

WILLS IS POINTED FOR FORTILE BATTLE WITH JACK DEMPSEY

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, March 3.—Harry Wills, New Orleans, negro heavy-weight, is to be pointed, as a result of his victory over "Kid" Norfolk last night for a title match with Jack Dempsey.

Norfolk, a Baltimore product, went to the canvass after 26 seconds of boxing in the second round of his match with Wills last night. Several persons claimed to have seen the blow which sent the "Kid" down, but it escaped the notice of a majority of those at the ringside.

After a tame first round Wills and Norfolk started and missed a few punches in the second, then fell into a clinch. The referee made an effort to separate them when Norfolk topped over backwards, landing on his shoulders. He arose and walked to his corner, apparently unhurt, after taking the count.

Wills and the referee, "Kid" McPartland, said the knockout blow was a short inside right to the jaw. Dempsey last night again expressed his willingness to defend his title against Wills and Governor Edwards of New Jersey said he would approve such a match in his state if the public demanded it.

Wills is powerfully built and while not possessed of the ring craft and speed that carried Jack Johnson to the championship, has something of a wallop in his punches and is a willing scrapper. He has a habit of holding an opponent with one arm while hitting with the other, thus exposing his jaw and body to attack. A more clever boxer, whose punching power equaled that of the negro, might break him of the holding habit.

MILWAUKEE, March 2.—Pinkey Mitchell, appearing in the ring for the first time this year and apparently fully recovered from the malady which forced a postponement of his bout with Benny Leonard for the championship on January 2, had little trouble beating Sid Barbarian of Detroit here last night. Pinkey won eight of the ten rounds with two about even according to newspaper critics. It looked for a while in the tenth round as if Mitchell would land a knockout punch, but he did not seem to have the required strength.

NEW YORK, March 3.—Johnny Buff, world's bantamweight champion, will defend his title against Joe Lynch, former holder of the title, in a 15 round bout here March 20.

COACH FISHER TAKES LADS TO TOURNAMENT

EATON, Ohio, March 3.—Coach Bob Fisher and his crew of basketballers of the high school left Thursday afternoon for Delaware to participate in the interschool basketball tournament which will determine the championship school team in the state. A number of local fans accompanied the team.

Coach Fisher had not determined his line-up at the time he departed with the team for Delaware. He said he felt his charges had a chance in the contest. The finals made a fine showing in the tournament last year. The local crew is made up of the following seven men: Captain Paul Sherer, Cecil Stephens, Willard Lark-in, Emora McIntyre, Delbert Walton, Charles Cottingham and Cooper Waters.

Last night the team was the guest of Ohio Wesleyan university at a clash between Ohio Wesleyan and Kenyon.

EARLHAM BASEBALL CARD IS ANNOUNCED

BASEBALL SCHEDULE.
Apr. 18—Wilberforce there
Apr. 21—Muncie Normal there
Apr. 27—Wilberforce here
May 6—Muncie Normal here
May 13—Dayton University here
May 16—Butler there
May 19—Dayton University there
May 21—Butler there
—tentative

Earlham college will play intercollegiate baseball this spring, is the opinion of manager Robert Hinshaw who is at present hard at work booking a schedule for the team. Earlham last year intercollegiate baseball at the college was not played because it was not a paying proposition and because of the improvements that were being made on Reid Field during the spring months.

This year there are a number of baseball enthusiasts at the college who have been clamoring for a national sport to be resumed at the college. So that Hinshaw under orders from Coach Mow has proceeded to make out a schedule for the Maroon and White nine.

So far Hinshaw has booked four games and has four more that are tentative but he expects to close the season with two games with Butler and two with Muncie Normal are already contracted for, according to Hinshaw. The difficulty encountered in booking the games is the danger of conflicting with the track schedule for some of the athletes are both baseball and track men.

Several baseball letter men are in school this year. Among these are Hinshaw, Goar, Elder and Kirk. There is also some promising new material.

Louis Wildman of the Earlham track team, left Thursday for the University of Illinois where he will take part in the Illinois relay carnival. Wildman is entered in the high hurdles and in the high jump and pole vault. He is expected to give a good account of himself.

