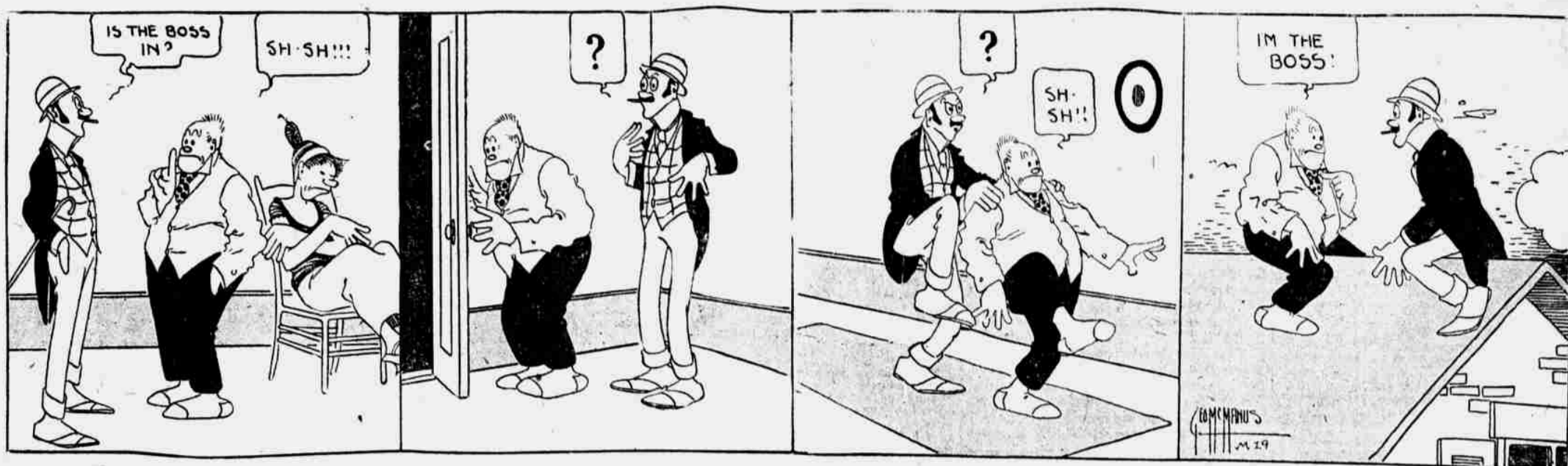


BRINGING UP FATHER

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CREIGHTON IS TO RESUME BASE BALL

After Being Without Diamond Squad for Three Years, Blue and White to Have Team.

PRACTICE STARTS TUESDAY

After a lapse of three years Creighton will have a varsity base ball team in the field this spring. At a meeting held in the gymnasium Saturday more than fifty men signified their intention of trying for a place on the team. The candidates will report for practice Tuesday afternoon and will continue to work out in the gymnasium until the weather permits outdoor work.

Basket Ball Banquet

At a banquet given for the Creighton university basketball squad at the Henshaw Saturday night, Eddie Mulholland of Spokane was elected captain for the 1917-18 season. Short talks were made by outgoing Captain Spittler, Captain-elect Mulholland, faculty director W. J. Corboy and Coach Mills. V. Spittler, Roy Platz, Eddie Mulholland, George Parrish, H. A. Vandever, Carl Lutes, Ed Haley and Charles Kearney were awarded letters and sweaters.

Great things are expected of the new captain and his team when the next season rolls around. Fourteen of the fifteen men on this year's squad will be back in school next year, "Dutch" Platz being the only regular who will leave.

Cliff Wolfe Leads Gun Club Race for Hercules Trophy

Cliff Wolfe will probably be the winner of the Hercules trophy for which Omaha Gun club gunners have been striving for several weeks. Wolfe yesterday broke twenty-four out of a possible twenty-five targets in shooting his event of the five man shoot-off for the prize.

The shoot for the Hercules trophy was a five event affair. Cliff Wolfe, Doc Frye, Henry McDonald, Carl Blake and Johnny Ragon each won events, thus tying for the trophy. Yesterday Wolfe, McDonald and Ragon shot twenty-five targets, on the tie, Wolfe was high with 24. McDonald made a 23 and Ragon an 18. Doc Frye will shoot next Sunday, while Blake is sick and probably will be unable to shoot. It is believed Wolfe's mark of 24 will stand.

