# **NOGANS-BRITTFICHT**

Colored Champion Cannot Make the Weight.

#### CALIFORNIAN HOLDS OUT

He Refuses to Concede Anything, and Gans and Herford Will Sail for England After the Fight With Fitzgerald,

SAN FRANCISCO, May M -Al Herford, manager for Joe Gans, when questioned today regarding the chances of a battle between Jimmy Britt and the negro at the lightweight limit of 123 pounds, replied that there was no prospect of such a bout taking place.

"Gans cannot make such a weight, and as Britt refuses to concede anything, we shall have to call off all negotiations. After the fight with Fitzgerald Friday, Gans will start for England, and I will ecompany him."

..... PACIFIC NATIONAL LEAGUE, Yesterday's Scores. Butte, 7; Spokane, 4. Standing of the Clubs

SEATTLE SHUTS OUT HELENA.

Hicky is in the Box for Dugdale's Men. Who Make six Runs. HELENA, Mont., May 25.—The locals could not hit Hickey today. Putmann was fairly effective, but at critical times his support was poor.

.....302010000-0 4 4 Seattle Batteries-Hickey and Stanley; Puttmann and Carisch.

Spokane Defeats Butte,

BUTTE, Mont., May M.-Spokane captured the last game of the series today through the effective work of Dammann, who occupied the slab. Tozier, Butte's pew twirler, was tried out, and was touched up quite frequently by the vis-liors. Inability to hit when hits were needed proved costly to the Miners. At-

Batteries-Toxier and Swindells; Dammann and Zalusky.

> NATIONAL LEAGUE. Standing of the Clubs,

Won, Lost,

Brooklyn 5, Pittsburg 0,

BROOKLYN, May 25 .- Garvin pitched a fine game today, shutting Pittsburg out. He allowed but three scattered hits, and gave no base on balls. Attendance, 392

Pittsburg .... 0 3 2 Brooklyn .... Batteries-Leever and Phelps; Garvin and Ritter. Umpire-O'Day.

five bases on balls, Platt pitched well enough to win today's game with Cincinnati. He struck out nine men and alwed but seven hits. Attendance, 2300.

Batteries-Hahn and Bergen; Platt and Kittredge. Umpire-Emsile.

Chicago S. Philadelphia 4 PHILADELPHIA, May E.-The locals had several chances to win today, but they were unable to hit at the proper time. Attendance, 2000. Score: R.H.E.

Chicago ...... 8 12 1 Philadelphia ... 4 11 2 Batteries-Lundgren and Kline; McFet-tridge and Zimmer. Umpire-Moran.

New York 13, St. Louis 4, NEW YORK, May 25.—New York scored an easy win from St. Louis today, The fielding of the St. Louis men was wretched. Attendance, 3500. Score Batteries-Taylor, Miller and Bowerman; Brown, Lovett and Weaver, Umpiro-

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Standing of the Clubs. ew York ...

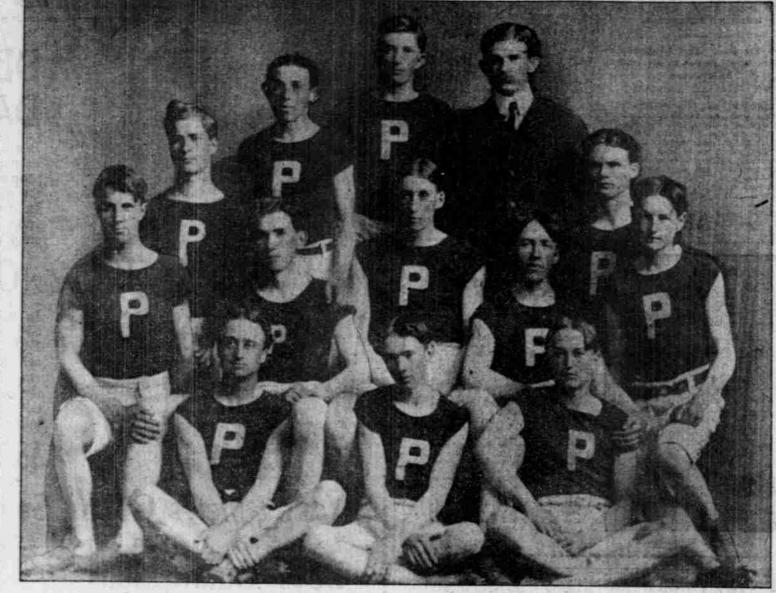
Cleveland 2, Philadelphia 1, CLEVELAND, O., May 25.-Moore had Philadelphia at his mercy today, and would have scored a shutout but for wild throw in the ninth inning. Attend-