BOWLERS TAKE IT EASY.
TOLEDO, Ohio, March 3.—Today is another light day in the schedule of minor events in the American Bowling congress tournament. Only sixteen pairs are to perform in the doubles which start at 2:30 p. m. The schedule for the day is made up of Decatur, Cleveland, Toledo and Sherrill, N. Y. bowlers.

OHIO AND OKLAHOMA STARS BATTLE FOR HORSESHOE TITLE; OHIOAN WINS



For the fourth time an Ohioan has been crowned horseshoe pitching champion of the U. S.

C. C. Davis, winner, left, and R. P. Spencer, runner-up, in action.

Charles C. Davis of Columbus, O., recently annexed the title by defeating R. P. Spencer of Pitcher, Okla., in the national tournament at St. Petersburg, Fla. Twenty-two of the star pitchers representing almost every corner of the U. S. competed in the meet. Fred Brust of Columbus, George May of Akron and Charley Bobbitt of Lancaster were the other Ohioans to hold the title. The contests drew several thousand people to the stadium where the games were staged.

Tournament Results

HAGERSTOWN IS VICTOR

Hagerstown won the opening game of the district basketball tournament at the Coliseum, winning from the Alquina quintet by the score of 26 to 10. The game was hard fought from start to finish, being fast and exceptional.

Roberts, of the losing team, scored the first point of the game when Hagerstown fouled, but the lead did not last long, as H. May soon put his team in the lead with a two-point marker. Alquina put up a good scrap, but did not seem to be able to get together. At the intermission period Hagerstown was leading, 14 to 6.

The winners put up a good passing game, but were very much off on hitting the basket, missing many easy chances on shots that should have been turned into two point markers. H. May and Root divided the scoring honors for the winners, each making 12 points. Roberts scored four of his team's points.

The lineups and summary:
Hagerstown (26) Alquina (10)
Lilly F Roberts
H. May F Chance
Wicherman C Lake
Root G J. White
Dougherty G J. White
Substitutions—Cain for Lilly, W. May for H. May, H. May for W. May, Stohler for Wicherman, Wicherman for H. May, W. May for Cain, Bond for Chance, Retherford for G. White, Shaw for Lake, Lake for Shaw, G. White for Retherford, Chance for Bond.

Field Goals—H. May 6, Root 6, W. May 1, Roberts 1, Lake 1, G. White 1, Shaw 1.
Foul Goals—Roberts 2.
Referee—Wyrick.

WHITEWATER UPSETS DOPE
Upsetting the dope bucket for the first time of the tourney the Whitewater five defeated the Boston quintet by the score of 21 to 7. Boston was doped to win this game, but could not stand the rush of the Whitewater offense, especially in the first half when the winners scored 13 points to the Boston team's four.

Freeman was the big gun for the winners and the Whitewater team's defense is built up around the husky floor guard. His floor work and basket shooting was very good, making five goals from the field and two from the foul line. Samuels was the bright light of the Boston five, playing a good floor game and connecting for two baskets.

The lineups and summary:
Whitewater (21) Boston (7)
Blose F Heinbaugh
Hanna F Samuels
Freeman C Dils
Brown G Duke
Substitutions—Thomas for Dils, Dils for Thomas.
Field Goals—Blose 1, Freeman 2, Brown 2, Heinbaugh 1, Samuels 2.
Foul Goals—Blose 3, Freeman 2.
Referee—Swope.

WEBSTER SPILLS MILTON.
Webster made a good showing when it defeated Milton by the score of 18 to 3. Webster does not have a floor on which to practice, but put up a fine exhibition of the indoor game. At the half-way mark the Webster lads were leading by the score of 9 to 3. So tight was the defense put up by the Webster lads that Milton failed to connect with a single field goal during the entire 30 minutes of play, making only three goals from the foul line in the first period.

Demaree, pivot man for the winners, was the big noise of the battle, and his work with Ellbee, back guard, was very good. Demaree scored six points from the field, and covered the floor's points from the free throw line.

The lineups and summary:
Webster (18) Milton (3)
Duke F Ingberman
Austerman F Hines
Carl Demaree C Brown
C. Demaree G Murray
Ellbee G Myers
Substitutions—Palmer for Ellbee; Beeson for Carl Demaree; Crawford for Murray; White for Ingberman.

Field Goals—Duke, 1; Austerman, 1; Carl Demaree, 3; Ellbee, 1.
Foul Goals—Duke, 4; Murray, 3.
Referee—Wyrick.