A good crowd of shooters were out yesterday Henry McDonald tore off a 94x100 just to show he retained his eagle eye, while Ray Kingsley made a 48x50 and George Redick a 46x50. Some scores yesterday were as follows:

Table with columns for shooter names and scores. Includes names like Henry McDonald, Frank Ellison, Art Keeline, Cliff Wolfe, John Bacon, R. Eberlein, George Redick, Ben Gallagher, B. W. Barnes, P. McShane, Cub Foster, Ed Potter, Ray Kingsley, Lew Adams, Doug Willie, Lewis, Fred Whitmore.

Grand Island College

On account of the blizzard Friday and because of a shortage of coal, class room work at the college was suspended.

Prof. Starr has organized his committee to aid him in taking care of the assembly that will meet in Grand Island college within a week.

Dan Burgess of the junior class has been asked to supply the church at Horace every other Sunday. He probably will decline to accept the work.

Rev. A. V. Allen, in charge of one of the chapel cars of the American Baptist Publication society, visited the college Thursday to confer with Dr. Silberland, a member of the state board, in regard to his project of work at Aurora.

Thursday evening was Grand Island college night at the tabernacle. A good many of the students, the faculty and the alumni and former students gathered together and formed the procession that marched up the center aisle and took possession of a considerable part of the tabernacle. The Glee club was called upon for a song and so pleased the audience that they were encored twice.

How to Avoid Stomach Troubles.

Digestion begins in the mouth. Food should be thoroughly masticated. Your food should be suited to your age and occupation. People of sedentary habits should eat little meat, but should drink an abundance of water, especially when they first get up in the morning and between meals. When you feel dull and stupid after eating, that shows that you have eaten too much. The bowels should be kept regular. When needed take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. They will improve your digestion and move the bowels.

Sport Calendar Today

Automobile—Opening of annual show of Syracuse Automobile Dealers' association. Boat—Metropolitan indoor championship at St. Nicholas rink, New York City. Boxing—New England amateur championship at Boston. Johnny Kilbane vs. Eddie Shannon, six rounds, at Philadelphia. Al Fleming vs. Ray Dolan, eight rounds, at Memphis. Joe Rivers vs. Rocky Kanas, ten rounds, at Columbus. O. Young, Bert vs. K. O. Eggers, twelve rounds, at Manchester, N. H.

First of Rourke Report for Spring Training Season

The advance squad of Rourkes are due to report in Omaha today for the start of the spring training. Pitchers and catchers have been ordered to report today. The practice, however, probably will not start today. Rourke and Manager Krug will give the men a chance to get located and send them into the grind Tuesday. In addition to the battery men a number of the Rourke-vinians who are already on the job will begin to kick the soccer ball about and get the advantages of the additional days of training. The battery men who have been ordered to report today are Pitchers Currie, Benton, Barham, O'Toole, Merz, C. Thompson, Wymann, Cathers Brottem and Pratt.

Missouri Valley High School Meet in Omaha

The Missouri valley high school track meet will be held in Omaha May 19. Omaha has been trying for several years to secure this event, but it has been held most of the time in Kansas City. Omaha has won first honors in this meet the last two years and would like to show its supporters that it can lead the field on the home turf also. The conference which conducts the annual meet is composed of six schools. Kansas City Manual and Technical High represent the Missouri town. Kansas City (Kan.) High is also a member. The other members of the conference are St. Joseph Central High, Lincoln High and Omaha High.

Joe Stecher's Bout With Irsa Tuesday Night Is Off

San Francisco, March 18.—A wrestling match between Joe Stecher, heavyweight champion, and Antonio Irsa, a Bohemian heavyweight, scheduled to take place here Tuesday night, was announced tonight by the promoter as cancelled. The reason given was the poor showing made by Irsa in a workout with Ad Santel, Pacific coast champion. Santel threw Irsa five minutes after they had gone on the mat in the Young Men's Christian association gymnasium here.

Training Camp Scores

Table with columns for school names and scores. Includes schools like Shreveport, La., March 15; Cincinnati National, 2; Shreveport (Texas league), 1; Dallas, Tex., March 15; Chicago American, 1; Dallas (Texas league), 2; Houston, Tex., March 15; New York Nationals, 2; Houston (Texas league), 2; San Antonio, Tex., March 18; St. Louis Eastern, 2; San Antonio (Texas league), 2; Te, ten times.