R.H.E. Cleveland ... 2 5 2 Philadelphia.. 1 4 0 Batteries-Moore and Abbott; Plank and

Washington 5, Detroit 1. DETROIT, May 25.—Washington won handily today, owing to Mullin's poor pitching at critical stages. Patten was hit hard in one inning. Attendance, 600.

Detroit...... 1 9 1 Washington... 5 7 2

PENDLETON TRACK TEAM THAT TOOK SECOND PLACE IN INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET.



Members Pendleton High School track team, 1903. Names as follows, reading from left lower row: W. Wyrick, Bollerman, G. Wyrick; second row, Leezer, Williams, Cronin, Hartman, Jay; third row, Milne, Pierce, Arnapiger, McCarty; Professor Roy Conklin, coach. Pendleton took second place in the fourth annual field meet of the Eastern Oregon Interscholastic Association, held at Pendleton on May 23. Baker City won by two points, the scores being: Baker City, 54; Pendleton, 52; Union, 7.

IN EXPANDING LEAGUE.

Harry Coleman, of San Francisco Team, Goes East to Sign Players for Weak Nines,

President Lucas, who is shaping the destiny of the Pacific National League, passed through Portland yesterday, and while waiting for a train to Tacoma he while waiting for a train to Tacoma he held a long consultation with Dr. Drake, president of the Portland Greengages. Mr. Lucas went to San Francisco several days ago for the purpose of looking over the situation and to talk over baseball matters with Harry Coleman, one of the owners of the San Francisco team, before his departure for the East. Just what Coleman's mission is in the East at this time is not known, but it is understood that he goes for the purpose of obtaining play. he goes for the purpose of obtaining play-ers for not only his own team, but several other weak teams in the league, and to talk over the baseball war with Sexton and Hickey.

Mr. Lucas was as noncommittal as ever about the baseball situation. He still maintains that the invasion of San Fran-Batteries—Leever and Phelps; Garvin in Ritter. Umpire—O'Day.

Cincinnati 3, Boston 2.

BOSTON, May 25.—Excepting for his bushess on pulls Platt phelod and the cites named in the cites named in the cites named in the cites named in the played one day and the name of the played one day and the nam

> we knew that we were going to be new to the people, and that we would have to wait until they got used to us before we could expect them to become our patrons. I feel that everything will come our way in a short time, and I consider that we have done remarkably well, considering the late start we had. Portland, San Francisco and Los Angeles were extremely late in getting their teams together, and they did not get estarted until the pick of the good players were signed by other. expect to make money the first season. We knew that we were going to be new to the people, and that we would have to wait until they got used to us before we of the good players were signed by other

clubs.

"There is nothing in this talk about dropping Butte and Helena and holding San Francisco and Los Angeles, or dropping the two California towns. Portland, Butte and Helena have lost money on their trips to the Coast, but this was nothing more than was expected during the fret trip. In San Francisco and Los the first trip. In San Francisco and Los Angeles they have drawn better than was expected, and when they make the second trip they will undoubtedly make

Mr. Lucas told Dr. Drake that the Greengages were weak in their pitching department, but otherwise the team was exceptionally good. Grim has been trying for a month back to strengthen his pitch-ing corps, and has a couple of good men on the road. They will perhaps reach Portland some time this week. The team will arrive this morning and will play Tacoma this afternoon. The Greengages fared as badly as did the Browns on their California trip. Out of the six games played in San Francisco and the six played in Los Angeles Grim's crew captured one, and that was against Charlie Reilly's team. McCloskey bagged the whole series and only once during the six games played

did the Greengages have a look-in.
Mr. Lucas was told of Reed's handlwork
in the Hulseman-Taylor-Durret deal, but
he was not told that Reed received \$25 for securing Hulseman for the Browns. It is not known just how much he received from Parke Wilson. If the Southern League makes a kick about the Hulseman affair, Mr. Lucas has promised to give the matter his prompt attention.

