

The difference between a pianist and a chewing gum magazine is what the insurance company calls "Federalism" and "Welfare."

M'CARTHY HOPES MEX WON'T RUN

Knockemeda Welter Arrives From San Francisco Full of Pepper for Wednesday.

EN ROUTE to the Terwilliger boulevard and enclosed in an old gray sweater, familiar enough to the denizens of Telegraph hill, but new to the dogs and cats and delivery horses along South Sixth street, Johnny McCarthy, the knockemeda welterweight from San Francisco, dropped in at the office this morning to say hello.

"Can't stay but a minute," announced the knockemeda, "as I'm out to do a little roadwork. Got to taper down for the Mex you know. Will be in grand shape tomorrow night, as I never felt better in my life. Finally got some sense in my head after 13 years of meeting all corners, including S. Beer, the well known scrapper of San Francisco.

Scrap Settled Down
"Yep, I've done pretty well in the last year. Got the little home paid for down in the city. All the doctor bills cleaned up at last and a couple of hundred smacks in the bank for a rainy day.

"If the Mex doesn't start to sprinting it ought to be a good battle. I see he is a little taller than I am, but height doesn't make any difference. I'll tip him over to my size and then back Mary Ann out on the old chin. All I hope is that he has as much guts as Muff Bronson and doesn't run. You have to hand it to Muff at that. He showed me more bravery than any boy I have met in the Northwest and as much as anybody I ever boxed. Some nerve, that kid.

"I look like a corking good card they've fixed up and it ought to draw a full house.

Old Timers in Corner
Manager Sol Levinson did not accompany Johnny, but he sent word that he wanted Tommy Tracy and Mysterioso, Billy Smith to sit in McCarthy's corner.

SPORTS NOTES

Italian Mission Sends Report of the Mooney Case Home
San Francisco, Jan. 7.—(U. P.)—Members of the Italian labor mission have sent to the labor unions of Italy a several hundred page report on the conduct of the Mooney case.

May Play Easterners
Great Lakes naval training station basketball team in addition to contests with western conference fives may visit the East and play among other games with Annapolis, Columbia, Rutgers and the Crescent A. C. of Brooklyn.

Start Basking January 11
Western Intercollegiate Conference A. basketball series will start January 11. All of the big 10 will compete in the tournament which will conclude March 15, with the Indiana vs. Wisconsin game.

"Hospital Shortage Felt," Says a Headline. Somebody Else Been There?

WHILE the Cobbs and the Mathewsons and Ricketys have been sojourning as majors and captains in the S. O. S. (back where the bullets are as scarce as hen's teeth), Old Hank Gowdy, the first major leaguer to enlist in the United States army, has been with the doughboys in France, fed up on "corn willie," rain and mud. Hank has been there since the first Ohio troops went over and he is still a sergeant. Below is Hank in his o. d.



Wanted no Footing
"If the Mex doesn't start to sprinting it ought to be a good battle. I see he is a little taller than I am, but height doesn't make any difference. I'll tip him over to my size and then back Mary Ann out on the old chin. All I hope is that he has as much guts as Muff Bronson and doesn't run. You have to hand it to Muff at that. He showed me more bravery than any boy I have met in the Northwest and as much as anybody I ever boxed. Some nerve, that kid.

Hitchcock Bill Is Vigorously Opposed
Washington, Jan. 7.—(U. N. S.)—Vigorous protest against the enactment of the Hitchcock bill providing for the establishment of a commission of three to adjust differences growing out of the settlement of formal and informal war contracts has been made by Assistant Secretary of War Benedict Crowell in a letter to Senator Fletcher, which was made public today.

\$DOLLARS SHOULD BE GIVEN CAN

Branch Rickey Thinks Baseball Should Be Free From All Commercialism.

By Jack Velock
NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—(U. N. S.)—Major Branch Rickey, the forceful president of the St. Louis Cardinals, who is in New York waiting to be mustered out of the army, is optimistic concerning the future of baseball.

"If the executives, the players and everyone directly interested in baseball will forget that the dollar sign is associated with it and boost it as the one big national game, there is no doubt in my mind regarding the success of its comeback," said Rickey today.

Way Is Now Clear
"The road is open for baseball's return. Fandom is ready for it as well as the players and the clubowners. But we must bring it back on the basis of a game, of the skillful exhibition, and one where intelligent competition is outstanding.

"Baseball is one sport that has remained clean, even though it has been commercialized. But though it is professional, the connection of the dollar sign with baseball has been overplayed. I do not believe there is any need for strikes along the line of retrenchment. Unnecessary expenses should be cut, of course, but the game must be kept on the same high standard that it maintained before the war.

