

BREKFAST SPORTS OF SPRING

Interesting Gossip About Next Wednesday's Big Arena Battle.

MAJORITY OF THE BASE BALL WORLD

The Wearers of the Mitts—Summer Racing Cards—Dad Takes His For Hand, and Newsworthy Notes.

Next Wednesday evening, March 2, one of the most notable athletic events of later years will take place before the Olympic stadium...

The interest in the match is running very high, and here in Omaha, where neither man has been seen, he is extremely road-bound...

Although Peter has been tall and written about recently even more than men who had head and shoulders above him in importance in the sporting life...

When I saw him in Minneapolis last July he looked big enough to fight any champion, and in comparison, Jim Hill resembled a child...

In 1888 Maher entered an amateur competition given by Tony Sage of Dublin, Jack Maher, who was recognized as one of the middleweight champions of the world...

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for an outfitting dashed into close quarters and peppered "Nobby" on the ribs every round, and although "Nobby" never gave back...

"What do you mean?" demanded the man who has since been invited to take a walk out of the presidency.

President Gillette accepted, and when the final part came "Banter" got up and said a checked that check back and not put it in for a week or so.

Manager Bancroft gave his thoughts free rein enroute to Chicago and when he stumbled in on President Hart he casually observed "My dear Mr. Hart, will you cash this check of Milwaukee?"

"Certainly," responded that worthy, and the bit of paper was swapped for legal tender. Being the "Nobby" King of Omaha...

Good men have given bad paper ere this, but no one has ever showed any of it upon the business manager of the Cincinnati club.

King Elmer's Ups and Downs. Ban Johnson of the Cincinnati Commercial-Gazette writes interestingly in the Sporting Life of one of the most popular players who ever figured in the Western association.

Elmer Smith is one more in fast company and I, for one, sincerely hope that he will be able to keep up with the procession.

Elmer has proved the biggest failure as a player in the profession today. He joined the Cincinnati club toward the close of the season of 1887...

Smith was unable to display what, if any, there was in him, but with Tony zone Manager Schmeitzler was forced to shove him in the hole.

The Gabble of the Amateur. The state league will be 3 teams. Beatrice is the best drawing town in the state.

Batrice (colored) is a favorite in Fremont. W. A. Lockwood played short for Norfolk in '90.

Shanahan, as usual, will play short for the Nonpareil team. Billie Bauger is a good "shuff" stop and can be added at Akron, Colo.

There are no less than four managers after George Taylor, but he will probably sign with the team.

who are plying him with various letters of inquiry by the following manifesto: First—We do not pay any advance money to players.

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MAHER. Maher is a worthy opponent for him. On the other hand if he is out of the lanky Australian with any pugilist like Maher will give him a good fight. Maher is a worthy opponent for him.

CONSUMPTION. Baby's cheek is like a peach. It is Madame Ruppert's bleech. No! but baby's mama's cheek. Valcomes to its praise tho' speak in rhyme. It is a goodly sight. It is a goodly sight. It is a goodly sight.

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