RICHMOND, 28; LIBERTY, 12
Richmond had defeated Liberty in the feature game of the morning session Friday by a 28 to 12 score. Score stood 18 to 6 at half time. Liberty took the floor with a great

fighting spirit which assured the fans a real battle. They put up a real fight during the entire first half and showed Richmond a good time.

The local five started out fast and through the consistent scoring of Harkins and Root, the team gradually drew away from the Liberty lads.

Richmond scored the first eight points on successive field goals from all angles of the floor. Their offense was perfect and carried them to their objective every time.

Liberty came in for three field goals at critical periods at the first part of the initial half and kept in the running. Every man on Liberty's machine was fighting for a chance to bring his team up, but they were handicapped by the larger floor.

Whitey Kessler showed the way to all the rest of the men on the floor, as far as guarding is concerned, and it was his brilliant play which kept the opposing score down.

Line-up and summary:
Richmond 28 Liberty 12
Harkins F Burt
Harkins F Thompson
Kennedy C McCasland
Kessler G Dubois
Greene G Grove
Field Goals—Rost, 4; Harkins, 6; Kennedy, 3; Kessler, 1; Burt, 2; Thompson, 1; McCasland, 1; Roderfer, 1.
Substitutions: Liberty—Roderfer for Dubois, Dubois for Burt, Burt for Roderfer—Richmond, Schumaker for Kennedy, Spaulding for Rost, Mattox for Harkins.
Referee: Swope.
Time-keeper: Wilson.
Scorer: Allen.

Bowling

I. H. C. STARR PIANO					
Player	1st	2nd	3rd	Tl.	Av.
Shissler	174	201	177	552	184
May	130	160	214	504	168
Ulrich	230	182	181	593	198
Knight	157	181	202	540	180
Roach	168	183	169	520	167
Total	923	887	943		

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	Tl.	Av.
Kohnle	137	181	150	468	156
Pfeiffer	146	174	141	461	153
Erk	168	199	177	544	181
Sturm	139	143	191	473	158
Mayer	141	177	149	467	156
Total	731	879	808		

High average—Ulrich, 234.
High score—Ulrich, 199.

COMMUNITY SERVICE LEAGUE

Pole Climbers					
Player	1st	2nd	3rd	Tl.	Av.
J. Moss	181	144	154	479	160
Hartman	130	136	171	437	144
Newerth	103	107	125	335	112
G. Moss	156	121	125	402	134
Elliott	123	137	125	385	127
Handicap	116	116	116		
Total	809	716	854		

Himes Dairy

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	Tl.	Av.
Schroder	179	184	170	533	178
D. Woods	108	159	147	414	138
Porter	168	159	167	494	165
H. Woods	124	151	108	383	128
Eubanks	159	152	159	470	157
Handicap	55	55	55		
Totals	793	852	806		

High average—Schroeder, 178.
High score—Schroeder, 184.

Colored Boys Postpone Basket Game Tonight

The class of colored boys who have been playing basketball in the Garfield school gymnasium each Friday night will not play tonight because of the district tournament games at the Coliseum, it was announced Friday.

The Quaker Maids won a forfeit over the Beverages when the soft drink lads failed to put in their appearance for the game. Many of the teams are loading up, a fact which is likely to cause a considerable amount of crabbing before the final contest is played. It would be no great surprise to see several of the teams drop from the league.

GET ZBYSKO
Jockey thrown in first race at New Orleans.
We had better let Zbysko ride him.

CATCHERS MAKE BEST MANAGERS OF TEAMS IN BIG SHOW, MENKE

By FRANK G. MENKE
Half of the big league outfits of 1922 will be piloted in the flag races by backstoppers. Of the other eight managers, four got their training in the outfield, three were infielders, and only one was a pitcher.

The preponderance of catchers among the team leaders of 1922 seems to be out of Wilbert Robinson, who once said:
"No position on a ball club is more important than that of a catcher. Give me a smart backstop and I already have the start of a good ball team. If I am not possessed of a good catcher, my pitchers may be or what offensive or defensive strength may be contained in the infield and outfield. Such a team isn't ever going to cut much of a figure in a pennant fight."

