

NEIL AND ATTELL TO FIGHT.

Much interest centers about the forthcoming battle between Frankie Neil and Abe Attell for the feather weight championship. The fight will probably take place in Goldfield, Nev., the scene of the recent Nelson-Gans

Sporting News

BASEBALL SUMMARY.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Chicago: Chicago-Washington game estponed; wet grounds. At St. Louis, St. Louis-Boston game scatponed; rain. At Detroit: Detroit-Philadelphia game ned; rain. Cleveland: Cleveland, 1; New

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Brooklyn: Pittsburg, 3; Brooklyn, 6, Second game: Brooklyn, 6; Pittsburg, 5,
At New York: First game: New York, 5; St. Louis, 3. Second game: New York, 6; St. Louis, 1.
At Boston: Boston, 7; Cincinnati, 3,
At Philadelphia: Philadelphia, 6; Chicago, 2. Second game: Philadelphia, 1; Chicago, 3.

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LEAGUE GAMES.

ing taken out for injuries, while rough playing was almost absent. Virginia Defeats St. John's College.

Roanoke, Va., Sept. 29.—Virginia opened her football season at Charlottesville to-day by defeating St. John's College, of Annapolis. The score was 11 to 0 in 15 minute halves. The muddy field greatly marred the game and the only feature was the brilliant running of Captain Johnson, of Virginia.

Soap University Holds Cornell. Ithacs, N. Y., Sept. 29.—The foot-ball season opened here to-day with a game between Cornell University and Colgate University in which neither team scored. Colgate used no forward pass plays, but pounded Cor-nell's line successfully for big gains.

Army Scores Twice on Tuft. West Point, N. Y., Sept. 29.—The army football team defeated Tuft College here to-day by a score of 12 to 0. Other Football Games.

At Atlanta: Georgia School of Technology,6; Maryville (Tenn.) College, 6.
At Richmond: Woodberry Forest, 12; Richmond College, 0.
At Columbus, O.: Ohio State, 41; Otterbein, 0. At Easton, Pa.: Lafayette, 34; Wy-

oming Seminary, 0.
At Carlisle, Pa.: Dickinson College

Oxford, at 20 to 1, Carries Off Mile and a Quarter Handicap at Grave-send.

GRO AND DRINK PROBLEM.

Attanta Man Advances the Theory
That the Idensing of Saloons to
Sell Reer and Light Wines, Even
in Probibition Territory, to Supplant Sale of Whiskey, Will Largely
Solve a Vexing Problem,
Special to The Observer.

Washington, Sept. 29.—Would the
Southern negro be a better man and
citizen if he should change the charscier of his drinks or laws should
change them for him?

A prominent Atlants man who has
been in Washinston thinks so and
advances an important and novel
idea as to the drink problem and the
negro in the South. "Many people
attribute the many recent assaults of
negroes upon white women, prior to
the late riots, to the low saloons on
Marietta street and elsewhere in our
city," said this man. "Of course that
wasn't the main cause, as these sesaults occur where there are no saloons and when negroes have not had loons and when negroes have not had the stimulation of drink in any form. Yet the moral depravity which under-lies the negro who does commit such crimes is made worse by his habita-tion in low saloons in which the pic-tures of nude white women are dis-

played on the walls
"I want to predict that in ten or
fifteen years the whiskey laws of the
South will be greatly changed, largely to meet the nature of the negro, as well as to benefit the white man. There are places like Atlanta all through the South where the low dives have not been properly restrict-ed, but at the same time counties all through the South have adopted prohibition. One is as bad as the other in its effects upon the negro and his habits. If he is allowed to fill himself with the vilest of ardent drinks in unrestricted saloons he becomes wild and if he lives in prohibition communities he has little less trouble getting the same class of drinks, because he sither becomes cause he either becomes a walking blind tiger or patronizes that class of violators of law. Southern people will soon find out that lack of restriction of the whiskey traffic is as bad as prohibition and they will do away with both in favor of a system that will encourage the negro to turn to the lighter drinks, if he desires stim-

the lighter drinks, it he desires stimulants at all, as is his nature, which cannot be changed by law.

"The negro will always drink, because he is a creature of sociability. He is never happier than when with a party of his own race and entering and or drink. That heins tries joying eat or drink. That being true, why should not the laws of the South discriminate so as to lead the negro toward beer and light wines and break him from the ardent spirits? Some of the greatest students of the drink problem in the world believe that such laws will be the eventual compromise of the drink problem in this country. Prohibtion has proved a failure and will continue to do so. Low dives are a menace to decency and morality. Why not give the ne-gro, and his white brother, too, the opportunity to satisfy his craving stimulants with something mild and comparatively unintoxicating? Let it be sold to him under cleanly and decent circumstances like in the army canteens, which army officers are trying so hard to have re-established. How do it? Why, by placing the highest sort of a license on the es-tablishment that sells the ardent spirits, and an exceedingly low license on those that confine themselves to beer and wines? If the German and Dutch systems of the open beer gar-den for all classes could be introduc-ed into this country and encouraged its beneficial effects would be tremendous. A keg of beer in a party of negroes would excite them far less At Carlisle, Pa.: Dickinson

21; Lebanon Valley College, 0.

At New Brunswick, N. J.: Rutgers,
6; Fordham, 0.

Option 1. Carlisle, Pa.: Dickinson of negroes would excite them let than a pint of mean whiskey, because of its small accholic contents. The beer drinker seldom becomes vicious. The hops and vegetal a sleepy, good-natured effect if the drink is taken to excess, while straight whiskey excites the negro,

New York, Sept. 29.—Oxford, a 2 to 1 shot, won the Oriental handicap, one mile and a quarter at Gravesend to-day, defeating Running Water in a drive with Good Luck third. Outcome, the heavily played favorite, was never prominent. She ran last the entire distant and finished many lengths behind her field. Summary:

Elist race, selling, about 6 furlongs: cause the craving for stimulants

Washington, Sept. 29.—Forecast for Sunday and Monday:
Virginia, rain Sunday, cooler in west portion: Monday fair and cooler; fresh south winds becoming northwest.
North Carolina and Bouth Carolina, occasional showers Sunday and probably Monday, cooler Monday; fresh southeast to south winds becoming north.
Eastern Florida, fair Sunday and Monday, except showers in north portion; light to fresh east to south winds.
Western Florida, fair Sunday and Monday; light to fresh southwest winds.
Georgia, showers Sunday and probably Monday, cooler Monday, fresh southeast to south winds.
Alabama and Mississippi, showers Sunday, cooler in north portion; Monday fair, cooler in south portion; wariable winds becoming fresh northwest.
Louisiana, fair Sunday and Monday, somewhat cooler in north portion; variable winds becoming fresh northwest.
Eastern Texas, fair Sunday and Monday, slightly cooler in north portion; fresh north to northeast winds, Arkansas, fair and cooler. Sunday; Monday fair, in the cooler of the cooler. Sunday; Monday fair, in the cooler of the cooler. Sunday; Monday fair, in the cooler of the cooler. Sunday; Monday fair.

LOCAL OFFICE U. S. WEATHER

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BUREAU.
Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 29, 1906.—Sunrise,
6:16 a. m.; sunset, 6:10 p. m.
TEMPERATURE (in degrees).

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