IT WOULD FILL A BOOK. What One Ridgway Doesn't Know of the Baseball Situation.

The Oregonian did not, when it printed Detroit....... 1 9 1 Washington... 5 7 2.

Batteries—Mullin and McAllister; Patten and Clark.

St. Louis 6, New York 1.

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ST. Louis, May 26.—St. Louis trimmed New York in the final game of the series here today. Sudhoff was again in the box for St. Louis, and he twirled a fine game. Attendance, 1100. Score:

R.H.E.

LUCAS SURE OF SUCCESS stamped and sealed, but he has not, or he would not have stepped up to the firing line so unhesitatingly. He is like the old saw about the gum which is dangerous without lock, stock or barrel, he knows nothing at all about the situation, and in consequence he has gone off half-cocked. consequence he has gone off half-cocked. The Oregonian did not, in any line of that editorial, lay claim to the fact that the editorial, lay claim to the fact that the Pacific Coast was guiltless of persuading baseball players to break their contracts, nor did it seek to cover any part of that unprofessional and shameless practice. By quoting the names of players who have battered their word for greater salaries, Cridgway tries to appear as full of baseball knowledge as a wasp is full of honey, and after his screed is read through, and line for line is vainly scanned for pith or point, it is discovered that it is as barren as the skull of a buffalo head that has been bleaching on the plains for 20 years. baseball players to break their contracts plains for 20 years.

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Sridgway seems to have forgotten—maybe he has not been reading the papers
lately—that this man Sexton, in his alleged effort of "fighting the devil with
fire" has done more to wreck the minor
leagues over which he presides than has
the Pacific Coast League by offering
players greater salaries to join the clubs.
He has, by his recent dedge of getting
managers of minor league clubs to waive
their claims to piayers who have jumped
to the Pacific Coast League in case they
returned to any club in the Pacific
National League before May 15
last, done more to cripple these clubs
than was ever accomplished by the Pacific Coast League. At least haif a dozen
crack players on the pay coll of Southern the season in the cities named in the scans in the Facinic coast League. They schedule. In speaking of his visit to San Francisco and of his talk with President Hart, of the San Francisco team, and Harry Coleman, one of the large stockholders, Mr. Lecas said:

"When we made up our minds to extend the league to California we did not tend the league to California we did not revised to make morney the first season players. His desertion of the Shrevagort American Association of Baseball Leagues. Hulseman was one of these players. His desertion of the Shreveport edge that they were simply to get by this waived claim business and to strengthen the weak teams in the Pacific National League. Just how long the minor league managers will stand for this sort of tection" is not known, but it is safe to predict that if the teams in the Pacific National League are to be strengthened in this manner, that Sexton is due for in this manner, that Sexton is due for a calling down that he will not forget for some time to come. To build up teams in one league by weakening teams in anoth-er is a queer way of "fighting the devils with fire," but perhaps it's the way that suits Sexton and Dridgway.

> NEW CATCHER ARRIVES. Tommy Hess Joins the Browns With

a Good Record at a Player,

Tommy Hess, the new-catcher signed by the Browns, arrived in Portland yesterday and will play with the Browns in their game against the Siwashes at Seattle on Wednesday afternoon. Hess looks every inch a ballplayer, and he is in shape to start right in to play ball. Hess is a catcher that Moriey tried all last season to sign, and is considered by critics of the New York State League to be one of the best catchers in the league. He is a personal friend of Manager Vigneux, and had it not been for this the Browns would not have been able to have secured his

Hess has quite a record, as the following statistics compiled by Spaulding's book shows: Hess has a fielding average of .900, which he obtained from the following dope: Games played, &; putouts, 725; as-sists, 36; errors, 24. His batting average is 250. That was his record last year, and he has improved wonderfully during the present season—so much so that the East-erners are sorry to lose him. Danny Shay will be taken along with the team to Se attle, and will be used as change catcher.

