

YANKEES BUILD
UP FAST MACHINE

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The New York Yankees are looking to the future when some of the cogs in the machine that ran rough shod over the rest of the American league last summer become a bit rusty.

Replacements were added yesterday when announcement was made of the purchase for 1928 delivery of the crack keystone combination of Lynn and Jimmy Reese of the Oakland Pacific coast league club.

Unofficially it was understood these two youngsters will cost the Yankees \$150,000 in cash and players. That sum would represent a record outlay by the Yankees for any one deal. The \$135,000 they handed the Boston Red Sox for Babe Ruth was the previous high water mark.

Just how the two coast league stars were to fit into the lineup was puzzling Yankee baseball followers, however. Shortstop Mark Koenig and Second Baseman Tony Lazzeri now do what is to be done around the keystone sack just about as well as any pair in the big leagues. In addition both are young and should show no signs of slowing down for some years.

Joe Dugan, who grows no younger, is the one doubtful member of the Yankees infield and another yore may see Miller Huggins confronted with the problem of filling a hole at third base. Reese or Lary, or both, may break into the lineup if such a situation develops.

Reese, who is 22, set a new coast league fielding record for second baseman last year when he accepted 1,273 of the chances that came his way. Lary, the shortstop who has just reached his majority, also is strong at field and both are hard, timely hitters, although neither rates among the 300 hitmen.

The Yankees-Oakland arrangement adds another to the growing list of "big money" deals between the major and minor leagues. Recently the Chicago White Sox gave \$112,500 in cash and players for Chalmers Clasel, Portland, Oregon, infielder. Connie Mack dug down for \$10,000 before Baltimore gave him "Lefty" Grove. For a thousand dollars less the White Sox got Willie Kamm, third sacker, and the Pittsburgh Pirates Paul Waner and Hal Rhyne, from the San Francisco club. When Paul Strand came to the Athletics, Connie Mack handed the Salt Lake club \$75,000 and the New York Giants made a similar outlay for Jimmy O'Donnell, San Francisco outfielder. Baltimore demanded and got \$65,000 from the Giants for "Southpaw" Jack Bentley.

REVIEWING SPORT EVENTS OF 1927

Excellent Performances in
All Branches of Sports
by Star Individuals.

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(NEA Service Sports Writer)
Registered by competitive records, interest displayed by the public and prosperity attending promotion, the sports year 1927 was another one of those "biggest and best" years that have come in succession since the war days.

In commenting upon the tremendous growth of sports and athletics as amusements, it is necessary to go back to those days before the Dempsey-Carpenter fight, when Tex Rickard said he was about to promote a million-dollar fight.

The public, while appreciating the daring character of Rickard's gambling nature, thought he was barmy when he wrote out checks in advance and gave Dempsey \$300,000 and Carpenter \$200,000. Rickard's crazy dream of a million dollar gate came true, and came so true that he cleared almost a half million for himself.

