A remarkable snapshot of a football scrimmage. The Columbia man holding the ball has been downed and his fellow players are fighting to drag their opponents off of him. The uppermost figure on the left is Brown, left tackle, while directly under him is Fisher, full back. The second figure at the top with chin thrust forward is Halfback Duell. The man with his head bandaged is Throp, right tackle. In the center of the melee, only his head showing, is Merzenthin, the greatest quarter-back of the Columbia eleven.

OREGON 'VARSITY HOME FROM TRIP

EUGENE SQUAD RETURNS FROM CALIFORNIA WELL TATTERED—COACH SMITH SAYS THAT HIS MEN WERE INJURED IN STANFORD, HENCE POOR SHOWING.

(Journal Special Service.)

University of Oregon, Eugene, Nov. 1.—Coach Dick Smith, Manager Dave Graham and 14 battered football players composing the Oregon team arrived here yesterday from California, where they played the University of California and Stanford, losing to the former by 12 to 0 and the latter 35 to 0. Most of the men are pretty well used up by the hard games, but they still have the fighting spirit, and after a few days' rest will be in shape for any game.

Of the injured players McClain and Hug are in the worst shape and will not be able to play for a week. Hug has a very sore shoulder and McClain a wrenched knee. Barker also has a bad knee and Gray, whose head was hurt in the Stanford game, is ready for the game again.

Smith has very few comments to make concerning the games in the south, but he is satisfied with the results, although the Stanford game was a little surprise for him. The men were in fine shape for the Berkeley game, and had not a little bad luck happened the score would have been less, but the Oregon players are content with the showing they made against a team heavier by 15 pounds per man and take their defeat like men. At Stanford the men were not in the best of shape for many reasons, as the line-up had been altered on account of the injured men, and the previous week's training has all been done in very hot weather, to which the Oregon boys are not accustomed.

In Smith's opinion Kerron is the best guard on the coast and will win a position on the All-Coast team. Earl, tackel, is another man who won praise from the California coaches, and the Berkeley coach would have given his eyes for two such ends as Moores and Chandler. Latourette and Templeton deserve praise, and Frank Templeton showed the southerners something about breaking a line. The Californians were very much surprised over the article of ball that the Oregon team played and freely admitted that they were outpointed in play, and it was their weight alone that counted.

The men that made the trip say that at Stanford and Berkeley they were royally entertained and that the men who make up the football teams of both institutions are a fine class of fellows. Stanford is thought to be the stronger team, and had she played Berkeley last Saturday would have been about three touch downs better. All agree that the nice thing about both games was the fact that the Oregon boys who attend both colleges turned out in force to cheer the men from the Webfoot state. Oregon's next game is with the University of Washington on the 12th of November.

COLUMBIA TO PLAY HIGH SCHOOL TEAM

Tomorrow afternoon on Multnomah field the Columbia university eleven will meet the Portland High school team in a scheduled scrimmage. High school is in good condition now for a game, while Columbia is slowly recovering from the many injuries that have beset the team this year. The game will be called at 3 o'clock and from the interest that is being shown, the followers of both elevens will be out in force. The men will line up in this fashion:

C. U.		P. H. S.
Mangold	l. e. r.	Holcomb
Scott	l. t. r.	Cason (capt.)
Quinn	l. g. r.	Pugh or Johnson
Meany	c.	Carlson or Butler
Quinlan	r. g. l.	Symthe
McQuery	r. t. l.	Pinkham
Leston-Smith	q.	Reed-Vasper
Dooly	f. b.	Goodell
Moore	l. h.	Oberteuffer
Webster-Bingham	r. h.	Armstrong-Ganong

FOOTBALL GAME TODAY.

(Journal Special Service.)

Syracuse, N. Y., Nov. 1.—The Lehigh university eleven will meet the Syracuse 'varsity here this afternoon. Both elevens appear to be evenly matched.

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WINNING RUNNERS ON THE TRACKS

(Journal Special Service.)

