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BASEBALL SCALPING TO BE STOPPED

COMMISSION HANDS DOWN A DECISION SHARPLY CRITICIZING CHICAGO CLUB

CITY WILL ENFORCE A LAW

The Commission Announces That Hereafter All Tickets For All the Games During Entire Series Will be Handled by Them.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 19.—The National Baseball Commission has handed down its decision regarding the sale of tickets and scalping during the world's championship series in Chicago. In its report the commission says:

"From the finding of facts as shown we are of the opinion that the Chicago club is deserving of the severest criticism and censure for the manner in which they handled the sale of the tickets during the last world's series, and that they must be held responsible for the great annoyance they caused many patrons of the game in Chicago, and that the complaints filed with the commission by the Chicago public were justified and warranted.

"As we have already stated, there was no direct charge made or proof offered that anyone connected with the Chicago club as an employe was in collusion with the scalpers, yet, at the same time we call Mr. Murphy's particular attention to finding No. 10 regarding sales to scalpers and request that he make a further examination of this particular feature of the case to ascertain, if possible, just in what manner these tickets were secured by these persons.

"We believe it will be a very hard matter to prevent tickets during these series reaching the hands of scalpers, even without collusion on the part of anyone connected with the winning clubs, unless the city authorities pass proper laws and ordinances to prevent scalping of tickets, and for that reason the commission recommends that an effort be made by every major league to secure the necessary legislation in their respective cities for this purpose.

"The commission announces that hereafter all the tickets for all the games during the entire series will be handled by them, and that an attempt will be made to adopt rules with reference to their sale to prevent not only such tickets reaching the hands of scalpers, if possible, but to afford the general public every opportunity to get them quickly at several points and at prices not in excess of those fixed by the commission."

"Tommy is such a good boy," said Mrs. Taddells to the minister as she served the pastry. "You know, Dr. Choker, that pie isn't good for little boys."

"That is very true, Mrs. Taddells," the minister assented. "When I was a boy I was not allowed to eat pastry, and all mothers must watch their children's diet very carefully."

"But I am not at all harsh with Tommy, you will understand, doctor," Mrs. Taddells went on. "Whenever I have something for dessert which Tommy cannot eat—pie, for example—I give him 5 cents to pay for his deprivation. And Tommy takes it so cheerfully, doctor. Tommy is such a dear boy, Dr. Choker."

"I am very glad to hear it, Mrs. Taddells. No, thank you, I could not think of eating more than one piece of pie, excellent as it is. But I am truly glad to hear of Tommy's manliness and cheerfulness when deprived of pie. I suppose, Tommy," the clergyman went on, "you like pie?"

"Yesir."

"What makes you take the 5 cents so cheerfully to go without?"

"Oh, with the nickel I can get a whole pie at the grocery around the corner."

THIEF GETS JEWELS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Jewels valued at \$4000 have been stolen from apartments of Mrs. Florence S. Scott. The police have tried to suppress the news. Mrs. Scott was dining with friends when the thief climbed a fire escape and forced a rear window.

TO WED ST. LOUIS BELLE.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Announcement is made that Edward Magnus, of Chicago, is to wed Miss Nellie Orthwein, of St. Louis. The bride-to-be is one of the best known young women of St. Louis society. Mr. Magnus is a grandson of Adolphus Busch, the St. Louis brewer.

RAGGED AND STARVING.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Thomas Chesno, ragged and half starved, has been living in the bottom of a dry sewer for more than two weeks. He was arrested while crawling out of his strange habitation, which was lined with hay and old clothes. The municipal court will try to find work for him.

FULTON FAILS TO MAKE ELKINS RESPOND

SENATOR IS DISAPPOINTED AT APPARENT INDIFFERENCE TOWARDS HIS BILL.

MAKES SARCASTIC REMARKS

All Efforts on the Part of Senator Fulton to Persuade Elkins to Report on His Rate Bill Meet With Non-Success.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Senator C. W. Fulton made a failure in his efforts to get Senator Elkins to report his amendment to the interstate commerce act this morning. Fulton took occasion to refer sarcastically to Mr. Elkins' dilatory tactics. He reviewed his report and alluded to numerous positive and definite promises of Mr.

Elkins, especially at the latest to report on the bill today. He asked the Senate to postpone adjournment to allow Mr. Elkins to arrive with the report, saying undoubtedly Mr. Elkins was hurrying to the capitol to present it. The Senate, however, adjourned at 12:50 o'clock, until January 4.

