

ALL EARLHAM IS AWAITING GAME

Contest With Rose Poly Next Friday Night Has Aroused Much Interest.

IS LAST OF THE SEASON.

THEN COACH VAIL WILL TURN HIS ATHLETES' ATTENTION TOWARD BASEBALL AND TRACK WORK—YELLOW LEADERS.

Today marks the last hard basket ball practice for the Earlham team this season. With Friday night's game the basket ball season will end and the coach will put the men through the paces on the track and on the base ball diamond.

The track and baseball diamond on Reid field are drying nicely and practice may be begun soon. Guyer has been out throwing the hammer and has been hugging the one hundred foot mark closely.

The Yellows are still ahead of the Whites in the number of points scored. Each new record made gives the side to which the winner belongs a certain number of points and the Yellows have proved themselves the better men.

Game Attracts Attention.

The game Friday night is drawing all attention at present. The Quakers feel that in the Rose Poly team they have foesmen worthy of their steel and will exert all energy to defeat the engineers.

The new lineup of the Earlham five has proved to be the best that has been tried this season. Chambers plays a better game at center than he did at forward and Wilson, shovved up to forward has more chances at the goal than he did in the back field. The entire lineup for Friday night will be Hotchkiss and Wilson, forwards; Chambers (Capt.) center; Hancock and Newsome, guards.

Coach Vail Talks.

Coach Vail, when interviewed this morning said, "The boys know that in going up against Rose Poly they go up against the swiftest team they have played this year but, instead of this discouraging them, it has made them all the more eager to meet the engineers." The entire student body will lend its support in the way of songs, yell and banners and this will aid much toward a decided victory.

HIGH SCHOOL LADS ARE NOW ACTIVE

With the Approach of Warm Weather Practice in Track Feats Rules.

FRESHIES THERE TOO.

THEY, HOWEVER, GENERALLY CONFINE THEIR EFFORTS TO PLAYING MARBLES—THORNBURG HAS GOOD RECORD.

The high school boys are making use of the small plot of ground on the south side of the school building since the arrival of the fine spring days. Here the book worms gather before the school hours, and some put the shot, broad and high jump, while the little three and four foot freshmen who have not dropped their childhood habits, play marbles. They always seem to be in great fear of having older students "snatch them up." Of the boys that have been putting the shot in the last few days, Thornburg, the fast junior basket ball player, leads the bunch for the longest throw, having put the 12 pounds of lead about 32 feet, while Spangler and Haas are both close behind, averaging from 26 to 28 feet. In the broad jump Howard Reid is leading the crowd and is expected to be the strong man for the broad jump on the track team.

On account of the smallness of the ground the would be dashers and sprinters are unable to show their speed, but it is soon expected as soon as South A street has dried off that there will be a number of scantly clad athletes out making wind.

James Chapman, the high jumper of last year, is in the school this term, and has been giving the other aspirants coaching as to how the jump is performed.

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She Had No More to Say.

They were returning home from the theater one evening.

"I wonder why it is," said his wife, "that so few actresses travel under the management of their husbands?"

"My dear," replied her husband, "have you ever reflected how difficult it is for most men to manage their wives?"

And for fifty-seven consecutive seconds she was silent.—Chicago News.

The Twilight of Life.

The muscles of the stomach in old age are not as strong or active as in youth and in consequence old people are very subject to constipation. It is a common complaint to have a bowel movement without artificial aid. Many also, have unpleasant eructations of gas. All this can be avoided by the use of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup of Magnesia, which permanently regulates the bowels so that passages come naturally, and so strengthens the stomach that food is digested without discomfort. Druggists sell it at 50 cents or \$1 a large bottle.

DEBT HOVERS OVER

High School Athletic Association May Give Musical Comedy to Lift It.

IT WOULD PROVE POPULAR.

The executive board of the Richmond high school athletic association will hold a meeting the latter part of this week for the purpose of making arrangements for raising a fund to enable the high school basket ball team to get out of debt. The debt was accrued in the last game with the Rushville team, on account of the support on the part of the students.

