

KINNY HANER'S TRIP

GOAT GRABBERS BEN E. DICK THE NEWLYWED WHO IS ALWAYS RAWING ABOUT THE MOST WONDERFUL WIFE IN THE WORLD

WELL KNOWN SAYINGS ILLUSTRATED BY S. CRUSA HE JUST TOLD HER THAT HIS FATHER CAN KISS HER FATHER. ZAT SO?

Answer to Yesterdays WHEN DOES A MAN SIT DOWN TO A MELANCHOLY DESSERT? WHEN HE SITS DOWN TO WINNIE. EXTRAORDINARY TO SAY THE MOST!

all Together now FROM J.P.S. PROVIDENCE WHY IS THE LETTER S LIKE A ZEPPELIN OVER LONDON? ANSWER TO-MORROW.

FIELDER JONES BESTED MILLER HUGGINS FROM PLAYER DESCRIPTION

Some of Yankees Who Report to St. Louis Americans May Do Some Good, but Pratt Is Thought to Be Slipping and Plank Has Probably Pitched His Last Game.

By H. C. Hamilton NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—There is only one chance that the Browns can gain any benefit, viewing it from a purely playing viewpoint, through the deal which sent Derrill Pratt and Eddie Plank to the Yankees, and Leslie Numamaker, Nick Cullop, Urban Shocker, Fritz Maisel and Joe Gedeon to the Browns.

Joe Gedeon may yet live up to expectations and come through with major league ability. Urban Shocker may yet turn out to be a star right hander—the fate predicted for him when he left the International league and graduated into the American.

Cullop and Maisel may be classed as dead wood in figuring their worth to the Yankees. When Maisel first entered the American league his marvelous speed and ability to run bases excited critics to praise. It was then believed that he some day would learn to hit.

Nick Cullop, graduating from the Federal league to the American, had a wonderful streak of luck with the Yankees for a long time. He won 12 games in a row in the 1916 season. It has been a matter of general discussion in the American league, however, that Nick's greater ability consists of good prayer and marvelous luck.

Shocker May Get Change Urban Shocker has given plenty of encouragement to those followers of baseball who predicted that he would amount to something some day. He is a young spitball flinger, a youth who established records in the International league before he got into faster company.

Leslie Numamaker is a heavy hitter and a most capable receiver. Walters, Alexander and Ruel, all youngsters, are with the Yankees, however, and Miller Huggins doubtless figured they would be of more benefit to him than a veteran with the years of Numamaker.

Both Clubs Will Benefit But, as Colonel Ruffert said in announcing the trade, the benefit is as great to one club as another. Derrill Pratt, the most important commodity the Yankees gained in exchange for the pitcher, is a slipping fast. He can't possibly be rated as good as when he was the mainstay of the Brown hitters.

Plank Probably Means It Eddie Plank probably means just what he said when he announced he would not play this summer. He's getting old, although he has still left many good games in his left hand. He would have filled a want for the Yanks.

Huggins Is Seeking High Class Fielder New York, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—Miller Huggins, new manager of the Yankees, has declared himself in the market for an outfielder for his team and has hinted that he expects to get a thoroughly capable player regardless of the cost, which led fans here today to predict that another sweeping trade may be expected soon. Huggins is here for a long stay. He will remain in New York until the Yankees leave for Macon on March 5.

Battling Ortega Is Victor at Seattle Seattle, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—Battling Ortega, Oakland, Cal., middleweight boxer, was too young and rugged for Frank Farmer, veteran Tacoma light heavyweight, in their round bout at the Crystal Pool last night. He easily won the decision.

Foltz Rights Ritchie General's Big Idea

Camp Lewis, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—In defense of Willie Ritchie, in whose future exemption claims are reported to have been filed by several of his friends, Brig. General Foltz, commanding the Ninety-first division, has issued the following statement:

"In justice to Mr. Willie Ritchie, now boxing instructor in this division, it should be shown that he has made no claim for exemption; he voluntarily enlisted in July and was honorably discharged before being appointed boxing instructor.

ROUND-UP CITY MAY ASK CLUB

Pendleton Makes No Definite Offer; Beyond Suggestion From Outsider, McCredie Ignorant.

