

ALL-AMERICAN STARS OF TRACK AND FIELD SELECTED FOR 1916 Meredith, Simpson, Kelly, Loomis and Murray are Mentioned Among Best

(By the Associated Press.) New York, Jan. 1.—Following the custom established by the late James E. Sullivan, Secretary of the Amateur Athletic Union, has selected all-American track and field teams from among the A. A. U. college and scholastic stars for the season of 1916.

Secretary Rubien in his article outlining the various combinations for the A. A. U. records writes, in part, as follows:

"In selecting an all-American team, no double selections are made, one man being chosen for each event. The list includes the backbone of the team which would have represented this country in the 1916 Olympic games had they been held at Berlin as scheduled. One of the most difficult positions to select is the name of the man to head the list for the 100 yards run. My selections are Loomis for the 100 and Ward for the 220. Ward was the sprinting sensation of the year, winning both the 100 and 220 at the national championships. Loomis proved to be the fastest indoor sprinter during the winter, winning the national championship at 60 yards in the record time of 6 2/5 seconds. During the summer his high jumping and broad jumping showed him a trifle, but after his defeat in the national 100 he won the N. Y. A. C. special in 10 seconds and defeated Ward in every start in Sweden and Norway, being the 100 meters in 10 9/10 seconds.

"J. E. Meredith created world's records for the quarter and half mile, but had worthy opponents in E. C. Riley, B. Diamond and T. J. Halpin in '44' and W. J. Bingham, Don Scott, L. Scudder and L. V. Windingle in the '880.' Meredith is selected for the quarter and Scott for the half. 'Scott is a wonderful runner, winning the intercollegiate conference and national half mile, and is comparatively a beginner. Bingham won the national indoor '800' and Overton the '1,000' and are added to the team for these popular distances. L. V. Windingle ran the fastest mile of a year which produced many good winners. At two miles, D. F. Potter, J. S. Hoffmire, C. J. Stout and J. Ray were the fastest. Joe Ray was the best five-miler, although H. Holden, H. S. Weeks, O. Millard and E. Stout run well.

"The final heat of the 120 yards high hurdles at the national championships brought the four best hurdlers in the world together and they can be ranked as they finished: Robert Simpson, first; Fred W. Kelly, second; Earl Thompson, third; and Fred Murray, fourth. Simpson's hurdling was the sensation of the year and his world's record of 14 1/2 seconds is a remarkable performance. Fred Murray was easily the best 220 yards low hurdler. The 400 yard hurdles go to W. A. Hummel, although W. H. Meakin is close up. In the walks, Richard Bender's closest competitor was W. Plant. "Sherman Landers was a sensation as a pole vaulter, S. K. Foss, D. Newstetter, F. W. Floyd, Chester Fee, Fred A. Watkins and E. Kautzer being the best of the field. Avery Brundage won the all-around championship, being hard pressed by A. W. Richards until he was disqualified in the hurdle event through displacing three hurdles. This team is undoubtedly the strongest track and field team America has ever produced and shows the great progress being made for every section of this great country is represented."

The complete selections are as follows: All-American team 100 yards run, J. G. Loomis, Chicago, A. A.; 220 yards run, A. E. Ward, Chicago, A. A.; 440 yards, J. E. Meredith, Mendocino Club, Phila.; 660 yards run, W. A. Bingham, Harvard University; 880 yards run, Don M. Scott, Mississippi Agricultural Coll.; 1,000 yards run, J. W. Overton, Yale University, one mile run, L. V. Windingle, Cornell University; two mile run, D. F. Potter, Cornell University; five-mile run, Joe Ray, Chicago; ten mile run, H. Kolehmainen, New York; cross country, V. Kyronen, Millrose, A. A., N. Y.; steeplechase, M. Donovan, Millrose, A. A., N. Y.; Marathon, A. V. Roth, Dorchester Club, Boston; 120 yard hurdles, Robert Simpson, University of Missouri; 220 yard hurdles, Fred Murray, Stanford University; 440 yard hurdles, W. A. Hummel, Multnomah A. C., Portland; walking, R. Bremer, New York A. C.; standing broad jump, Platt Adams, New York A. C.; running broad jump, H. T. Worthington, Boston A. A.; standing high jump, W. H. Taylor, Irish-American A. C., N. Y.; running high jump, W. M. Oler, Jr., New York A. C.; running hop, step and jump, D. F. Ahearn, Illinois A. C., Chicago; pole vault, Sherman Landers, Chicago A. A.; putting the 16-lb. shot, Patient J. McDonald, Irish-American A. C.; N. Y.; throwing the 56-lb. weight, M. McGrath, Irish-American A. C., N. Y.; throwing the discus, A. W. Mucks, University of Wisconsin; throwing 16-lb. hammer, Patrick Ryan, Irish-American A. C., N. Y.; throwing the javelin, G. A. Bronder, Irish-American A. C., N. Y.; pentathlon, Fred W. Kelly, Los Angeles A. C.; all-around, Avery Brundage, Chicago, A. A.