Chicago, Nov. 1.—The racing season closed in Chicago with the events at Worth yesterday. Results:

One mile and 70 yards—Rian won; time, 1:47 1-5.

One mile and a sixteenth—Chantrelle won; time, 1:49¼.

Seven furlongs, selling—Wakeful won; time, 1:28¾.

Six and one-half furlongs—Follies Berges won; time, 1:21½.

Six furlongs, handicap—Edith May won; time, 1:14½.

One mile and an eighth, handicap—Main Spring won; time, 1:54.

Six furlongs, selling—St. Daniel won; time, 1:15.

One mile and a sixteenth, selling—Amberta won; time, 1:49.

At Delmar.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 1.—Yesterday was getaway day at Delmar. Results:

Caesar won; time, 1:49 1-5.

One mile, Orland stakes—New Mown Hay won; time, 1:41.

Six furlongs—Optional won; time, 1:33 3-5.

One mile and a sixteenth—Falernian won; time, 1:47 4-5.

One mile and 70 yards—Arab won; time, 1:48 2-5.

At Jamaica.

New York, Nov. 1.—Jamaica summary:

Six furlongs—Rosebud won; time, 1:13.

One mile and 70 yards, selling—Palette won; time, 1:45 3-5.

Five and a half furlongs—Thirty-third won; time, 1:07.

The Richmond handicap, six furlongs—Dick Bernard won; time, 1:12 3-5.

Five and a half furlongs—Trapper won; time, 1:07 1-5.

One mile and a sixteenth, selling—Sir Shep won; time, 1:48 3-5.

WILL PAY BIG SUM FOR TWO PLAYERS

(Journal Special Service.)

Cincinnati, Nov. 1.—In the east they insist that a deal, by which the Cincinnati club hopes to secure Third Baseman Bill Bradley of Cleveland and Shortstop Fred Parent of the Boston Americans, is still on. It is claimed that the sum of $30,000 is involved in the deal, and that President Hermann of the local club is entertaining the hope that the transfer will take place soon. It is true that President Hermann made the statement some time ago that he was willing to pay 25,000 for three—not two—American league players, and that Lajoie was not one of them. The fact that he has raised his ante to $30,000 and reduced the number of players from three to two, is news to his local friends. But, as Mr. Hermann apparently will stop at nothing to give Cincinnati the best team possible, the statement of the eastern writer will have to be accepted as the truth—until it is knocked out by Mr. Hermann's version of the alleged negotiations.

MOSKIMAN WINS ANOTHER.

(Journal Special Service.)

San Francisco, Nov. 1. — Moskiman downed the Tigers again yesterday in a pitchers' battle. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Tacoma	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	—0	5	3
Oakland	0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 *	—2	4	2

Batteries—Thomas and Hogan; Moskiman and Byrnes.

BRITT LOSES TO GANS ON A FOUL

CALIFORNIAN LOSES HIS HEAD AFTER HAVING COLORED BOXER PRACTICALLY WHIPPED, AND HITS GANS WHILE ON HIS KNEES—FIGHT FIERCEST IN YEARS.

(Journal Special Service.)

San Francisco, Nov. 1.—James Edward Britt, pride of the Olympic club and idol of California's fighting fans, fouled Joe Gans last night in the fifth round of their 20-round battle, and Referee Graney promptly proclaimed Gans the winner. Britt had the colored man practically beaten and it only required a cool head and a little more time to accomplish the trick, but the fighting Britt insisted upon hitting his opponent while he was on his knees, and consequently forfeited his splendid opportunity.

This is the second contest that Britt has lost on a foul, the other being with Jack O'Keefe in Portland, Or., when he hit the Chicago lad below the belt after he had him unmercifully beaten.

While Britt is a wonder in his class, perhaps the cleverest boxer in the world, there appears to be something radically wrong with his head every time the fortunes of a battle are beginnig to smile upon him. It seems strange that a fighter of his ability cannot be handled in such a way that he will not throw away his good chances in the moment of victory. Many charge Britt's foolishness last evening to the fact that "Spider" Kelly, Frank Rafael and "smiling" Metzgar, three of his seconds, stood behind his corner and urged Britt to go in and finish Gans, instead of putting him away carefully and surely, even though it consumed a few more rounds.

