WILLARD BEAN QUITS PUGILISM

Statement from the Young Athlete Regarding the Subject.

HE ANSWERS HIS CRITICS.

Despite the Verdict of Some who Are Neither "Hoggish" with Cash Nor Not so Classical.

Honor Willard Bean, the clever local boxer, takes a pride and pleasure in physical culture and in being superably. There are some people who are [illegible] enough to sympathize with the name of an article made from animal fat, everything that is connected with the athletic side of journals.

The following interesting communication from Bean to the Deseret News will be read with interest by the many admirers of the young man.

Believe me, my friends, that I am not interested in controversy nor sensational [illegible] in the ring, my aim is for the [illegible] and I intend to follow the profession together with kindred amusements.

I am not going to argue that I do not [illegible] of a professional boxer. I know [illegible] that I do not depend on speaking only solely to gain a livelihood. I [illegible] some money a pastime or side issue. From a child I have always made it a point to take more or less exercise. In [illegible] as I do this very part of the [illegible] regardless was made to me [illegible] the direction of the mind, and of late years I have turned the opinion into development of muscular [illegible] and I attribute my present good health to the exercise I have taken and take at present. I have never took any more serious exercise and have [illegible] research of any other kind of [illegible] have been sufficient to [illegible] for fifteen years. There are [illegible] a pile mass of opinion, or any [illegible] of medicine. I endeavor to keep [illegible] in a perfect condition. I am [illegible] I am my own physician and am perfectly satisfied all therein.

I do not wish to take my own phrases or three bouquets at myself, but mention a few to state a few facts [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] who have never read newspapers reports, naturally think that I [illegible] some to be "squelched" because [illegible] to the other [illegible] "Old-[illegible] stand the test." I [illegible] I [illegible] to appear to the great majority was below the professional [illegible].

I have myself that I have been an exception to the average "pug." I have mixed at all times with people of all classes of people, and have never been ashamed to be one of my [illegible] never used any form of intoxicants. Some was never drunk. I never was [illegible] I have never been arrested, I have never been sued, I have never been [illegible] I have lived entirely a virtuous life. My friends can say that I have been [illegible] Ask Mr. Williams, the [illegible] I have a loyal relative present, and [illegible] I have a loyal friend in Mr. [illegible] Pratt, has also been a virtuous life, and I defy the world to produce the reverse of a similar character. Drinking and other habits of a similar character were natural to me, and as my mind [illegible] to the [illegible] I [illegible] [illegible] and studied along the lines of physical culture and graduated at the Academy of Physical Culture, in San Francisco. Boxing was a feature of the academy, but I did not take a lesson in boxing. I am considered quite [illegible] to teach physical culture to all of [illegible] I am a man would starve to death if I had which amounts to [illegible] pugs up to the [illegible] of a [illegible] of [illegible].

I have never been a bullyer on any occasion, either here or elsewhere. I have never been [illegible] I am [illegible] as one, yet I have been successful in all my contests.

I shall not do so this time since why I have indulged the sports are. Suffice it to say that I have established this one fact at least, that a boxer can be developed physically and morally so as to circumvent our "dear friends" [illegible] and "Old Cronies" can be as effective and as the same time be a gentleman. But the moment ridicule is blurted, he is a target for all comers to enter at, so he is classed with the "tramp" by those who are not personally acquainted with him. And while I have some broken bones and considerable bruises, yet I do not think to go without pain, and I do not think to go without pain, and I do not propose to follow pugilistic [illegible] as a pastime.

IN SIBERIAN EXILE DOOMED!

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Undoubtedly with the work which [illegible] the Czar of Russia to issue such [illegible] of the European powers [illegible] the announcement that he has ordered a conference to be held [illegible] of considering political affairs, to be [illegible] in Russia, or in the [illegible] Italian island. The [illegible] that the czar is under influence of [illegible] from the political [illegible] Behind the men [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] of Russia [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]