

Drawn for The Bee by George McManus



DAUBERT QUITE A PRODIGY

Crops Out as the Most Valuable Player in National League.

HIGH BIDDER AS A BATTER

Record with the Stick is Climbing Steadily and Dodger First Baseman May Become King of Its Users.

One of the many peculiarities of base ball crops up in Daubert, who is considered by the Chalmers trophy commissioners the player most valuable to his team in the National league this year, for in 1907 the Brooklyn captain was declared not sufficiently competent to hold his berth with Cleveland. This year he wins the ear. That same season Larry Doyle, who won the ear last year, was looked over by a scout for an American league club while he was playing with Springfield of the Three-Base league and the scout advised against his purchase. Doyle cost the Giants \$4,500, which was a record price for a minor league infielder in 1907. Daubert was acquired by Brooklyn via the draft process in 1910 for the sum of \$1,000, the Giants also putting in a draft for him and losing out in the draw. Mr. Jacob never was in danger of being sent back to the minors after he reached the majors for the second time, and by June, 1910, had been dubbed the I-fal Chase of the National league. He failed to obtain membership in the society of the three hundred the first year he was in the National league, but in 1911 he hit at a .307 clip and in 1912 his record was .352. This year Daubert has boosted his stick credit to .359 and there is a possibility that he may be the batting king in the organization which he plays.

Makes Excellent Record. In his first 123 games this year Daubert procured 166 safeties, going hitless only in twenty-six controversies. In each of fifty-six games he made one hit; in each of thirty-one, two; in each of thirteen, three, and in each of two, four. His largest afternoon with the willow was on July 14 and 16. On the first named date he secured four hits in four times at bat off Pierce, Overall and Reulbach of the Cubs and on the last-named date he located Jimmy Lavender of the Bruins for four smashes, batting against him five times. Daubert has hit at a .428 clip against the Cardinals and at a .468 pace against the Phillies. The Cubs pitchers have yielded him an average of 2.53, the Pittsburgh hurlers of 2.82, the Red heavies of 2.99, the Boston Gunners of 3.16 and the Giants' artillery of 3.79. Daubert has made only a dozen errors this season and only once has he committed two misplays in the same contest. His biggest day's work at the first coper was on April 26, when he cared for twenty out of the twenty-one chances that came his way. On April 14 he obtained four assists, which is quite a lot for a first baseman.

Boston Nationals to Have New Home

BOSTON, Oct. 25.—Property at the corner of Columbus avenue and Walpole street has been acquired by the Boston National league base ball club. The old buildings will be razed and the space will be utilized as the site of a new grandstand to be erected before the 1914 season.

The maximum both of playing surface and of seating capacity is sought. It may be possible by moving the diamond to the east to get a slightly longer left field foul line and at the same time a much longer right field foul line. Meantime tall stands of steel and cement construction will more than make up for any restriction of the present first and third base bleachers seats that may be involved in the new plans.

