

WITH THE HEAVYWEIGHTS.

Burgess Desist from Oratory and Devote Himself to Training.

CORBETT PUNCHES JEFFRIES AND WOODS

Jim Appears to Have Fully Regained His Old-Time Form—Fitzsimmons Stock is Rising on the Market.

CARSON, Nev., Feb. 25.—Corbett's training quarters at Hot Springs were crowded, and it was necessary for some of the athletes to move, George Green, Dal Hawkins and Spiller Kelly, the two last named arriving this morning, concluded to seek another home. They picked out a place at Genoa, a small village distant about seven miles from Carson. The most important arrivals of the day were Manager W. A. Brady and Charley White, the New York trainer, who will aid Billy Delaney as much as possible in looking after Corbett's interests. They reached the champion's handball court while the latter was going through his usual morning exercises. Brady expressed himself as being well pleased with Jim's appearance. White seemed inclined to be reserved in his opinion for a day or two until he had a chance to size Corbett up thoroughly.

One of the most interesting incidents of the day was Corbett's bout with J. Jeffries, the California heavyweight. They kept at it continuously for six rounds, but Corbett, while Jeffries was pretty well pumped out at the finish, Corbett called for Billy Woods to take his turn with the champion. The young giant whose muscular development, while not equal to that of Tom Sharkey's, is certainly remarkable. He is a native of a southern state, and if he can acquire a little more speed Corbett thinks he will eventually become a great fighter. In his bout with Jeffries he was protected with pneumatic armor, Corbett does not confine himself to tapping, but strikes with all his might, and the pugilist's armor is a great protection after, for once or twice during this morning's bout, a right half arm punch, which caught Woods square under the chin, sent the Denver man reeling to the wall.

At Fitzsimmons' quarters today the general routine was gone through. About 9 o'clock the pugilist started his morning ten-mile spin, returning to the ranch feeling comparatively fresh. After a rubdown, Bobst, around the house and killed time until about 11 o'clock, when he attended to his business in the gymnasium in connection with his training, but only about half a dozen spectators were present. Corbett probably will be looked after by Cooks in a day or two, however, when the fact that admission to the pugilist's quarters is not free, but comes generally known. One dollar is the rate charged for transportation to the ranch and return, including admission to the pugilist's quarters, and a reasonable amount for food. Fitzsimmons started in by punching the bag, giving a most artistic exhibition in that line, which was greatly enjoyed by the spectators. He was followed by sparring with Roebuck, Hickey and Steiner. Roebuck surprised the pugilist by knocking him down with his mouth with his left and drawing a little blood. At the conclusion of nine fast rounds Fitz showed up comparatively fresh, while the other pugilists were exhausted. The pugilist's work through which they had passed. Fitzsimmons is still suffering slightly from the effects of the pugilist's work, but it is not of enough importance to cause him to let up in his training.

FITZ'S STOCK RISES. Admirers of the pugilist seem to be increasing, a change brought about, no doubt, by the excellent appearance of the Australian. Billy Delaney watches Corbett closely. While thoroughly satisfied with the pugilist's work, he is somewhat afraid that Jim's desire for work may rob him of some of the steam which he now possesses and leave him feeling fatigued. The pugilist's work has had several talks with Corbett on the subject, and Jim has promised to ease up a bit. The effect of the Californian's exertions is only evident in his face when he finishes work and places himself in the hands of his rubbers. There is no distress of breathing, but the pugilist's face is drooping of the shoulders, but his features for a few minutes have a drawn appearance. When splashed with alcohol and a hot hazel wood wash, his face brightens and his hands, the color returns in his countenance and the expression disappears.

Another matter considered was the pugilist's suit against the New York City. A report of the committee of rules was adopted without change, save that coaches are to be permitted only when men are on bases, one to be allowed when one man is on first, and two when more than one occupy the bases. A schedule for the coming season was adopted and issued.

BECKER SHOWS WONDERFUL SPEED

Surprises Both Himself and His Friends in Unusual Time. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—W. E. Becker, the speedy Minneapolis lad, who caused such a sensation at the Velodrome on Monday, apparently has not an idea of what speed he is capable of. Yesterday he received a new wheel from the east, and with a new pair of lock gear. While trying it on the Velodrome track, shortly after its arrival, he was noticed going at such a speed unpaired that several of the racing men present held their breath. The record on this wheel was 2:10. A short rest he made the attempt, timed by several of the racing men, among whom was C. H. Coulter, who for the world's record held a half mile record. Becker rode the half mile in 58.2 seconds, and the mile in 2:07.5. The half-mile mark is under the world's record of 59, held by Gardner Chase. Charles was the most enthusiastic of all over the plucky performance, and obtained Becker's consent to make a match race with the holder of Denver for twenty-five miles, unpaired, each man starting from opposite sides of the track. Hackenberger has heretofore been invincible in this sort of a race, but Coulter is confident the Denverite will find his superior in Becker.

