

St. Paul Contingent of Pugilistic Perfectos Slated to Strike Klamath Today for Big New Year's Eve Fight

Primed for battle, Klamath fight fans will have an opportunity to see a few of the fastest goes in the history of the local ring when a fight card prepared and announced by Johnny Sylvester, Klamath promoter, will bring a crowd eager for ring-side at Scandia Hall on New Year's eve.

Jeff Hammer of St. Paul, one of Mike Gibbons' famous string, is expected to arrive today from the north and spend several days setting in the pink to meet that fighting Irish lad, Tim Callahan of Klamath Falls. If Timmy continues to wear those green trunks, with the golden harp he has sent many an ambitious fighter to playing for a count, he ought to get all the breaks.

A six round semi-roundup will see "Dutch" Keiser going around with Johnny Fugate, another Klamath lad. "Dutch" will be on the same train with Jeff Hammer, and boasts of a similar membership of Mike Gibbons' St. Paul string.

A four round special which spells a hearty clap from the ringside will be the meet between that young brawler "Cyclone" Williams, and the Irish favorite, Mike Daly. Since Daly first appeared in the ring here, he has never failed to bring a hearty welcome from local fans. As it stands now Daly is scheduled to win, but "Cyclone" may surprise the boys.

"Kid" Ryder, who has lost more blood in the last four fights than most of the other fighters put together, is coming in again to threaten Jimmy Lewis, a new-comer, who promises to give the ringsiders a run for their money. Not much is known about Lewis but he has grit, so they say, and that amounts to as much as a hard punch, in the opinion of the more skeptical.

According to Johnny Sylvester, tickets will go on sale today at the Mecca Pool Room, the Rex Billiard Parlors, and the Waldorf, and fans had better do their fight-shopping early.

Plans are under way to take care of the usually jovial New Year's eve crowd by those managing the four point card and with betting strong on local boys as well as invading fighters, there will more than likely be a full house.



Jeff Hammer, stony-fisted brawler from Minnesota who is signed for a ten-round fight classic here New Year's eve. The advent of this Mike Gibbons' boy into Klamath Falls marks a forward step in glove talent obtained for local exhibition.

Congressmen May "Go To Bat" For Cobb and Speaker

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27, (U.P.)—Official Washington to the defense of Ty Cobb and Tris Speaker, accused by Judge Landis of conspiring to "throw" a baseball game in 1919.

With fandom from the Pacific coast to the Atlantic seaboard aroused by the accusation of the baseball dictator, Judge Landis, senators and representatives are considering action to wash the diamond lines on the floors of congress.

Senator Harris, Georgia democrat, close friend of the Georgia peach, has received a strong plea to defend both men on the floor of the senate.

At the same time Representative Clyde Kelly, Pennsylvania republican, former ballplayer, announced his intention of introducing a resolution in the house authorizing a complete investigation into the conspiracy charges.

Kelley believes that congress has the power to do this under the interstate commerce act, despite a supreme court ruling, which held that baseball is not commerce.

"Cobb and Speaker are outstanding stars of the national game, and have been for years. They certainly deserve to have judgment suspended for the present," the congressman declared.

"I cannot believe either man is guilty of conduct which would blacken the name of the sport they have honored. Unless Judge Landis has more evidence than has been published, his exposure is unjustified. There should be a board of tribunal empowered to sift the charges to the bottom.

"I believe that congress would have the power to make such an inquiry under the interstate commerce act."

Representative McMillan, South Carolina democrat, said that he would confer with Speaker and Cobb upon their arrival in Washington to urge that congress join forces to bring a "showdown" with Judge Landis.

McMillan is a veteran of the South Atlantic league.

Basket Tossers to Vie in Legion Hall

With basketball season well under way a game is scheduled for tonight in the American Legion Hall in which the Klamath Tigers, the Klamath county high school team, will test their skill against the Henley club and the American Legion vets will toss against the Fort Klamath quintet.

Following is the line up for the Tigers: Pruitt, F.; Orrell, F.; Hall, C.; Walsh, G.; Dalley, G.; Suba, Don; Soule, Carl; Yancey and W. Whitney.

The vets boast a crew of good

Catcher Named to Manage Cardinals

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 27, (U.N.)—Bob O'Farrell, catcher of the world's champion St. Louis Cardinals, and rated as the National League's most valuable player in 1925, was appointed manager of the team for next season.

Announcement of the appointment was made today by Sam Breadon, president of the club.

O'Farrell will succeed Rogers Hornsby, who managed the St. Louis club to its first world's championship in forty years.

There was no announcement as to salary. The contract was for one year only.

O'Farrell joined the Cardinals shortly after the 1925 season opened, going there from the Chicago Cubs. He has been the club's mainstay behind the plate for eight or nine years.

He was 30 years old on October 19. He is unmarried.

Appointment of the popular catcher, regarded as one of the spark plugs which kept the Cardinals' machinery going on to a world's championship, has been expected for several days. When the American league magnates met in Chicago recently there were rumors that said he had taken the job as coach of the St. Louis Browns. Both Breadon and O'Farrell issued general denials.

The way was paved for his promotion by the trade which sent Hornsby to the New York Giants in exchange for Frank Frisch, the Fordham flash, and star second baseman of the McGraw outfit, and Jimmy Ring, a pitcher.

The new manager's mother and father have known for several days that O'Farrell was in line for the appointment; they told the United Press over long distance telephone from their home in Waukegan, Ill.

"We have been expecting it for several days," Mrs. O'Farrell said.

O'Farrell was in Chicago on business and could not be reached.

U. OF O. TEAM WINS OVER OLYMPIC CLUB

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27, (U.N.)—The University of Oregon basketball team showed a sparkling attack here tonight in defeating the Olympic club of San Francisco 43 to 29.