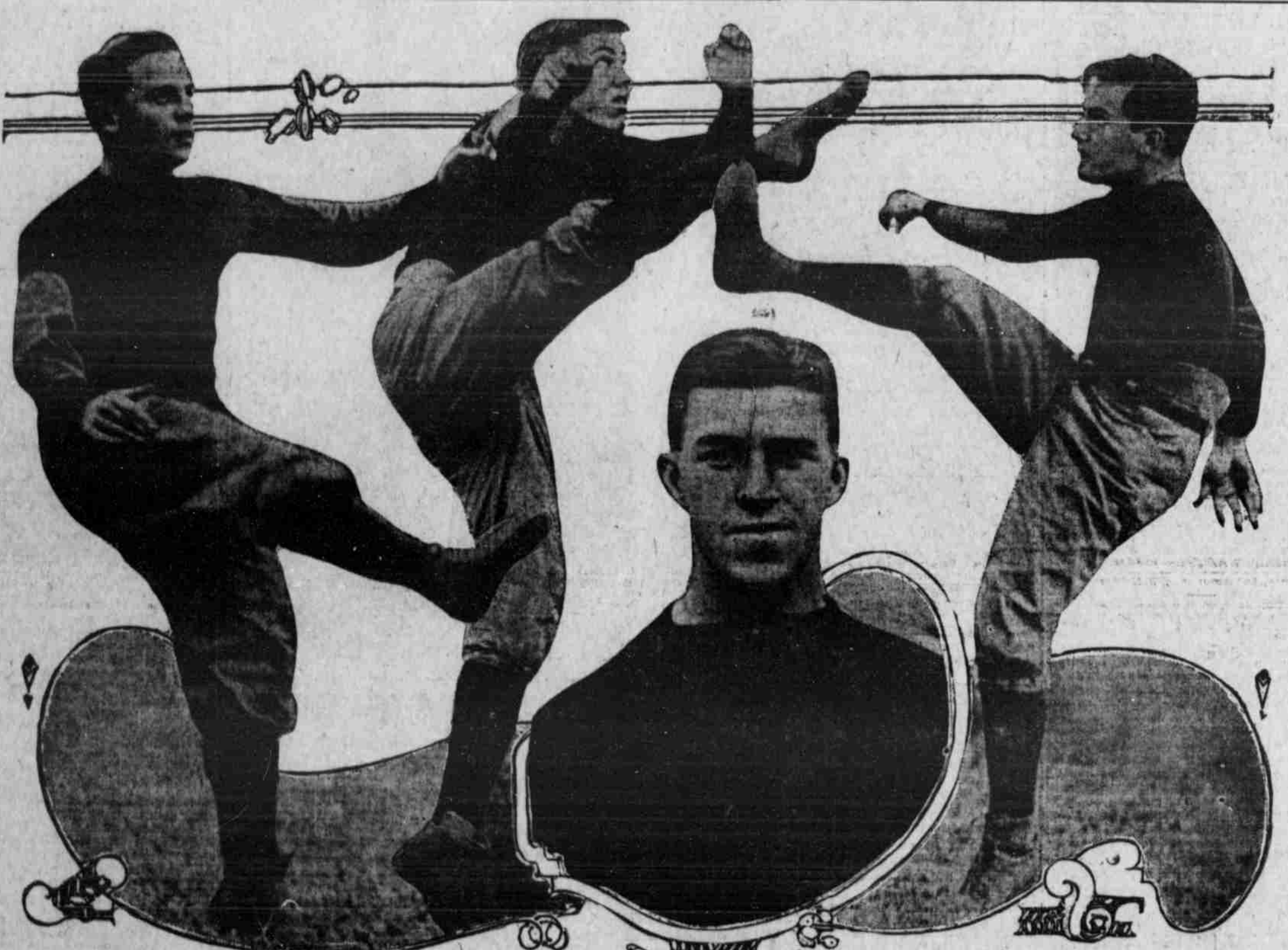
LEXINGTON OVERCOMES AGGIES FROM CURTIS

CURTIS, Neb., Oct. 25.—(Special Telegram.)—Lexington High and the Curtis Aggies defeated the new athletic field of the Curtis Agricultural school here today. Lexington won, 6 to 6. It was all Lexington for the first half, but the Aggies braced up in the second half and held them, 6 to 6. The day was ideal and the attendance large. Umpire, Shadon; referee, Remy; head linesman, Stewart; timekeeper, Olson.

CHICAGO WHITE SOX TRIM NEW YORK GIANTS, 8 TO 5

BLUEN RAPIDS, Kan., Oct. 25.—The Chicago White Sox defeated the New York Giants yesterday by 8 to 5. Willis was pounded by the Chicago players for four home runs, the drives being made by Chase, Schaeffer, Weaver and Wiley. Score: White Sox, 8; Giants, 5. Umpire, R.H.E. Matters; home and field, White and Wiley.

Young Men Who Are Looming Up on Eastern Gridiron



Harvard backfield stars who are gaining fame fast. Left to right: Bottle, substitute fullback; Hardwick, regular left halfback; Mahan, regular right halfback; Freedley, quarterback.

ALFRED M. WINS FUTURITY

Hound Owned in Friend Captures Great Race.

KEARNEY DOG IS RUNNER-UP

Flying Pearl Takes All-Age Stake, with Forest Flower Runner-Up—Favorites Go by Board.

