathedral defense.

Last night's game closed the scheduled two-best-out-of-three series between the two teams. The high school lads won the first game by a 37-to-0 score.

CUB VETERAN DIES. CHICAGO, March 10.—Joe O'Neill, traveling secretary of the Chicago White Sox, died at his home here yesterday of pneumonia. O'Neill, who was 35 years old, had been with the Chicago club for nine years.

TEAMS READY FOR ACTION IN BIG NET EVENT

Student Interest at High Pitch as Opening Day Draws Near.

TECH HAS EASY CARD

By HEZE CLARK.

Eighteen of the twenty-six high school basketball teams that won first honors in the sectional tournaments last week will meet tomorrow in the opening round of the state championship games at Bloomington, Ind. The other eight teams will all have appeared on the floor of the big Indiana gymnasium by 2 o'clock Friday. Then there will remain just half as many would-be champions as there are today.

Looking at the records for the entire season there are three high school quintets that loom up as possible champions. These are Martinsville, Anderson and Franklin. True to the predictions of the followers of the game these teams won their sectional honors, although Anderson was forced to go overtime in its semi-final game to win.

Martinsville has been the district winner for years, but never has won a state championship. However, this season Martinsville appears to be far stronger than any previous year, and the followers of that team believe that Martinsville is a sure champion. Martinsville meets Greencastle in the opening round at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Anderson plays Rochester at 4 o'clock Thursday in the first round of the tournament. Rochester is one of the best teams from the far north end of the state, but is not believed to have a chance with Anderson.

FRANKLIN LOOKS LIKE BEST BET.

After all, what the fans want to know is what has Franklin High school this year? Every person who has seen the team in action says Franklin is strong. Franklin won nineteen out of twenty games played before the sectional tour-

there are who think Jefferson will cop first honors at Bloomington.

GREEN AND WHITE HAS MANY BACKERS.

Indianapolis fans are strong for the green and white athletes of Technical High school. Coach Black has a plucky, husky, speed squad of men who are capable of staging a hard battle. While Technical may not win a championship, the drawings indicate that the team has a chance to land in the semi-finals. Should Tech defeat Kendallville Friday, then Tech will meet, in its second game, either Jefferson High school, Bloomington, Columbus or Kokomo. It all depends on what teams win the first two games and how the winners of those first two games come out in their second round against each other. In other words, Tech drew the bye on the second round of the tourney and will meet some team that has played two games, while local athletes will have played but one.

Some Squads Show Weakness.

Of course, some sections are sending teams to the big meet that are far weaker than those that represent other sections. There will be some one-sided games at Bloomington and these weak teams will win the championship this year, while there are many who say that the Indiana high school basketball team of the indoor sport can not forget the way Jefferson played circles around Technical High school at the Y. M. C. gym about two weeks ago. Some

of the fans who think Jefferson will cop first honors at Bloomington, are about equal to the regulars. Hicks, center, and Broder, forward, would be used as regulars on almost any other team in the state. This will help in the tourney where many games are played.

Senators Get Busy

ALBANY, Ga., March 10.—Aided by ideal weather, Bill Clymer's Senators took only a single workout yesterday, but the session was a protracted one, lasting from 1:30 till almost 4 o'clock. Six pitchers were used in six games up balls in batting practice, which lasted an hour and a half. After this there was a long fielding session. In the latter Sherwood Magee and Henry alternated at first base. Terry Turner was at second, Pechous at short and Lewis, a Columbus semi-pro, at third. The outfield was unsettled, as Taggart has not started to work. Bealer hasn't reported as yet, but is expected almost daily.

State Rifle Shoot Opens at Armory

The state indoor rifle matches opened this morning at 9 o'clock on the indoor range at the state armory, Senate avenue and Sixteenth street. The matches will be for state honors and time preparation for the annual outdoor matches when the estate rifle team is selected. Harry H. Smith, adjutant general of Indiana, announced today.

Teams of four men from the following places will compete in the matches: Princeton, Bedford, Terre Haute, Ft. Wayne, Culver, Goldsmith, Greentown, Noblesville, Cramwell and three teams from Indianapolis. Teams from Technical, Shortridge and Manual Training High schools will also take part in the matches.

Capt. Manford G. Henley, formerly of the 15th Machine Gun battalion, is chief executive officer. Capt. Lewis J. Morgan has been appointed chief statistical officer. The matches will continue tomorrow.

Wants to Save 'Em

HAVANA, March 10.—When Charles A. Stoneham purchased the New York National League baseball team, it was done primarily for the purpose of handing down the club as a legacy to his son. Mr. Stoneham made this statement last night to set at rest rumors which he said were current in the United States and Cuba that the "Giants" were for sale.

"I would not part with the Giants for several million dollars," said Mr. Stoneham, who added that he hoped New York would be given a championship team this year or in the near future.

Tourney Results at Em-Roes

The results of the games played in the finals of the state high school basketball championship tournament at Bloomington Thursday, Friday and Saturday will be received at the Em-Roe sporting goods store every hour. Persons desiring information on the contest may call Main 3307 or Automatic 26-73.

Big Athletic Carnival

AKRON, O., March 10.—Six hundred athletes, representing large industrial concerns throughout the country, will meet here Thursday, Friday and Saturday to contest the national championships. The meeting is under the auspices of the American Industrial Athletic association. Twenty-five basketball, fifty bowling and ten track teams are entered.

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