

ATHLETIC NEWS

BROOKLYN TO HAVE TEAM IN NEW LEAGUE

Contracts for Steel and Concrete Stand to Seat 18,000 Persons Are Awarded, Says Gilmore.

WARD FAMILY WILL OWN "TIPTOPS" IS ASSERTION

Ten-Year Contract for Old Superba Signed and Big News for Pitts-Is Promised Soon.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] New York, Feb. 14.—Formal announcement that Brooklyn will be represented in the Federal League was made here yesterday afternoon by President John A. Gilmore. He declared that his organization had signed a ten year contract last night for the old Superba Park.

"Contracts for steel and concrete stands to seat 18,000 persons were let today," Gilmore said. "These will be completed within six weeks. The lease gives up the privilege of buying the grounds outright."

Admission to Federal league games, Gilmore said, will be the same as charged by the American and National leagues.

"The Ward family," said Gilmore, "will own the 'Tiptops,' as the Brooklyn Federals will be known. I met R. B. Ward, who will be president of the club, in Toronto seven days ago. Walter Ward, his nephew, will be treasurer, and John Montgomery Ward, will be manager. The new league already has signed 151 players. We have approved 142 contracts."

Gilmore promised a "big announcement for the Pittsburgh fans" in a few days. He also declared the Chicago Federal league club would leave for Shreveport the first Saturday in March to train. The umpires signed by the new league are: William Brennan, Olie Anderson, Steve Kann, Monte Cross, Barry McCormick, Owen Bush and Fred Manassau.

LOUIS PARENTE IS SORE

DISGUSTED OVER PETROSKY'S SHOWING AGAINST CLABBY AND MAY QUIT HIM.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] San Francisco, Feb. 14.—Disgusted over Sailor Ed Petrosky's showing against Jimmy Clabby at Vernon, Louis Parente, Petrosky's manager, arrived here yesterday from Los Angeles and confirmed the report that he and the sailor might part company.

"Petrosky had the grandest chance of his career," said Parente, "but he tossed it away. He could have knocked out Clabby any time from the beginning of the seventh until the end of the eleventh round, but despite my orders to tear in and put one over, he stood off and tried to box him. Ed laid off just long enough to permit Clabby to come back and outjab him to the decision."

"Before I left Los Angeles Promoter McCarey wanted to talk to me about future matches but I told him I was so disgusted that I was not sure I would manage Petrosky any longer. I told Petrosky the same thing. 'The fight drew \$6,757, of which

Petrosky received about \$1,200, but as he had to pay for two training spells, as well as hospital and physician fees, there was little left."

PIRATES WIN CONTEST

FEDERALS DEFEATED BY 60 PINS IN FIRST GAME PLAYED WITH SO-CALLED CHAMPS.

"Pop" Weyman's Pirates defeated Ralph's Federals in a bowling game at The Club by a score of 2385 to 2325. As the score indicates, the teams were evenly matched. The Federals fell down badly in the second frame. The Federals figure that the next time it will be different. Following is the score:

Weyman's Pirates.					
	1	2	3	Ttl Av.	
Kross	179	147	187	513	171
Rauch	126	149	163	438	146
Stutesman	155	165	144	464	155
Laflar	119	188	137	444	148
Weyman	199	163	164	526	175
Total	778	812	795	2385	

Ralph's Federals.					
	1	2	3	Ttl Av.	
Pratt	192	155	173	520	173
Stiddell	141	129	183	453	151
Noud	153	129	152	434	145
Pierce	161	135	165	461	151
Craven	169	139	158	466	155
Total	807	687	831	2325	

MURPHY PROMISES TO SUE JOHNSON FOR SLANDER

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Chicago, Feb. 14.—Charles W. Murphy, president of the Chicago club of the National League announced on his return from New York last night that his attorney had been directed to bring suit today against Ben Johnson, charging the American League president with slander and conspiracy. Johnson had conspired to oust him from baseball, Mr. Murphy said.

Murphy also said the Chicago club was not for sale and that he had no intention of putting his stock on the market. He said he would not sell either to any of the men at present in organized baseball or to any syndicate of business men who might organize for the purpose of taking over the club.

