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SPORT NEWS

ATHLETICS MAY FINISH IN FRONT

Connie Mack's Aggregation of Big League Stars Strong This Year

By Billy Evans
Connie Mack isn't given to making predictions. He thinks before he speaks.

Connie Mack Year

The Athletics, after disappointing Connie last year, will cause him to be very careful about making any forecasts for 1927.

LONG DISTANCE SWIM SUGGESTED FOR EAST

A. M. Chilton, physical director of the Paterson, N. J., Young Men's Christian association, has announced that he is working on plans for a swimming test to be held ten miles off the Atlantic coast with two ocean liners as goals.

Should Win Pennant

Not since 1914, when Connie Mack won his last pennant, has he such fine prospects to again go over as this year.

WESTERN LEAGUE WOULD BARGAIN ON DRAFT RULE

Although turning down the proposed major-minor draft agreement drawn at French Lick, Ind., the Western League owners have indicated they might accept either of two other propositions.

Delegates from every nation in the world will attend an international anti-tobacco congress to be held at Prague in May.

Antecedents of foreigners who wish to marry English women are investigated by the London register office.

Bans Nicotine in Old Folks' Home



Lewis Peck doesn't permit his aged wards to smoke in the Ottawa county infirmary at Muskegon, Mich., of which he is superintendent.

Fuel Capacity and Speed Mark American Ships

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. (AP)—With a speed equalling the average of fast passenger trains, a horsepower equal to that of the Leviathan, and a length as great as the height of the Washington monument, the light cruisers of the American navy now on duty in Nicaraguan and Chinese waters are among the principal assets of the United States fleet.

Rudner's Fate Is In Jury's Hands

CANTON, Ohio, Feb. 23 (AP)—The fate of Ben Rudner, indicted for the murder of Don H. Magott, Canton editor, was placed in the hands of the jury at 10:13 a. m. today.

Former Ring Champs Turn to Promoting

Two former world champions are now boxing promoters in Chicago. Johnny Coulon, who once held the bantamweight crown, and is trying to develop a new bantam champion, Jack Johnson, who battered the shell of the once invincible James J. Jeffries to defeat in sun-baked Reno 17 years ago, is staging bouts in the negro section of Chicago's south side.

A London bank honored a post card check sent through the mail directing it to pay the addressee the sum of "one pound only."

Some of us are able to make ourselves plain—others needn't try to better Nature.

BEFORE THE MINK

THURSDAY'S PROGRAMS

KGO—Oakland, Cal. (581m-530kc) 6 p. m. Ben's Little Symphony orchestra; 6:55 to 7:25; news market reports; 8 to 9, concert, KGO Little Symphony orchestra; 9 to midnight John Phillips' Midshipmen.

Undeclared



Edith Quikley pictured above is captaining the Palacka P.C. Wildcat cage outfit that has won 17 straight games. She was recently elected the most popular player in her community by the fans there.

HILGARD PERSONALS

HILGARD, Ore. (Special)—Miss Donna Scott arrived home Sunday from California, where she has been visiting relatives for the past six months.

Six-Story "Skyscrapers" Go Up in Process of Americanizing London

LONDON, Feb. 23. (AP)—Good Queen Bess once experienced the thrill of decreeing that this old town had grown large enough, but this was long before any American had even the remotest dream that in the twentieth century the so-called Americanization of the British capital would be on its full swing.

London has been spreading outwardly for hundreds of years and now many sections are beginning to extend their growth upward—old landmarks are being destroyed here and there and what are referred to as skyscrapers are going up in their stead.

Losing Individuality
The fact that the old city is rapidly losing its individuality attracts more attention than any of the new structures.

CLOTHIERS ELET

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 23 (AP)—Max G. Pollitz, of Portland, was selected president of the Oregon Retail Clothiers association at the close of the convention here last night.

Pointed to With Pride

The Bush House, in the Strand, built by Irving T. Bush, of New York, is one of the modern office buildings and is pointed to with pride by visiting Americans.

Legionnaires to Save; Make Trip To Paris Cheap

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 23 (AP)—A total saving of \$5,000,000 will be made in the cost of the Paris convention trip of 30,000 members of the American Legion next September over that of a trans-Atlantic movement of a like proportion at the ordinary travel rates.

Search Started For Man's Body

YREKA, Cal., Feb. 23 (AP)—Search was begun late yesterday for the body of J. H. Wise, caretaker at the Norton camp, believed to have been buccled or pushed into Klamath river by a landslide during Sunday's storm.

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EASTERN OREGON DIST. NO. 1 Basket Ball Tournament HIGH SCHOOL GYM, UNION, Ore. FEBRUARY 24, 25 and 26. FIRST SERIES—THURSDAY Afternoon, 3:30 and 4:30 o'clock—2 games. Evening, 7:30 and 8:30 o'clock—2 games. SECOND SERIES—FRIDAY Afternoon, 1, 2, 3, 4 o'clock—4 games. THIRD SERIES—FRIDAY Evening, 7, 8, 9, o'clock—3 games. FOURTH SERIES—SATURDAY Afternoon, 2 and 3 o'clock—2 games. FINAL GAME Saturday Evening 8 o'clock. Season Tickets Adult \$3.00 Student \$1.50 Single Adm. Adult .50 Student .25 Saturday Eve Adult .75 Student .50



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The Stirring, Dramatic Voice of Nazimova Audiences are thrilled by this talented actress

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Omy! Lookit the Gang Playin' Hooky, and Such Associates, Too

