

News of Indoor and Outdoor Sports

FIELD MEET GREAT SUCCESS

Closing Day at Fort Crook Largely Devoted to Military Contests.

COMPANY G HEADS THE LIST

In spite of disagreeable weather the final day proved interesting enough to bring out a large crowd.

The closing day of the winter field meet at Fort Crook was a great success yesterday and brought many experts in the various contests, which were of a strictly military character.

Shelter tent pitching was the first event, and the rapidity with which the contestants put up their tents was a surprise to the large number of persons present.

The show race was the most popular event and in this there were over a score of competitors. After the race was over some of the contestants had to get their shoes off the top of the nearby building, where they had been thrown during the hunt for the right shoes by the various men taking part.

The tug of war was a walkover for the second battalion, but in the wall scaling the best teams in the two battalions had a close race, which was won by Company L, although Company F came within a fifth of a second of their mark.

The equipment race was a difficult event, in which the contestants ran eighty yards, leaving various articles of their equipment at the ten-yard lines on the way out and picking them up again on the way back.

While Company G won the most points in the tug, the success of the company was due in a large measure to Waller and Handy, two exceptionally good athletes.

Although the first day of the tournament was as fine weather for holding a meet as could be asked, the second was a corker, with the wind blowing a gale, in the equipment race the men were forced to place stones on the different articles of their wearing apparel at the different points in the race to keep them from blowing away.

K. won; Broughton, Company F, second; third and fourth disqualified. Company standing at close of winter field meet: Company G, 28.5; Company K, 27.8; Company M, 11.9; Company L, 11.3; Company H, 9; Company I, 7.5.

Three New World's Records Made at Motor Tournament.

DAYTONA, Fla., March 24.—A fast course, large attendance, a stiff southern breeze blowing up the course and the shattering of world records in automobile, motor cycle and bicycle events characterized the second day of Daytona Beach tournament.

The first event, a half mile dash bicycle race, flying start, was won by Fogler in 4:12. Milton and second and third respectively. In the five-mile motorcycle record trial Walter Goetz made the distance in 3:20, establishing a new world record.

The first heat in the invitation race for five miles in which Robertson De Palma and Fitzpatrick were entered, was won by the huge Benz, driven by Robertson, in 2:45, breaking the world record for gasoline cars held by Lancia in a 100-horse power Fiat, of 2:54.

The next event was a piston displacement class race for a distance of sixty miles, but it was a mix-up affair, some cars running for 100 miles and Fiat Cyclone for 120 miles, the time for the latter being 50:44.

Five-mile southern price and horse power handicap, all cars started on the scratch. Gus (Grosman) (Poppe-Hartford) won, McLaughlin (Third Cleveland) second, George Robertson (Lombomb) third, Lyle (Caddick) fourth, Myers (Buick) fifth. No time taken.

Robertson, by his mark of 2:45 in the five-mile race, broke the world record for gasoline cars, the previous record being made by Lancia in a Fiat in 2:54 in 1906. Mancotti, in a Stanley Resner, made the distance in 2:55, the same year.

Ten mile motor race, one turn. Champion, time: 5:37. Goerke second, time: 5:44.

Ten mile open free-for-all, two starters: Bruce Brown, amateur, driving Benz, won in 2:14, breaking the record for that distance, held by Arthur McDonald of 2:15, made on this course in 1906.

De Palma in Fiat Cyclone also broke the record, covering the distance in 2:09. Two mile cycle, open. Fogler won, time: 3:45, world's record for straightaway; Root second, Milton third.

SLOSSON AND DEMAREST WIN. Cutter loses in Evening and Clinic in Afternoon. Standing of the Players.

Table with columns: Played, Won, Lost, P. A. Slosson, Morningstar, Demarest, Cutter, Clinic, Sutton.

NEW YORK, March 24.—George Slosson of this city outplayed A. G. Cutter of Boston in tonight's game of the international 182 billiard championship at Madison Square garden.

Slosson from the break gathered a string of thirty-eight Cutter sending back a single car. Slosson made eleven on his second turn and Cutter responded with two. Slosson went to the table with a confident air in the third and by clever nursing and beautiful cushion play rolled 25. The 26th shot, a hazardous five cushion attempt, with the balls widely separated, only failed through a kiss. Cutter's effort only netted six caroms, the score at the end of the third inning being Slosson, 24; Cutter, 8.

A failure to make a short draw ended Slosson's fourth inning for thirty-one, and Cutter playing for every ounce that was in his makeup, sent back twenty-six.

Slosson had an opportunity of equalizing the score by rolling 25 on his fifth inning, but after scoring 15 with forty-five to go for the game, he failed on a difficult two cushion shot.

On his thirteenth shot in the eighth inning the local man had the ivory frozen and decided to have the balls spotted. He played the break a bit wide, but a lucky kiss gave him the count and after a general laugh in which Cutter joined, the

charge of the arrangements for the meet. George Hutton, secretary of the Dell Rapid association, already in receiving letters from owners of dogs and others interested in the coming meet, who ask for particulars concerning it. A fund already has been raised to cover the expenses of the coming meet. It is expected that a large number of dogs from eastern South Dakota and surrounding states will be entered to compete for the liberal prizes which will be offered.