Tear Down Schlitz Hotel; Parisian Company to Quit

Because of plans for tearing down the Schlitz block, northwest corner of Sixteenth and Harney streets, about May 1, the Parisian Cloak and Suit company there will retire from business. With this in view, the firm will begin Monday to dispose of its entire stock through special sales.

Persistence Is the Cardinal Virtue in Advertising.

Table with columns for individual and team averages of teams of various leagues playing on the Omaha alleys. Includes names like Hoffmann, Johnson, Thompson, etc.

HOTEL FONTENELLE BOWLERS—Omaha cracks going to American Bowling Congress at Grand Rapids this week. Standing, left to right, Luce Hammond, Ben Johnson. Seated, Frank Middaugh, "Dad" Huntington, Henry Fritcher, all of them real sharks.



JUSTICE THE GOAL, WOMEN DECLARE

Final Plea Offered by Speakers at the Suffrage School.

NO FAVORS ARE ASKED

"We want justice," was the final plea offered by the women of the suffrage school before the mass meeting of Omaha men and women assembled at the Young Women's Christian association Saturday evening. The speaker was Mrs. Frank Shuler of Buffalo, N. Y., corresponding secretary of the national suffrage organization. She stated that in her judgment the agencies which have brought about the great trend toward her cause are the Gospel of Jesus Christ, the Women's Christian Temperance Union and the Women's clubs.

Employees of Food Department Give Desk to Governor

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, March 18.—(Special.)—Following the custom since the establishment of the state food department, the department has presented Governor Neville with a massive, solid mahogany desk, a replica of the one which the department gave to Governor Morehead two years ago. Governor Morehead has removed his desk and Governor Neville's has been installed in its place in the governor's private office.

Swedes Will Hold Ak-Sar-Ben Here Wednesday Night

The Noon-Day club of Omaha will hold its eighth annual banquet at the Hotel Fontenelle on the evening of March 21. This annual event is a sort of Swedish Ak-Sar-Ben and draws to Omaha several hundred people of Swedish birth or descent from Nebraska and adjoining states. Heretofore the banquet has usually been a stag affair, but this year the women are invited to be present. Vice Consul P. A. Edquist is president of the club, D. A. Johnson, chairman of the entertainment committee, and Dr. A. Johnson, chairman of the reception committee.

Houston Appeals to Nation To Conserve Pulp Resources

Washington, March 18.—Secretary Houston appealed to the country today to conserve its pulp wood resources as a means of insuring a future supply of news print paper. In a statement he pointed to the present close balance between production and demand in the news print industry and to wasteful forestry methods, and urged state forest departments to support re-forestation plans.

More Than Seven Hundred Dollars to Good on Show

Over \$700 was cleared on the Central High road show, which gave its final performance Saturday evening. The participants also played to a packed house Saturday night.

ALLIES ADVANCE ON 31-MILE FRONT

British and French Troops Sweep Forward on Somme and Oise Sectors.

TEUTON RETREAT GROWS

(By Associated Press.) The British and French troops are sweeping forward in the Somme and Oise sectors in France and the German retreat, which at first was slow and on narrow fronts, seems to be gaining momentum. The latest advance by the British was made over a front of sixteen miles and by the French along a front of about fifteen miles, and entente allies have penetrated German positions in this new operation to a depth of from two to four miles. Bapaume, for many months described as a German stronghold, now is in the hands of the British troops, having been wrested from the Germans after what the British war office describes as stiff fighting. It is a mass of ruins.

Lincoln Commercial Club Condemns Proposed Strike

Lincoln, March 18.—Directors of the Lincoln Commercial club condemned the proposed strike of the railway trainmen as "ill advised, unpatriotic and subversive" of the country's interests, and urged that public officials, in the event of a strike, strictly enforce the laws.

VILLA'S DEFEAT OF MURGUIA CRUSHING

De Facto Chief Loses Twelve Hundred Men in Killed, Injured and Missing.