James A. Pugh, a wealthy Chicagoan yesterday confirmed the report that several sportsmen and business men here had asked Murphy for his terms for his shares of Cub stock. Mr. Pugh said the men had held a meeting yesterday and had written a letter submitting a proposal to buy the club. Charles A. McCulloch, one of those involved in the offer, said their plan was to make Chicago baseball men a happy family.

If we succeed in purchasing Mr. Murphy's interest in the Cubs the first thing we will try to do will be to get Frank Chance back," he said. "We are prepared to give him the biggest offer in baseball history to get him away from New York."

Mr. Murphy started several times to talk about his baseball plans, but before any sentence was concluded his conversation would harp back to Mr. Johnson.

"They can't drive me out of baseball," he said. "I'll spend \$200,000 to punish those who have been slandering me and I'll still have the Chicago club."

RITCHIE-MURPHY FIGHT WILL COME ON APRIL 17

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] San Francisco, Feb. 14.—April 17 was announced here today as the date for the Willie Ritchie-Harlem Tommy Murphy fight. It will be an evening battle—a scheduled 20 round affair—and will be staged off Coffroth's Eight street arena.

The date was definitely set last night at a conference between Ritchie, Harry Foley, his manager and Promoter Coffroth, following receipt of a telegram from Jim Buckley, Murphy's manager, demanding that a date be definitely set.

WANAMAKER ENTERS FLIGHT

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] New York, Feb. 14.—Rodman Wanamaker's entry as a contestant for the London Daily Mail's \$50,000 prize for a trans-Atlantic aeroplane flight was forwarded to England yesterday.

EVERS WITH BOSTON NATIONALS

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] New York, Feb. 14.—Evers, deposed manager of the Chicago Cubs, signed a contract yesterday afternoon to play for the Boston Nationals. Evers will receive \$10,000 a year under the terms of his contract. The agreement gives Murphy some of the Boston players.

ALREADY TRAINING.

The Y. M. C. A. relay team has already started practice, with a view of again winning the contest with Portland.

WILSON'S COLD BETTER.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Washington, Feb. 14.—Although President Wilson's official engagements were cancelled yesterday and he kept to his room, his cold was better.

Free

WHILE THE SUPPLY LASTS

A Solid Bronze Watch Fob The Great Seal of U.S.A.

FREE to Every Purchaser of 10c Worth of TUXEDO Tobacco

Medallion of *solid bronze or silver finish*, and carries the *Great Seal of the United States* in bas-relief. Strap is fine, smooth, black leather with nobby, enameled metal buckle; strong and serviceable. Every well-dressed man will take pride in wearing this fashionable Watch Fob. (Only one to a customer.)



Tuxedo

The Perfect Tobacco for Pipe and Cigarette

Thousands of America's most famous men say Tuxedo affords them complete relaxation, soothing comfort and healthful enjoyment—and that it *does not bite the tongue*.

Tuxedo is made from the very best selected Burley tobacco grown in Kentucky—carefully ripened, cured and aged until it is perfectly mild and mellow. Then treated by the famous "Tuxedo Process" that removes the last trace of "bite" and bitterness, and develops the wonderful fragrance and flavor of the Burley leaf.

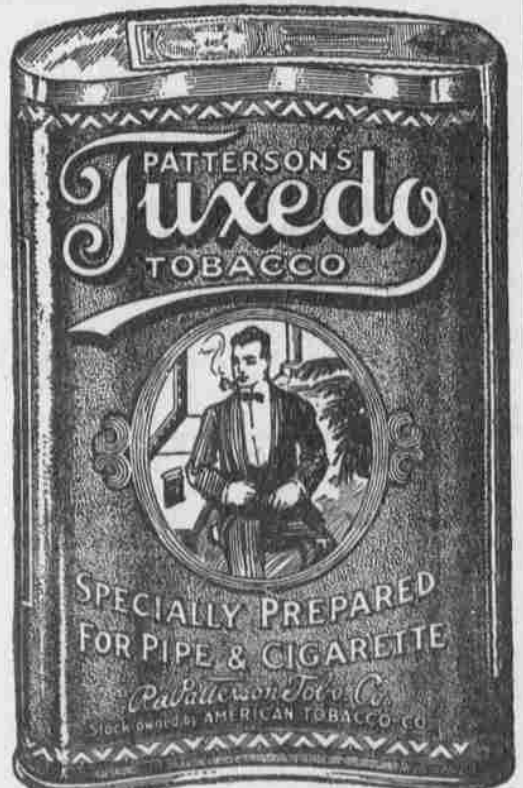
Take advantage of the free offer to try Tuxedo—pure, mild, delightful and *absolutely non-biting*.