It is probable that the committee will make arrangements by which a musical comedy play will be given and the receipts turned over to the athletic association. It is very probable that if such a play should be given, it would prove very popular, as there are a number of students at the school who have good voices and have had experience in the line.

EAST DEMANDING AMPLE PROTECTION

Sensationalists Are Urging Congress to Act Immediately.

THEY WANT WARSHIPS.

ASK WHAT WOULD BE THE RESULT IF ENGLAND SHOULD MAKE AN ATTEMPT ON THE EASTERN COAST.

Washington, March 4.—The Atlantic coast is in danger again. Sensationalists of the East are urging congress to act immediately. They want warships. What would happen if England were to make a demonstration against our Eastern coast? they ask, and why shouldn't England make the aforesaid demonstration? they point out. Then they retell the offensive and defensive alliance treaty between Great Britain and Japan.

Congressmen are being urged to do something to protect the Atlantic coast. Should congress fail to act, the several states may take action themselves, as the threat. Appropriations for the purchase of auxiliary ships are urged in the states. These ships, torpedo boats and submarines could be turned over to the federal government in case of need, it is said.

The people on the Eastern seaboard, who feel that the coast is in grave danger without the navy now watching it, are pointing to the woeful lack of protection now. The fighting craft available for Atlantic coast defense, which will soon be ready for that duty are three new battleships—the Mississippi, the Idaho and the New Hampshire, two torpedo-boat destroyers, three torpedo boats and six submarine boats.

The navy department is refitting the gunboat Castine as a "mother ship" to the mosquito fleet. The Castine's compressed air and power-generating machinery will be employed for replenishing the power of the smaller boats in emergencies. This idea strikes well with the jingoes in the East and they are now clamoring to congress for more "mother ships" and more "children."

BIG FACTORY FUND RAISED AT ANDERSON

\$56,030 Raised by Citizens of That City.

Anderson, Ind., March 4.—When Secretary Campbell, of the Anderson Commercial club, closed his books at the expiration of the time limit for raising a factory fund of \$50,000, the footing of subscriptions proved a surprise. The final showing was \$56,030. Secretary Campbell began making collections today. The payments are to be made semi-annually for three years and payments now due are one-sixth of whatever subscription was made. The subscription contracts are practically in the form of notes and are binding on the party subscribing to a contract. The fund of \$56,030 was raised from September 1, 1907, to March 1, 1908.

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Zigzag Gold Medal Floor is made on honor, Rosabel.

PAY MILLION IN BACK TAXES ON FIELD ESTATE

Chicago, March 4.—A check for \$1,000,000 in payment of back taxes on the estate of the late Marshall Field was delivered to John R. Thompson, treasurer of Cook county. The payment is made in accordance with an agreement entered into by the trustees of the estate with county officials several weeks ago, by which suits aggregating \$1,700,000 were compromised.

BIG INDOOR TRACK MEET FRIDAY NIGHT

Earlham Athletes Will Participate in First of Kind Ever in Richmond.

EVENTS ARE ANNOUNCED.

PROGRAM WILL CONSIST OF DASHES, RUNS, JUMPS AND WEIGHT EVENTS—LIST OF OFFICIALS ANNOUNCED.

Friday evening at the Coliseum, the first indoor track meet ever held in Richmond will be pulled off. All the entries in the various events are Earlham athletes and Coach Vail has arranged it so that he can get a line on the most promising material for the varsity track and field squad in the coming spring campaign. It is expected that there will be a large crowd at the Coliseum. The following is the list of entries for the events and a list of officials:

25 Yard Dash—Francis, '11; Hawkins, '10; Vanney, '10; P. Furnas, '11. Running High Jump—Roberts, '11; Francis, '11; Vanney, '10; Mader, '11; E. Trueblood, '08.

