

HAMILTON IS UNABLE TO SOLVE RICHMOND HIGH'S NET ATTACK

Unable to solve an attack that was a complete puzzle, the Hamilton high school basketball five went down to defeat at the hands of the Richmond high team at Hamilton, Saturday night, in a hard fought, well played game, by the score of 24 to 17.

Hamilton was the first to score when Mancos dropped one through the nettings from the center of the floor, this was followed by another by Wiegand. The Red and White defense tightened; the Ohioans were allowed only a few more shots at the basket. Three baskets by Danny Rost put the Richmond lads in the lead, after which they were never headed.

Very few short shots did the Richmond defense allow the Hamilton forwards, making them resort mostly to long shots. Very few of them connected with the hoops. The Richmond defense could not have been better, it was a complete puzzle to the Buckeyes.

When the Hamilton lads brought the ball down the floor, they did not know what to do with it as every man was so closely watched.

Green Is Star.
Sam Green was the outstanding star in the defense of the locals, and on many occasions when the Ohioans did break through the defense, he was there to set up the play. His passing was also very good.

Had Danny Rost been able to have played the whole game the score might have been much different as he played a whole of a game both on the defense and offense. Rost had been ill for several days and was not in the best condition, playing only about one-half. Kessler who took his place also put up a fine game, his floor work being especially good.

Lead Local Scoring.
Harkins and Rost led the locals in the scoring, Harkins making 10 points and Rost making 8. Had the locals been hitting the basket with any regularity the score would have been much larger as many easy shots were missed.

The Hamilton lads put up a desperate fight but could not solve the Richmond defense. Weigand and Mancos were the outstanding stars of the Hamilton five, both men putting up a wonderful fight. Their guarding was especially good. Bevington was the leading point getter for the Hamilton lads, making three goals from the field.

The line-ups and summary:
Richmond (24) Hamilton (17)
Rost.....F.....Phipps
Harkins.....F.....Bevington
Kennedy.....F.....Schwartz
Craffia.....G.....Wiegand
Green.....G.....Mancos
Substitutions—Kessler, for Rost, Rost for Kessler, Smith for Phipps, Andrews for Smith, Herdon for Wiegand, Wiegand for Herdon, Phipps for Andrews, Andrews for Phipps, Hasler for Schwartz, Field goals—Rost 4, Harkins 5, Kessler 1, Phipps 1, Bevington 3, Mancos 2, Wiegand 2. Foul goals—Kennedy 4, Andrews 2. Referee—Lane, Cincinnati.

KEWPIES TO TACKLE MUNCIE FIVE TUESDAY

Tuesday night will see the Camera Shop Kewpies tackle the Muncie Midgets on the Muncie floor. The Muncie team is planning to avenge the defeat handed them by the locals in the last week, while the Kewpies are planning to add another victory to their list.

Captain Brehm will hold a light workout in the "Y" gym Monday afternoon, when the finishing touches will be put on the team's play. The Kewpies will find the Magic Lads a harder outfit to beat on the Muncie floor than they were here, and a hard fight is expected from the start until the finish.

The team will make the trip by machine and nine players will go. Following are the probable men to make the trip: Brehm, O. Monger, Sauter, Lohman, H. Monger, Elkenberry, Retz, Thompson and Hyde.

LIGHTWEIGHT BOUT POSTPONED ONE WEEK

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 2.—Benny Leonard, lightweight boxer, will meet Pinky Mitchell, Milwaukee, on Monday night, Jan. 9, in a 10 round no decision bout instead of this afternoon as originally arranged, the postponement being occasioned by a muscular affliction suffered by Mitchell. Leonard went through the formality of weighing in this forenoon, tipping the beam at 137½ pounds.

Mitchell is suffering an attack of what physicians term myositis, which is an inflammation of the muscles. The trouble affected his left shoulder, and is said to paralyze control of the arm.

LEGION FIVE CANCELS GAME WITH DAYTON

Cancellation of the game with the Dayton K. of C. Legion basketball game scheduled to be played Wednesday night was necessary, as the Legion team was disbanded for the season. It is thought that the team will be reorganized and will start the season anew. Financial reasons caused the team to disband.

Manager Vogelsohn stated that a meeting of the players will be held some time this week, when plans for the remainder of the season will be discussed. It is possible that the team will be reorganized. The players will be notified when the meeting will be held.

Johnny Buff to Tackle Pugilists of England

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Johnny Buff, holder of the American flyweight and world's bantamweight championships, will sail for England on Jan. 15 for a visit of 15 weeks. He will be accompanied by his manager, Lou Hammond, and Jabez White, bantamweight champion. Buff has not been signed for any bouts, going abroad to fulfill a theatrical contract, but Manager Diamond said that he expected the veteran Jersey boxer would be called upon to defend his world bantamweight title before he returned.