BAKER'S CROWD WINS. Game Was a Mixture of Lightning

Throws and Triple Plays. In the presence of a lively delegation from the theatrical colony and a select crowd of critics, two baseball teams representing the Marquam Theater and Ba-ker's Theater struggled for supremacy yesterday at the professional grounds at Twenty-fourth and Vaughn streets, and the umpires who were in charge of the diamond at different intervals during the R.H.E. R.H.E. to Mr. Hot Air Sexton, or to Mr. Tridge diamond at different intervals during the Satteries Sudhoff and Snyder; Chesbro and O'Connor.

Rain Prevents Game at Chicago. CHICAGO, May E.—The game between Boston and Chicago, scheduled for today.

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The same between to have the baseball situation on the Pacific Coast of to play their cid-time rivals, they conditions to many the same gave the victory to Baker's Theater of Mr. Tridge. Way, for their approval and correction.

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worked his men was a caution. He had them in such fine condition that triple plays were easy, and four Baker batters smote the ball so mightly, at practice, that they broke four bats and also their opponents' hearts.

But the game. Too late the Marquam

crowd realized that their foes had prac-ticed in secret while they had not. Then their mascot sulked at the last moment, their mascot sulked at the last moment, and with buil-like obstinacy refused to permit himself to be dragged to the ball game. Charley Ryan was there, however, in a gorgeous crimson sweater, a sort of combination swimming suit, and "Billy" Pangle donned war paint for the occasi-Frank Camp, Baker's heavy man, dropped his tragedy air and forgot about pursuing the heroine and her tale of woe. The scene-shifters of the Marquam crowd were really responsible for the low score, as they got haircuts for the occasion, and found too late that their strength had departed from them along with their help. parted from them along with their hair, a la Sampson. A brave attempt was made to keep the score, but there were so many

stolen bases, triple plays, lightning throws by the catchers to first and numerous home runs with the bases all full, that the scorer fled. The teams were: Marquam-Stevens, catcher; Halloway and Smith, pitchers; York, first base; Fried, second base; Pan-gie, shortstop; Davis, third base; Ryan, left field; Whitwell, center field; Burbank, right field. Baker-Brown, catcher; Barsecond base! Harris, third base; Van Pelt, shortstop; Smith, left field; Buttinsky, center field; Sunnyjim, right field. It is understood that the victors are so elated

WILL STAY IN THE FIELD.

over their luck that they are thinking of challenging some of the big league teams.

Pacific Coast League Will Not Withdraw From Portland or Seattle. SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.-Hank Harris today denied the story from Portland that the Pacific Coast League intended to withdraw its teams from Portland and Seattle. He declares that the Pacific Coast League games were outdrawing the Nationals everywhere, and that it would stay in the field in the North to the end.

Harris thinks that the Nationals will withdraw from San Francisco and Los Angeles before long, and says that the Los Angeles engagement was entered upon at this time simply because of the poor business in San Francisco. McClos-key's men are going North and expect to outdo the Nationals in their own territory.

RACE HORSES SHIPPED NORTH, Special Train of 125 Leaves Sacramento for the Northwest.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—Fully 200 race horses have been shipped from Cali-fornia to Seattle for the meeting which begins at that point early in June. A special race train left Sacramento today with 125 horses.

McMinnville Won From Dallas. RICKREALL, Or., May 25.—(Special.)—
In a dual field meet, held at this place on
Saturday, McMinnville College defeated
Dallas College by a score of 8 to 34.
In the 100-yard dash, the starter accidentally put the men 11 yards behind the mark. Gray, of McMinnville College, ran the whole distance in 0:11 1-5, which is excellent time. Gray also captured the 50 and 220-yard sprints. Cummins, of Mc-Minnville, made a fine run in the 880, fin-ishing strong in 2:00.

Palmer-Sullivan Fight a Draw LONDON. May 25.—At the National Sporting Club tonight, Jack Palmer, of Newcastle, met Tim Sullivan, of Boston, in a contest for the middle-weight championship of England, and a purse of \$1000. At the end of the 15th round the referee

Smathers After Charter Oak Track. HARTFORD, Conn., May 25.—E. E. Smathers, of New York, the horseman, is negotiating for the purchase of Charter Oak Park. It is expected that the papers to complete the deal will be signed soon.