Senator Lodge urged adjournment, stating that the hope of Senator Fulton that Senator Elkins would come showed that the confidence of the Oregon man in human nature was as beautiful as it was touching.

During the colloquy Senator Elkins was in the cloakroom, and did not show up in the Senate chamber until

after adjournment. Before concluding his remarks, Senator Fulton stated that immediately after the holidays he would ask the discharge of the commission and consideration of the bill by the Senate.

"KID" PARKER MAD.

PORTLAND, Dec. 19.—"Kid" Parker, who has been hounding O'Connell to make 138 pounds and wrestle him, is grieved in soul that Abernathy, the winner of the last two preliminaries should be compared with him, and offers to bet \$100 and meet him in private any time.

COULON FINDS OPPONENT.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Johnny Coulon is to have a workout in Kansas City, New Year's day, when he meets Mike Orrison, at 108 pounds. The boys are scheduled for 10 rounds, and they are to weigh in at 10 o'clock in the morning.

DINGEE WITHDRAWS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Wm. J. Dingee, the cement manufacturer and capitalist whose responsibility as a bondsman for former Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz was questioned several weeks ago by the district attorney's office, today withdrew as a sur-

ety, and the attorneys for Schmitz supplied, in his stead, the names of seven persons who will guarantee \$110,000 for the appearance of the former Mayor upon the several indictments for bribery pending against him. The majority of these are relatives of Schmitz and the others are friends.

MAY COMPLETE JURY TODAY.

IRVINE, Ky., Dec. 19.—When the court opened this morning it was expected that the jury to try Beach Hargis for the murder of his father would be completed and the prosecution's opening statement begin today.

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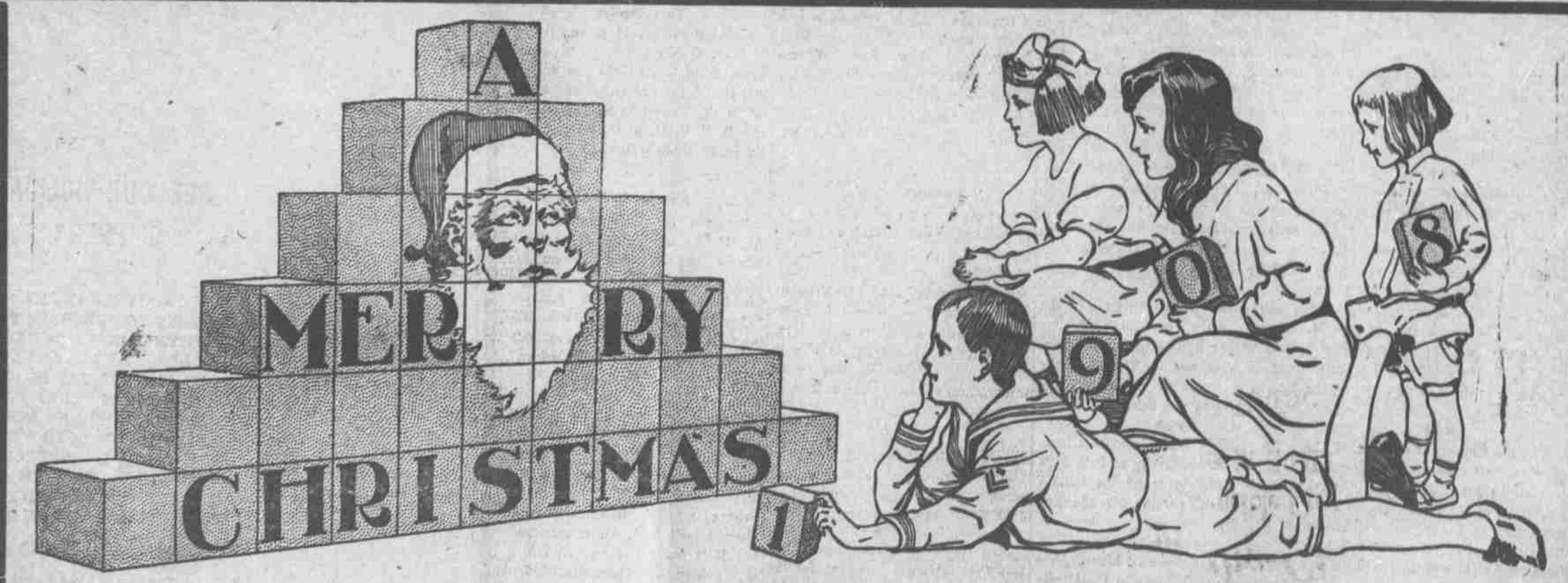
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