Eighteen in Uniform
"I have 18 players in uniform. They have all made good. Every major league club and dozens of minor league clubs are represented in both the army and navy. Men like Mathewson, Cobb, Sisler, Miller, Snyder, Lavan, Gabby Street and dozens of others, too numerous to mention, went into the war in all seriousness. And you cannot name a single player who went into it who did not make good. I don't think there is a more patriotic, virile or enthusiastic body of men anywhere than the baseball players in the service. And their coming back will help the game, too."

St. Louis Is Unsettled
Speaking of prospects ahead of the Cardinals this year, Rickey stated that affairs were in an unsettled condition in St. Louis for the present. He pointed out that because of the uncertainty of whether or not he would return to this country in time for the coming season, the officials who were left at home went ahead with plans as they should have done, and that some changes will probably be made. He refused to comment on the report that he would manage the club and that Jack Hendrix would be let out.

South Bend Club Nominates Officers
South Bend, Wash., Jan. 7.—The following nominations for officers of the South Bend Commercial club, to be voted for January 10, have been made: President, S. W. Sturdevant; E. M. Connor, vice president; Charles H. Mills; treasurer, Kenneth Leach; trustees, Ray Nettleton, Fenton Smith, E. Pederson, L. E. Larson, H. A. Gibbs, Dr. Barnhart and Harry Van Tuijck. The club is planning considerable community betterment work this year and is actively engaged in pushing the completion of roads that have been started and were discontinued on account of the war.

Dave Fultz, Enemy Of Baseball Mag, Is League Prexy

New York, Jan. 7.—(U. N. S.)—The new international league is on record today as opponent of the ancient right of the majors to draft players. The club owners passed a resolution at their annual meeting here which will be put before the joint meeting of the majors in New York January 26, asking that the draft be lifted from their organization.

But Dave Fultz, now in the aviation service, is the new president of the league, succeeding John H. Farrell. The league will probably adopt a 140-game schedule. No changes will be made in the circuit, according to present plans.

\$75,000 NOT ENOUGH FOR J. WILLARD

Timid Heavyweight Champion Not Interested in Offer for Battle With Dempsey.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—(U. N. S.)—Jess Willard has turned down the record breaking purse of \$75,000 for his share for a 20 round fight with Jack Dempsey for the championship of the world, it became known today.

Domestic Tordich, New Orleans promoter, put this bid on the wire to Harry Tammen, of Denver, who, he figured, could get a favorable reply from the champion.

Here is Willard's reply as wired to Tammen:
"Received your wire on my return to Lawrence today. Don't care to consider proposition of boxing at this time. Might pass through Denver in near future and will see you then."

W. S. F. LEAGUE

NAME	W.	S.	F.	Tot.	Avg.
Johnson	18	26	34	78	1.41
Matt	17	18	15	50	1.41
Jackson	10	14	10	34	1.04
Wright	12	12	12	36	1.22
Dater	21	15	21	57	1.51
Totals	546	498	503	1637	
LARCH					
Ruck	135	166	139	440	1.47
White	134	144	128	406	1.42
Wright	105	101	111	317	1.06
Ireland	138	165	171	474	1.37
Totals	513	576	549	1638	
CEDAR					
Hoffman	126	128	118	372	1.27
Brundage	125	147	150	422	1.41
Merritt	115	107	111	333	1.25
Ross	100	141	127	368	1.28
Totals	518	523	506	1547	
SPRUCE					
Chandler	117	123	142	382	1.27
Windsor	139	152	162	453	1.65
Plum	115	125	134	374	1.25
Absentee	104	164	164	432	1.64
Totals	572	547	562	1681	
ROSE CITY LEAGUE					
PACIFIC OUTFITTING CO.					
Springer	210	172	148	530	1.77
Hlad	189	182	162	533	1.65
Vettersburg	157	192	181	530	1.73
Sherman	139	198	147	484	1.61
Hoch	104	120	141	365	1.64
Totals	795	845	783	2423	
TAN OIL CO.					
Harnes	184	133	186	463	1.62
Fernes	212	149	192	553	1.84
Boller	117	141	128	406	1.42
Hamilton	121	137	150	408	1.38
Fore	171	153	160	484	1.61
Totals	785	715	814	2314	
UNION MEAT CO.					
Rea	208	169	193	570	1.78
Morgan	173	163	172	508	1.65
Thompson	178	141	138	457	1.63
Merrick	191	203	204	598	1.99
Pender	194	184	147	525	1.98
Totals	929	858	844	2626	
TRI BLEU					
Jones	135	138	208	481	1.61
Robbittie	178	175	198	551	1.81
Noonan	115	145	137	445	1.42
Grech	100	141	127	368	1.28
Elisser	132	195	146	473	1.62
Totals	765	801	846	2412	