MINOR SPORTS PRODUCED MANY STARS IN 1921



Left to right: Charles Paddock, Ethelda Bleibrey, Clarence Peil and Jake Schaefer.

New champions were crowned and new records set in many branches of the minor sports during 1921. The feat of young Jake Schaefer in dethroning Willie Hoppe, long holder of the 32 ballkine billiard title, was probably the most important event outside the realms of base-

ball, golf, boxing and tennis. Charles Paddock, coast runner, hung up eleven new records in

track events. Ethelda Bleibrey proved her superiority as a swimmer.

USEFULNESS OF FISH AND GAME DIVISIONS OF STATE DEPARTMENT TO BE INCREASED

(Special to The Palladium).
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 2.—"With the advent of the year 1922, the fish and game division of the state conservation department is directing its activities toward increasing its usefulness," says George N. Mannfeld, division chief, in a monthly letter to 128 organized fish and game protective clubs of this state.

Rapid strides have been made in the warden service in the past year, Mr. Mannfeld says, and he predicts that this branch of division work will equal if not exceed the game warden service of any other state.

States wardens arrested 410 persons in November, of which 394 were convicted of various offenses against the state's fish and game laws. This is an increase of 41 arrests and 47 convictions more than was formerly made in a whole year, and it was accomplished with less men than was employed before the division was co-ordinated in the department of conservation, Mr. Mannfeld points out.

The letter, in part, says:
More Fish Applications.
"The propagation of fish and the stocking of public waters has become the subject of widespread interest. During the past fiscal year 399 applications were supplied with stock fish, an increase of 79 over the previous year. We already have a far greater number of applications on file than at this time last year, tending to indicate that the demand in 1922 will be unprecedented."

"Our efforts will be directed toward an augmented production and, unless unforeseen obstacles again prevent, at the four state hatcheries, we hope to propagate sufficient fish to fill all applications and make allotments liberal."

Mr. Mannfeld says the delivery of fish to waters in southern Indiana has been attended with many difficulties. The absence of a hatchery in that part of the state necessitates long hauls consuming much time and causing considerable expense. Because of this the conservation commission and Director Lieber, have approved his recommendations for establishing a hatchery in southern Indiana.

Sites Are Few
"Ideal sites for fish hatcheries," says the letter, are few and far between. At present we know of none suitable for this purpose. The following describes a favorable site: Plenty of water furnished by springs; volume not less than enough to fill a six-inch pipe, preferably more; flow must be continuous and so located that it can be led by gravity into 10 or more ponds, each having an area of one-half to three-quarters of an acre; land

Former Richmond Wrestler Issues Sweeping Challenge

Jimmy Chanos, welterweight wrestler, formerly of Richmond and now of Muncie, has issued a challenge to any welterweight wrestler in the world. Any wrestler interested can get in touch with Chanos through the Muncie Evening Press. Following is the letter received:

I wish you to publish a sweeping challenge to any welterweight wrestler in the world. I have beaten some of the best boys in the game, including Matty Matsuda, the Japanese wrestler, and Tommy Stutz of Ft. Wayne, and lots of other good boys. I am open to meet all comers any place. I am now in Muncie, but formerly lived in Richmond. Yours for sport,
JAMES CHANOS.

Fountain City Loses To Centerville Five

FOUNTAIN CITY, Jan. 2.—Fountain City K. of P. basketball five went down to defeat at the hands of the Centerville K. of P. five by the score of 30 to 27, Saturday night. The game was hard fought and the winner was not decided until the final minutes of play. Matthews was the leading point getter for the winners, making 10 points. Thomas made 10 points for the losers. The lineups and summary:
Fountain City (27) Centerville (30)
Thomas.....F.....Matthews
Bell.....F.....Shadle
Myers.....G.....Bertsch
McNutt.....G.....Harris
Lacey.....G.....Burris
Substitutions—Martin for Shadle, Bower for Bell, Harrison for Thomas, Beckhofer for McNutt.
Referee—Mercer.

COLLEGES OF INDIANA RESUME NET GAMES; AFTER CHAMPIONSHIP

(By Associated Press)
INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 2.—College and high school basketball teams in Indiana will resume this week their scramble for the state intercollegiate and interscholastic championships. The Christmas and New Year holidays have kept many of the teams idle. The season will start off with a rush again, however, as nearly a score of college games are set for this week and innumerable high school quintets will engage in contests.