25 Yard High Hurdles—E. H. Carter, '11; R. Stanley, '10. Shot Put—Guyer, '10; Pennington, '10; Walhall, '10; Thistletonwhite, '08; Wann, '08; Overman, '09; Swain, '10.

25 Yard Low Hurdles—Vanney, '10; R. Stanley, '10.

Pole Vault—Roberts, '11; Swain, '10; Walhall, '10.

Mile Run—Chappell, '11; Fauphur, '10; J. Jones, '09; M. Jones, '10; Pearson, '11; Clark, '11.

List of Officers.

Referee and Starter—Mr. White.

Announcer—Mr. Comstock.

Scorer—Roy Compton.

Clerk of Course—Prof. E. P. Trueblood.

Assistant—Wales Gaston.

Track Judges—Professors Waldrip, Hadley and Charles.

Field Judges—Owen Kuhn, W. R. Poundstone and Prof. Torrence.

Timer—Mr. Harrell, Cecil Calvert and C. K. Chase.

General Manager—F. C. Vail.

The style used by the High Jumpers is copied after the so-called Sweeney method, by which he cleared 6 feet, 5 1/2 inches as against the "scissor" style in which no one has ever gone higher than 5 feet, 10 inches.

In jumping by this method the contestants run straight at the bar and after he starts his leap, does some aerial contortions, which enables him to clear the bar with the least elevation, in fact he just skims the bar and appears at the moment of crossing to be lying flat. This feat appears very dangerous but is in reality perfectly safe. The pole vaulter, however, must keep his balance when he drops, or receives some nasty falls. This is very a spectacular event.

"And now, Uncle Ezra," she said just before the guests had begun to arrive, "please remember not to eat your pie with your knife."

"All right, Lizzie, but I wish you'd tell that young woman that waits on the table to give me an extra spoon."

—Chicago Record-Herald.

ALLISON HAS BEEN IN CONGRESS 44 YEARS

Washington, March 4.—Senator William Boyd Allison of Iowa, has entered upon his eightieth year, and after some one recalled that fact, he received a continuous stream of hearty congratulations from members of both branches of Congress. Senator Allison has not only attained the honor of having served in the United States Senate longer than any other man in the history of the nation, but he has the distinction of being the oldest member of that body with one exception. The exception is Senator Whyte of Maryland, who is now in his eighty-fourth year. If Senator Allison outlives his present term, which will end just one year from now, he will have served 44 years in Congress, 8 years in the House and 36 in the Senate. He was born in Perry, O., March 2, 1829.

Taft Men Claim Iowa.

Iowa will hold her convention on

March 18. The Taft members are

claiming that state now, despite the

efforts of the old friends of ex-Senator

Some Disappointment.

With the exception of Indiana the

conventions so far held have for the

most part been in known Taft territory.

It was the original expectation of the Taft managers to get practical

all the delegates in the South, and

in transmississippi states. They

have not met with the success they

expected in the South, and there is now a

disposition on their part to postpone

many of the conventions down there.

The Kansas state convention in ses-

sion today is expected to follow the

example of that of Missouri, held on

Thursday last, and endorse Taft.

Kansas has been conceded to Mr. Taft ev-

er since he entered the field. In addi-

tion to the Ohio and Kansas State con-

ventions there will be others held in

the month of March that will indicate

the sentiment of territory that has

been somewhat in dispute, and in that

respect will be more significant than

any yet held.

Pride of Ancestry.

"I'm proud of the fact that my

grandfather used to split rails," de-

clared Swellsome Donohong.

"So," said his friend.

"Yes, indeed. If he hadn't I'd proba-

bly have been splitting wood myself

instead of blowing in his money."—

Detroit Free Press.

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CITY LEAGUE—Kibbeys vs. Greeks, 7:30. Big Game 8:30.

Plat opens at Westcott Pharmacy Monday noon, March 2d. General admission 25c.

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THEATRICAL CALENDAR.

NEW PHILLIPS.