Vanderbilt's Horse Wins at Paris, PARIS, May 25.—W. K. Vanderbilt's Biltmore, with J. Ransch up, at St. Cloud today, won the Printempse handlcap.

Yale Shuts Out Georgetown. NEW HAVEN, May 26,-Yale 8, George-

Demonstrate to your own satisfaction the merits of Opia 5c cigars. Try one.

# WALCOTT IN FINE TRIM

BLACK DEMON READY FOR THE FIGHT OF HIS LIFE.

mith Is Training Carefully-Each Pugilist Has High Respect for the Other's Prowess.

If any one tells you that Joe Walcott is not in the best of condition, and if they tell you that his bellows is not in the best of repair, just you bet him all the money you can beg, steal or borrow that the Black Demon can run ten miles without turning a kinky hair, and that he is ready at a moment's notice to jump into the ring and fight all night, if necessary, Yesterday this stocky fellow came to The Oregonian office and posed his prettiestand that means some—for the staff pho-tographer. Big Johnson, whose initial is "A.", and who is willing to bet several bundles of Uncle Sam's lithographs that no one can guess what the "A" stands for, acted as Joe's escort.

In a few minutes after the two fighters entered the studio, people on the street noticed that the outer walls of the tower began to bulge, and a timid pedestrian telephoned to Fire Chief Campbell that the clock and the steeple were about to fall. In answer to Campbell's anxious quiry the photographer assured the Fire Chief that the building was in no danger and that the building of the walls was due to the unusual amount of brawn and muscle which the fighters displayed when they ungarbed. And certainly these two boxers are there with the goods when it comes are there with the goods when it comes to appearing in ring stiire. Few men earning their bread and salt in the roped arena can boast of such splendid muscular development. Walcott has the round, sloping shoulders of a natural fighter. He has wonderful bleeps, and forearms constructed on the piston plan, but the real driving power comes from the muscles covering the shoulder blades and his deep chest. He has fourth many and his deep chest. He has fought many a stiff grueling battle, yet he bears very few scars, considering the number of

ngats he has had.

Johnson, for a heavy-weight, is without doubt one of the fastest in the business. Stories of the eleverness of Corbett
and Fitzsimmons, McCoy and a few other
prominent members of the fistic game
are old, but the eleverness, hitting power
and general shiftiness of this big fighter
are yet to be told. He is a perfect specimen of the fighting machine. He is forare yet to be told. He is a period in men of the fighting machine. He is fast on his feet, quicker than chain lightining and can deliver a blow equally as hard as either Jeffries or Fitzsimmons. While the Philadelphia a few weeks ago he in Philadelphia a few weeks ago he showed what he had lurking in those long and well-muscled arms and shoulders, but he has not as yet demonstrated just what he can do in the fighting line. For half an hour before he took a turn at boxing with Joe Walcott, this big man gave an exhibition in bag-punching that was worth going some distance to see. At this branch of the boxing business he is as adept as either Corbett or Pitbeim-mons. It was not until he worked out four fast rounds with Joe Walcott that he showed just how quick he was. Of course he did not let himself out while boxing with Joe, but he gave an inkling of what might be expected of him in case of what might be expected of him in case he was pitted against a fighter worthy of his ability. A fight between Johnson and Fitzsimmons, or even Jeffries, for that matter, would be a beauty. What he needs to do is to take on all the second-raters he can pick up, and by doing this fight himself into a position to demand a battle from these heavy top-notchers.

While Welcott is doing his heavy stunts at Park and Flanders streets, Smith keeps pegging away over on Russell street. He is in as good condition as Walcott, and he says without reservation that he is going to beat Walcott. Every day his training quarters are thronged with his admirers, and they, too, think that he is going to dispose of the colored fighter. Billie does not expect the fight will go the full 20 rounds, and he is going to get the fight over just as quickly as possible. Walcott has the same desire, so, taking all things into consideration, the battle will be fast and furious as long as it lasts. Neither boxer will name the round in which they expect to land the winner's end of the purse. Walcott stated yesterday that he was willing to bet 550 that he will beat Smith, and when he made the statement he added: "All this talk about Smith being a has-been is all rot. Smith has fought some bum fights, but every time he has fought has her the part of the purse." in as good condition as Walcott, statement he added: "All this talk about Smith being a has-been is all rot. Smith has fought some bum fights, but every time he has fought me he has given me a tough battle. He's got the wallop, and if anybody thinks he hasn't they ought to go against him. He's there with the punch, all right, and I understand that he is in fine shape. Well, so am I, and the fight ought to be the best we have ever put up."

vice to all who suffer from backache or kidney trouble is to procure Doan's Kidney Pills from the Laue-Davis Drug Co.'s stors, corner of Yamhill and Third streets, and give them a fair trial."

