

The SPORTING WORLD

Champion Clothier's Plans.
W. J. Clothier, the new tennis champion of America in singles, will head the team that will represent this country in England next summer. He is a Philadelphia who has long been an aspirant for the title he now holds. His



W. J. CLOTHIER.

defeat of Champion Beals C. Wright in the tournament at Newport, R. I., was one of the most sensational feats of recent years in tennis.

Clothier continued undefeated all through the all comers' meet at Newport, thus winning the honor of meeting Wright in the challenge match.

Football Prophecies Difficult.

While uncertainty as to the styles of play to be employed in football this fall makes estimates of the strength of the different teams extremely difficult to form, the new eligibility codes, which prohibit the participation of freshmen and first year men in all courses, makes it possible to judge the strength of the available material much more readily than usual.

Judged by the standard of possibilities alone, it seems as though Yale and Pennsylvania should again have the strong teams on the gridiron. When account is taken of the tactical possibilities of the new style of game, the prognosticator who hazards a prediction as to the outcome of games at this early stage of the preparatory season is unduly reckless.

The spring practice, which was expected to develop so much of benefit to the unearthing of new talent for this fall's teams, served Pennsylvania and Yale best.

These two universities will have material of unusual excellence, despite the hardship of freshmen restrictions. Harvard invariably has strong material, and this fall will be no exception to the rule, but the question of what Harvard may make of her possibilities is even more vague than usual.

Cornell's wealth of men last year should make her strong, while Princeton is certainly worse off than any one of the big five.

McCloskey, New St. Louis Manager.

"A ball club is a semipublic institution, and I believe that its patrons should be advised about conditions. On my return I announced that there was a disturbing element in the team and that I had determined to get rid of the disorganizers. Taylor has been traded to the Chicago club for Beebe and Noonan and a bonus. Beebe's best days as a pitcher are before him. Taylor's term of major league service will soon end. I am building up a team, and both Beebe and Noonan are the grade of players I am after," said John McCloskey, chief of the St. Louis Nationals, recently. "Since I took charge of the Cardinals I have released twenty players. Only two of them are in a major league."

Such is the policy of the newest big league manager, who has set both big leagues ago over his many trades and releases. McCloskey is of a strenuous character and from the drop of the hat has asserted his authority in St. Louis. He came to the Cardinals with the most discouraging prospects in view.

Titus Retires For Year.

Constance S. Titus, who won the amateur sculling championship at Lake Quabbin, Mass., has abandoned training for the season and did not compete in the Labor day regatta of the Middle States association.

The inability of Frank R. Greer of Boston to compete in the late national association regatta, because somebody wouldn't let him, enabled Titus to win the championship, if the friends of Greer are to be believed.

Titus broke training the day after the Worcester regatta, and he does not intend to resume it again this year. He has made arrangements to go to New Orleans to visit his old home.

Football Now an Open Game.

Some of those who have seen practice under the new football rules say that the formations for handling the passes, backward and forward, make the gridiron look like a basketball cage. This indicates that the old massing must lose its vogue this year. The coach with a new play can get his hearing now.

FOR THE CHILDREN

Why Piggy's Tail Curled.

Many years ago, so the legend says, when the world on which we live was first made and only a few people lived there, the good spirit was out one day walking up and down the earth. By and by he met a very ferocious beast, and, stopping, said, "Who made you?" "My maker is the all powerful," answered the beast.

"What were you created for?" "To eat man and his children," was the reply.

Then the good spirit, knowing this must be the work of the bad man, or evil spirit, told the beast that he was going to change it. At this it started to run away, but the good spirit caught it by the tail, and, wrapping it around his finger in a curl, pulled the beast back. Then he struck it on the snout, and, bending its head to the ground, said: "Henceforth man shall eat you and not you man. You must dig in the earth with your nose for your living." This is the reason that the pig's nose inclines to the ground and his tail is curly.

Game of Jolly Miller.