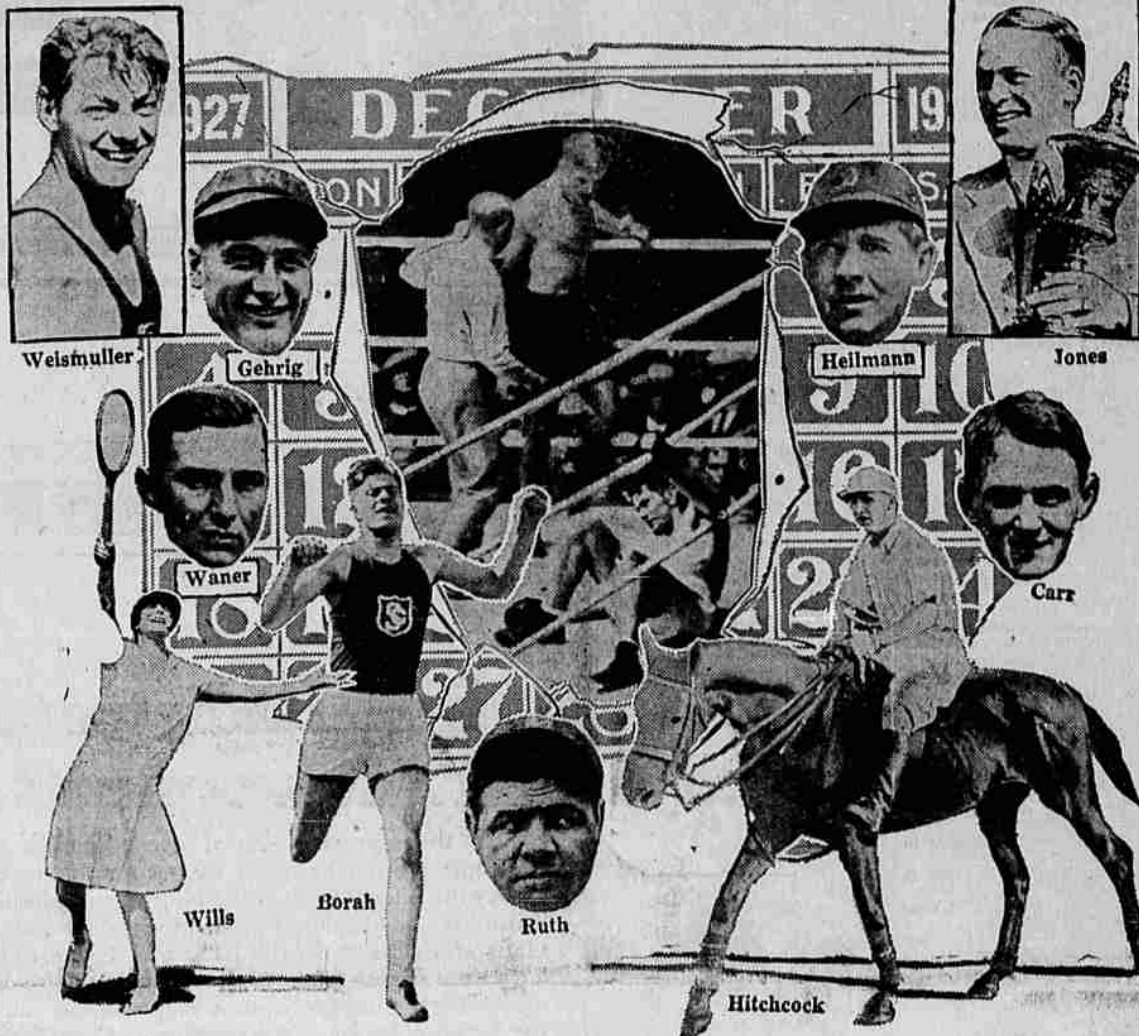
Marking the progress of the times came the first meeting between Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney in Philadelphia in 1926, which introduced a "two million dollar gate" and led to the prediction that the peak had been reached.

But there remained a step forward to attain a "three million dollar fight"—and Rickard just missed it when he put Tunney and Dempsey in the ring again in Chicago and drew \$2,800,000 from 150,000 spectators, the largest crowd that ever had seen a boxing match.

The astounding success of Rickard's greatest show was typical, in a comparative way, of the increased interest shown by the public in other sports.

Notre Dame and Southern California played a football game in the Chicago stadium and drew \$3,000 spectators. There perhaps would have been as many customers as there were for the big fight if it had been possible to seat spectators all over the field.

The receipts were not announced but it was understood that Notre Dame and Southern California each received \$150,000 for their share and when a football team can earn that much in



one afternoon there is plenty of loose money and a lot of persons interested in football.

It is impossible to compute or estimate how many spectators saw all the big and little football games scattered all over the country but it is safe to assume that more than one million fans spent

Saturday afternoons watching the college teams in action.

The world's series between the New York Yankees and the Pittsburgh Pirates fell far short of records for attendance and receipts but it was due not to any lack of interest but to the fact that the Yankees won in four straight

Tunney and Dempsey Fight
Smashed All Records for
Attendance and Receipts

Among them were:
Bobby Jones, who became recognized as the world's greatest golfer with 66's at Minneapolis, St. Andrews and in the Southern open, and with victories in the British open and the American amateur championships.

Babe Ruth, who broke his home-run record by hitting 60.
Helen Wills, who won the British and American tennis championships.

Jack Dempsey, who staged a comeback by knocking out Jack Sharkey and by falling to regain the heavyweight championship on a "long count."

Tommy Hitchcock, who distinguished himself as the world's greatest polo forward in helping the American team beat England for the international cup.