THERE has been no offer on the part of the Pendleton Round-Up association or the Pendleton baseball fans to Judge McCredie to have the Portland ball club train there this spring, although the judge would be willing to send the club to the inland city, provided terms were enticing enough.

A man named Hicks called on the judge yesterday and asked him for an opinion relative to training at Pendleton. Hicks, who is in the railway business, suggested that Pendleton might pay all the training expenses of the Portland club on condition that the association there keep all the receipts.

Whether Hicks is vested with any authority to act was not made clear to the judge; but, inasmuch as he has started the ball rolling, the Pendleton fans may take it up. Pendleton would make an ideal place to train the Portland club, provided the season opens in May. There is a splendid ball park in the famous Round-Up enclosure, and the fans there have the spirit to put the thing over if they once take it up.

California to Meet Stanford Men Today

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—A long step towards the reestablishment of athletic relations between California and Stanford may be taken here this afternoon, when representatives of the two universities will meet to consider "compromise peace terms" submitted by the California side.

Zbyszko Trounces Old Charley Cutler

Duluth, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—Wladek Zbyszko had a punishing toe hold on Charley Cutler at the end of an hour and a half of wrestling here last night and when Cutler refused to yield the police stopped the match. Ligaments in Cutler's leg were torn.

Big Ten Teams to Play Chicago, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—Two Big Ten conference basketball games are scheduled here tonight, and one may decide the conference championship.

EX-PULLMAN COACH CAPTAIN



John R. Bender, former Washington State college football coach, who has been appointed a captain in the national army. He will have charge of athletics at Camp Sevier, Greenville, S. C.

Washington, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—The appointment as captains in the national army of 12 well known athletes has been announced by the war department. They will be assigned to different national army cantonments as athletic directors.

Alexander Leading Twirler Walt Johnson Placed Second

New York, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—The method of ranking pitchers for their effectiveness is fair enough. It does not belittle the performance of the big winning pitcher, though he has allowed opponents many runs. It does help the pitcher who has lost many games through fleeing bobbles behind him.

But though the fairness of ranking pitchers for their effectiveness in one season is appreciated, it is after all the pitcher who can do the most work and turn in the most victories with consistent regularity who is most valuable to any ball club. The man who pitches with the greater regularity is the one who has the most victories and losses. But it is for such pitchers that the managers are constantly hunting.

Chicago's Bakeries Face Flour Shortage

Chicago, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—Chicago bakeries may have to shut down, throwing thousands of persons out of employment in addition to causing a great calamity to bread users because of the scarcity of wheat flour here.

Francis Ouimet Takes Exam for A Lieutenancy

Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—Sergeant Francis Ouimet, the amateur golf champion, at present attached to the intelligence staff of the Third Infantry, has taken the examination for a second lieutenancy in the quartermasters corps.

OREGON IS BEATEN BY O.A.C. TEAM

Aggies Pile Up Big Score on Lemon-Yellow Team; Gurley and Ray Star.

Table with columns: Northwest Interscholastic Basketball, Western Division, Eastern Division, Oregon Aggies, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Whitman.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Or., Feb. 2.—The Orange and Black dribblers won their third straight game of the Northwest conference last night by defeating the University of Oregon team by the score of 28 to 8.

The Aggies outclassed the Lemon-Yellow team throughout the entire contest. Gurley and Ray being the best point getters for O. A. C.

The O. A. C. freshmen team noosed the Oregon frosh out in a close game, 22 to 20. Williams, former Jefferson high school star, scored 12 points for O. A. C.

Idaho Wins Fifth Straight Washington State college Pullman, Wash., Feb. 2.—The University of Idaho basketball team won its fifth straight game of the season by taking the Washington Staters down the line last night by the score of 21 to 17.

Billiards

Chicago, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—John Moore is the present cue manipulator in the world today as a result of his one point victory over Alfredo De Oro, world's three cushion champion, in the American billiard players' ambulance fund tournament.

Matches between Charles McCourt and Heil, De Oro and George Moore, Charles Elms and George Jackson, and Pierre Maupome and John Moore are on today's card.