SOUTH HAS PLANS FOR BOXING LAW

California Legislature Will Be Asked to Pass Six or Ten Round Law.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 7.—(U. N. S.)—Such proposed boxing legislation as may be put in effect upon a footing in the state is now in the hands of Assemblymen Ed Lewis of Marysville and Fred Hawes of San Francisco.

The fact that Lewis had counted upon introduction of a so-called "boxing bill" in the house may mean that Hawes will either assist in the preparation of a joint measure, or suffer the Marysville man to go it alone. Boxing is not in the same unfortunate predicament it was before the war. It has demonstrated its usefulness in the compulsory military training of the nation. Even its professional exponents have in a large measure, contributed through their own efforts, to the improvement of the athletic fields of camp and station.

Will Not Be Opposed
A bill favoring new extensions in the California law will hardly meet with the same opposition that it did two or four years ago.

Assemblyman Lewis is on record against any movement that is to establish prizefighting. He does approve of boxing and will work early and late for the chance of putting a new bill over. He has about made up his mind to ask for six-round boxing. This is only two rounds additional to those now permitted under the law. It would be better if he asked for ten rounds, the fans believe.

For purely popular purposes Hawes would deduct a share of the receipts to care for soldiers and sailors, sick or returning from the war. This doesn't seem impressive as that subject will be pretty well in hand two years hence, and there is no chance of putting a law which went over at this session would have to be referred to the people for their vote at the polls. Were it adopted as an amendment, it might pave the way for the establishment of a state boxing commission or some other body of control.

Baseball Mogul Takes Out Policy For One Million

Chicago, Jan. 7.—William Wrigley Jr., majority stockholder of the Chicago Cubs' baseball team and chewing gum magnate, was today struggling around under a \$1,000,000 insurance policy issued yesterday after eight physicians representing 22 insurance companies had pronounced the baseball magnate a "good million-dollar risk."

The physicians marveled at Wrigley's physical condition. "Nothing to marvel at," he told them. "The things I like in life took place in the early part of the day and not late at night. That accounts for my perfect physical condition."

Douglass Grant, the California champion, is placed in No. 1 position. The rankings of the amateurs:
1—Douglas Grant, Burlingame.
2—Heinrich Schmidt, Claremont.
3—H. Chandler Egan, Medford.
4—Dr. D. P. Fredericks, Del Monte.
5—H. A. Fleeger, Seattle.
6—H. J. Coughlin, Los Angeles.
7—Ervin S. Armstrong, Los Angeles.
8—Dr. C. H. Walter, San Jose.
9—John F. Neill, Del Monte.
10—John H. Nettle, Portland.
11—Rudolph Wilhelm, Portland.
12—Captain E. E. Hunter, Midwick.
13—A. H. Vincent, Burlingame.
14—Vincent Whitney, San Francisco.
15—C. E. Maud, Del Monte.
16—John Lawson, Lakeside.
17—R. W. Hayne, Burlingame.
18—R. H. Hughes, Spokane.
19—Judge William Frederickson, Los Angeles.
20—Lieutenant F. W. von Schrader, Presidio.
21—G. T. Cline, San Gabriel.
22—E. K. Ballinger, Seattle.
23—E. K. Johnston, San Jose.
24—B. H. O'Keefe, San Jose.
25—S. W. Conlan, Lincoln Park.
26—E. J. O'Brien, Lincoln Park.
27—John Doran, Spokane.
28—Lieutenant F. C. D. Keith, Presidio.
29—Pitzgerald Marx, Claremont.
30—Frances Tatun, San Gabriel.
31—W. W. Campbell, Virginia.
32—T. McCall, Brentwood.
33—H. L. Case, California.
34—R. W. Skelly, Riverside.
35—Frank Kales, Claremont.
36—Robert Bacon, California.
37—A. D. S. Johnston, Midwick.
38—A. M. Graves, Spokane.
39—E. M. McGinn, Snohomish.
40—P. T. Prather, San Francisco.
41—E. M. Twigs, Lakeside.
42—W. H. Klier, California.

