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THE AFTERMATH OF THE BIG BRITT-GANS FIGHT.

The Colored Fighter After Another Battle -- Young Corbett Talks -- Sullivan to Meet McCoy -- Tomorrow's Football Matches -- Of Interest to Bowlers.

Al Herford still has hopes of Gans beating Britt. Herford made the following proposition in San Francisco Wednesday morning: "If Britt will fight Gans at Baltimore my club will hang up a \$15,000 purse, and if Britt will meet Gans at 134 pounds ring-side, I will give him a side bet of \$25,000, and he can split the purse 60 and 40 if he chooses. Gans can do weight easier east than he can there. I mean every word of it and I'll make a match before I leave. I will take Gray for referee, or Britt can have somebody else."

Britt's lack of self-control in his battle with Gans Monday night cost him just \$552. The gate receipts were \$31,728, of which \$22,200 went to the fighters and was equally divided. If Britt had won, as he certainly would, had it not been for his losing his head, he would have taken 75 per cent. of the fighter's share, or \$16,600 for a half-hour's work.

There was a good deal of talk on the street Wednesday to the effect that the fight was fixed, but there is no evidence to support such a statement. At that weight, Britt was certainly the master of the colored boy, but his very eagerness led to his undoing. It is doubtful whether Gans can beat the Californian at any weight. Britt was a whirlwind and outboxed Gans at every point.

Britt said: "This fellow never had a look-in, but when he kept hanging on to me and trying to pull me down, what could I do? I felt sore and tried to keep away. "I'll get him again. He will have to fight and I will knock his block off. I guess the people who saw the fight will have a different opinion of me now. "I have no kick to make against Eddie Gray. I am satisfied, under the circumstances, with the verdict. "Gans said: "I was too weak to do myself justice. After I went to my corner in the second round I knew it. I would like to fight Britt again, but I would not do it at 134 pounds ring-side. "Britt would have won had it continued. "Young Corbett watched the fight with keen interest and after it was all over he said: "Britt's showing has not made me a bit afraid of him, at 130 pounds at 6 o'clock, the same conditions that governed our former contest. If he will not make 130 I will not fight him. "There is one thing I want to say, and that is that Jimmy Britt would not have stayed 30 rounds with me

night in Rhode Island with skin gloves, and so clever were they that not a drop of blood was spilled, Gibbons winning by a knockout. It was that time that the welter-weight class was inaugurated to give Patsy Duffy of this city a chance to meet man without having to go against the middleweights. Now, however, it is very different. The pugilists will fight at any weight that suits them and then claim the championship without any hesitation.

The best young Corbett can do in the way of weight is 130 pounds. Terry McGovern would have hard work to get below 127. Britt is a 130-pound boxer and Nelson is in the same class. But they claim the featherweight and lightweight battles without any hesitation. The bar-tans too, are crowding up and following in the banian weight class. Not until there is some boxer weighing about 120, possessing the prowess of George Dixon, who sweeps through the featherweights and alleged featherweights will there be a recognized champion in this class.

Gone to Meet McCoy. Jack "Twin" Sullivan and his brother Mike left Boston for the Pacific coast Wednesday. Jack declared that he will whip Kid McCoy in their battle, the latter part of this month, at Los Angeles. Mike is after a contest with Gans or Britt of good light-weight figures, and is willing to back himself to the extent of \$1,000. But they don't seem to figure Mike as a main bout performer out West. Jack expects to reach the Pacific coast about the first of next week. "I'm in pretty fair shape," he said Monday. "A couple of weeks more will put me in fine fettle. Of course, I shall be tired after the long ride, but a couple of days will fix me all right. Then I shall begin training in earnest. When I meet McCoy this start. Unless he has everything out and dried there I should win. The last time I couldn't win with an axe."

Fight Tonight. Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Eight fans of the Quaker City, expect to see one of the best light-weight bouts of the year when Sam Langford of Boston and Dave Holly, the crack Philadelphia boy, tonight, hook up. Though six rounds only will be fought, the fast ten round battle at Boston, last spring, of these two colored lads at the Cambridge A. A., which Holly by a bare margin won, assures the fans of a good battle tonight. St. Louis, Nov. 3.—Maurice Sayers of Milwaukee won the decision tonight in a 15-round fight with Jack Lory of New York. The contest was close.

Football. Next Saturday afternoon two games of football will take place on the campus of the University of Michigan. Some of the greatest battles ever witnessed in this country were fought by such men as Mike Cushing and Austin Gibbons and others of that weight. One of these battles is worthy of passing mention. Gibbons and Cushing fought 19 rounds one

score; but the Neptunes claim they were not playing their best team, but will have it on Saturday. They do their best to wipe out the defeat. They certainly played their best game against the Neptunes last Friday than they did in Frederickton, and it should be a great game on Saturday. The second game is between the Fairvilles and the intermediate Neptunes. It will be started immediately after the senior game is finished. The Fairville boys have been practicing faithfully for this game, and a close contest is expected.