There was a jolly miller; he lived by himself; As the mill went round he made his wealth. One hand in the hopper, another in the bag. As the wheel went round he made his grab.

There must be an uneven number of players. All of the children, except one, stand in couples, arm in arm, and, singing this verse, march around in a circle, each couple closely following the other.

The odd child stands in the center. At the word "grab" the children marching on the inside of the circle let go of their partners' arms and try to catch hold of the one standing immediately in front of their previous partners.

Now the child in the center—the odd player—tries to secure one of the partners, and thus get a place in the circle. If he succeeds the one who was left out must take the center, and the game goes on as described.

The Largest Leaves.

The palm family, according to an English botanist, must be credited with leaves of greater size than any others known. The leaves of the Inaja palm of the Amazon banks attain a length of fifty feet and a width of ten or twelve. Some of those of the Ceylon palm reach twenty feet in length and sixteen in width; those of the coconut palm are usually about thirty feet long, and a single one of those of the umbrella magnolia of Ceylon may shelter fifteen or twenty persons, while a specimen thirty-six feet wide has been known.

The leaves having the greatest growth in any temperate climates are those of the Victoria regia, the gigantic water lily brought from Brazil and Guiana. A specimen of this plant in the garden of the Royal Botanical society of Edinburgh has a leaf that is about seven feet in diameter, and is capable of supporting a weight of 395 pounds.

Trick With Numbers.

This is a good trick, as it seems like a quite remarkable thing to be able to do when really nothing could be simpler; that is, when you know how. There are several ways of doing it.

Ask a girl to think of some number, and then tell her to double it. Tell her to multiply the sum by five and then to tell you the product, and you will tell her the number thought of in the beginning. This product will of course be so much larger than the number started with that she will not hesitate to tell you her result. If you take off the last figure of the product, which will always be a cipher, you will have the number thought of in the beginning.

For instance, suppose she started with the number 17. Doubling it would give 34, and multiplying it by five would give 170. Striking off the cipher you will have 17, the number thought of in the beginning.

The Telegram Game.

The head of each paper must bear ten letters selected at random by the hostess, each paper bearing the same letters. Within a given time, usually five or ten minutes, each must write a telegram of ten words whose initial letters shall be those at the head of the paper. For example, give the letters T, T, P, A, W, I, N, R, D, S, one telegram might read:

"Take two pellets aconite; wire immediately no relief. Dr. Snow."

Rats That Eat Crocodiles.

Seeing that a crocodile lays upward of twenty eggs, it seems wonderful that in regions like the upper Nile these big and savage reptiles do not increase to such an extent as to become masters of the whole country around the river. Fortunately a sort of swamp rat has found that crocodile eggs are good to eat, so digs them up from the mound in which the parent had buried them to hatch and devours them by the dozen.

Conundrums.

Why had a person better lose his arm than a leg? Because losing his leg he loses something "to boot."

What did Adam first plant in the garden of Eden? His foot.

Why is a stick of candy like a race horse? Because the more you lick it the faster it goes.

Why is a peach stone like a regiment? Because it has a kernel.

Riddle and Answer.

The beginning of eternity.
The end of time and space.
The beginning of every end.
And the end of every place.
(Answer—The letter E.)

FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

Adhesive Plaster.

Though adhesive plaster is common in almost every household, comparatively few women know how to use it to the best advantage. Many make the mistake of putting it directly over the entire surface of a wound or cut, which is bad, for unless a certain amount of air circulates about the sore it will not heal readily. The correct way of applying adhesive plaster is to cut it into narrow strips from a sixteenth to an eighth of an inch in width, though the dimensions, both in length and crossways, must be determined by the size of the cut. These are put smoothly across wounds at intervals of an eighth of an inch or less to bring the surfaces together. Before using adhesive plaster the flesh surrounding the wound and the raw part itself must be thoroughly cleaned with an antiseptic soap and carefully dried with surgically clean gauze.

Dishwashing Made Easy.