Bruce Caldwell, the sensational Yale halfback, and Benny Oosterbaan, the Michigan end who made the All-American team for the third time.

The Columbia crew, which upset all calculations by winning the intercollegiate rowing championship from Washington at Poughkeepsie.

Sabin Carr, the Yale star, who made a new world's record of 14 feet for the pole vault.

Johnny Weismuller and Martha Norellus, who made almost fifty new world's swimming records.

The New York Yankees, who made a new American League record by winning 110 games during the season and equaled the record by winning the world's series from the Pittsburgh Pirates in four straight games.

FEDERAL DEPT.
OF EDUCATION IS
FAVORED BY STATE

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
SALEM, Ore., Jan. 5.—A federal department of education, to be presided over by a member of the president's cabinet, according to the scheme proposed in the Curtis-Reed bill, is favored by the Oregon State association of county school superintendents in resolutions adopted yesterday.

Other resolutions include:
Establishment of office of state high school inspector.

Change urged in method of distribution of county and state school funds for greater emphasis on county and state units of taxation.

Revision of crippled children's educational law so county would replace school districts in providing money for their education.

Requesting board of trustees of state teachers' association to set aside one period during department sessions at the next convention for a conference of the officials of the various county divisions.

Urging that each of the county superintendents write to the secretary of their group suggesting some superintendent for some office in the State Teachers' association; that these names be sent in ballot form to all the superintendents; that each designate first, second and third choice and return the ballot to the secretary, and that the recipient of the lowest score be given support at county institutes.

The convention adjourned yesterday.

HOME FOR OLD
FIGHTERS PLAN OF
JACK SHARKEY

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
BOSTON, Jan. 5.—Jack Sharkey, heavyweight contender who is to meet Tom Heeny in New York next week, thinks it would be a good idea if promoters of championship bouts were to set aside five per cent of the gate for a fund for aged fighters.

"I have been thinking of the poor fighters who pass away in poverty," said Sharkey while he gave a sparring partner a rest. "If I am named Tunney's opponent I will try to get Rickard and Tunney to agree that a certain percentage be set aside for such a fund."

S. O. S. FROM GREEN-
LAND WINS A WIFE

KING'S BAY, Spitzbergen.—"A young man lacking lady acquaintance seeks with the most honorable intentions communication with an amiable girl, blonde preferred, who has some means and wishes a happy home."

That "S O S" came through the air by radio dots and dashes from a solitary little weather observatory in Greenland. Juan Fernandez, young, studious, and very lonely, was advertising for a wife to share his snug but isolated station.

There was an exploring vessel in the northern seas and the wireless operator was a young woman from Copenhagen. Listening to the weather report from Greenland, she picked up the more personal message sent by Fernandez. She was blonde, amiable and had some savings. She wanted a home, even a snow-bound observatory in Greenland, and she was lonely.

So she accepted the proposal then and there, and later wireless her mother in Denmark. "There'll be a wedding when the ice breaks next year."

HER LATEST

"What was Mrs. Timkin's name before she was married?"
"Mrs. Dempster, Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Murray,"—Judge.

PLANNING ANNUAL
BASKETBALL TOURNEY

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Armed with the approval of the National Federation of State High School associations, the University of Chicago today proceeded with plans for its annual national interscholastic basketball tournament. The tourney will be held April 3 to 7, inclusive.

Opposition to the tournament has been raised by members of middle western state high school athletic associations who contend it causes too heavy a strain on the contestants, disrupts their studies and has a harmful effect upon upon student bodies. This opposition will be placed before the national body's meeting at Boston February 27 and the tournament's continuance voted upon.

CHICAGO SUPT. OF
SCHOOLS TO QUIT

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—William McAndrew will finish his superintendency of Chicago schools next Monday with the expiration of his contract, but his trial on charges of pro-Britishism and insubordination will go on just the same.

An effort to bring the long winded school board trial to a show-down when a resolution calling for an immediate vote on McAndrew's dismissal was ruled out by J. Lewis Coath, board president. He held that it would not be proper to call for a vote until all sides have been heard. Thus far McAndrew's side of the charges has not been revealed from the witness stand.