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All-America College Team—100 yards run, H. L. Smith, University of Michigan; 200 yards run, W. B. Moore, Princeton University; 440 yards run, J. E. Meredith, University of Pennsylvania; 880 yards run, Don M. Scott, Mississippi Agricultural College; one mile run, L. V. Windingle, Cornell University; two mile run, D. F. Potter, Cornell University; cross-country, J. W. Overton, Yale University; 120 yard hurdles, Robert Simpson, University of Missouri; 220 yard hurdles, Fred Murray, Stanford University; running high jump, W. M. Oler, Jr., Yale University; running broad jump, H. T. Worthington, Dartmouth College; pole vault, F. K. Foss, Cornell University; putting the 16-lb. shot, H. B. Liveridge, University of California; throwing 16-lb. hammer, C. C. Gildersleeve, University of California; throwing the discus, A. W. Mucks, University of Wisconsin; throwing the javelin, B. L. Nourse, Jr., Princeton University; pentathlon, Howard Berry, University of Pennsylvania.

All-America Interscholastic Team, 1916—100 yards run, F. Motley, Jr., Atlantic City H. S., N. J.; 220 yards run, Evan Pearson, N. Central H. S., Spokane; 440 yards run, J. Rogers, Northeast H. S., Philadelphia; 880 yards run, A. W. Gordon, Moses Brown School, Providence, R. I.; one mile run, E. W. Shields, Mercersburg Academy, Pa.; two mile run, George R. Goodwin, Wakefield, H. S., Mass.; cross-country, R. Crawford, Flushing H. S., N. Y.; 120 yard hurdles, Walker Smith, Phillips Exeter Academy, N. H.; 220 yard hurdles, Frank Loomis, Oregon H. S., Ill.; running high jump, W. H. Whalen, Phillips Exeter Academy, N. H.; running broad jump, B. Smalley, Central H. S., Philadelphia; pole vault, Sherman Landers, Oregon H. S., Ill.; putting the 12-lb. shot, James Sineclair, Stuyvesant H. S., N. Y.; throwing 12-lb. hammer, J. T. Murphy, Hebron Academy, Me.; throwing the discus, Gordon Brown, Montclair H. S., N. J.; throwing the javelin, Van Cortlandt Eliot, Hamilton Institute, N. Y.

ANSON COUNTY PLANS BETTER ROAD SYSTEM

(Special to The News and Observer.) Wadesboro, Jan. 1.—Several meetings were held the past week for the purpose of improving the road system in Anson county. A bill has been drawn up which will be introduced in the next General Assembly providing for a bond issue of \$70,000 to build more good roads. It is estimated that this amount will be sufficient to enable the county commissioners to build good roads all over the county. The bill also provides for an entire change of the road laws. Each tax payer is required to work the roads for a certain number of days or to pay the sum of \$2.00 to help keep up the roads already built. It further provides for the appointment by the commissioners of a road superintendent and purchasing agent who will have control over the various superintendents in the county. Each

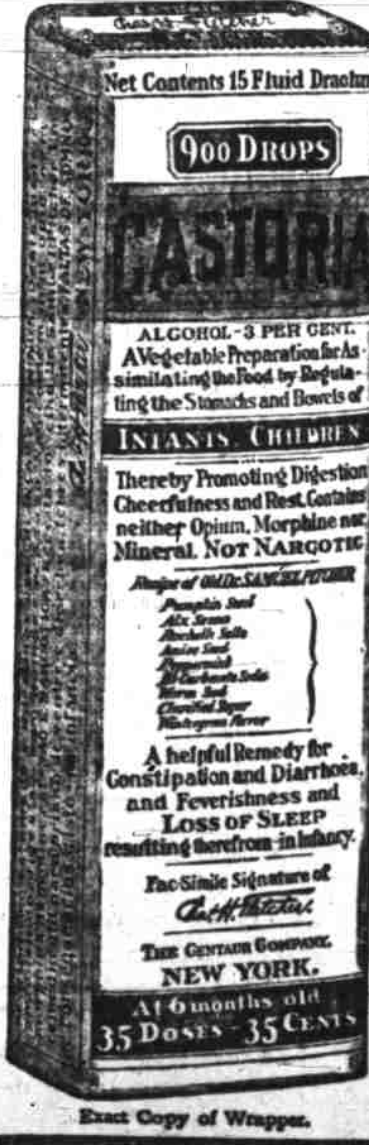
DID YOU EVER SEE A HOG BEHAVE LIKE THIS?

Full Facts of Strange Experience of Two Albemarle Boys Made Known.