The chief things required to make dishwashing a pleasure are care, order, plenty of good hot water and a stack of dry tea towels, two dishcloths and a large enamel dishpan. The dishes, when removed from the table, must have each of its kind put together. Put all the cooking utensils on the range and fill them with water until the time comes to clean them.

Have a receptacle in which to place all the scraps that come from the dishes, plates, etc. The most important thing is to have plenty of hot water—not merely warm, but hot—and use some good soap in the water to make your suds. It cleans the greasy meat dishes and plates twice as quickly. Have your mops with handles for deep mouthed jugs and have nice dishcloths made of cheesecloth.

Chair and Crib Combined.

The crib and the high chair are two of the necessities of every household in which are young children. To combine the two in one piece of furniture is a recent invention of two California cabinetmakers. Besides serving the two purposes equally well, the appearance has not been slightest in the least, the combination being attractive rather than cumbersome.



AS A HIGH CHAIR.

In the illustration it is shown in the position of a high chair, rollers being attached to the end frame. To convert the high chair into a crib it is only necessary to change the position, the rockers at the back of the high chair serving the same purpose as rockers on an ordinary crib. The seat in the high chair is readily removed and the necessary pillows and coverings inserted.

To Cook Vegetables.

Underground vegetables, roots and tubers and also vegetables whose stalk is eatable, should be cooked in unsalted water, as salt tends to toughen their woody fiber. Soft water, even, is to be preferred to hard for cooking vegetables of that nature. Demonstrate this fact to your own satisfaction by cooking white turnips both ways. In the one case they will come out mealy and delectable; in the other—that is, cooked in salted water—they become hard, coarse and highly indigestible.

Treatment For Sprains.

A sprained wrist or ankle should be bathed in hot water or vinegar and water and a damp, cold rag afterward wrapped loosely around the injured part and the whole covered with a piece of rubber or oiled silk. A very hot bran or bread poultice applied at once will often prevent swelling and pain. The patient should be kept perfectly quiet, as sprains require as much rest as a broken limb. Cold salt and water douches also do good.

To Remove Rust Stains.

In removing rust stains try a solution of oxalic acid, or chlorinated soda, or Javelle water, or any one of half a dozen detergents. Whatever you use, do not fail to rinse the article treated in pure water within ten minutes after application of the detergent. Then lay it in the hot sunshine and keep it wet with lemon juice for seven or eight hours. Soak all night and wash in the usual way.

Steaming Brown Bread.

Instead of steaming brown bread on the stove put the bread in a pail, place that in a larger pail half full of water, cover tightly, steam in the oven over four or five hours. Have a moderate fire. This saves steam from going all over the house; also from filling up the kettle every few minutes, as you never have to look at it at all.

A Good Silver Polish.

A cheap and simple way of brightening dull silver is to let it lie all night in lapped milk. A brisk wash next day in hot water is all that is needed after the milk bath.

A CLOVER ROMANCE

They were taking supper at the cottage in the park.

"How would you like to live in St. Louis?" he ventured to ask while the chickens he had ordered were being hatched, dressed and cooked.

"I fancy I should like the city," she returned dreamily, all the while scanning the faces of the guests on the veranda. "The city has decided advantages over the country, but there is no use cherishing a hope of ever making this my permanent home, for nothing would induce my father to leave his farm."

"But you will not always be with your father," he suggested.

"I have no present prospect of leaving him," she replied, and if she caught the covert meaning of his words she betrayed nothing.

Then they talked about the weather, discussed the foibles of the bicycle girl as she spun past them and at length did justice to the viands they had ordered.

"Did I hear Fred Ward asking you to go out to Wells station with him this afternoon?" he asked when the demands of famished nature had been pretty well supplied.

"I have no doubt you did if you were anywhere on the veranda," she returned, laughing. "I thought at first he was asking some one over on the south side."

"I don't see why you didn't go with him instead of coming out here with me. It would have been ever so much more fun. But I couldn't get off to take you."

"Oh, you asked me first, and besides, Forest park is more to my taste," she replied coolly.

