

Sporting News

Charleston Ball Prayers

Manager Pat Meany, of the Charleston Baseball Club, has announced his team for the coming season as follows: Reisinger and Durham, catchers; O'Connor, Foster, Egam, Routh and perhaps Paige, pitchers; Wilkinson, Hartzell, Brown, O'Hollerand, Sieford and Bannister or Gillespie, infield; Schroeder, Mullin and Meany, outfield. The players are due to arrive by the 10th of March to begin practice.

Season tickets will be sold for \$20 each, and each coupon is transferable.

Manager Meany has traded Jack Evers to Wilkesbarre for Bannister or Gillespie.

Turner to Meet Ajax on the Mat

Joe Turner, of Washington, and Young Ajax, of Mexico, are to meet on the mat in Richmond, Va., before March 25. Turner states that he can meet the brawny Mexican any time this month and as both men are in splendid condition for the match, there will be no delay in completing arrangements for it.

Schuetzenfest to Be Pulled Off in May

At the regular monthly meeting of the German Rifle Club, of Charleston, S. C., plans for the annual Schuetzenfest were discussed and the dates of May 5, 6 and 7 were decided on for the fest. Heretofore the concluding day had been on Friday, but it was thought best to make this change, in case the weather interfered, the fest could be prolonged another day.

University of Georgia Secure Coach Springman

The University of Georgia has signed Springman, of the University of Pennsylvania, as coach for the baseball team this season. He is considered among the largest celebrities as one of the best coaches in America.

Noted Trotting Horseman: In Pasture Institute

John Sloan, the trotting horseman, was bitten by a mad dog in Lexington, Ky., Sunday and is now in the Pasture Institute, Chicago, taking treatment for hydrophobia.

As yet no bad symptoms have developed, and it is thought by the attending physicians that his recovery is certain.

March 4 In The Annals of Sport

- 1870—F. S. Hewitt credited with running 100 yards on the grass at Melbourne, Australia, in 9.24.
- 1885—At Jackson, Miss.: Tennessee (8) defeated Mississippi (7) in interstate cocking main.
- 1887—At Philadelphia: Jack McAuliffe and Jimmy Mitchell fought to a draw.
- 1892—At Chicago: C. W. Budd defeated E. D. Fullard in 1000-lb. bird match for \$400.
- 1893—At St. Paul: A. D. Smith, in time trial, skated 24 miles 3,874 5/8 feet in 1h. 29m. 57s.
- 1898—At Hot Springs: "Kid" McCoy knocked out Nick Burley in second round.
- 1901—At Louisville: Tommy Ryan won from Tommy West in 17 rounds.
- 1904—At Milwaukee: Charley Neary defeated Louie Long in 6 rounds.

AT THE CALL TO ARMS.

The gleeful fan begins to dream of pennants flying past—
The Winter of his Discontent is over at last—
He grabs the sporting page each day and feeds upon the dope,
His heaving bosom bulging with the old "eternal hope,"
But in his lowly, humble home with heavy care-worn signs,
The Empire turns and bids his wife a long and last good-bye.

The Manager, though worried some, is likewise blithe and gay
With interviews and pictures in the papers every day—
He sees a lovely chance ahead to win undying fame
And to have the Bugs and Bugettes cheering wildly at his name—
But with the peaceful winter done—no hope of fame ahead—
The Empire slowly packs his grip and wishes he were dead.

The Player throws a fit of joy, for pay days now are near—
No more he'll have to give up meat to save five cents for beer—
No more he'll dwell obscurely—the hero of the age,
His classic features daily will adorn some sporting page—
But bidding all his friends with heart bent low in gloom,
The blighted Empire wearily prepares to meet his doom.

With curses echoing afar—with groans and gibes and jeers—
With "Kill the bloody robber" ringing daily in his ears—
With howls and growls and angry snarls—the center of attack—
With players dancing on his feet and pounding on his back—
He stands a lonely figure—but with all this, fellow fan—
He's the Big Stick of his party and the Roosevelt of his clan.
—Atlanta Journal.

BRIGHTS PROSPECT FOR V. P. I.'S TEAM

Blacksburg, Va., March 4.—The V. P. I. baseball team will be coached this season by Clarence P. Miles, with J. M. Johnson and R. N. Nelson as assistants. The captain of the aggregation is E. S. Shepherd, with J. W. Campbell as manager and W. A. Bowles, assistant manager.

Mr. Miles has for the last ten years been identified with V. P. I. athletics, and is considered one of the best athletes this institution has ever had.

His assistants are efficient and there is high hopes here that the Orange and Maroon will even surpass its former record.

About sixty men have showed up as candidates and the practicing is being carried on every day that the weather will permit.

The first game will be played with the Roanoke league team, April 1.