Vancouver Wins Hockey Game
Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 7.—Five thousand hockey fans saw the Victorians go down to defeat before the Vancouver Millionaires in the opening game of the Pacific Coast Hockey season here last night. The score was 6 to 1. Superior team work of the visitors enabled them to win handily.

Anderson to Quit Baseball
New York, Jan. 7.—Fred Anderson, formerly one of the leading pitchers of the Federal league and one of the mainstays of the New York Nationals' pitching staff last season, has announced his retirement from baseball. He will practice dentistry.

Telegram for Santa Singh
There is a telegram at the sports editor's desk for Santa Singh, the Hindu wrestler.

MAGNETS ARE READY FOR COAST

Bob Brown Wants In After Trying to Wreck League Last June.

SEATTLE, Jan. 7.—Whether or not Seattle and Portland will join the Coast league will be decided at a meeting of the Pacific Coast International Baseball league circuit here today.

Owner Dugdale of the Seattle club favors the change to the Coast league. Bob Brown, leader of the Vancouver, B. C. club, will be at the meeting today. It is possible, according to rumor here today, that a new Coast league with four teams in the south end of the circuit and four in this section, making an eight club organization, may be formed. This circuit would comprise Seattle, Tacoma, Vancouver, B. C.; Portland, San Francisco, Oakland, Los Angeles and Sacramento. Salt Lake would be dropped because of the long jump.

Spokane's Claim Better
While Bob Brown has appeared in Seattle to harass the Pacific International league magnates, who forfeited his franchise when he refused to come to Portland and transferred the club from Vancouver, B. C., to Vancouver, Wash., there has been no word from the Spokane club, which has a better claim to recognition than Brown.

Spokane never dropped out of the league but was dropped when Tacoma threw up the sponge, in order to cut to four clubs. Spokane was ready to go on but was not allowed to under the circumstances.

Seattle, Jan. 7.—(U. P.)—With the Pacific coast light-weight championship hanging in the balance, K. O. Krivosky of San Francisco, title holder, and Mickey King of Seattle, former title holder, will meet at the Crystal Pool here tonight in a four round bout. It will be King's first fight since his defeat by Ortega in Butte last October, but he says he has taken on weight and feels confident of success.

Krivosky and King Will Battle Tonight

At the annual meeting of the record committee of the Amateur Athletic union at Philadelphia Miss Olga Dorfner, the crack woman swimmer of Philadelphia, had several new marks chalked up to her credit. Miss Dorfner was credited with the records of the 100-yard open still water swim, the 220-yard with two turns and the plunge for distance.

Milwaukee boxing promoters may stage the bout between Jack Dempsey and Mike Gibbons.

University Begins Second Term With Normal Attendance

University of Oregon, Eugene, Jan. 7.—With more than 1000 students in attendance the University of Oregon opened its doors Monday, beginning the second term of the school year and the first term of an "after war" year.

As far as possible during the coming year, the university will be run on the same basis as before the war. With the exception of a reserve officers' training corps, there will be no military work at the school. Fraternities have reopened their doors, which were closed by the S. A. T. C. of last term, and all conditions are being rapidly regulated to normal.

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 7.—(U. P.)—No agreement to participate in an armed movement to overthrow the Carranza government in Mexico was reached at a meeting of 600 Mexican refugees in the courthouse here Sunday afternoon. Speakers advised against civil warfare and urged that delegates should be sent to Carranza, Villa, Zapata and other faction leaders to plead with them for guarantees for the safe return of expatriated Mexicans and for restoration of peace in Mexico.

Boy Scouts to Pay Honor to Roosevelt

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Jan. 7.—(U. N. S.)—James E. West, chief scout executive of the Boy Scouts of America, today notified Mrs. Roosevelt that all of the Scouts in America will plant oak trees bearing inscriptions suitable to the memory of Colonel Roosevelt, who was honorary vice president of the organization.



WHEN you feel your car skid—that feeling of utter helplessness with its attendant fear of disastrous consequences—it will be too late to do anything, except pray. No amount of human skill will then avert a crash against the curb, a nearby vehicle, or worse yet, the innocent bystander. But you don't have to suffer that terrible "feeling of utter helplessness." Appreciate now that the only thing to do is to use the dependable preventative—Anti-Skid Chains on all four tires.

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Bethlehem Adds a Star
Bethlehem Steel company soccer team has added Sid Brown, conceded to be the greatest halfback in Canada, to the list of stars representing it in the kicking style of football.

Holly Played 121 Games
Shortstop Hollister of the Cubs played in all 121 games last year, an unusual performance for a youngster breaking into the major league.

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