Then the evening breeze wafted them a strong odor of onions and beer from the next table.

"Are you fond of onions?" he asked, trying to be indifferent.

"No; I can't eat the vile things," she said, with more feeling than she had yet manifested.

"Oh, I am so glad!" he exclaimed impulsively.

She laughed outright.

"What a ridiculous fellow you are!" she said. "What possible cause for joy can you find in the fact that I do not like onions?"

He looked confused and subsided into his plate for a few minutes.

"Wonder if she really doesn't suspect what I brought her out here for?" he said, trying to spare her the pain of a refusal. He mused.

She was so pretty and could be so sweet when she chose, but today she was a tantalizing little which, quite too much of a study for his lovesick brain.

"Would you like to go out for a stroll on the lake?" he asked when they had finished their repast.

"Are you quite sure that you can keep out of the way of the lambs?" she asked mischievously. "You see, I don't want to run the risk of being drowned the last evening I am to spend in St. Louis."

"Well, I fancied I knew how to handle a boat," he returned, with a snap of injured pride.

Then he sprang from the table, overturning his chair as he arose.

"There is Nell, and she is laughing her new diamond frame. She promised to take her first spin with me," he cried as he waved his hand to the girl on the wheel.

The vision in knickerbockers wafted a kiss from her finger tips as she sped past. Then he turned toward his companion just in time to catch an expression of pique on her face.

"I don't see why you didn't go riding with Nell this afternoon. She certainly gave you ample opportunity to ask her last night," she said coldly.

"Oh, I can go wheeling with Nell any time, and this was my last chance to let you see the park," was his light reply.

Her face was beginning to twitch just a little, but she made a desperate effort to control it.

"Shall we go down to the lake?" she asked presently.

"I don't want you to risk your life to afford me a little doubtful pleasure. Perhaps I can find a man to go with us and row the boat," he answered as he stooped to pick up her glove.

"Three men in a boat might go very well, but two men and a maid would be a new combination," she said, with a desperate effort to be gay.

They were crossing the grassy slope now, and the sun was going down. Suddenly she stooped and picked something from the grass at her feet.

"A four leaf clover!" she exclaimed gleefully as she held it up in triumph.

"And what are you going to do with it?" he asked, with a searching glance.

"I usually put them in my shoe," she said, while a suspicious stare over her fair cheek.

"May I put this one in your shoe?" he asked as he took it from her hand.

She hesitated for a moment. Then, with an effort, she said, "Yes, I think you may."

He knelt in the grass before her and lifted one little foot in his hand while he slipped the four green leaves down between the shoe and the dainty silk stocking.

"And you will walk with me?" he asked as he looked up into her face.

"Yes," she faltered.

"And you know what that means?" he asked again.

"I do," she said firmly.

His hand contracted around the dainty foot, and a light of supreme joy shone in his eyes as he whispered:

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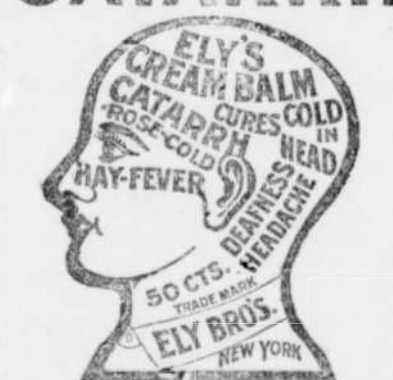
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Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Roseburg, Ore.
October 22nd 1906.

Notice is hereby given that George W. Holland of Crow, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead. Entry No. 9642 made Nov. 21, 1899, for the NE 1/4 Section 32, Township 19 S., Range 6 W., and that said proof will be made before W. W. Calkins, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Eugene, Oregon on January 5, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land viz: Frank Crenshaw of Panther, Ore. Church Stephens of Crow, Oregon; Scott Gillespie of Panther, Oregon; Frank Holland of Crow, Oregon. 27-22 BENJAMIN L. ENDY, Register.

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