Princeton's varsity eight-oared crew,

whose performance in defeating the var-

Looked Upon as a

'white champion."

Locke Keeps Hands Off.

"Manager Dooin of the Philadelphias has

The New York Sun rises to remark

M'FARLAND LOOKS EASY TO HIM

Bays Packy is Welcome to Come or at Terms Offered to Rivers, and May Look for Trimming.

By W. W. NAUGHTON. pien Willie Ritchie's determination to force an extension of the lightweight boundaries will be far-reaching in its effect. For one thing, it will bring Packey McFarland to the front as a candidate for the title.

While Ritchie was working his way over the footlight circuit and keeping close lips as to what was passing in his mind in respect to the weight terms he would impose when fighting began again, a good many thought that Willie was confronted with a double horned

stick to 133 pounds ringside he may weaken himself making the weight," said one porting man, "On the other hand, if he raises the limit a couple of pounds he raises the limit a couple of pounds LEDOUX AFTER BIG HONORS WHEN DOES A PITCHER WIN?

trouble of that kind." When these remarks were repeated to Richle, at the time when the argument over weight with Rivers was in progress, the champion said:

"That's all a mistake. I'd just as soon meet McParland as the next man." Wide Open to McFarland.

Continuing, Ritchie said: "At one tage of our tour, Nolan agreed to allow Packey to weight 185 pounds at 6 o'clock in the evening if McFarland and myself were matched. For a night fight that would mean weighing in three or four hours before and no offer that has ment on that so far as McFarland is conmatch with Rivers to be 184 pounds at

weight scale, Ritchie said:

personally. I have worked with him in is the kingpin of the bantam class. sining quarters and with an eye to the He is an amazingly clever boxer—I know of none better, in fact—but he is not a fighting mechanism, Kid Williams, in a Larry didn't produce a pinch blow for his club knew pretty well now to play of none better, in fact—but he is not a fighting mechanism, Kid Williams, in a the human "string bean." But John- the game. The best players he boasted He is an amazingly clever boxer-I know to the long route. If you look over his very great margin. I mean his twenty Francisco. Packey is a grand performer got him in the ring for a contest of the he has. regulation championship length."

It is a long standing belief that boxers fib systematically about their poundage, for this reason everything that any with a grain of salt. Ritchie inhowever, that under suitable conms he can make 123 pounds just as easily as he did for Wolgast.

We wanted a little leeway for the Fourth of July match, because I had been a long time out of training and did not care to reduce at too short a notice." that ringside weight for Wolgast as a canard. I weighed less than 182 when I stepped on the machine for that bout, and I did not take any nourishment after weighing, as has been claimed. They gave me a little hot beef tes and the taste of it did not suit me and I refused it. And another thing. Even though I may want to weigh hours beand, at the outside, by fighting time. This is mainly because I don't eat or George Carpentier frink anything to speak of between the weighing hour and the time to begin boxing. I know that any weight gained by putting stuff into one's stomach in a case of that kind is a detriment, rather than a help and therefore I avoid it."

With Ritchie so emphatic about his the weight at which he won it, and in view of his claim that he does not benefit to the extent of increasing his poundage if he weighs hours before, the sports are mystified as to why the champion sought so determinedly to change the old order of things for his match with

And the answer with a good many to-

wught, but Nolan wants something differsnt," said one fight wan. "He likes to make other managers refer to him and he likes to hear people saying, 'Well, you you Nolan has his way,' "

Of course, Nolan denies this soft imchment. He says it is his duty to such his boxer's interests closely and hold out for what he considers his best interests, even though wrong motives may be attributed to him.

"A match well made is a match half won," said Nolan. "In this case, I knew. as everybody knew, that Ritchie has not sen the inside of a gymnasium for months. I wanted to provide against any seakness from rapid reduction. It may be that Ritchie would have worked off his surplus naturally, but I am not taking any chances. It is my place to keep my wits about me and refrain from Ritchie against unnecessary

BOXERS PLAN TO HAVE PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION

NEW YORK, June 14 - Amateur boxers are planning to form a co-operative sation to insure themselves against dents in the ring. It is proposed to form the Amateur Boxing Protective asciation, and all amateurs will be inrited to become members.