Ray Palmer, the bespectacled cue manipulator from Detroit, holds the low game record of the tournament. He defeated Charles McCourt of Cleveland, 50 to 34 in 46 innings Thursday.

Phillips and Standish in Finals Pinehurst, N. C., Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—Howard J. Phillips of Pinehurst and J. D. Standish of Detroit met here today in the final round of the St. Valentine's golf tournament.

Prisoners Would Help to Win War

Washington, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—With the present shortage of labor, it is nothing short of criminal to allow 300,000 men to remain idle in the prisons. Most of these men are patriotic through and through and they are all willing to help in any way they can.

Candies Sold Navy Found to Be Pure

Washington, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—The sale of candy in the navy, suspended when it was reported ground glass had been found in the supply, has been resumed. Secretary Daniels announced Friday evening. The secretary declared investigation had uncovered no impurities.

BASEBALL WILL TURN THOUSANDS INTO BIG CHEST OF RED CROSS

Fans Will Pay War Tax to See Games and in Order to Omit Handling of Pennies Magnates Have Decided to Turn Over Extra Two Cents to War Charity.

By Eddie Geiger CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—The National and American leagues are going to give thousands of dollars to the Red Cross this summer through the baseball fans. The public will pay, though the magnates are making it possible through a scheme of taxation on the daily ticket.

Bleacher seats will cost 30 cents each, pavilion 55c, grandstand 75c, boxes and reserved seats \$1.10, under the schedule submitted to the commissioners of internal revenue at Washington. The war tax due the government on bleacher admission is 3c, on pavilion 5c, on grandstand 8c and on reserved seats 10c. Pass holders will also be assessed 10c, which is 2c more than the government requires.

Here's where the Red Cross profits: The extra 2 cents on each bleacher, grandstand and pass admission will be turned over to that organization. It is said the plan has met with the approval of the internal revenue department and that formal announcement to this effect will be issued from the capital in a few days.

"Our plans are in the hands of the authorities in Washington and we expect an answer soon." The Red Cross will profit about \$500 a game from the scheme, based on the attendance of 1917. Some magnates are in the hands of the authorities in Washington and we expect an answer soon.

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MIDDLE WEST IS STRONG FOR NEW WELTER BOXER

Joe Eagan Has Gauliflower Ear and Everything That a Fighter Owns. Chicago, Feb. 2.—Middle West boxing fans are singing the praises these days of a new welterweight scrapper who appeared unheralded a few weeks ago and earned a large slice in the hall of fame by demonstrating that he is a real two-fisted fighter.

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These performances by the Beantown battler have convinced fight followers throughout the Middle West that Eagan is a youth who has a bright pugilistic future. In his next scrap he will be up against a real test, for he will tackle Bryan Downey, the Columbus (Ohio) boxer, who is under the tutelage of the well known Tom Jones.

Eagan is a typical scrapper in appearance. He is a tow-headed youth and carries the fighter's trademark—a cauliflower ear. His nose also gives evidence of having stopped numerous lusty punches.

In his ring style Eagan is of the perpetual motion type. He starts after his man from the first bell and keeps after him as long as the fight lasts. His word "stall" apparently is not in his vocabulary. Fans who have seen him declare he is more or less a counter-part of Terrible Terry McGovern in the way he keeps everlastingly boring into an opponent.

Eagan pays little attention to the punches of his adversaries. He is always willing to trade a blow for the chance of landing one. He is not very effective at long range, but relies on short punches. His blows seldom travel more than a foot, but when they land they jar an opponent from his toehold to his insoles.

Honey Will Enter Race for Governor

Los Angeles, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—Francis J. Honey boosters from all over the state will gather at a dinner to be given in Los Angeles, on February 12, when Honey's gubernatorial platform will be announced and additional campaign managers selected.

Peace Only When Fritz Is Licked

Seattle, Feb. 2.—(U. P.)—"The Germans, in my opinion, will never overthrow the Kaiser," said Major H. W. Patton, editor of the Hoquiam Washingtonian, who recently returned from a trip to the French battle front and who is in Seattle today.

BOWLING

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John Ruskin Co. REMEMBER THE NAME—it means "fine cigar, low in price."

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