HERE ARE THE CHAMPIONS OF 1927

Football National—Not recognized. Eastern—Pittsburgh, Yale, Army. Big Ten—Illinois. Southern—Georgia Tech. Southwestern—Texas A. & M. Missouri Valley—Missouri. Pacific Coast—Stanford, Southern California, Idaho. Rocky Mountains—Colorado Aggies. Billiards 18.2 Balk Line—Welker Cochran. Three-Cushion—Otto Relselt. Track and Field Eastern Intercollegiate—Southern California. Big Ten—Illinois. National Intercollegiate—Southern California. Pacific Coast—Southern California. Missouri Valley—Kansas. Swimming Men—Johnny Weismuller. Women—Martha Norellus.	Basketball National A. A. U.—Hillards, St. Joseph, Mo. Eastern—Dartmouth. Big Ten—Michigan. Missouri Valley—Kansas. Southern—Vanderbilt. Pacific Coast—California. Rocky Mountain—Montana State. Southwestern—Arkansas. Rowing Intercollegiate—Columbia University. Polo International—United States. World—Alexander Alekhine. Chess Heavyweight—Gene Tunney. Light Heavyweight—Tommy Loughran. Middleweight—Mickey Walker. Lightweight—Joe Dundee. Featherweight—Sammy Mandell. Bantamweight—Benny Bass (unofficial). Bantamweight—Bud Taylor (unofficial).	Plyweight —Izzy Schwartz or Newboy Brown. Tennis American Men's Single—Rene Lacoste. American Woman's Singles—Helen Wills. Davis Cup—France. British Men's Singles—Henri Cochet. British Woman's Singles—Helen Wills. Golf American Amateur—Bobby Jones. American Open—Tommy Armour. American Woman's—Miriam Burns Horn. Professional—Walter Hagen. British Amateur—Dr. Tweedie. British Open—Bobby Jones. British Woman's—Mlle. Thion de la Chaume. Western Amateur—Don Stein. Western Open—Walter Hagen. Western Woman's—Mrs. Harry Preslerr. Southern Open—Bobby Jones.	Canadian Amateur —Donald Carrick. Canadian Open —Tommy Armour. Canadian Woman's —Ada Mackenzie. American Intercollegiate —Watts Gunn. Baseball World's Series—New York Yankees. National League—Pittsburgh Pirates. Manager—Miller Huggins. Batting, National League—Paul Waner, Pittsburgh. Pitching, National League—Jesse Haines, St. Louis. Pitching, American League—Waite Hoyt, New York. Most Valuable Player, National League, Paul Waner, Pittsburgh. Most Valuable Player, American League—Lou Gehrig, New York. Home Runs—Babe Ruth, Yankees, 60 (new record).
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HEALTH BULLETIN

A Health Budget

(State Board of Health)
As we near the close of the year and begin to figure our family budgets for the coming year, we should remember that no one can tell what disease may cost us for 1928. Certain items can be eliminated if we will observe a few well known precautions for

the prevention of disease. If we have been vaccinated against smallpox this disease will cost us nothing. Diphtheria need not cause us any anxiety if our children have been immunized against this disease. Many other diseases can be minimized by the observance of known methods of disease prevention. When we put off calling a physician we may be good gamblers but the odds are tremendously against us. An annual health examination is a good investment as it enables us to correct defects and get advice on

how to care for the body. Conservation of our physical resources of health is true economy. Avoid the common cold by getting more fresh outdoor air. At least four hours every day should be spent in the great outdoors. Our bodies should be protected by sensible, light, loose porous clothing. You need at least eight hours sleep in a room that is abundant with fresh outdoor air. Food in sufficient quantity and variety to nourish the body properly should be eaten. Underweight and overweight may be due entirely to indiscretions of diet. Enjoy your meals by taking time to chew your food sufficiently and by giving your digestive system an opportunity to function in a normal way. Regular habits are essential to good health. Lift your head up, throw your shoulders back, keep your stomach in, walk and stand with heels apart and toes straight ahead. Avoid catching diseases by keeping away from those who have them. Always wash your hands before eating. Be interested in your work and you will like it. Keep well by resting and sleeping enough to come back every day to the highest state of health. Cultivate a cheerful attitude towards life and you will have mastered one of the essentials of healthy living.

It costs little to live a healthy life. It costs very much less to keep well than to get well. Reduce your family budget by taking measures to preserve health and prevent disease.

