

Minor Stockholders Vote Against Action of Committee Which Agreed to Sell Option to Nebraska Men

Manager Dunn Will Start Building Up Club Soon; President Rosenberg After Players for Coming Season—To Back Team to Limit.

Tearney Congratulates Stockholders

Johnnie, Mo., Feb. 13.—(Special Telegram).—Any hopes that may have been held for the granting of an option on the Joplin baseball franchise were blasted to shreds and atoms at the meeting of the stockholders of the Jasper County baseball association last night. A unanimous vote was cast to disapprove the action of the directors' committee which had agreed to grant an option to F. L. Whitefoot of Sidney, Neb., and Dr. C. H. Atkins of Peetz, Colo., upon the condition that it be favored by the stockholders.

Says Pro Athletes and Movie Stars Are in Same Class

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Professional athletes are much like movie stars who get paid for being heroes in that they have a tendency toward laxness of morals and in their belief that they are entitled to special privileges, Coach Alonzo A. Szaeg told students of the University of Chicago here yesterday.

Hoyt Threatens to Become Holdout

New York, Feb. 14.—Waite Hoyt, Yankee pitcher hero of the 1921 world's series, has threatened retirement from the game unless his salary is advanced from \$20,000 to \$35,000, it was announced yesterday.

Rotarian Drive for Scout Funds Will Be Continued

Although Boy Scouts' anniversary week closes tomorrow, the Rotarians will continue their drive for \$28,000 for scout activities up to February 22.

Jap Tennis Star Returns to U. S. With a Bride

San Francisco, Feb. 14.—Zensho Shimidzu, member of the Japanese Davis cup team, which reached the final round of the 1921 national title tennis matches, arrived here with his bride from Japan yesterday.

Illini-Bear Meet Off

Berkeley, Cal., Feb. 14.—University of California's proposed track meet with the University of Illinois was not materialized, it was announced yesterday.

Pell Retains Title

Tucson Park, N. Y., Feb. 14.—Clarence Pell, amateur racquet champion of the United States and Canada, retained his laurels yesterday by defeating Hewitt Morgan of the New York Tennis and Racquet club, three games to two.

Dempsey Goes East

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 14.—Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion, has left here and is on his way to New York.

Leads in Bike Race

Chicago, Feb. 14.—At the end of the 34th hour in the six-day bike race here, Walter Stein of Brooklyn, was leading the field.

Dodgers Sign Sandlot

New York, Feb. 13.—Charles W. Hockett, a 19-year-old hurling product of Seattle sandlots, has been signed by the Brooklyn club.

Missouri Valley Cage Standings

Table with columns for Standings (Includes games to February 13) and Individual Standings (Games, Pts., F., R., B., S., O., D., A., St.). Lists teams like Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Iowa, and individual players like Body, Bond, White, Payne, Browning, Knuth, Burt, Thompson, Curry, Williams, Jones, Crato, Bowman, Bunker, Gilmer, Merrit, Boush, Crowell, Black, Emhardt, Wolf, Smith, Debra, Wilson, Meador, Woodward, Boring, Foyat, Carlow, Leno, Riedinger, Coker, Pruden, Lettner.

Winner Will Meet Dempsey

Harry Greb of Pittsburgh and Tom Gibbons of St. Paul, light-heavyweights, will meet in a 15-round bout in Madison Square Garden, New York city, on March 13, which will place the winner in a position to challenge Dempsey for the title.



Harry Greb. Tom Gibbons.

Babe Wants \$75,000 Salary and \$500 for Each Homer He Whangs

New York, Feb. 14.—Among the long list of holdouts on the Yankee roster Babe Ruth is the greatest—as he naturally would be, and there no longer is any doubt that the Bambino is a full-fledged member of the hold-out colony. With his start for the preliminary training camp at Hot Springs only three days away, there is a difference of \$35,000 separating Babe and his club owners, Col. Ruppert and Huston.

Joie Ray Out to Smash Records in Big Leagues

New York, Feb. 14.—Joie Ray, crack middle distance runner of the Illinois Athletic club, announced today that he would attempt during the near to set a precedent for a number of records broken by an individual in one season.

Chicago Clubs Leave for Camps This Week

Chicago, Feb. 14.—This is getting away week for Chicago's two major baseball clubs. The National's first squad is scheduled to leave for its training camp on the Pacific coast Thursday while the American league battery men will depart for Marina Springs, Tex., Saturday.