Lovers of the game should turn out in large numbers to encourage players. The games will be called sharp on time and good order will be maintained. Admission 25c; ladies and children, 15c. The following team will meet the U. N. B. to-morrow on the Shamrock grounds, White, Thomson, Fairweather, Emerson, Burpee, Marshall, Coll, Scott, Malcolm, Quinn, Wallace, Harwood, Foyers, White, Titus.

Football Lyrics. The center is powerful man, whose name is Jim to Jim. An o'er the ball he bends low, and he's the center of the game. And ball out hand of his hair, though he's a little bit lame. This object has the game, it seems, to send into the land of dream. He acts with eagerness and vim, and leads full many a vicious punch. Where rests his rival's fragrant lunch. He stands alone upon the wing, and catches like a cat to spring. Upon the man who tries to go, and rubs the runner in the dirt. Look out! Don't fumble when you fall, or he'll drop upon the ball. Although diminutive in size, in his combination lies that guides his team in its attack. And shoots a cabalistic sign, his team in pretty sure to score, when he yells "Shiver my tither!" The freshman thinks he is a god, and even seniors often are awe. When he throws out his chest, and tells the players what is best. That puts opponents in a fix, and when the whistle call to play his range like a wolf at bay. Will players know that nothing worse is than being targets for his curses.

How to Bowl. To bowl correctly, swing the ball and roll it, not throw it. This distinction is the cardinal point on which depends the success of the game, says the Chicago Tribune. In starting, bend the elbow slightly, if any, and swing the arm as if pivoted from the shoulder. Use a ball that you can roll easily, and guide properly before it starts. Too big a ball defeats its own object, for a firm grip is necessary to accuracy.

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THE ROOT OF THE MATTER.

He Cured Himself of Serious Stomach Trouble (Getting Down to First Principles). A man of large affairs in one of our prominent eastern cities, by too close attention to business, too little exercise and too many club dinners, finally began to pay nature's tax, lodged in the form of chronic stomach trouble; the failure of his digestion brought about a nervous irritability, making it impossible to apply himself to his daily business, and finally deranging the kidneys and heart.

In his own words he says: "I consulted one physician after another and each one seemed to understand my case, but all the same they each failed to bring about the return of my former digestion, appetite and vigor. For two years I went from pillar to post, from one sanitarium to another. I gave up smoking, I quit coffee and even renounced my daily glass or two of beer, but without any marked improvement. "Friends had often advised me to try a well-known proprietary medicine, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and I had often perused the newspaper advertisements of the remedy, but never took any stock in advertised medicines nor could believe a fifty-cent patent medicine would touch my case.

"To make a long story short I finally bought a couple of packages at the nearest drug store and took two or three tablets after each meal, and occasionally a tablet between meals; when I felt any feeling of nausea or discomfort. "I was surprised at the end of the first week to note a marked improvement in my appetite and general health, and before the two packages were gone I was certain that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets was going to cure completely, and they did not disappoint me. I can eat and sleep and enjoy my coffee and cigar, and no one would suppose I had ever known the horrors of dyspepsia. "Out of friendly curiosity I wrote to the proprietors of the remedy asking for information as to what the tablets contained, and they replied that the principal ingredients were aspartic acid, pepsin (government test), malt diastase and other natural digestives, which digest food regardless of the condition of the stomach. The root of the matter is this, the digestive elements contained in Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest the food, give the overworked stomach a chance to recuperate and the nervous and whole system receive the nourishment which can only come from food; stimulates and nerve tonic never give real strength, they give a fictitious strength, invariably followed by reaction. Every drop of blood, every nerve and tissue is manufactured from our daily food, and if you can insure its prompt action and complete digestion by the regular use of so good and wholesome a remedy as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, you will have no need of nerve tonics and sanitariums. "Although Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets have been in the market only a few years, yet probably every druggist in the United States, Canada and Great Britain now sells them and considers them the most popular and successful of any preparation for stomach trouble.

Wooscket, R. I., Nov. 3.—Two favorites were defeated today at the Wooscket trotting park, and in the two unfinished races, outside horses were returned winners. Wilson, driver of Oscar in the 2:14 pace, was roared by the judges after the fourth heat and McGregor, who was substituted, drove the horse to victory in the three following heats.

FRIEND IS DEAD.

Well Known Lawyer Whose Fame Extended Over America Passed Away in New York. Mr. Emanuel Michael Friend, one of New York's well known criminal lawyers, died suddenly Tuesday. Mr. Friend was born in New York city in 1870. Among the many celebrated cases with which he was connected as counsel was the defense of "Frenchie," also known as "Ben Ali" and "Jack the Ripper," who was charged with the killing of "Old Shakespeare" in the East River Hotel. Other cases were that of Marie Barber, charged with killing her lover, Dominick Galt, and that of Dr. Kennedy, charged with killing Dolly Reynolds. He was one of the most prominent practitioners in that branch of the profession.

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