Maple trotters in the persons of Groves, F.; Wagner, F.; Foster, C.; Stewart, C.; Soule, C.; Houston, G.; Dunn, G.; Hickman, G.

There is an exceptionally keen interest running this season in the hoop game and a good turnout is anticipated at all games held at the centrally located vets building in the rear of the court house. With the floor in excellent condition and the men sprit to go with early season spring, incoming teams, and invading warriors will probably run up against keen competition at the hands of the local men.

Matthewson Maybe Was Wholesouled

NEW YORK, Dec. 27, (U.N.)—The Christy Matthewson Memorial committee is continuing its activities to raise a fund for a suitable memorial to the famous pitcher who had such a good influence upon the game of baseball.

But while preachers and educators continue to allude to the "Big Six" as a model for all youngsters who would engage in sport, it may be some comfort to baseball fans who knew Matty if one phase of his comradeship is put in its proper light.

An old ball player was amazed the other day when, at a religious gathering, Matthewson's piety and abhorrence of gambling and card playing was referred to. The speaker would have made Matty a reformer in the less phrasing sense of that word.

"As a matter of fact, Matty was the best and most enthusiastic card player on the old Giants," said the one who knew him.

"And, oh boy, what he couldn't do with the dice! A gamer, crap shooter never nursed the 'ories."

"Why, there was one time when the boss hung a \$100 fine on Matty for playing cards after hours."

"He was no preacher, not when it came to cards or dice for relaxation between games. Not Matty."

While the views of a certain section of any community will be to the contrary, it would seem as though this human side of Mathewson would appeal to fans and ball players who now revere his memory.

Delaney's Manager Spurns Tex Rickard

NEW YORK, Dec. 27, (U.N.)—Pete Reilly, manager of Jack Delaney, light heavyweight champion and the most sought after boxer in the east, has turned his back upon a suggestion that he meet Tex Rickard Tuesday afternoon and negotiate regarding the Bridgeport fighter's services.

Reilly went to Chicago instead, where he will arrange several bouts for Delaney and Andre Routis, French featherweight champion.

With the report that Reilly was to confer with Rickard, the boxing world assumed that Tex was about to "lift" the light heavyweight championship from his rival, Humbert Fugazy. Delaney has been fighting for Fugazy since a disagreement with Rickard last spring.

Fugazy denied, however, that he had any hold on the popular French-Canadian.

Delaney's manager said the report that he was to meet with Rickard was "ridiculous."

"Jack is not tied to any promoter and doesn't intend to be," said Pete. "I've turned down five offers for him to fight New Year's day, several of them from Chicago and one from Cleveland. Jack would rather be with his father and mother that day than fight any one."

Delaney's parents live in Holyoke, Mass.

Incidentally, Reilly collected from Fugazy the \$17,500 check due the light heavyweight champion for his brief fight with Bud Gorman at the Christmas fund show in Jersey City last Monday. Jack knocked out Gorman in the second round. Gorman received \$5,000.

S. D. Team Takes Hawaiian Laurels

HONOLULU, Dec. 27, (U.N.)—University of South Dakota defeated University of Hawaii 9 to 2 here in one of the most exciting games of football ever witnessed in Hawaii.

Neither team was able to score a touchdown and the game was in doubt until the last minute of play.

Hawaii was the first to score, forcing a Dakota to fall on the ball behind his own goal posts to prevent a Hawaiian touchdown. The safety followed a fumble in the first five minutes of play. Later in the first period South Dakota booted a place kick to give the Dakotans a 3 to 2 lead. Two field goals by Dakota followed in the second and third periods after every means had

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Coaches Gather in New York to Slash Rules of Football

NEW YORK, Dec. 27, (U.N.)—The clink of tinkering mechanics, sounding in the lobbies of hotels and university clubs as coaches, officials and athletic directors gather in New York for the annual onslaught upon the rules and regulations governing the game of football.

Practically the entire week will be devoted to a discussion of intercollegiate and intra-mural athletics, with the gridiron game coming in for the lion's share of attention. And although it is less than a year since the rules of football were approved by the governing bodies of the game the patient must go on the operating table once more for a few radical changes in "its make-up."

Starting Monday evening with a meeting of the eastern association of intercollegiate football officials, who will open the attack upon the rules code, and recommend changes, the week's meetings include the Football Coaches' association, the National Collegiate Athletic Association, the Society of Physical Directors and a number of others.

One of the surprises in store relates to the N. C. A. A. convention, exhausted to gain a touchdown.

Eight thousand spectators witnessed the game in unusually cold and windy weather.

Kaute Rockne, coach of Notre Dame, refereed the game.

tion, and will be the remarks of its president, General Palmer H. Pierce, who will advocate formation of an eastern conference along the lines of the "big ten."

"I favor the conference system of organization for collegiate sports along the lines of development in the middle west," explained General Pierce, "not for the degrading of championships, but for the establishment of uniform eligibility and playing codes."

"The situation here in the east is more complex than in the west, because of traditions which have grown with years, but I am convinced that if a conference organization could be effected in the east many problems would be simplified."

Meanwhile football coaches who last year recommended that the present rules be given a thorough trial and left alone for a reasonable length of time, are falling in line behind William O. Roper of Princeton, who wants further changes in the forward pass rule.

A survey of the games played last fall, shows that the pass was used extensively as ever, despite the five-yard penalty inflicted for each incomplete pass after the first in any series of downs.

Following are some of the changes which will be proposed when the football coaches meet:

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- 2—Abolish the huddle.
- 3—Eliminate the shift.
- 4—Restrict roughness.

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