Fine Record of Basketball Team of Asheville

Special to The News.

Asheville, N. C., March 4.—The Asheville Y. M. C. A. basketball team, by their defeat of the Wake Forest team acquired the championship of North Carolina. By their defeat of Maryville College team on Saturday they claim the championship of Tennessee. They have now sent a challenge to the Columbus, Ga., team asking for a match for the championship of the south.

The Asheville team has not lost a game this season and in the event that their challenge is accepted by Columbus they anticipate no trouble in maintaining their record and capturing the southern championship.

Short Stops

The veteran Perry Werden will umpire in the Western League this season.

New York fans think that the Highlanders will make the best showing this season ever made by a New York American League team.

The University of Louisiana baseball team will make a northern trip this spring to play Yale and several other big university teams.

It looks as though President Holland will retain his position as head of the Three-L league. The Three-moguls are unable to agree on his successor.

John F. Higgins, for the last ten years public printer of Chicago, has purchased the Des Moines club in the Western League.

Edna, Okla., has replaced Leavenworth, Kas., in the Western Association.

Since the beginning of February no fewer than fifteen ball players have joined the matrimonial league.

An independent baseball league has been formed in Northern Ohio, with centers located in Sandusky, Tiffin, Lorain and Shelby.

The Bridgeport team has made a great climb in the National Roller Polo league and is now fighting for first place.

Phil Kearney of the New York Athletic Club, the former champion skater and winner of many big events, has retired. He says ten years of the racing game is sufficient.

"Sandow" Mertes, the ex-giant and last year with Minneapolis, has two offers under consideration, one to play in Louisville and the other to manage the Denver club.

GUN CLUB ORGANIZED.

Club Will Bring Some Celebrated Shots to the Gate City.

Special to The News.

Greensboro, N. C., March 4.—At the store of the Crescent Hardware Company last night the Gate City Gun Club was organized by the election of the following officers: F. N. Taylor, president; C. E. Hudson, secretary; R. C. Whittington, manager.

The club at a nearly date will bring some celebrated shots to Greensboro.

Will Sail on June 27th.

New York, Feb. 27.—Matthew P. Halpin, manager of the American team which is to go to London for the Olympic games of 1908, announces that the team will sail from New York on the steamer Philadelphia, of the American line, Saturday, June 27th.

Miss Robina Leonard, of Cleveland, is the champion ice skater of Ohio.

Chicago yachtsmen are assured of a week of great festivities starting August 15, when the first of the 1908 races for the Lyra cup will be sailed around the course of the Columbia club.

A CURE FOR MISERY.

"I have found a cure for the misery malaria poison produces," says R. M. James, of Louellen, S. C. "It's called Electric Bitters, and comes in 50 cent bottles. It breaks up a case of chills or a bilious attack in almost no time; and it puts yellow jaundice clean out of commission." This great tonic medicine and blood purifier gives quick relief in all stomach, liver and kidney complaints and the misery of lame back. Sold under guarantee at Woodall & Sheppard's drug store.

GUBS START FOR TRAINING CAMP

Chicago, Ill., March 4.—Amid the cheers and good wishes of several loyal fans who gathered at the station, Manager Chance and his world's championship club of the National League left Chicago today to prepare themselves for this year's pennant race. The Cubs will spend a week at French Lick Springs before resuming their trip to the training grounds at Vicksburg.

After ten days lingering up in Vicksburg the team will start on a four-storming trip through the south, gradually working their way towards home. Exhibition games have been scheduled for Montgomery, Atlanta, Jackson, Chattanooga, Birmingham, Memphis and Nashville.

After crossing the Ohio river stops will be made for games at Evansville, Terre Haute, Fort Wayne, Indianapolis and Dayton. The champions will stay at Dayton until the day before the league season opens.

MORTON PLANT'S YACHT LAUNCHED

Lethin, March 4.—The new steel twin-screw steam yacht, built for Morton F. Plant of the New York Yacht Club, was successfully launched today at the yards of Ramage & Ferguson.

The yacht will be one of the largest and most magnificent private yachts owned in America. She is 265 feet overall, 27 feet 6 inches beam, and has a draught of 16 feet 6 inches. Her accommodations will be exceptional in extent and arrangement, the details having been worked out thoroughly on new lines.

Bingham's Baseball Schedule for Season

Special to The News.

Mebane, N. C., March 4.—An attractive list of baseball games has been arranged for the season. It will be the aim of the manager and coterie to put such restrictions around athletics as will eliminate objectionable features and written resolutions have been drawn up and signed limiting the number of games to be played, holding the games on weekly holidays, as far as consistent and preventing athletics from interfering with the scholarship of the school. The schedule is as follows:

March 13—Orange Grove school, at Bingham.

March 14—University of North Carolina, at Chapel Hill.