From the way in which Gans dropped to one knee when hard pressed it looked as if he were simply drawing Britt on to a foul, knowing that the Californian had him beaten, and those who know Gans intimately say that it is one of his old tricks. In the fourth round Britt had the colored man going, and during the confusion at the end of the round hit him accidentally, but the foul was not allowed.

In the fifth round Britt went after the Baltimore man hammer and tongs, and beat him to the floor. As Gans was attempting to regain his feet after one terrific punch in the jaw, Britt landed his right on his jaw and Graney at once ordered Britt to his corner and pointed Gans out as the victor.

As soon as Britt realized that Referee Graney had decided against him, he made a rush for that official and began to mix things up in a lively fashion, while the spectators flew into a frenzy and began fighting among themselves. The police swept down on the ring and in the twinkling of an eye the arena was filled with blue coats. Graney and Britt were separated, and after the badlam was partially quieted Britt apologized for his rashness.

The fight, while it lasted, was probably the fastest and most scientific ever seen in this country at 133 pounds. Gans plainly showed the effects of reducing to 133, and his customary sprightliness was not in evidence, although he fought gamely. Britt was never in better condition. He looked perfection itself when he entered the ring, while Gans looked pinched and wrinkled.

The Californian's endurance, speed and prowess astonished even his closest friends, while his blows were scientifically sent.

After the fight it was the general opinion that had Britt not lost his head he could easily have whipped Gans. Britt landed three blows for one in return and had all kinds of steam behind them, while Gans failed a number of times to break into Britt's perfect guard.

The crowd hooted Graney's decision, and nearly carried the roof of the pavilion away with cheers for Britt as he left the ring. Manager Herford got Gans to his dressing room as quickly as possible, as it became noised about that Gans deliberately laid a trap for Britt, and the strong sentiment for Britt overcame the crowd and they hung about Gans' room for two hours after the fight, Gans in the meantime going out by another exit.

Gans was the first to weigh in and Britt followed 25 minutes later. Both men failed to tip the beam at 133, being a trifle under weight. After another delay of almost 30 minutes the men entered the ring and the fight was on.

Fight by Rounds.

Round 1—Britt went at once into his noted crouch, and they sparred for 20 seconds. Britt shot his left twice in succession to Gans' body, but the blows lacked force. After more sparring Britt hooked his left to the body again and followed it with right to the head. Then Britt shot his left to the body and missed a right for the head. Gans, apparently, was sizing up Britt's reach. Joe missed a straight right for the head. Britt was short with left for the body and missed a left for the head as the bell rang. The work in this round was light, Britt having a slight advantage. Gans permitted Britt to do most of the work.

Round 2—Britt missed left and right for the body and they went to a clinch. Britt lunged his left to the head and then brought it to the body. Gans continued to force Britt about the ring and they came to a clinch without result. Jimmy missed a left hook for the body and then sent a straight left to Gans' nose, Gans coming back with left to the body. Britt bored in, scoring with left and right to the wind. In the mix both exchanged rights and lefts to the face. Britt missed a left for the body. They came together, Britt missing left and right for the body. Britt landed right and left on the face as the bell rang, but not before he had received a straight left to the head. Britt did most of the leading in this round.

Round 3—Both boxers mixed matters at close quarters, doing some very clever blocking. Gans got in a right to the body, but Britt retaliated with a straight left to the stomach. They mixed, Britt putting left and right to the body. Britt caught Gans with a terrific right to the jaw, dazing the colored man. He followed the advantage with a right and left swing to the head, forcing Gans to a clinch. Britt rushed in, swinging madly. Britt bombarded Gans' face and body with right and left swings and put some terrific rights over the heart. Britt, at close quarters, distressed Gans with a fearful right under the heart. Gans clung to Britt to avoid punishment and the gong found them in this position. This was Britt's round.

