

## SPORTING NOTES

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#### FRIDAY.

Twenty-four hour automobile race at Brighton Beach track.

Opening of annual horse show at Locust Valley, N. Y.

#### SATURDAY.

Championship meet of the Amateur Athletic Federation of Canada at Montreal.

Football: Yale-Syracuse at Haven; Harvard-Maine at Cambridge; Princeton-Springfield.

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#### STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

##### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	84	54	.535
Chicago	85	55	.533
Pittsburgh	85	55	.533
Philadelphia	79	69	.534
Cincinnati	72	79	.477
Boston	63	86	.423
Brooklyn	59	88	.388
St. Louis	49	101	.327

##### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	87	61	.583
Cleveland	87	62	.584
Chicago	85	62	.578
St. Louis	82	65	.558
Boston	70	77	.476
Philadelphia	66	80	.452
Washington	61	83	.424
New York	49	97	.326

#### RESULTS YESTERDAY.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati, 9; Chicago, 6.

Brooklyn, 2; Boston, 1.

Philadelphia, 3-6; New York, 4-2.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York, 2; Washington, 1.

Philadelphia, 5; Boston, 2.

#### SPLIT FOR CUBS.

Cincinnati, Oct. 1.—Chicago's Cubs beat Cincinnati, 6 to 0, today and fought their way back into a position to step into the lead of the frantic National league race if New York slips again. The win put them in a tie with the Pirates for second place. They beat the Reds today almost without effort and played superb ball behind Reulbach's marvelous pitching. The big Cub pitched his fourth straight shut-out game and held the Reds to two lone hits, both of which were semi-scratches by Egan.

#### NOTES OF THE BOXERS.

Promoters of the Herman-Thompson bout at Racine Oct. 12 think that the attendance will be large. They say an advance demand for seats leads them to expect at least \$2,500 in the house.

Johnny Thompson, also known as the Cyclone, is a Dane, and his name was originally spelled Thompson. He altered the title to the English form of spelling.

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to roll up thirty-six points without a blot of a score from the scrub side, although the latter played as desperately as yesterday. Yost's particular pets were able to see things today that they could not yesterday, and the result was a general tightening up in the line which was not apparent in the first day of scrimmage. One fault, however, was more than noticeable, and this was the flimsy bulwark of defense offered men on end runs. Tonight ended the scrimmage practice of two days—Michigan's preparation for the Cass game, which comes Saturday.

#### PATTERNS AFTER JIM.

Hugo Kelly is to take a course of the training methods of Jim Jeffries and Corbett combined. Hunting and rowing are to play a large part in his training and his work will be under full swing today, near Antioch. He has engaged a cottage near Charley Herman's place, just on Lake Bluff, and will train himself.

Fred Gilmore, Fred Lucas and Tom Cantwell will work with him. Gilmore is preparing for the semi-windup of Oct. 15, when he meets Jimmy Clancy. Tom Cantwell is a 185-pound boxer, who is also a conductor on the Auto and Elgin line.

#### READY FOR OLD PURDUE.

Coach Stagg is ready for Purdue. The Maroon director yesterday put his players through their last hard practice in preparation for tomorrow's game with the hollermakers at Marshall field and pronounced the prospects favorable for a victory over the visitors by a fair score.

Light practice will be the rule for both teams today. Coach Stagg will polish off his plays at Marshall field, while Coach Speik will run his men through a short workout after his arrival. Coach Speik, Athletic Director Nicol and the Purdue squad will arrive this morning, and the afternoon practice will be held on the grounds of the Chicago Beach hotel, where the Hoosiers will stop.

#### ROOSEVELT PRAISES WINNERS.

Congratulates Victorious Marksmen on Successes at Camp Perry.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Congratulations for marksmanship in the recent shooting contests at Camp Perry, Ohio, last summer, have been written by President Roosevelt to Sergeant A. Brest, Fifteenth United States Infantry, winner of the president's match; to Lieutenant A. D. Rothrock, second Ohio Infantry, winner of the national individual match, and to Lieutenant S. A. Harris, Fourteenth United States Infantry, winner of the military championship of the United States.

To Sergeant Brest the president says that he is greatly pleased that a non-commissioned officer of our regular infantry should thus make plain in unmistakable terms his right to stand among the foremost of those gallant and trustworthy men who make up the rank and file of the United States army.

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#### WHITE AGAIN LOWERS RECORD.

Bat's Steamer Goes Five Miles on Helena Track in 45:1.

Helena, Mont., Oct. 1.—Bair's White Steamer again beat the world's record at the Montana state fair, reducing its time of yesterday of 4:54 to 4:51. This is for a flat circular ordinary mile track, which was exceptionally fast and with no wind blowing.

Cabin, a California horse and second choice in the betting, won the Helena handicap at a mile and a quarter, nosing out Tea Tray, the favorite. This was the banner day for attendance in the history of the fair, grand stand,

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#### McFARLAND MAY MEET GANS.

Eastern Promoters Want Him to Wait Until Joe Has Fought Once.

Packie McFarland may have a chance to bump up against Joe Gans in the

## WESTERN FOOTBALL DATES FOR THE SEASON OF 1908.

Oct. 3.

Franklin, Ind., and Wabash at Crawfordsville.

Olivet and Charlotte High School at Olivet.

Oberlin and Miami at Oberlin.

Indiana and Depauw at Bloomington, Ind.

Illinois and Monmouth at Urbana.

Notre Dame and Hillsdale at Notre Dame.

Grand Prairie and St. Viateur's at Kankakee.

Lombard and Notre Dame at Notre Dame.

Michigan State Normal and Hillsdale at Hillsdale.

De Paul and Beloit at Chicago.

Grinnell and Ames at Ames.

Nebraska and Northwestern at Northfield.

Normal at Kalamazoo.

Earham and Depauw at Lafayette.

Illinois and Indiana at Urbana.

Cornell College and Simpson at Mt. Vernon.

Lombard and Franklin College at Franklin, Ind.

Michigan State Normal and Adrian at Adrian.

Iowa and Nebraska at Iowa City.

Notre Dame and Ohio Northern at Ohio Northern.

Vanderbilt and Michigan at Ann Arbor.

Franklin and Wenonah Tech at Franklin, Ind.

Michigan and Butler at Richmond, Ind.

Franklin and Culver at Franklin.

Illinois and Michigan at Syracuse.

Iowa and Kansas at Iowa City.

Lombard and Bradley Polytechnic at Galesburg.

Cornell of Iowa and Grinnell at Grinnell.

Illinois and Northwestern at Urbana.

Grinnell and Albion at Albion.

Indiana and Purdue at Lafayette.

Lawrence and Beloit at Beloit.

Michigan A. C. and Alma at Lansing.

Michigan and Albion at Monmouth.

Nebraska and Doane at Lincoln.

Ames and Coe at Ames.

Oct. 7.

Northwestern University and Ripon at Watertown.

Oct. 31.

Chicago and Minnesota at Chicago.

Olivet and Western State Normal at Olivet.

St. John's M. A. and Culver at Delafield.

Oberlin and Miami at Oberlin.

Depauw and Purdue at Lafayette.

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Grinnell and Ames at Ames.

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Normal at Lincoln.

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