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SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—(Special.)—Baseball magnates of the Pacific Coast League are gathered here for the annual meeting tomorrow. Judge W. W. McCredie is here from Portland and Henry Berry from Los Angeles. C. W. Pennington, manager of the Los Angeles club, will arrive Friday morning and the outside delegates will be reinforced by Ed M. Walter of the Oakland club, F. M. Job, of the San Francisco club, President J. C. Ewing, of the same club, and Secretary D. W. Long.

Although the question of a six-team league is given consideration, judging from the views of the men who are already on the ground, the Pacific Coast League is very likely to continue along the old lines with four clubs. While a majority of the delegates agree that six teams would be preferable, they feel that to take in cities that would not be self-supporting would weaken their organization.

Where Is Sixth Team?

Henry Berry will champion the cause of the Los Angeles business men, who want a team in Venice, a city which is practically continuous with the coast. The trouble is to find the sixth city. The directors are averse to breaking into any of the cities occupied by the State League and they doubt whether Stockton, Sacramento or San Jose would support a club in this league.

Will Stick to Four Teams.

"I feel as I have always felt," said Mr. Ewing today, "that unless we can strengthen our league, we should go ahead as we are now doing. We can make money and give a better ball than if we had to support a city in the league."

Jockey Fatally Injured.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 2.—Jockey Dennis, one of the riders in the third race at Santa Anita Park yesterday, was thrown by Summer Cloud and may not recover. The boy sustained a concussion of the brain, a fractured arm and other injuries.

Wonder Worker at Chess.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Jacques Mieses, of Leipzig, the famous chess master, played 16 games simultaneously yesterday against some of the best New York players. He won 11 games and lost two, the sixteenth being drawn.

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Alaskans Beaten Again.

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THREAT TO SEND TROOPS

If Streetcar Rioting Continues, Hanly Will Crush It.

MUNCIE, Ind., Jan. 2.—Governor Hanly, through his representative, Adjutant-General Perry, tonight issued an ultimatum to the County of Delaware and the City of Muncie, declaring that if there is further rioting over the strike situation in Muncie tomorrow, 3000 state troops will be on the scene before night-fall.

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Cars were started this morning without interruption, each protected by from seven to nine strikebreakers. At 8 o'clock the crowd began gathering at the station and within 20 minutes 3000 persons surrounded the building. Cars were stoned as they started out. At other parts of the city cars were stopped and the strikebreakers were driven off. Two cars collided on account of Chief Sweeney, Sixth Army Corps, with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and chief of operating staff with the Army in the field. He was professor of surgery in the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Chicago, 1884; professor of principles of surgery, 1887-90, and since then professor of practical and clinical surgery at Rush Medical College, and professor of surgery at Chicago Polytechnic. He was the author of many medical books.

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REVISE SUNDAY LESSONS

Church Leaders Meet to Improve Religious Schools.

BOSTON, Jan. 2.—Men representing all phases of Sunday school work in North America are in Boston today to attend a conference called by W. N. Hartshorn, chairman of the Executive Committee of the International Sunday School Association. The executive committee, the union lesson committee, the Sunday school editorial committee and the denominational publishing concerns of the assembly of the leaders, who are authorized to speak for nearly all the denominations of the Christian churches, representing some 14,000,000 members.

The topic for discussion is "How Can We Improve the Lesson System?"

The International Lesson committee, prompted by action taken at the last triennial at Rome, in the Spring of 1907, has had under consideration the question of changing the system to meet advancing conditions and there has been much discussion of plans.

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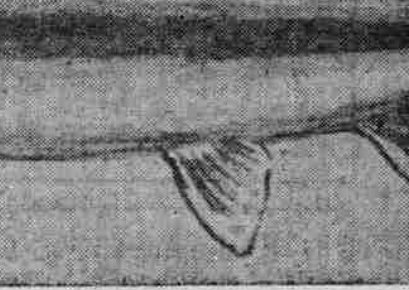
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reply the aspersions of President Jordan," said Yost. "It is some time since the time has arrived when I must demand that Dr. Jordan produce some sort of proof for the numerous statements he has received from Mrs. Schaeffer while he occupied rooms at the home of Mrs. L. M. Shaw, in this city. Dr. Schaeffer and his friends contended that the letter was not written by Mrs. Deichley, as alleged.

Dr. Schaeffer refused to comment upon the verdict, though he admitted that the charges were untrue. He has been the sensation of the year in church circles.

POWERS JURY STILL OUT

WHOLE DAY'S DELIBERATION ON VERDICT FRUITLESS.

Rumored That Eleven Favor Acquittal—Inquiring Closely Into Youtsey's Evidence.

GEORGETOWN, Ky., Jan. 2.—At 7:46 P. M. by agreement of counsel, Judge Morris read to the jury in the Powers trial from the direct and cross-examination of Henry E. Youtsey three paragraphs in answer to two written questions propounded to the court by the jury.

The jury retired for the night at 9:30 o'clock. The case will not be further considered until tomorrow.

Before the jury retired Judge Morris specially charged the jurors to maintain the utmost secrecy. Powers was accompanied by his venerable mother and his sister, Arthur Goebel, brother of the murdered man, and his nephew, William Goebel, at near State's Attorney's office.

An unconfirmed report is that the jury stands 11 for acquittal and one for life imprisonment.

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The teams will lineup as follows:

Multnomah	Position	Y. M. C. A.
Bellevue	Pugh
Dent	Hartman
Allen	Allen
Livingston	Gates
Barton	Young

CAMP PICKS ALL AMERICANS

Football Expert Chooses Best Players and Mentions Moores.

In the last issue of Collier's Weekly, Walter Camp, the noted American football expert, announces his all-American selections for 1908. The selections are based altogether upon individual merit, no attention being paid to the record of the different teams. Mr. Camp's teams meet with general approval, as he is the recognized authority on American football. The selections are as follows:

First eleven—End, Dugas, Annapolis; tackle, Draper, Pennsylvania; guard, Ziegler, Pennsylvania; center, Schulz, Michigan; guard, Erwin, West Point; tackle, Bigelow, Yale; end, Alcott, Yale; quarter, Jones, Yale; halfback, Wendell, Harvard; halfback, Harlan, Princeton; fullback, McCormick, Princeton.

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