"A catcher, after all is said and done, is the leader of his team. He is the only man in the whole game who is close to the scene of action and has the whole field of play within his vision. He must be possessed of brains beyond the average if he is going to guide his pitchers over the rough spots. He must be a man of courage, a man quick to seize an opportunity, a person fast in physical action and chain lightning in thought and in execution."

Catcher Needs Brains
"An infielder or an outfielder may get by without an excess of brains, provided he has mechanical ability afield and can hit the ball. History proves that many eccentrics were great pitchers—because they had marvelous arms. But brains—and more brains—are absolutely vital and wholly essential for a catcher. If he isn't brainy he doesn't belong—that's all."

The magnets have been backing up Robinson's idea by their managerial selections through the years. Six of the National league outfits will be led this year by one-time backstops, while two of the American league clubs will be headed by men from the same department of play.

Here is the managerial line-up for 1922:

National League		
Team—Manager	Position	
Giants, McGraw	Third Base	
Pirates, Gibson	Catcher	
Cubs, Killifer	Catcher	
Dodgers, Robinson	Catcher	
Phillies, Wilhelm	Pitcher	
Reds, Moran	Catcher	
Cardinals, Rickard	Catcher	
Braves, Mitchell	Catcher	

American League		
Team—Manager	Position	
Yankees, Huggins	Second Base	
Indians, Speaker	Outfielder	
Browns, Fohl	Catcher	
White Sox, Gleason	Second Base	
Senators, Milan	Outfielder	
Red Sox, Duffy	Outfielder	
Athletics, Mac	Catcher	
Tigers, Cobb	Outfielder	

Summary: Catchers, 8; outfielders, 4; infielders, 3; pitchers, 1.
It is a rather odd fact that the Yankees, prior to the acquisition of Huggins, had some catchers as leaders. One was Frank Chance, and another was George Stallings. The former was a catcher, but finished his career at first base. The Red Sox were the truly great of the baseball world while Bill Carrigan, a catcher, was the team leader.

In other years in baseball, it was the thought that pitchers would make ideal managers. The experiment was tried frequently, but usually resulted in a failure. Most conspicuous was that of Christy Mathewson. No smart pitcher ever lived. But Matty, who knew the art of throwing a baseball as no other man had known it, and who was assumed to be a natural leader, floundered badly with the Cincinnati Reds.

Catchers Best Manager
Club owners have drafted players from one department and another for managerial roles. But in the end, most of them have concluded that a good catcher makes for the best manager.

Among the "miracle men" of baseball, have been Moran, a catcher; Mack, a catcher; Stallings, a catcher, and Robinson, a catcher. Gibson, another catcher, ended his career with other catcher, ended his career with the Cardinals, led by Branch Rickey, a catcher, during the light most of the way in 1921—were regarded by many as possibilities for 1922.

And so it has gone—with catcher-manager outfits there or thereabouts in practically every flag race through the years.

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Chips and Slips

ALMOST A CHAMP.
That's what Charlie White has been for several years. And now he and his friends see his golden chance coming to drop the "almost" and wear a crown. His chance is coming in his bout with Benny Leonard this month. White looked up now as at least the hardest hitting opponent Benny has. Charlie again made clear his position in the lightweight ranks when he all but stopped Willie Jackson the other night. Consider for a minute that only one man in the biz has dropped Willie for the count. That man is Johnny Kilbane. And that defeat came in 1916 when Willie still had a lot to learn and lacked the ruggedness he has now.

For further information regarding White's terrific left inquire of Matt Wells, Milburn Saylor, Joe Thomas, Jake Abel, Joe Azevedo, Sam Robideau, Matt Baldwin, Gilbert Gallant and several others he has knocked out. White has come within an ace of being champ on three occasions. His lack of resourcefulness and his slow thinking prevented him from beating Willie Ritchie to the floor when they met while Willie was king. Freddie Welsh was lucky to cling to his crown when White took him on at Brighton Beach in 1915.

And then came that memorable bout with Champion Benny at Benton Harbor two years ago. Leonard took the bout lightly. Failed to train to the

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DOG RACES FURNISH SPORT THRILL FOR PLEASURE SEEKERS AT MIAMI



Horace DeLisser, left, and Michael Heim, with two of the racing hounds and a view of the chute out of which the dogs leap at the start of the race.