Score in the Six-Day Race.

Table with columns for rider names and scores in a six-day bicycle race. Riders include Schneider, Ashinger, and others.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 26.—Active preparations are being made for the Exposition building for the reception of the dogs which will be on exhibition March 3, 4, 5 and 6.

Bill to Prohibit Circulation of News Concerning Contests.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The preliminary newspaper reports of the coming Corbett-Fitzsimmons prize fight were brought to the attention of the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce today by Rev. Wilbur P. Crafts, with the result of speedy and rational action by that committee. Mr. Crafts is secretary of the National Reform league and has been instrumental in se-

CONGRESSIONAL ACTION AGAINST PRIZE FIGHTING AND LOTTERIES.

Representative Crafts, of New York, introduced the bill to prohibit the circulation of news concerning prize fights and lotteries. He presented to the committee the draft of a bill to stop sensational reports of prize fights, representing seven news-papers which were to be named in the details of pugilistic events from their columns if they were not driven to publish them by the enterprise of less scrupulous rivals. The committee made some immaterial changes in the bill and then by a practically unanimous vote instructed Representative Crafts to report it to the house. The text follows:

"Section 1. That no picture or description of any prize fight or encounter of pugilists under whatever name or for any purpose or record of betting on the same shall be transmitted in the mails of the United States or by any common carrier, whether by newspaper or other periodical or telegram or in any other form.

"Section 2. That any person sending such matter or knowingly receiving such matter for transmission by mail or interstate commerce shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined not more than five hundred dollars or more than five years, at the discretion of the court, or by a fine not exceeding \$500."

MAGNATES NOT ALL HARMONIOUS.

Report on Empire Creates Some Excitement. BALTIMORE, Feb. 26.—The base ball magnates opened the ball this morning by having themselves photographed in a group, after which they stood and sat about the corridors of the Remont discussing deals and other matters connected with the game. Among the aftermath of yesterday's work comes the statement that former Manager McGinnis of the Latrobe club will probably continue in office during the coming season. He has agreed to accept a sum of money in settlement of his claims against the club, and Dr. Young, McGinnis's successor, expects to control enough more within the next two weeks to give him a majority of the club's stock, which will give him the right to elect McGinnis's successor.

It is also said that there was some friction between McGinnis and the members of the committee on empire, consisting of Messrs. Young, Robison and Earl Wagner, and that his recommendations were not approved. The committee on empire, however, has recommended the appointment of John B. Day as manager of the club, and that this was one of the things objected to. It was argued that President Young has always looked after the interests of the club, and that if he were removed, it would be a great misfortune. It was also argued that McGinnis was a man of great ability, and that his removal would be a great loss to the club.

At the meeting of the committee on empire, McGinnis was asked to resign, and he refused to do so. He said that he had done his best for the club, and that he would continue in office until the end of the season. He also said that he would not accept any money in settlement of his claims, and that he would continue to work for the club until the end of the season.

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FIRST CEREMONY A SIMPLE ONE

The inauguration of George Washington as President. The ceremony was a simple one, and was held in the presence of a large number of guests. The president-elect was sworn in by the chief justice of the United States.

CONTRAST TO THE COMING EVENT

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SOUTH OMAHA NEWS.

The fifth annual contest of the North Nebraska Declamatory association will be held at Norfolk on Wednesday evening, March 21. A number of contestants from the South Omaha High school will attend and endeavor to bring home all the prizes worth winning.

The contest at Norfolk will be held at the Methodist Episcopal church and arrangements have been made for rehearsing during the last few months previous to the contest. Each contestant must be a member of the high school who represents and must have been for at least three months previous to the contest pursuing at least three studies at that school. The markings are to be on the following: Diction, pronunciation, articulation, carriage and gesture, memory and general effect, expression.

Too Poor for New Alarm Boxes. The question of placing five police and five alarm boxes into service, as suggested by Councilman Frank, was to have come up for disposition at the meeting of the city council last Tuesday night, but at the request of Mayor Essor the proposition was postponed until the next meeting of the council. It is believed that the city is in a poor condition of affairs and that the city is unable to afford the expense of such a proposition.

City Council Held No Meeting. Members Devote the Time Talking of the Water Works. No business was transacted by the city council last night on account of the fact that the legality of the meeting was questioned. An adjournment was taken immediately after the meeting and the council will meet again on Wednesday evening.

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