WTMORE, Neb., Oct. 25.—(Special Telegram.)—Alfred M., owned by ystephens and Page, Friend, Neb., won the national futurity. Sweeping Flame, owned by Gordon and King, Kearney, was runner-up. Flying Footsteps, owned by William J. Matthews, Butte, Mont., was in the semi-finals.

Officers of the National Coursing association pronounced this one of the best meets ever held. Today's score: Sixth round futurity: Sweeping Flame, 17; Flying Pearl, 22; Flying Footsteps, 9; Idaho, 4; Alfred M. Abye. Semi-finals: Flying Footsteps, 9; Alfred M. Abye. Fourth round, all ages: Sir Edward, 11; Carter Harrison, 4; Miss Can Trip, 23; The Unconquerable, 5; Flying Pearl, 4; Belle Rose, 2; Checker Board, 19; Bashful Lily, 12; Forest Flower, 5; Lady Dufferin, 3; Sea Stallion, 4; Flora, 1. Fifth round: Sir Edward, 11; Bashful Lily, 4; Forest Flower, 3; Flora, 1. Semi-finals: Sir Edward, 4; Flying Pearl, 7; Forest Flower, Abye. Final: Flying Pearl, 5; Forest Flower, 1.

Blair Vanquishes Lyons. BLAIR, Neb., Oct. 25.—(Special Telegram.)—Lyons and Blair High school foot ball teams tried out on Blair's gridiron this afternoon, resulting in a victory for Blair by the score of 46 to 4. A good crowd was in attendance. The Lyons team average heavier than Blair, but could not stop the forward passes and end runs, seven touchdowns being made, as follows: Kemp (2), Parr, Roush (2), Peterson, Lutz. Roush kicked six out of

TIGERS LOSE ON WET FIELD

Dartmouth Wins Game of Which Fumbling is Feature.

SCORE IS SIX TO NOTHING

Princeton Clearly Outplayed, Enemy Appearing Dangerously Near Goal Three Times During Play.

PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 25.—Dartmouth fulfilled expectations this afternoon when it won a 6 to 0 game from Princeton in a contest devoid of real foot ball because of a water-soaked field. Fumbling was the most prominent feature of the game.

The lone score of the game came after a delayed pass formation and took the Tiger goal had been threatened once. Llewellyn, who had replaced Gies for Dartmouth, noticed the closely drawn defense of the Tigers and he called for a delayed pass formation and took the ball himself around Princeton's right end without interference. Princeton appeared dangerously near the Princeton goal three times and Captain Hogsett made a wild attempt to kick a field goal at one period. Princeton's chances for scoring were few and those which it did have came as the result of a fumble recovered on a blocked kick.

In spite of the heavy field and the slippery ball, punting was resorted to constantly by the teams, both as a defensive and offensive play. Curtis' kicking for Dartmouth outclassed Gile for Princeton, who had been rushed into the game at the last moment before the game because of his punting ability. In addition the Dartmouth forwards were constantly breaking through and threatening to block his kicks. Gile played a better game as a guard than he did as a punter.

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YOUSIFF MAHMOUD KILLED BY BULGARIAN BANDITS

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—Yousiff Mahmoud, a Bulgarian wrestler, who met a number of American mat men, including Frank Gotch, by whom he was defeated, was killed by a band of Bulgarian bandits in the mountains near Silistria, his home, according to a story told by two Turkish wrestlers, who arrived here today. Mahmoud was a petty officer in the Bulgarian army in the late war, and according to their story, went to the town to draw some money to pay off the men in his command. Sixteen bandits, learning the purpose of his trip, waylaid him on his return, but because Mahmoud had procured only orders instead of gold coin they shot and killed him. Mahmoud's death occurred three weeks ago.

Federal to Start War

EDWARD BURNINGHAM, president of the St. Louis Federal league club, asserts that war on the major leagues would commence immediately after the meeting of the Federal league directors at Indianapolis. "We are going to invade the

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VICTORY WITH WOLVERINES

Michigan Defeats Vanderbilt by Score of 32 to 2.

SOUTHERNERS HAVE NO SHOW

Ann Arbor Eleven Batters Opposing Line for Repeated Gains and Circles the Ends Freely.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 25.—Battering Vanderbilt's line for repeated gains and circling the Commodores' ends freely, the University of Michigan today defeated the local squad by a score of 32 to 2. The triumph of the west over the south was never in doubt. Both on offense and defense the Michigan players surpassed their lighter opponents. Quinn, Bastian, Meade and Hughtit, backs for Michigan, repeatedly struggled down the field carrying two or three of Vanderbilt's players with them. At other times they cast the local players aside at will.