Many amateurs meet with accidents Buring boxing bouts, such as fractured wrists, hands and arms, sprains and loss of teeth. These accidents frequently are postly and, in addition to loss of time, he physicians' and dentiats' bills impose further financial bardship on the ama-

ha beneficial organization is proposed. The professional receives fair and it sounded reasonable, too. often liberal remuneration for his servfees in the ring, and is in a position to meet any reasonable expenses for acsward for his victories,

Princeton Strong Rival of Cornell



Expects to Take Back Belt.

WILL MEET THEM ONE BY ONE SAD CASE OF CY FALKENBERG

Home Until He Has Had Bouts with All Celebrities in

Bin Class.

NEW YORK, June 14.-Charlie Ledoux generally considered the greatest little fighting machine Europe ever developed. en made since would be an improve- has returned to this country and by the time he goes back to his native landcerned. I wanted the weight for the France-he hopes to have annexed the title of world's champion.

Ledoux says he won't go back to the and McFarland is as welcome as he land of frog's legs and champagne until wers in May to this arrangement if he has again met Kid Williams, and also Eddie Campi, Frankle Burns and particu-Asked if he did not consider McParland larly Johnny Coulon, the champion his most formidable opponent at the new Ledoux says he would like nothing better than a match with the Chicagoan in Not in a championship battle. I the garden as he then could show to know Packey very well, and I like him the satisfaction of New Yorkers that he

When the aggressive little Frenchmar sibilities that are always attached to left this city for home last December, he gillsm. I made a close study of him. was then at the height of his glory. having just defeated the swift piece of

Trouble Over Manager. The chief reason of Ledoux's sudden return to his own country was a continued squabble over the question of who was his manager. He said that the Cleveland. with Tommy Murphy in San next time here it would be without the services of any foreign mentor, and that wer a short distance, but I am satis- he would place himself under the managefied that I can take his measure when I ment of some capable American. And so

When Frank Galvin, the popular Amercan six-day rider, was over in Europe pedalling in six-day races last winter, he Falkenberg, undefeated all the season spent a long time with Ledoux, and it had previously reeled off nine straight was then that he induced him to put his name to a contract that he would know whether he had added the tenth Morris is something of a surprise, but allow him to be his American manager.
Since Ledoux was last here he has won several important battles. His most notable victory was in the last bout he fought before leaving the land of the tricolor. It was a been momentarily halted by a decisionless afternoon. In such instances the official scorer as a rule used his judgmoris is something of a surprise, but at the same time it is the best proof in the world that Morris is still a champlought before leaving the land of the tricolor. It was a been momentarily halted by a decisionin the world that Morris is something of a surprise, but at the same time it is the best proof in the world that Morris is still a champlought before leaving the land of the tritillad to victory. But in this case the dead ones." Al Palzer is said to have of July match, because I had long time out of training and did eto reduce at too short a notice."

It was a bout against Dastillan, titled to victory. But in this case the entirely recovered from the illness that official scorer was plainly up a tree. He who was claiming the championship of appealed to the New York chapter of lills. "Right here I want to brand the circum design of the results of the land of the tribute of the land of the land of the land of the tribute of the land of the that ever saw a fight in Gay Parce, and Ledoux won by a knockout in the sixth round. He gave Dastilian the worst beating of his career.

> On May 12, Ledoux hooked up with Wymms, a Belgian, who was considered he won from Dastilian.

Ledoux also knocked out Joe Jackson, a negro, in three rounds.

to Be Schooled for a World's Champion

PHILADELPHIA, June 14 .- George Carweight, the most recent conqueror of other side of the case. Steen did not Bombardier Wells, is to be schooled win more than Falkenberg. When Falkpractically by the French nation to capture the havyweight championship of the world, according to information received in a joint letter to Floyd McFarland, of bicycling fame, and William H. Rocap, three innings. Falkenberg pitched six the boxing expert of this city.