The schedule of college games for the week follows:
Monday—Colgate and Purdue at Lafayette; Notre Dame and Illinois at Urbana.
Tuesday—Notre Dame and Illinois at Urbana; Wabash and Habicht at Indianapolis; Indiana Law School and Hanover at Hanover.
Wednesday—No games scheduled.
Thursday—Notre Dame and Butler at Indianapolis; Terre Haute State Normal and Vincennes "Y" at Vincennes.
Earlham Plays Friday

Friday—Camp Benning and Purdue at Bloomington; Wabash and DePauw at Greencastle; Rose Poly and Indiana Dental at Indianapolis; Central Normal and St. Viators at Kankakee, Ill.; Crane college and Valparaiso. Indiana Dental and Earlham at Richmond; Muncie State Normal and Manchester at North Manchester; Central Normal and Valparaiso at Valparaiso.

Saturday—Camp Benning and Indiana at Bloomington; Wabash and DePauw at Greencastle; Rose Poly and Indiana Dental at Indianapolis; Central Normal and St. Viators at Kankakee, Ill.; Crane college and Valparaiso. As the new year starts DePauw has the lead in the contest for the state college championship. The two games of last week in which Purdue defeated Wabash 34 to 25 and then lost to DePauw 32 to 27, gave the Greencastle quintet an advantage in the title race.

DePauw now has a good list of victories, the victims being Earlham, Notre Dame, Indiana, Northwestern and Purdue. At the close of the present week Wabash will make an attempt to head off the DePauw five. The championship, it still seems certain will go to either DePauw, Purdue or Wabash with DePauw the favorite.

Rain and Record Crowd Predicted For Big Battle Between Center and W. & J.

(By Associated Press)
PASADENA, Calif., Jan. 2.—Rain, and despite it, a record crowd were predicted for the annual east-west football game here today between the teams of the University of California and Washington and Jefferson college. Announcement was made by the Tournament of Roses association, sponsors of the gridiron battle, that it would be held rain or shine.

The game will be played on a turf field, which probably will be very slippery, with a border of mud all the way around the gridiron, where the grass has not been allowed to grow. Both teams and their coaches are reported ready for the fray, with nobody expressing over confidence. Many thousands of tickets have been sold, and it has been estimated before the forecast of rain that 35,000 would see the game.

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PRESENT CHAMPIONS IN MANY LINES MAY GET HOOKS IN 1922

By FRANK G. MENKE
It's going to be a Happy New Year for some folks—and for others in the sportive game it won't be quite so joyous.

The incoming year finds a lot of champions on one branch of athletic endeavor or another, who are quite likely to have ex hooked onto their names before 1922 buzzes along.

Consider fisticuffing:
It wouldn't be at all surprising if new kings came into power in the flyweight, bantamweight, featherweight, welterweight, middleweight and light heavyweight ranks within 12 months.

Only Leonard and Dempsey seem fairly secure—and there is a chance if he ever decides to give battle to his throne if he gets a bit reckless and takes on a tough baby or two.

Buff boss of the flyweights and bantams, is a good fighter, but beatable, especially when opposition must come from Abe Goldstein, Eddie Odowd, Midget Smith, Pete Herman, Joe Lynch, Jack Sharkey and a few others of their ilk.

Kilbane is old and gray haired—still brainy, still a good fighter, but no longer unbeatable if he elects to take on all comers.

Wilson About Through.
Wilson will be through the first time he meets a fast, clever middleweight who has real punching power.

Levinkev is still acclaimed champion of the light heavies—largely because no one seems to want to grab the title.

Leonard may survive 1922—and he may not. He is not so good as he once was—and there is a bit of opposition here and there which may force Leonard out of his kingling job if he ever decides to give battle to one or another of the group which ranks Tandler and White as outstanding.

Dempsey seems safe—but that does not mean he is a positive chin.

The wrestling game knows Stanislaus Zybyszko as its champ. But the way they work it in wrestling—under domination of Jack Curley—is to have a champ endure one season. So it is quite reasonable to expect that some one else will be "champion" of the grapplers before the end of the present year.

The Giants possess the championship of the baseball world and likewise of the National league. The Yanks are bosses of the Johnson circuit. But its something of a copper riveted cinch that they won't repeat in the same roles in 1922.

The Indians and Browns are certain to furnish stiffer opposition to the Yanks than they knew a season ago. One or the other—or perhaps a dark horse—will nose out the New Yorkers. Even the trade with the Red Sox hasn't made the Yankees certain as repeaters.

The Giants will be a bit stronger in 1922 than they were a year ago. The Cardinals, on the other hand, will be infinitely stronger. The Pirates will have a better team than last year. Either—or both—may beat out the Giants.