Round 4—Britt waded in, rushing Gans to the ropes with a heavy left over the heart. He then missed right and left swings for the body. Britt kept himself well covered. Britt sent Gans back with a succession of rights and lefts to the face and a left to the body. Jimmy then shot a straight right to the body and followed it with a right swing to the body. They mixed fiercely at close quarters, Britt landing several heavy blows. Gans shot his left hard to Britts jaw, but in return Britt put in body blows that sent Gans to his knees. After a mixup Britt sent Gans to the floor with a left to the jaw. Gans rose, but was again floored with a right and left to the face. In this round Britt hit Gans accidentally while Gans was down, but a claim of foul was not allowed. Gans appeared to be greatly distressed.

Round 5—They mixed fiercely. Britt sent Gans to the floor with a succession of rights and lefts to the jaw. As Gans was getting up Britt met him with a desperate right to the jaw. Graney disqualified Britt and awarded the decision to Gans.

NOTES OF THE BATTLE.

The climax of the Gans-Britt fight closely resembled the scene that followed the Britt-O'Keefe match in this city last year. Both fights were given against Britt and in both instances a free-for-all scrap took place in the ring.

The house was worth about $30,000. The fighters will divide the purses as per agreement. Had Britt won he would have got 75 per cent, while Gans would have got but 25.

Referee Graney was criticised last night for not standing between Britt and Gans while the latter was down, in order to keep Britt away.

Graney stated that he could have given Gans the award in the fourth round on a foul, had he wished, but as no damage was done, he let the fight go on.

Britt says that he can easily whip Gans and wants another chance at him.

From the result of the battle it looks quite certain that Britt can beat Gans at 133 pounds, but at catch weights Britt had better not tackle Sir Joseph from Baltimore.

Young Corbett, Battling Nelson, Jimmy Gardner and Mike (Twin) Sullivan challenged the winner of last night's fight.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

CLUBS.	Tacoma	Los Angeles	Oakland	Seattle	San Fran.	Portland	Won	Per cent.
Tacoma	..	3	8	15	12	12	50	.570
Los Angeles	2	..	15	11	8	8	44	.550
Oakland	10	8	..	3	12	14	47	.540
Seattle	7	12	3	..	13	10	45	.523
San Francisco	7	4	12	10	..	4	37	.446
Portland	11	9	7	2	2	..	31	.365
Lost	37	36	40	41	46	54	254	

TICKETS SENT TO FIGHTERS.

Tickets were forwarded this morning to Tommy Burns of Chicago and Dave Berry of San Francisco for their transportation to this city for their intended contest here on November 17. Both men have good records and can fight some.

City-Owned Newspaper Fails.

The Daily Graphic-Herald of Webster City, Ia., the municipal ownership newspaper, has suspended publication. The paper was the only daily owned by a municipality in the United States.

HOWL ABROAD OVER FIGHTERS COSTUMES

The appearance of Peter Jackson, the Baltimore colored middle-weight, in England has raised quite a howl over the fashion which American boxers have introduced in their ring costumes. Formerly boxers over there used to use knee pants and sleeveless shirts. Later they doffed the shirts and used only the trousers cut off at the knees. These have gradually been cut shorter from time to time till of late the boxers, especially Americans, have been coming into the ring with only short trunks similar to those used by swimmers, which reached from the waist barely to the hips. This costume left a man almost unclothed, and the style began to arouse criticism. The first time Jackson came into the ring, however, the limit was reached. The Baltimore black wore only a strap or supporter, leaving him practically naked. The appearance of the man, according to the English sporting papers, was disgusting, and the press calls for the boxing club managers to institute a reform in this matter. It would be well if the American boxing promoters followed suit, for many of the rigs in which boxers appear are far too scant. There is nothing to be gained by this studied abandoning of decent clothing in the boxing ring, for, as a general thing, the better class of boxers clothe themselves properly, while the lobsters at the game are almost always the ones who strip the closest.

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