FLASHES OF LIFE

FREIBURG, Germany.—Transplantation of glands from monkeys is ineffective as a means of rejuvenation, in the opinion of German scientists. Experiments have convinced the authorities of the university hospital that in some cases there is a temporary rejuvenation but it is followed by rapid decay or the complete cessation of vitality.

PHILADELPHIA.—The flapper shall flap without being lampooned by male New Year merry-makers. Seven young men were arrested for attempting to do scanty impersonations in the mummery parade. Perhaps the police were taking pity on them on a cold day.

ASUNCION, Paraguay.—The latest method of playing chess is to have the pieces represented by beautiful señoritas, dressed in red and white costumes. Twenty thousand persons saw a living game on a board 12 feet by 12. When a piece was captured the señorita representing it left the board with a curtsy.

SILENCE NEEDED

"What do you think of these talking movies?"
"Don't like them; they wake me up."—Judge.

RADIO
PROGRAMS

Portland Stations

KGW, 491.5—6:30 p. m., dinner concert; 7:30-7:40, Luke's Flower Girls; 8:30, studio concert; 9:30, Dodge Bros. program (network); 9:30-10, "Moon Magic" (network).
KOIN, 310—5:15-6, topsy-turvy time; 6:15, dinner concert; 7:15, amusement guide and utility; 7:15-8, orchestra concert; 8:30, studio artists; 9:30-10, Hawaiian music.

KEX, 239—6:30, announcements; 6:30-7, "Our Gang"; 7-8, dance music; 8:30, program; 9:10, studio program; 10:12, dance music.

Other Coast Stations

KOAC, Corvallis, 270.1—7:20 p. m., The Campus reporter and music; 7:20, The Story of Wheat—No. 1, D. D. Hill; 7:30-7:45, Farm utility program; 7:45-8, Agricultural situation and market news; 7:35, Timely farm topics; 7:45-8, "The Family Budget"; Prof. A. Grace Johnson; 8:45, The Forum; 8, New Things in Science; 8:10, "The Call of Citizenship," Prof. J. F. Brumbaugh.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash., 447.5—5:56 p. m., children's hour; 6:30-6:40, "Kiddies' frolic"; 6:40-7:30, concert orchestra; 7:30-8, music; 8:30, studio concert; 9:10, Pacific coast network concert; 10:11, Hotel St. Francis dance orchestra.

KJR, Seattle, Wash., 348.6—6:30 p. m., time signals and utility; 6:30-7:30, dinner concert; 7:30-8:30, dinner concert; 7:30-8:30, "fireside program"; 8:30-10, chain program; 10, time signals; 10:12, dance music.

KFI, Los Angeles, Calif., 469.5—6:15 p. m., radio program; 6:30, Henri Starr; 7, U. S. C. program; 8, Calnet hour; 9:10, Pacific coast network concert; 10:11, modern classics.

KFON, Long Beach, Calif., 241.8—6 p. m., request period; 6:15-7, concert orchestra; 7-8, old-time barn dance; 8:30, band concert; 9:10, studio concert; 10:11, concert; 11:12, dance frolic.

KPD, San Francisco, Calif., 422.3—6:30-7 p. m., board of education program; 7:15, book review; 7:15-7:30, "Sports on the Air"; 8:30, Caswell hour; 9:10, Pacific coast network concert; 10:11, dance orchestra.

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KNX, Los Angeles, Calif., 337—6:30-7 p. m., concert orchestra; 7:30, organ recital; 8:30, violin recital; 9:10, orchestra; 10:11, dance frolic.

KYA, San Francisco, Calif., 309—6:30 p. m., orchestra; 8:30, international hour; studio program; 9:10, time signals; 10:11, carnival night at Apollo cafe.

KFRC, San Francisco, Calif., 451.3—6:30-7:30 p. m., the Cecilians; 8:30, courtesy concert; 9:15-10, movie club; 9:45-10, flying lessons; 10:12, dance orchestra.

KTAB, Oakland, Calif., 280.2—6:45-7:30 p. m., shopping hour; 8:30, lecture from Mills college; 8:30-10:30, studio program.

GETTING IT STRAIGHT

"You came in awfully late last night this morning."
"That's all right; I'm going to sleep until this evening tomorrow."—Judge.

HUNTING SEASON

"I'm going down town to buy a sport dress."
"But, my dear, you won't need one at this time of year."
"Oh, yes, I will. I'm going to shoot my husband."—Judge.



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