According to the information in the letter, at the end of the present year Carpentier will serve a three-year enlistment in the French army, during which time he will be placed in the hands of special boxing instructors and will be brought

The lines of discipline will be loosened and he will be allowed to box as often as his instructors and handlers think necessary, and at the end of the three years French army officers who are interested in the fight game abroad predict that he will be able to take the measure of any heavyweight in the world. There have been many boxers in the French army. but none of them have had the opportunity which is to be given to Carpentier

WORK THE PITTSBURGH

discussing what courses in life they would like to follow after they have outlived their usefulness on the diamond. "When I'm through I'm going to go to work in a bank," mid Claude Hendrix,

the star pitcher.

Adams, also a twirler. "I'm going to run a string of cabaret shows," said Jack Miller, the first baseman. Then up spoke Honus Wagner: "Well, fellows, when I'm through I'll try to land a job with some rich guy who will treat me decent as his chauffour, I like automobiles, and as I will not have to work hard after I quit base ball, a nice job in a garage will be interesting

enough for me." Nothing was said for a moment and then somebody piped up:

"By the time Wagner quits base ball teurs. It is to lighten this burden that he'll have enough money to play around his own garage and drive his own cars."

et any reasonable expenses for accounts in the ring, while the amateur sives a medal, watch or stick-pin as a genuinely band for his victories.

Branch Rickey, former catcher of the maker and as such was genuinely despised by his team mates. Had this canker to the welfare of harmony been fast that players don't have time to think.

Europe's Greatest Bantam Fighter Old Question Comes Up in New Form

Lifted for Pinch Hitter and Game Won in that Inning, but Tech-

> nicality Seems Against Him.

NEW YORK, June 14.- Each year beomes more and more apparent the injustice of the present methods of com- in the first big race of the year has piling pitchers' records. There is absoutely no way to gauge a twirler's abilty in the cold figures of victories and tenders for the intercollegiate honors so defeats. It stands to reason a poor pitcher with a champion club is likely to win more games than perhaps would a champion pitcher with a tail-end team. as follows: Bunzel, bow; Pyne, No. 2; Falkenberg, the elongated pitcher Curtis, No. 3; Bushinsky, No. 4; Chesfrom Cleveland, furnished a fitting illustration during the recent visit to the No. 7; Putnam, stroke, and Congelton, Polo grounds of the "dark horse" of the coxwain. west. In the first game of the series Falkenberg was lifted in the seventh inning to allow Larry Lajole to go to it the Highlanders might now have been Cleveland one run to the had. Now, gation. When Stallings was thrown out son, who followed, upset Sweeney with then-men like Cree, Welter, Daniels, an unexpected bunt, precipitating an er- Sweeney and Ford-seem to have for-

Cleveland. Steen finished the game for the last two seasons.

Then arose the question as to which Carl Morris Still Cleveland pitcher was entitled to be credited with the victory. Ordinarily it would have made little difference either way. But here was an exception. triumphs. Everyone was interested to taking over the management of Carl se ball writers. Be peared pretty evenly divided between the pair. The official scorer left the park undecided. He probably put the big question up to President Johnson himself. Anyhow, the public is not likely to know who gets the game until the official averages are published, unless have a formidable branch of the "white laws a formidable br ruling in the event of Palkenberg seriously threatening either the American or National league records for consecu-

I digested the case with Umpire Evans after the game.

Umpire Evans' Reasoning. "It's a mighty peculiar situation," said "Technically, no doubt Falkenberg was out of the game the moment Lajole went to bat for him. Now, a man who off. The change in club ownership is is out of the game cannot very well figenberg went out, his team was one run behind, but when Steen came in, his only had to hold this advantage for innings-and brilliant ball, too, I can tell you. Now I do not know how the left to me, I should give it to Fulkenberg. He really had more to do in assuring the victory than had Steen and the fact that he did double the work, should favor him."