LED INTO TRAP BY ENEMY

El Paso, Tex., March 18.—General Murguia lost approximately 1,200 men in killed, wounded and missing at the battle of Rosario, according to a foreign refugee who arrived here tonight from Chihuahua City. Murguia also lost six cannon, fifteen machine guns and large quantities of stores and ammunition, according to this man. He also reported that when Villa entered Parral, Tuesday he ordered two Germans and seven Syrians executed on charges of aiding the government troops. This foreigner also confirmed the capture of Jimenez. The Carranza troops, according to this account, were led by a subordinate, in the absence of General Murguia, who was in Chihuahua City. They came into contact with Villa's main band at Stallforth, about ten miles north of Rosario, last Saturday. Villa pretended defeat and retreated to Rosario, where the troops followed and encamped that night a few miles above the town. Led into a false sense of security by Villa's feigned defeat, the government soldiers were lying around their camp Sunday morning when they were caught completely off their guard by a surprise attack. The men on foot were practically all killed, wounded or captured. The cavalry, however, managed to escape. It was said the entire number of survivors did not exceed 800 out of the 2,000 engaged.

POLICE BRUTALITY STARTS REVOLUTION

Use Machine Guns on Crowd Until Cossacks Fraternize With the People.

NOT MANY EXECUTIONS

London, March 18.—A review of the Russian revolution, forwarded from Petrograd by a diplomatic official, says: "It would be a misconception to believe that the revolt was started by a faction or that it was accompanied by a great amount of bloodshed and disorder. The actual trouble began Saturday, when citizens gathered to protest against the food shortage. These good-natured crowds were treated with great brutality by the government police, who used machine guns on the people and afterward on the soldiers who opposed them. Fraternize With People. "In the first outbreak 1,300 people were killed or wounded by the police. When the Cossacks were called to aid the police they fraternized with the people. "On Monday the First guard regiment joined the forces of the provincial government and soon was followed virtually by the entire Petrograd garrison. "The incendiarism and disorder at this time was entirely due to the actions of the police and the result was the burning of two police stations and one prison, and the ransacking of houses, including the home of Baron Fredericks. Except in cases where the police were caught in the actual commission of murder, all the adherents of the reactionary party were imprisoned, but not shot. Capture of Winter Palace. "The winter palace was strongly held by the police, but was captured without losses to the revolutionists. No violence was offered to any member of the royal family. From the time when the provisional government took control there was no looting, drunkenness or disorder. "Outside of Petrograd not a single shot was fired. All the other cities accepted the new order without resistance and it was warmly welcomed by the people in the army. "The reactionary party has been completely suppressed and the only fear now is that the moderates will be unable to hold in check the extremists among the revolutionaries. Vienna, March 16 (Via London, March 17).—The news of the revolution in Petrograd produced the greatest sensation here, but at present there is no official inclination to pass judgment upon the probable effect of the entirely unlooked for event on the European war. The general opinion here is that the course of the war at least will be influenced by the moral effect of the Petrograd coup, because its swiftness and extent has introduced a new factor in the world's political and military activities.

French Cabinet Has Resigned in a Body; Attacked for Weeks

Paris, March 18.—The French cabinet, headed by Premier Briand, has resigned. The Briand ministry had been attacked in the French Parliament repeatedly during the last few weeks for its economic policy. It succeeded the Viviani cabinet in October, 1915, and was reorganized last December 12, when the number of ministerial portfolios was decreased and a war council appointed.

Activity in Property On St. Mary's Avenue

Glover & Spain report final closing of several deals involving considerable frontage on St. Mary's avenue, bought in anticipation of development on this street. N. P. Dodge has bought five lots, including the northeast corner of Twenty-first avenue and St. Mary's, held for many years by James L. Lovett, an old-time resident of Omaha; also 120 feet frontage near Twentieth owned by the Old Man's Home of Philadelphia. Total investment, about \$35,000. Miles S. McFayden has bought for the McFayden Investment company the H. J. Abrahams property on St. Mary's avenue from Twenty-first avenue to Twenty-second street for a consideration close to \$20,000. As soon as the new grade is established Mr. McFayden intends to build a large apartment house covering the entire ground.

Fireman Breaks Kneecap Falling on Slippery Walk

J. J. Wavrin, 604 North Twenty-third street, a member of Hose Company No. 12 of the city fire department, slipped and fell, breaking his knee cap Saturday afternoon. The accident happened just as Wavrin was stepping into an auto at Twenty-third and Burdette streets, to attend the funeral of William McDonald, brother of County Commissioner McDonald. Dr. Shook attended Wavrin at St. Joseph's hospital.

Hundred Thousand Pearl Necklace Found in Hotel

Los Angeles, Cal., March 18.—The pearl necklace of Mrs. Frank Sullivan Smith of New York, valued at approximately \$100,000, was found in the corridor of a hotel here today by a youth, who returned it to Mrs. Smith. The necklace was reported stolen yesterday.

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