FREE

This Free Solid Bronze Watch Fob is offered by the enterprising merchants whose names appear below. Their supply of Watch Fobs is limited and they cannot obtain more—so call on the nearest of these up-to-date dealers right away. Get 10c worth of TUXEDO and ask for the Solid Bronze Watch Fob, FREE.

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY

You Can Buy Tuxedo Everywhere
Convenient pouch, Famous green tin, with
insulated with moist- 5c gold lettering, curved
ture-proof paper . . . 10c to fit pocket . . . 10c
In Glass Humidors, 50c and 90c



- | | | | | |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| SHAFFER & KEETON
J. FAIST | GEO. WATERS
C. J. PILLETT | PAGE & KANE
JACK FROST
W. B. GILSON | EDWARD YENNE
O. C. LODS | O. A. KLETT
F. STODDARD |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|

SOME AGREE AND SOME DISAGREE WITH CRITIC

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] San Francisco, Feb. 14.—Clara Butt, the songstress, thinks coast women do not know how to dress. She said so here Thursday. They dress for their dreamakers, she said, not for themselves.

PORTLAND HEALTH OFFICER SORE OVER REPORTS

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Portland, Or., Feb. 14.—A dispatch published in the Los Angeles Times on February 9, a copy of which was mailed to Mayor Albee by Miss S. Surridge of that city, stating that the schools of Portland had been closed to prevent a spread of smallpox, was denounced yesterday by Dr. M. B. Harcollus, city health officer, as being false in every particular.

BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, Notre Dame, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child—the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

Mrs. Eleanor Martin—"I think we have more modestly and better dressed women here than anywhere else."

Mrs. Coolidge Ertz—"I agree with Clara Butt."

AMERICAN CITIZENS THE SAME RIGHT OF SELLING ARMS AS WAS ENJOYED BY OTHER NATIONS.

Measures have been taken to protect Germans in Mexico, and Mexico will be held responsible for their property losses."

TO PROTECT EMBASSY.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Mexico City, Feb. 14.—A report was current yesterday afternoon that two machine guns and supply of ammunition had been landed from the British cruiser Suffolk at Vera Cruz and were

ON THEIR WAY BY RAIL TO THE CAPITAL FOR USE IN CASE OF AN ATTACK ON THE ENGLISH EMBASSY.

Journal "Want Ads" bring results

SLAVER GETS SEVEN YEARS.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] San Francisco, Feb. 14.—Harry Furlong, convicted of living off the earnings of a woman of the underworld, was sentenced today by Judge Cabanis to seven years in San Quentin. Ethel Davis, aged 17, was the complaining witness.

There is Comfort in

knowing that you can obtain one tried and proved remedy thoroughly well adapted to your needs. Every woman who is troubled with headache, backache, languor, extreme nervousness and depression of spirits ought to try

Beecham's Pills

(The Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World)

and learn what a difference they will make. By purifying the system they insure better digestion, sounder sleep, quieter nerves, and bestow the charm of sparkling eyes, a spotless rosy complexion and vivacious spirits. Thousands upon thousands of women have learned, happily, that Beecham's Pills are reliable and

The Unfailing Home Remedy

Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c, 25c. The directions with every box are very valuable—especially to women.

The

PACKARD SHOE

For Men

P

BEST POSSIBLE VALUE

UNION MADE

G. W. JOHNSON & CO.
SALEM, ORE.