Now, there you are. Evans is as wise as they come. He used good, sound common sense in his arguments. But still, at the same time arises the question of technicality. And technicality cost the Giants a pennant in 1908, it will be remembered. John Heydler of the National league decided just such a question in favor of Marquard last year when the

Heydler's Plan for Pitchers. Heydler, by the way, last year evolved very good scheme for the compilation PIRATES ANTICIPATE of pitching statistics. It is likely that this season he will use this method en-PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 14.-Members tirely, doing away with the unsatisfacof the Pittsburgh Pirates recently were tory system now in use of ranking the pitchers according to their winning peraccount the winning percentage of the club, the errors made behind the pitchers and the earned runs; the percentage of base hits, bases on balls, wild pitches. "Farming for mine," chirped in Babe and every other conceivable angle in his new system of reckoning. Mr. Heydler tried this scheme for his own personal entertainment last year and finds that it is proving itself far more reliable than the old style, so far as this year's work

> is concerned. Frank Chance's struggle to rebuild the New York Americans is fully appreciated by New York fandom. The Peerless Leader is going about his task in a manner that will show results in the near future. He has gone right to the root of a long standing svil and is plucking trouble makers regardless of sentiment. In ridding himself of Hal Chase, the peerless tender accomplished a move that both Stallings and Wolverton begged Farrell to make. Chase always was a trouble

COBB'S RECORD IS DESERVED

Helps Win Many Games Out of the Twenty-Four Participated In.

Pitchers During First Month of Senson, Much to Their Despuir.

sity crew of Harvard and Pennsylvania in twenty combats and in one of these caused many to predict that the Tiger sweepsmen will be the strongest cononly once, which opportunity he improved by poling a sacrifice fly. The gunners who slipped ciphers into the southerner's base hit column were Ray

ter, No. 5; North, No. 6; Captain Rauch, Harry White and Bill Lange of the White Sox on May 4 and Tom Hughes and Tom Drohan of the Senators on May 1/2. In the score of contests in which Cobb hit safely he obtained thirty-two singles, hat with the bases filled, one out and a chaption instead of a tail-end aggre- three doubles and three triples, his batting average from April 29 to May 28, inclusive. being .475. He has made three hits five times this season, two hits eight times in the way of consecutive clouting came ror to cap a "bone-headed" throw to gotten all they ever knew in the disin the games of May 19 and 30 with the first, which resulted in two runs for sentions and go-as-you-please style of Athletics, when he got six hits in the same number of trips to the plate.

Veach as a timely thumper.

pitchers from April 29 to May 28, inclusive, and only four men succeeded in fanning him. Bob Russell of the White Box whiffed Tyrus on May 3; Ray Kenting of the Highlanders struck him out twice on May 7 (that day the Dixie Demon complained his eyes bothered Buck O'Brien of the Red Sox claimed Ty as a strike-out victim on May was not fit to fight when he met Mcif and twelve days later Walter Lev-Carty, but went in, hoping to rush the erenz of the Browns set him down via fight and win before his strength pegged the strike out line.

twenty-four games and has been successful in twelve out of sixteen steals he has essayed. The men who turned him back when he tried to steal were Henry of Washington, twice; Carrigan of Boston, once, and Lapp of Philadelphia,

JOHN L VAIDEN WILL BE

ONLY FOUR HAVE FANNED HIM

Admirers of Tyrus Raymond Cobb have a right to be proud of the record amassed by the Georgia Peach during the first month of the present campaign. Participating in twenty-four games, of which his team won eleven, Cobb hit safely it should be remembered that he was an added starter and got a chance to bat

Keating and Ray Fisher of the Highlanders, on May 7 and 8, respectively,

Tyrus Raymond has put the finishing touches to fourteen of the Tigers' tallies, sending in seven on clean hits, four on nerial sacrifices and three on infield outs. He is not the Tigers' leading batter-in Possible Champion on runs as yet, for Bobby Veach, who has played in ten more contests, has NEW YORK, June 14 .- Tom O'Rourke's driven in four more counters. On the percentage basis, however, Cobb outranks Cobb faced thirty American league

clan. Gunboat Smith, Jess Willard, Palzer, Morris and Rodel would make great material for an elimination tournament. The survivor of that could at least lay good claim to the title,

CAPTAIN OF ANNAPOLIS TEAM

hopes. President Locke is keeping hands ANNAPOLIS, Md., June 14.-John Valden of Alabama will captain the said to have filled the Quaker camp with Annapolis base ball team next year. He pentier, the 13-year-old French heavyure as a hero in victory. But take the
weight, the most recent conqueror of other side of the case. Steep did not be seen as the case of the case of the case of the case.