For sale by all dealers. Price, 30 cents. Foster-Milburn Co. Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name, Doan's, and take Smith's opinion of Walcott is about the no other.

same. He knows of old that Joe is no easy mark, and in order to win he has a tough route cut out for him.

NOTED POLO PLAYER INJURED. Walter Buckmaster's Pony Falls on

Him in a Collision.

LONDON, May is.—Waiter Buckmaster, the noted polo player, was seriously burt at Hurlingham today. In the ceurse of a brilliant run he collided with Patterson Nickalls, and Buckmaster's pony fell and rolled over his rider, who was carried off the grounds on a stretcher. Buckmaster's injuries, it became known later, are internal. He improved and was removed to his home.

THE DAY'S BACES.

At Latonia,

CINCINNATI, O., May E.-Latonia re-Beven furlongs-King Ford won, Man-Seven furiouss—king Foru won, acar-sard second, Moyde third; time, 1:294. One mile—Golden Light won, Mandamus second, Frivol third; time, 1:45%. Five furiouss—Oga Wai won, Circular Joe second, Dr. Cartledge third; time,

1:00% Short course, steeplechase-Sauber won, Short course, steeplechase—Sauber won, Isilp second, Leadstone third; time, 2:08%. Mike Rice finished first, but was disqualified for running out of the course, Handicap, one mile—Miss Mae Day won, Aian A. Dale second, Monarka third; time, 1:49.

Six furiongs—Khaki won, John J. Regan second, the Boer third; time, 1:15.

At Morris Park.

NEW YORK, May 25 .- Morris Park re-Four and a half furlongs, selling-E. C. Runte won, Sir Walt second, Ganopere Runte won, Sir Walt second, Ganongue third; time, 0:335.

The Eclipse course, selling—Roue won, Judge Fulton second, Pittacs third; time,

About two miles, steeplechase-Carrier Pigeon won, May Harrison second, Tan-kard third; time, 3:52.
Seven furiongs, the Vancortiandt handi-cap—Searegant won, Luxcasta second, New York third; time, 1:25%. Last seven and a half furlongs of with

ers mile-Agnes D. won, Torchlight second, Alia Snyder third; time, 1:35. One mile and a sixteenth, over the hill-Zoroaster won, the Carmelite second, City Bank third; time, 1:47.

At St. Louis. ST. LOUIS, May 25 .- Fair Grounds sumnary: Six furlongs, selling—Fugurtha won, Cressida second, Dr. Clark third; time,

1:15.
Four and a haif furlongs—Ben Adkins won, Rhyme and F.cason second, Ascot third; time, 0:56.
Five and a haif furlongs, purse—Bas d'Or won, Poseur second, Howling Dervish third; time, 1:0616.
One mile and 70 yards, purse—Joe Lesser won, Lingo second, Ladni Strathmore third; time, 1:4678.
Six and a half furlongs, selling—Icicle won, Jake Weber second, Orleans third; time, 1:22.

time, 1:22. One mile and a sixteenth, seiling— Charles Ramsey won, Jessie I second, Cherished third; time, 1:48.

Races at Vancouver.

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 25.—At the second day's racing of the Spring meeting of the Vancouver Jockey Club the following were the results:
Four and one-half furlongs-Eldred won,
Mafada second, Dr. McLean third; time,

One mile and one-eighth, King Edward handicap—Dance Along won, Ravino sec-ond, Quibo third; time, 2:09.

One-half mile, Pony handicap—Bess Trimble won, Sleepy Don second, Little Mand third; no time. Seven furlongs, handicap-Scallawag won, Bellario second, Knockings third; no

At Hawthorne.