COLE TO COACH NEBRASKA AGAIN Sends His Acceptance to the Athletic Board. LINCOLN, Neb., March 25.—(Special Telegram.)—William H. Cole, coach of the Cornhusker football team for the last two seasons tonight wired from Ames, Iowa, his acceptance of the offer of the head coach position with Nebraska for next year.

The job was tendered to him six months ago by the Nebraska athletic board, but he wanted to succeed Charles H. Baird as a director of athletics at Michigan before he would accept the position until the Wolverine position was filled.

King Cole is now at Nebraska at a salary of \$1,800, that being the same he was paid last season. At the head of the Cornhusker football team for the last two years Cole has proved a maker of strong gridiron machines. During his first season at Michigan he led his team to an eleven that won the Missouri valley championship. Last fall the team was equally cost and team in the West, Michigan, but lost the final game of the title race to Kansas.

PUEBLO GET THREE NEW PLAYERS Two Pitchers and a Catcher from PUEBLO, Colo., March 25.—(Special Telegram.)—The Pueblo base ball interests today closed a deal by which three St. Louis amateurs will come to Pueblo this season. The players are Pitchers—Bill Bailey and Edick and Catcher Wells, and it is thought they will materially strengthen the local club and give this city a first division team.

The local management has determined to give Pueblo a winning team this year, and the three new players are expected to be winners in the Western league. They are expected to arrive here next week.

ENTHUSIASTIC OVER OUTLOOK FOR HIS TEAM. J. P. Gunthorpe, one of the owners of the Denver Base Ball club, was in Omaha yesterday on his way to Kansas City, where the Grizzlies are due to assemble on Thursday.

The club will play a game or so in Kansas City and will assemble in the state of Kansas long enough to play a few games with the El Dorado team and then go to Denver to get ready for the real work of the season.

Mr. Gunthorpe is enthusiastic over the material he has in hand this year and predicts that he is going to make things interesting for Western league members of the Western league in the coming season.

WHAT'S IN A NAME, ANYWAY? Vaabinder or Anything Else, He is Pa's Utility Man. The telegraph company must have spelled his name wrong when they put it in the Yellow Directory. At any rate that is the name the man of the house family, who arrived bright and early on reporting day, Tracy, Johns and Summa are the only other members of the family who had reported by noon Thursday.

Pa's housekeeper Buck Frank must have heard of making things interesting for those shoes and stepped enroute at Elkhorn to walk overland. Pa was at the station with a collector when the train pulled in, but the little captain did not put in an appearance.

More of the players are expected before the day is over, but have taken up the transportation which was telegraphed them.

FIEDLER JONES OUT OF GAME Indications Are Sox Leader Will Not Don Uniform Again. PORTLAND, Ore., March 25.—Fiedler Jones, the once great leader of the White Sox, probably will not be seen in uniform by Chicago fans this year. There seems to be a rumor of a minor league team in Jones and Comiskey that the public has generally supposed. For three days Jones has been talking of plans to return to Comiskey while here, yet the pair had not yet met and Comiskey left today for British Columbia.

WITH THE BOWLERS. The Palstaffs won two out of three games from the Gate Citys last night on the Association alleys. Gjerde of the Gate Citys got a high single with a total of 224. Tonight the Chancellors will play the Omnidots. Score: LEMPS PALSTAFFS.

Table with columns: Lemps Palstaffs, Lehnmann, Cogswell, Rudger, Jordan, Berfer, Totals.

GATE CITYS. Chandler, Ohresorg, Lyons, Gjerde, Reed, Totals.

WEST SIDE. Yousem, Croca, Rice, Totals.

UNION PACIFERS. Matthes, Willey, Coleman, Totals.

LAST NIGHT MARKED ONE OF THE MOST interesting nights ever played on the Metropolitan alleys, when the Brodegaard Crowns took two games from the Birmingham Range company. The team went some to do it. Drinkwater took total for the Range with 81 and Martin took 216. The Birmingham Range team was 254, high single with 225 and total of 688. Tonight the Postoffice and Birmingham will play. Score: BIRMINGHAM RANGE.

KEY, Beams, Martin, Thomas, Drinkwater, Totals.

BRODEGAARD CROWNS. Fagerberg, Voss, Beams, Carman, Walens, Totals.

GRAIN BROKERS. Weekes, Huddell, Kerr, Totals.

DAILY NEWS. Carey, McLean, Merritt, Totals.

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ROE WIN WRESTLE. CHESTON, Va., March 25.—(Special Telegram.)—The wrestling match between Charles H. Baird of Des Moines and Bert Roe of this place was witnessed last night by a good house, and the victory was won by the champion of principals. The first fall was won by Roe in seventeen minutes by a leg hold. The second fall was won by Baird in nine minutes. The contest was to be held on a mat of three, both men put on their best

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