Cooler and Stormy

Weather calls for one of our rubber Ants coats. Get your rubber goods of a rubber house. Omaha Rubber Co., 193 Harnew St.

Another Fitzsimmons

Syl Fitzsimmons, a nephew of ex-heavyweight champion Bob Fitzsimmons, is being brought to England from Australia, to show that he has the Fitzsimmons fighting strain in him. He is 25 years old and said to be a heavy-weight of promise.

Studebaker People Make Alterations for the New Year

Formal announcement of a number of important changes in the Studebaker line was made from the local headquarters of the corporation today. While the alterations are not of a sweeping nature, they embody a number of extremely interesting features.

Air Cushions Are Weight Supports of Automobiles

A pneumatic tire consists of two things, of which one is as important as the other. One of these is an air cushion; the other is an envelop for retaining air under pressure and making this air cushion possible. This envelop is spoken of by the trade as the tire and as every motorist knows, consists of a casing and an inner tube; the casing to resist road wear and the tube to furnish an air-tight enclosure for the air inside. The casing is made of rubber and fabric, and the tube of rubber. This mass of rubber and fabric construction will not sustain the weight of any car; it is the air cushion that supports the car's weight.

Princeton Defeats Yale

PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 25.—Princeton defeated Yale in the boat race on Cayuga lake this afternoon by one and a half lengths.

Golf is Expensive

It is estimated that nearly \$30,000,000 is spent on golf in England. Of this huge sum \$12,500,000 goes to the caddies.

JOHNSON A GAME FINISHER

American League Pitcher is Honored in More Than One Way.

PUTS OVER TWENTY-NINE

Twirler Not Only Pitched More Victorious Games, but Also Went the Route Offener Than Any of Competitors.

Walter Johnson not only twirled more victory than any other American league pitcher, he pitched more complete games than anyone else. The automobile winner went the route twenty-nine times, only being knocked off the rubber once. Another hard worker was Jim Scott of the Chicago White Sox; "Death Valley Jim" labored in twenty-six complete games, while his teammate, Red Russell, did almost as well, figuring in twenty-five.

George Baumgardner of the Browns pitched twenty-four full contests, Vean Gregg and Fred Falkenberg of the Naps each twenty-three. George Daus and Jean Dubuc of the Tigers each twenty-one and Ray Collins of the Red Sox and Roy Mitchell of the Browns each twenty. Of the champion White Sox, Eddie Plank pitched more full games than any of his teammates. The Gettysburg Guide was in eighteen, while "Chief" Bender was only in thirteen. The Indian was often used by Mack as a rescuer; none of Mack's young pitchers except Shawkey showing much cleverness at being able to go the distance.

Mack changed pitchers oftener than any other American league leader. The Athletic skinner twirled only sixty-seven complete games; the Browns' gunners turned in 104 full contests. The number of complete games pitched by the other hurling staffs was as follows: By New York, 75; by Boston, 76; by Washington, 78; by Chicago, 81; by Detroit, 85, and by Cleveland, 95.

All told, there were just seventy-one gunners who were able to twirl complete games last year, the men who pitched ten or more full contests being as follows:

- Complete Games Pitched. Johnson, Washington, 29. Scott, Chicago, 26. Russell, Chicago, 25. Baumgardner, St. Louis, 24. Gregg and Falkenberg, Cleveland, 23. Daus and Dubuc, Detroit, 21. Collins, Boston; Mitchell, St. Louis, 20. Hamilton, St. Louis, 19. Boehling, Washington; Plank, Philadelphia; Cloutie, Chicago; Willett, Detroit, 18. Brown, Washington; Wellman, St. Louis, 17. Mitchell, Cleveland, 16. Ford, New York; Blanding, Cleveland, 15. Fisher, New York; Caldwell, New York; Leonard, Boston, 14. Bender, Philadelphia; Leverenz, St. Louis, 13. Wood, Boston, 12. Brown, Philadelphia, 11.