

FUTURE OF CONFERENCE TO BE DECIDED TODAY

Freshman Participation Is Major Question

MEETING IS IN SEATTLE

Professor Herbert C. Howe, President of Coast Conference, Gives Problems to Be Considered

Important questions vitally affecting the future of the Pacific Coast conference will come to a head at the conference meeting tomorrow and Saturday at Seattle. It was announced by Professor Herbert C. Howe of Oregon, president of the Pacific Coast conference, who left Eugene yesterday morning for Seattle. The biggest question perhaps to come before the body will be the matter of participation for freshmen. This will affect the future of the Pacific coast colleges very materially. At the last meeting several conference schools were in favor of abolishing freshman sports, but nothing definite was decided upon, Professor Howe said. The whole question will be threshed out and it will be definitely decided whether or not the colleges will continue the first year sports.

Freshmen Cause Trouble

Freshmen have caused us a lot of trouble by constantly flunking out of school. It takes about a year to get accustomed to college life and to adjust ones self to college work," said Professor Howe. "Another question which will be definitely settled is the future of baseball as an intercollegiate sport. There is a move to abolish the sport entirely because it is not supported by the student bodies and because the status of the players who participate in summer baseball is in somewhat of a mess. Passing on who is and who is not eligible is a difficult task. However, if some plausible policy can be worked out at Oregon we will vote to retain baseball. So will O. A. C., according to a story published recently in a Portland newspaper.

Rules to Be Altered

The rules governing the east-west football game at Pasadena, managed by the Pacific Coast con-

ference will probably be altered so that it will not be so difficult to select a team to represent the conference. This year for the first time a great deal of trouble was found in lining up a team to represent the West. The western conference in California voted to cut the practice hours daily from three hours to two hours and to abolish chalk talks which come every night after dinner at a meeting held last week. In that way the time spent by the players on football would be cut to a minimum it is thought. Oregon, however, will not take the initiative in sponsoring that move, according to Professor Howe, unless some other school brings up the point first.

LEAGUE RATINGS MADE

FALCONS AND CRABS LEAD IN PERCENTAGES

League standings in both the Junior A and intermediate departments of the Y. M. C. A. were announced yesterday by E. E. Holman, physical director. The standings are based on physical department scores, results of games, contests, etc. Junior A department results in the "bird league" follow:

Falcons	328
Orions	311
Ravens	281
Swallows	251

The "fish league" results of the intermediate department are:

Crabs	322
Whales	259
Sharks	241
Seals	238

GRANGE MAY PLAY SOON

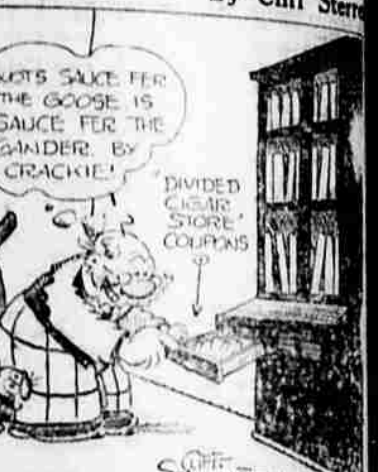
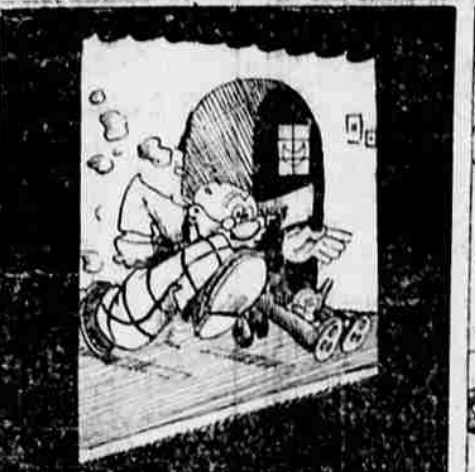
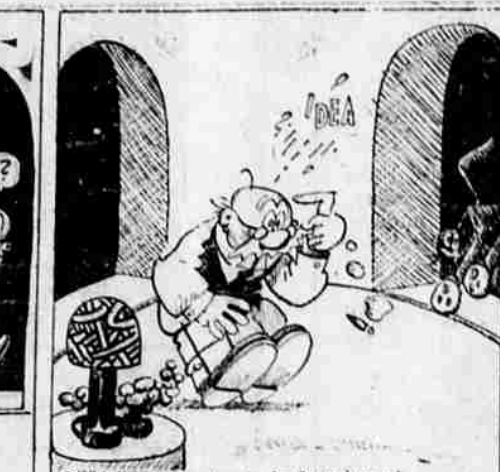
MANAGER EXPECTS PLAYER BACK SATURDAY