CHICAGO, May 25.-Howthorne results: Four furlongs-Try One won, Soi Smith econd, Falkland third; time, 9:51 3-5, Seven furlongs-Lord Melbourne won, Sine Miracle second, Mr. Dingle third;

time, 1:38. One mile-Moroni won, Merops second, Myth third; time, 2:52 2-5.

One mile—Bard Burns won, Dodie S. second, Goldaga third; time, 1:525.

Five furiongs—Sweetle won, Fir Bane second, General Stewart third; time, 1:07 2-5.

Six furlongs—Sardine won, Sharpless second, Bronze Wing third; time, 1:31.

Union Wireworkers Locked Out. SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.-About 150 employes of the Pacific Coast branch of the American Steel & Wire Company, at the American Steel & wire Company, at Bay and Mason streets, were thrown out of work on Saturday by the closing down of the plant. The men locked out are principally members of the Wireworkers' Union.

The workmen have reported to Secre-tary Zant, of the Labor Council, that the action of the officials in closing the plant was a breach of faith, as it had been understood that the recent demand of the union for a shorter work day was to be settled by arbitration. The new wage scale was to have gone into effect to-day. A representative of the company arrived here last Thursday. He investigated the situation, and ordered the closing of the plant indefinitely.

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Dr. W. Norton Davis

#### "Weakness"

The disorder commonly known as "weakness" has for years and generations bailled the efforts of physicians, yet to this day a majority of doctors (specialists not excepted) are attempting to overcome it by methods that have been in constant use and have constantly failed for half a century. They dose the system with powerful stimulants and tonics calculated to restore nervous force or strength that is not and never hax been lacking with the result that the fauctions are temporarily excited, to the positive detriment of the patient. "Weakness"—we will call it such for convenience just now—is only a symptom resulting from a chronically swellen and inflamed prostate gland, and is curable only with the assistance of local combined with constitutional treatment. Either early dissipation or some improperly treated contracted disease is generally responsible for the inflammation, though accidental injury, strain, etc., may produce the same result. We have permanently cured thousands of cases of prematureness, loss of power, etc., which demonstrates the absolute accuracy of our understanding and treatment of this disorder. In years we have not met with a single case of failure. We have the utmost confidence in our ability to cure any case we undertake.

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We can treat most cases successfully at home. Write for our instructive book describing the male anatomy and our method of treatment, if you cannot call. We send it free, sealed, under a plain cover.

# Stricture

Our treatment for this disease is entirely independent of surgery. A complete cure is accomplished without cutting or dilating. All growths and obstructions in the urinary passage are dissolved, the membranes cleansed and all irritation or congestion, removed throughout the organs involved.

## Varicocele

Many who are but slightly afflict-ed with varicoccle believe that the trouble is of but little consequence. The opposite is true. Varicoccle is disease of a progressive nature a disease of a progressive nature; as it advances nervous complica-tions come, power diminishes and the general health is impaired. We cure varicocele without knife, liga-ture or caustic, without pain and without detention from business.

#### Contracted Disorders

Every contracted disease is attended by grave dangers, that nothing less than a thorough and absolute cure can remove. To take even the slightest chance in such cases is to invite lifelong misery. Men do not realize this as they should. A partial cure is followed by a chronic stage, with all its horrors, the same as though the disease had not been treated at all. We positively will not dismiss a patient until every possibility of a relapse is removed. By our system of treatment every patient is soundly cured and made as free from disease taint as he was before the allment was contracted.

#### Piles Quick Cures Certain Cures

We cure the worst cases of piles permanently without the use of ointments, without pain, cutting or ointments, without pain, cutting or detention from business, in from two to three treatments. Our treat-ment is entirely new and peculiar to ourselves. Remember, no mat-ter who has failed before in your case, we will cure you with mild methods, and without danger, or else make no charge whatever for our services.
Should you live at a distance, we can treat you successfully at home.

WE ARE ALWAYS WILL-ING TO WAIT FOR OUR FEE UNTIL A CURE IS EFFECTED.

### Consultation Free

If you cannot call, write, and we will give you such assistance as we can in the way of helpful suggestions and advice, which may save you years of misery.

Hours-9 to 12, 1:30 to 5, and 7 to 8; Sundays and holidays, 10 to 12.

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