Dog racing is one of the big winter sports at Miami, Fla. A quarter of a mile track and grandstand accommodating 2,500 persons have been constructed. Only thoroughbred hounds are entered in the race and each hound is trained and handicapped like race horses. The dogs chase an electric rabbit, which speeds around the track just a few leaps ahead of the dogs. The picture above shows two of the hounds held in leash by two nationally known men. Horace DeLisser is president of a tire company in New York, and Michael Heim is a capitalist and amusement promoter of Kansas City. Neither is financially interested in the race track, but merely visitors when the picture was taken. In the foreground is the chute out of which the dogs leap when the electric rabbit is started on its way.

White got through Benny's perfect defense with that crashing left hook and almost ruined Benny's future.

White's work this winter has shown he is in his form. If he can hold that form against Leonard and tear in at every opportunity he will make Leonard fight as the New York lad never has fought before to retain his crown. Jack Britton has shown that age and service can't hold a good man down when his time comes. Maybe White can pull a Britton.

The young golfer, a hopeless novice, possessed good intentions. His first job after joining a golf club was not to study the game, but to study the club rules. He was a stickler for obedience.

He went round the course alone at first, having no desire to worry his friends with his bad play. When at last they saw him returning they were surprised to find that he was wheeling a big wheelbarrow.
"What on earth have you got there?" they asked.
"Turf," replied the novice. "I'm going to replace it."

The Betsy Ross five seems to be on the downward road, having dropped the last few games played by one point margins. The Betsyss seem to be in a slump and do not get into their proper stride. The team started out strong at the first of the season.

Basketball tournaments got under way in all of the 32 centers of the state either Friday morning or Thursday night. Five of the districts were compelled to start at 7:30 o'clock, due to the fact that so many teams were entered.

Coach Lambert, of the Purdue squad, put his team through a hard scrimmage Thursday night getting the men prepared for the Illinois game next Tuesday night at Lafayette.

Earlham

The first round of the Indiana intercollegiate debate league will be held Friday evening by the member colleges. The Earlham affirmative team will meet the DePauw negative team here in the college chapel. The negative team will journey to Purdue where they will meet the Purdue affirmative team. The argument at the college tonight will start at 8 o'clock. Both teams are expected to give a good account of themselves.

Prof. Samuel Garton has announced the following program to be given at

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BEVERIDGES FORFEIT; WILLIAMSBURG TEAM, GLOVES, ARE VICTORS

Failure of the Beverages to appear for their game with the Quaker Maids caused the game to be forfeited to the Maids, 2 to 0.

The Business College five dropped its game to the Indianapolis Gloves by the score of 20 to 14. The game was hard fought and the Gloves lead practically the entire time. The first half ended with the Gloves leading by the score of 14 to 6.

The second half the College lads came back and outplayed the Gloves, but the lead obtained in the first period was too much for them to overcome.

Simmons and Niebuhr led the scoring for the winners, making six points each. Scoring honors for the losers were evenly divided among Reid, Mulligan and Benson.

The lineups and summary:

Gloves (20)	
Niebuhr	..... F
Weaver	..... F
Simmons	..... C
Hawekotte	..... G
Alisadt	..... G
Substitutions—Smith for Reid	
Field Goals—Niebuhr 3, Weaver 2, Simmons 3, Hawekotte 2, Reid 2, Mulligan 2, Benson 1, Leavelle 1.	
Foul Goals—Benson 2.	
Referee—McBride.	

The final game of the evening went to the Williamsburg five when they trimmed the Betsy Ross five to the tune of 15 to 14. The game was well played and hotly contested throughout with either team having a chance for a victory. The first half gave the Betsyss a lead by the score of 8 to 7. Matthews was the bright light of the game and the Doughboy's defense failed to hold the last little forward who scored 11 of his team's points, making five goals from the field. Reid was the high point man for the losers, making six points from the field.

The lineups and summary:

Williamsburg 15	
Starr	..... F
Matthews	..... F
Lamb	..... C
Franklin	..... G
Cates	..... G
Substitutions—Clements for Starr.	
Field goals—Matthews 5, Lamb 2, Reid 3, Tittle, Sauter 1, Dunham 1, Beissman 1.	
Foul goal—Matthews.	
Referee—Eubanks.	

Ben Hurs to Stage

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