(Special to The News and Observer.) Albemarle, Jan. 1.—The full facts of a strange experience of two of the "boys" of Albemarle have just come to light. This strange and startling experience happened a few nights ago about 12:30, when the "boys" started home from up town. It seems a stray hog had lost its way and, seeing the two young men about to turn the street corner, and being desirous of the companionship of some one, followed them. After it quietly walked behind them for about half a block without raising any particular disturbance one of the men got interested and asked his companion what he thought of the swine's strange and affectionate conduct, whereupon they stopped and one of them shuffled his feet on the sidewalk, thinking he would frighten the animal, but alas, in vain, for promptly thereupon, instead of the hog running away in great fright as the "boys" had expected, with a "Whoof, whoof" (to use their language), the hog made a dive at the boys, who fled in great confusion. After a nip and tuck race for half a block the "boys," thinking the hog was about to get the best of the race, took refuge in an empty wagon left in the street by the street construction force. The "boys" say the hog tried to get up into the wagon, but with a piece of timber, which they procured in the empty wagon bed, and by using the wagon seat as a weapon of defense, they repelled the vicious assaults of the swine for some time, and it finally walked off some few steps and awaited their return. While they were meditating on this strange experience a gentleman passed by in a buggy, whereupon they hailed him and made inquiry if they could procure a ride home. He answered them that he could carry one of them, but only one, and instantly one leaped from the wagon into the buggy, leaving his companion still standing in the empty wagon in the middle of the street. To the great delight, however, of the one left behind the hog followed the buggy, as he thought, clean away, and after he was thoroughly satisfied that all danger had subsided he slyly crept from his retreat and once more attempted to make his way home in safety, but after he had gone about half a block, to his great astonishment, he was again accosted by this affectionate swine and then the race proper commenced. The gentleman was out, however, and he says that when he got home he does not know whether the door was locked or unlocked, as it seemed to have opened of its own accord as he entered the porch. The gentleman who participated in this last race says that he was not much scared when the hog first attacked them and that he would not have run when it started towards them, but the other fellow got on the opposite side, leaving him between that gentleman and the hog and that he did not care to remain in that attitude, but rather preferred to get the other gentleman between him and the hog, and that when he attempted to reverse the situation the race commenced. "The boys" do not, to this day, understand why on earth the hog should have attacked them on the public streets in this manner without an explanation, but take the joke rather good naturedly, although, in reality, they claim that dark and gloomy indeed were their prospects at the time they first beheld the empty construction wagon in the street.

MRS. LUCY D. EVANS.

Former Camberland County Woman Dies in Texas. Fayetteville, Jan. 1.—News of the death of a former highly esteemed resident of this county has just received here, relatives having just learned of the passing of Mrs. Lucy D. Evans, of Livingston, Texas, wife of Capt. James S. Evans, a prominent citizen of that place. Captain and Mrs. Evans moved from this county to Texas in 1892. Mrs. Evans was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pearsall, of Sampson county. She leaves four sons and five daughters. There are many relatives and friends of the deceased in this county, where she lived for twenty-seven years.



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SANATORIUM NEWS.

Sanatorium Postoffice Made Third Class. Not a Letter, Postal or Package Left Office Without Red Cross Seal.

Sanatorium, N. C., Jan. 1.—Christmas week at the State Sanatorium has been one full of holiday spirit and pleasant surprises. For several days Uncle Sam brought each day 20 mail bags filled with letters, Christmas cards, parcel post packages, and all sorts of boxes and packages "from home."

Sunday afternoon Dr. C. G. Vardell, president of Flora McDonald College at Red Springs, and his son, Mr. C. G. Vardell, Jr., brought a "bevy of sweet singers" over from the college and gave the patients a most delightful concert.

consisting of Christmas anthems, choruses, solos and orchestra selections. Mr. C. G. Vardell, Jr., who has wide training in music, directed the orchestra.

Monday afternoon the patients of the Sanatorium were given a most interesting Christmas entertainment by the Montrose grammar school, and Tuesday evening was the merry making occasion of the Christmas tree. This was a beautiful holly covered in red berries and varicolored electric lights. The occasion afforded many hits and take-offs in the presents given.

The Sanatorium postoffice has had two distinctions recently bestowed upon it. It has been elevated from a lowly fourth-class postoffice to a third-class office, thereby becoming a presidential office. But the particular distinction which it now holds is that not a letter, postal or package went out during the day between Thanksgiving and Christmas without carrying in plain view the Red Cross Christmas seal.

Representative Adamson Wedd. Newman, Ga., Jan. 1.—Representative W. C. Adamson of Georgia, chairman of the House committee on Interstate Commerce, and Mrs. Ellen Z. Camp of this place, were married here today at the home of Mrs. L. N. Orr, Jr., a sister of the bride. The Rev. E. W. Stone of Newman officiated. Representative and Mrs. Adamson left later for Washington. Mr. Adamson was author of the Adam-

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