Golf and tennis champions generally are short-lived. One year seems to be the lengthiest reigning life of most of them. It is likely that all of the present day rulers on the links and on the courts, not more than one or two—perhaps none at all—will survive the gruelling battles of the season to come.

So, all in all, it looks as if 1922 will be a year productive of more dethroning than any that has gone before; a year which gets under way with a score of champions rearing upon tottering thrones which are quite likely to collapse completely before the sportive world tunes up its vocal chords and wishes again the old, old wish:

"A Happy New Year."
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George Cutshaw.
George Cutshaw, veteran second baseman of the Phillies and later the Pirates, has been purchased outright by the Detroit club. Cutshaw is past his prime as an infielder, but he can still play a consistent, brainy game. He is counted on to steady Cobb's young infield. With Blue at first, Bobby Jones at third and a youngster undoubtedly on short, Cutshaw's cool head will do much to strengthen the inner defense of Cobb's rebuilt team.

BANNER SPORT YEAR EXPECTED OF 1922, SAY ATHLETIC HEADS

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Sport, both amateur and professional, will reach a plane of popularity during 1922 never touched in the past, according to the expressed opinions of athletic leaders. Regardless of the outpouring of millions of spectators and contestants in the games of the past 12 months, it is the unanimous belief of those best qualified to gauge the development of sport, that the coming season will witness new records in interest, participation and attendance.

That these opinions are based upon substantial grounds is shown by the rapidly increasing list of important contests, both international, national and international, which are being added to the 1922 sport schedules. International tennis, golf, yachting and track meets are already in the making; numerous international football games have been carded and there will be a wider increase in entries for various national championships, both numerically and geographically, than in the past.

From all sections of the nation comes the report that interest in sport is steadily growing; the formation of new interscholastic and intercollegiate associations; wider participation in games; the development, physically, of the youth of the land and the belief that sport in the broadest application of the word will be a growing factor in the history of America for decades to come.

PURPLE HANDS YALE 29 TO 14 DRUBBING

EVANSTON, Ill., Jan. 2.—Northwestern university basketball quintet handed the Yale five another drubbing in the university gym by the score of 29 to 14. The game was featured by the sensational basket shooting of Capt. McKenzie, of the Purple. Yale held the Purple to a 11 to 9 score in the first half, but could not stand the gait set by the winners in the last half.

KNIGHTSTOWN LOSES TO HAGERSTOWN FIVE IN FAST NET BATTLE

Hagerstown high school stepped on Knightstown high's basketball quintet in a fast and slightly rough contest on the former team's floor Saturday night with the upper edge of a 31 to 12 result. Hagerstown lead Knightstown during the entire contest and put up such a fast offense that the losers could not keep pace.

With a veteran lineup playing stellar ball, Hagerstown has developed into a fast, evenly-balanced team which is hard to beat. With the new floor available, they have an opportunity to advance and compete with teams which are used to larger floors. Although Knightstown had heavy players, they were slow and unable to get into scoring territory.

Root, May and Wichterman put up an evenly balanced scoring game that spelled defeat for the losers early in the game. Limerich, the Knightstown back guard, was the fighter for the losers and broke into the scoring column for two field counters. Lineup and summary:

Hagerstown (31) Knightstown (12)
Root.....F.....Zink
May.....F.....Stickler
Cain.....F.....Watts
Wichterman.....G.....Cox
Doughty.....G.....Limerich
Substitutions—Hagerstown: Stoller, Lilly, E. May, Hays, Stanley for the regulars. Knightstown: Wagner for Stickler.
Field Goals—Root, 5; May, 5; Cain, 1; Wichterman, 2; ink, 1; Stickler, 1; Limerich, 2.
Foul Goals—Root, 5; Watts, 4.
Referee—Chew.

Officials of Big Grid Game Will Travel 17,320 Miles

(By Associated Press)
SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 2.—Approximately 17,320 miles will be covered by the four officials at today's football game at Pasadena between California and Washington and Jefferson in getting from their homes to the southern California city and back again, it has been estimated here.

Tom Thorpe, New York, one of the officials, will cover the greatest distance, journeying approximately 3,688 miles to reach Pasadena. Walter Eckersall, of Chicago, another official, will cover 2,774 miles; George M. Varnell, Spokane, the referee, will ride 1,700 miles, and H. H. Huebel, San Francisco, will travel 600 miles to reach the field. After the game they will return over the same distances.

NEW BILLIARD RECORD

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Jan. 2.—T. Newman today was considered as holding a new world record in English billiards by making a break of 1,274. The former record of 919 was made by H. W. Stevenson, in 1912. Newman's former record of 844 was made in October, 1919.

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