March 16—A. & M. College, at Raleigh.

March 21—Trinity College, at Durham.

March 26—Elen College, at Elen.

April 12—Trinity Park High school at Bingham.

April 18—Trinity Park High school at Durham.

April 20—Rocky Mount High School, at Rocky Mount.

Minor League Managers

Among the well known ex-major league players who are to manage teams in the minor leagues this season are the following:

Jimmy Ryan—Montgomery, Ala.
Harry Vaughn—Birmingham, Ala.
William Holmes—Savannah, Ga.
Jesse Burkett—Worcester, Mass.
William Hamilton—Haverhill, Mass.
Thomas Dowd—Hartford, Conn.
Jack Dunn—Baltimore, Md.
James Casey—Montreal, Cal.
Charles Carr—Indianapolis, Ind.
Michael Grady—Wilmington, Del.
Michael Kittredge—Scranton, Pa.
Louis Drill—Terre Haute, Ind.
Frank Shelly—Wichita, Kas.
J. J. Grim—Lynchburg, Va.
William Phillips—Charleston, Pa.
Dale Gear—Shreveport, La.
Tom Fisher—Mobile, Ala.
Charles Babb—Memphis, Tenn.
W. H. Bernhard—Nashville, Tenn.
George Van Haltern—Oakland, Cal.
Mal Eason—Lawrence, Mass.
J. H. O'Rourke—Bridgeport, Conn.
Hugh Duffy—Providence, R. I.
Joe Bean—Jersey City, N. J.
Barry McCormick—Milwaukee, Wis.
Monte Cross—Kansas City, Mo.
Harry S. Wolverton—Williamsport, Pa.

John J. Carney, Trenton, N. J.
J. H. Bannon, Binghampton, N. Y.
John A. McCarthy—Springfield, Ill.
Richard Cooley—Topeka, Kas.
Thomas Corcoran—Uniontown, Pa.
Ace Stewart—Columbus, Miss.
Pink Lawley—La Crosse, Wis.

Plan Entertainment.

Special to The News.

Winston-Salem, N. C., March 4.—At the meeting of the Winston-Salem board of trade last night committees were appointed to arrange for the entertainment of the North Carolina Medical Society, which will hold its annual meeting in this city in May and the old confederate veterans of North Carolina, which will meet here in annual re-union in August.

In a cemetery at Middlebury, Vt., is a stone, erected by a widow to her loving husband, bearing this inscription: "Rest in peace—until we meet again."—The Jewish Ledger.

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LEGAL NOTICES

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Under and by virtue of the power contained in a Deed in Trust executed to me on September 23d, 1907, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for Mecklenburg County in Book 225, Page 336, to secure a certain indebtedness therein described, and for default in the payment of such indebtedness the undersigned Trustee will, on Monday the 16th day of March, 1908, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House in the City of Charlotte, offer for sale to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, the lot of land described in said Deed in Trust, situated in the City of Charlotte, and bounded as described as follows:

Beginning at a stake, corner of Fred Sawyer's lot, on the West side of McDowell street sixty-six (66) feet from the corner of Eighth Street and runs toward Seventh Street forty-four (44) feet; thence with a line parallel with Eighth Street one hundred and forty-eight (148) feet to the beginning corner, being a part of Lot No. 8, Square No. 125, Butler's Map of Charlotte, and being the same lot of land which was conveyed to Charles W. O'Daniel by the Carolina Realty Company by deed dated September 26th, 1907.

This the 14th day of February, 1908. F. R. McNICHL, Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust, dated November 21st, 1906, and executed to me by Mary E. Watson, which Deed of Trust is duly recorded in Book 212, page 690, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, default having been made in payment of the debt secured by said Deed of Trust, I will, in compliance with the terms and conditions set forth in said Deed of Trust, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on Monday the 30th day of March, 1908, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House Door of Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, in the City of Charlotte, all that certain parcel or tract of land lying in Morning Star Township, Mecklenburg County, State of North Carolina, to-wit: Adjoining the land of W. C. Black, James Williamson, the John Shelby lands and others and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone near a Hickory, W. C. Black and E. H. Rushing's (formerly J. J. Maxwell's) corner and runs with five of what were formerly Maxwell's lines: (1) E. 83 poles to a Pine Stamp; (2) N. 7. 3-1 poles to a small Post Gate; (3) S. 87. 1-3 E. 50 poles to a Pine; (4) S. 11 E. 84 poles to a stone and small bush; (5) S. 44 W. 22 1-2 poles to a stone, John Shelby's corner; thence with two of John Shelby's lines: (1) S. 1-4 W. 70 poles crossing the Creek to a Pine; (2) N. 80 1-3 W. 23 1-2 poles to a Mulberry on the bank of the Creek, said Shelby and Black's corner; thence down the Creek with its various courses to a Pine on the North bank of said Black's corner; thence with two of his lines: (1) N. 46 W. 21 poles to a Pine; (2) N. 19 1-3 W. 122 poles to the Beginning; containing in all 105 acres.