(By The Associated Press) PITTSBURG, Dec. 10.—Harold "Red" Grange was hopeful tonight that he would be able again to take the football field Saturday in the game at Detroit despite injuries he suffered in today's game between the Chicago Bears and the Pittsburgh All-Stars. While the galloping ghost of the gridiron was confined to his room in the Schenly hotel under the care of a physician, George Hallas, manager of the Bears, said he expected Grange to be able to resume playing in three or four days. Dr. Gustav Berg, physician of the Pittsburgh baseball club was not so optimistic.

BRINGING UP FATHER



POLLY AND HER PALS



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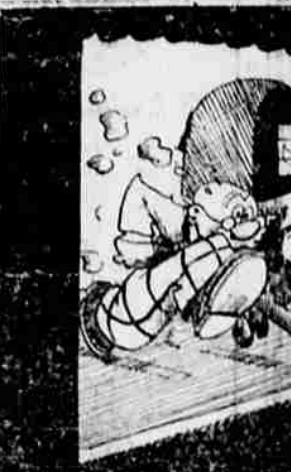
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CHICAGO BEARS LOSE

GRANGE TAKEN OUT OF GAME AFTER INJURIES

(By The Associated Press) PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 10.—The Pittsburgh All-Stars added insult to injury here today in their game with the Chicago Bears who were defeated, 24 to 9, after their star, Harold "Red" Grange, formerly of the Illinois had been forced from the game with a torn ligament and broken vessel in his right arm.

"The galloping ghost" was taken out at the end of the first period, the course of which he received his injury. But even while he was in the fray the Pittsburgh eleven was ahead, 7 to 0. Gustafson, former University of Pittsburgh star, crashing over the line for a touchdown following a 39-yard punt by Jimmy Robertson, former Carnegie Tech luminary.

MAJOR LEAGUE SEASON CLOSES SEPTEMBER 26

Landis Settles Dispute By Approving Date

(By The Associated Press) NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Disagreement of the American and National leagues over abbreviation of the playing season was settled decisively this afternoon by High Commissioner K. M. Landis, who approved September 26 as the closing date.

With that bold and decisive stroke baseball's dominant figure thus broke a tie in which managers of the National league voted solidly against the new season. The storm clouds which hung threateningly over the joint session of the two circuits and hurled his stern rebuke at the unseen forces of nature which had no discretion to heed rain upon baseball's annual classic.

As the 16 clubs went into the closing meeting of their three-day session today the commissioner was faced with solid opposition from the National league, but he was backed up by the complete lineup of American league clubs.

The deadlock gave the commissioner his opportunity and his acceptance of it in support of the National league's stand requiring the 154-game schedule to be completed eight days prior to the date on which both races closed this year, sent from the meeting no countenance more agreeable than that of President Ban Johnson.

Possibility of an outbreak of war with the minors over proposed extension of the present optional player limit from eight to 15 was averted by failure of the magnates to act on the question. Discussion of playing problems including the use of resin by pitchers likewise

DEMPSEY MATCH TALKED

FIGHT MAY BE TRANSFERRED TO NEW JERSEY

(By The Associated Press) CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 10.—A fresh batch of reports on plans for a boxing match between Jack Dempsey and Harry Wills next summer came to light tonight after a conference between Floyd Fitzsimmons, Michigan wily, Ind., promoter who obtained Jack Dempsey's signature, and Ray Cannon, Milwaukee attorney, Dempsey's legal adviser.

The two expect to meet Dempsey in Los Angeles next week to discuss the probable withdrawal of the South Bend syndicate from the match and selection of a new set of financiers.

It was reported that there was a possibility of the selection of Boyles Thirty Acres in New Jersey for the match, which would put it in the hands of Tex Rickard.

Association in Liverpool (By The Associated Press) NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—After registering disapproval of player-writers in major league ranks by a chapter vote of 6 to 1, the Baseball Writers' Association of America today decided to reconsider the question. The 11 chapters of the organization will be asked to ballot again on a definitely defined resolution to be drawn up by a

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ALTA KING, Attorney for Estate.
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