Anderson Shows Real Class in Workout

Eddie Anderson, the "Wooming thunderbolt," who fights Frankie Schmalzer of Minneapolis in the semi-windup of the Murphy-Schlaifer bout here February 22, showed off his flashy wares today in a workout at the Orpheum Athletic club.

Pacific Coast Cage Title May Be Decided in Tilts

San Francisco, Feb. 14.—In Moscow, Idaho, tonight and tomorrow night the 1922 basket ball championship of the Pacific coast conference probably will be decided when the University of Washington and the University of Idaho, tied for first place, meet in a two-game series.

Arthur Staff Will Defend Ice Skate Title

Saranac Lake, N. Y., Feb. 14.—Arthur Staff of Chicago, American professional skating champion, will defend his title against some of the greatest professional skaters in the country in a three-day series of races here, beginning today.

Ski Meet Feb. 22

Lake Placid, N. Y., Feb. 14.—Canada, Switzerland, Norway and Sweden, in addition to the United States, will be represented at the annual international ski jump here February 22 under the auspices of the Sno-Birds club, E. Dalibes, club director, announced today.

Golf Classic Date Will Be Set This Week

DIRECTORS of the Omaha Country club will meet this week to select a date for the Transmississippi golf tournament, which will be held on the Country club's course.

Dempsey on Way to Sign for Bout Abroad

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Jack Dempsey, world's champion prize fighter, left at noon today for New York in response to what he said was an urgent message from his manager, Jack Kearns, that he was about to sign the champion for a match in London or Paris, presumably with Georges Carpentier.

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Twin Cities' Bowlers Perform in Tourney

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 14.—Twin cities bowlers, with few exceptions, rolled in the International Bowling Association's tourney here today.

Holland Champ Plays Collins in Cue Tourney

Philadelphia, Feb. 14.—The brunt of the foreign invasion falls upon Ary Bos, the young Hollander, who holds the European championship, as the players move into the second day of the international Class A \$22 billiard championship at the Manufacturers club today.

Tampering Charge Is Before Club Owners

New York, Feb. 14.—Club owners of the National league met today to ratify the 1922 schedule of 154 games and to witness a three cornered argument between the Phillies, the Brooklyn and the Cardinals over William F. Baker's statement that Branch Rickey and Wilbert Robinson had been tampering with his players.

Loranger and Roller Win Billiard Matches

Clarence (Murad) Loranger and E. G. Roller emerged victors in yesterday's matches in the interstate pocket billiard tournament being staged at the De Luxe parlors. Loranger defeated Dixon in the evening's game by the score of 125 to 94, while Roller beat Swanson, 125 to 66.

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CHAPTER XXII The Circus Rider.

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Governor Takes Military Trials Under Adversement

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 14.—Seven appeals from convictions handed down by the military court at Nebraska City during the strike of martial law, growing out of the strike of packing house workers, were laid before Governor McKelvie by A. P. Moran of Nebraska City, representing the defendants, at a hearing in the governor's office today.

Can Require Farm Bureaus to Renew Petitions for Aid

Lincoln, Feb. 14.—A county board may require a new petition to be filed each year before granting aid to the county farm bureau, Clyde Reed, assistant to the attorney general, declared in an answer today to a query from Fillmore county. The law does not require a new petition each year, but the board has the privilege of requiring same, according to the opinion, in order to assure a bona fide need.

Brief City News

Legion to Hold Smoker—An American Legion smoker and buffet lunch is to be held Thursday evening at the auditorium.

Office to Remain Vacant

Inspector of Police to succeed the late Andrew Patullo will be appointed for the present, city officials decided today.

Club Manager Chosen

William H. Knorr, of the E. F. Fenton, has been engaged as manager of the Athletic club, to succeed Fred W. Rothger, who resigned because of poor health.

Howell Goes to Conference

R. B. Howell, republican national committeeman, will leave Omaha February 25 to attend the conference for the proposed use of the radio telephone, called by Secretary Hoover.

Prosecution Dropped

Ralph Sadler, twice tried on the charge of swindling W. J. Koster, city clerk, and who is now in the county jail, will be released, according to the statement of County Attorney Showalter yesterday.

Falls to Prove Tishers Held

Mrs. Marie Fisher held to show that the 26-month-old twin children were her own, Carl Fisher, III, will be required to support them, according to a decision made by District Judge Sears yesterday.

Under Bond Here

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Teachers' Club Dinner

The Omaha History Teachers' club will give a dinner at Mrs. Baker's cafeteria, Sixteenth and Harvey streets, Thursday evening at 7.

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