The foregoing description is according to a plat of a survey made by W. M. Parks of the above described land in August, 1869, same comprising the two tracts of land which were conveyed to Dr. S. B. Watson by Deed as set out in the above description. Said lands having been willed to the said Mary E. Watson, by Dr. S. B. Watson, which will is duly probated and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Mecklenburg County.

ty, to which will reference is hereby made.

This the 25th day of February, 1908. JNO. A. McRAE, Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to me, which deed of trust is dated March 27, 1907, and is recorded in Book 218, page 653 of the Registry for Mecklenburg County, default having been made in payment of the debt secured by said deed of trust and in compliance with the terms and conditions contained therein, I will sell, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash on Thursday, the 26th day of March, 1908, at the Court House door of Mecklenburg County, in the City of Charlotte, N. C., all these certain pieces, parcels and tracts of land lying in the County of Mecklenburg and State of North Carolina and bounded as follows, to-wit:

First Tract:—All that lot in Ward Number Three (3), Square Number 194 of the City of Charlotte known and designated on Butler's map of said City as Lot Number Three (3) in said Square, which lot is fully described in a deed made by A. B. Schenck and wife to Escher Hetty Schenck, dated April 8, 1879, and duly registered in the office of the Register of Deeds for said County of Mecklenburg in Book 55, page 114, to which reference is made for a more particular description, and being the same lot conveyed by Julia Schenck and Bettie Schenck to the Trustees of the Simpson Chapel (M. E. Church) of the City of Charlotte, N. C., by deed recorded in Book 140, page 148, of said Mecklenburg Registry.

Second Tract:—In the City of Charlotte, adjoining the lots of Sarah Ann Chambers, and Sarah F. Davidson (formerly) and others, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake on East side of South Graham street at the Northwest corner of the Simpson Chapel lot, being the lot described above as First Tract, and runs thence in an Easterly direction with the line of the said Church lot, one hundred and fifty (150) feet to a stake, thence in a Northerly direction, parallel with South Graham street, thirty-nine and one-half (39 1/2) feet to a stake; thence in a Westerly direction toward South Graham street, parallel with the first line, thirty-three (33) feet and three (3) inches to a stake; thence in a Northwesterly direction twenty-one (21) feet to a stake in the North line of the lot conveyed to W. F. Strange by J. H. Emory, said stake being ninety-eight (98) feet from South Graham street; thence with the line of lot conveyed as aforesaid to W. F. Strange, ninety-eight (98) feet to South Graham street; thence with South Graham street forty-nine and one-half (49 1/2) feet to the beginning; being a part of the lot of land conveyed as aforesaid to W. F. Strange by J. H. Emory by deed dated April 26, 1906, and recorded in Book 212, page 83, of the Registry for Mecklenburg County, to which reference is hereby made and being in all respects the same lot of land which was conveyed to the Trustees of Simpson Chapel by the said W. F. Strange and his wife by deed duly recorded. The two tracts above described are in all respects the same which were conveyed to me by the aforesaid deed of trust.

This the 24th day of February, 1908. E. L. KEESLER, Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to me, which deed of trust is dated July 17, 1905, and recorded in Book 196, page 156, of the Registry of Mecklenburg County, default having been made in payment of the debt secured by said deed of trust and in compliance with the terms and conditions contained therein, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash on Thursday, the 26th day of March, 1908, at the Court House door of Mecklenburg County, in the City of Charlotte, N. C., all that certain piece, parcel and tract of land lying in the County of Mecklenburg and State of North Carolina and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Being near the City of Charlotte and lying Northeast of the main track of the Carolina Central Railroad and more particularly bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake on the East side of North Davidson street (formerly North D street) extended, three hundred and forty-seven and one-half (347 1/2) feet from the center of the main track of the said Railroad and runs thence in a Northern direction with Davidson street forty-nine and one-half (49 1/2) feet to a stake; thence in an Easterly direction and in a line parallel with said Railroad one hundred and ninety-eight (198) feet to a stake; thence in a line parallel with the first line in the direction of said Railroad track, forty-nine and one-half (49 1/2) feet to a stake; thence parallel with the second line one hundred and ninety-eight (198) feet to the beginning on said Davidson street, and being the same land which was conveyed to Nancy E. Knotts by W. W. Phifer and others by deed dated January 4, 1893, and recorded in Book 91, page 77, of the Registry for Mecklenburg County, to which reference is hereby made, and being the same land conveyed to me by the aforesaid deed of trust.

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