Major League Averages

Including games of Wednesday, July 11: American League Club Batting. American Lengue Club Batting
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Kling-Cincinnati
Hyatt-Pittsburgh
Cravath-Philadelphia
McDonald-Boston
Crandali-New York
Titus-Boston
Huzgins-St Louis
Viox-Pittsburgh
Wagner-Pittsburgh
Daubert-Brooklyn
Zimmerman-Chicago
S. Magce-Philadelphia
Merkle-New York
Lesch-Chicago

Cornell Draws the Best Position in the Varsity Race

NEW YORK, June 14.-Cornell rebelved the best position in the varsity eight-oared race at Poughkeepsie when drawing for the positions in the intercollegiate regatta on the upper Hudzon course on June 21. This is contingent, however, on favorable weather, for if rough the outside one, or No. 8, which nell crews, will cease active work as the was drawn for them, is one of the least head of the Cornell navy when his conauspicious and the water calm they will This fact became known through a

side course in that event. The positions ful in developing winning crews.

are: Syracuse, No. 1; Cornell, No. Columbia, No. 3; Pennsylvania, No. 4; Wisconsin, No. 5, and Washington, No. 6. The freshman orews will row: Columbia, No. 1; Pennsylvania, No. 3; Cornell, No. 3; Syracuse, No. 4, and Wis

COURTNEY IS TO RETIRE AS CORNELL NAVY COACH

ITHACA, N. Y., June 14-Charles F Courtney, the veteran coach of the Cor-

have the full strength of the tide in their statement issued by Courtney. He says he may continue with the navy in an ad-In the varsity race the drawings were visory capacity, but that he will no longer as follows: Syracuse, No. 1; Wiscon- take the full responsibility of fitting the sin, No. 2; Washington, No. 3; Columbia, oarsmen for their gruelling races. Court-No. 4; Pennsylvania, No. 5; Cornell, No. new has been head coach for Cornell for 6. The Washington four drew the out- twenty-eight years, and has been success-

Western League Averages

Club Batting.

| Block | Denver | 35 | G. | Watson, St. | Joseph | 28 | Shestak | Omaha | 20 | Clarke, Sloux City | 48 | Consalton, Omaha | 40 | Middleton, Wichita | 44 | Ketter St. | Joseph | 38 | Zwilling, St. | Joseph | 49 | Kelly, St. | Joseph | 49 | United St. | Joseph | 40 | United St. | Joseph | 47 | United St. | Joseph | 48 | United St. | Joseph | 49 | United St. | Joseph | 40 | United St. | Joseph | 41 | United St. | Joseph | 41 | United St. | Joseph | 42 | United St. | Joseph | 43 | United St. | Joseph | 44 | United St. | Joseph | 45 | United St. | Joseph | 46 | United St. | Joseph | 47 | United St. | Joseph | 48 | United St. | Joseph | 49 | United St. | Joseph | 40 Lee. Topeka.
T. Smith, Sloux City
Chanell, Denver
Bills, Wichita. Bills, Wichita
Griffith, St. Joseph
Ehman, Lincoin
T. Reilly, Des Moines
Hahn, Des Moines
Shaw, Des Moines
R. Watson, St. Joseph
J. Rapp, Wichita
Cochran, Topeka
Hunter, Des Moines
Coie, Lincoin
 Sparh, Denver
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 Jones, Des Moines
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 Cotb, Lincoln
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 Closman, Omaha
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 Justice, Omana
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 Burke, Wichita
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 Hicks, Omana
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 Matthews, Denver
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 Hughes, Wichita
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 J. French, Topeks
 45

 Craig, Des Moines
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 Allen, Sioux City
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Western League Pitching Records