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and Season Will Be On.

One Set of Surprises After

Another.

By FRANK G. MENKE.

base ball is with us once again.

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THE OMAHA SUNDAY BEE: APRIL 12, 1914.

## candidates is working out regularly de- WATCHING COLLEGE PLAYERS The squad selected Monday, Wednesday

and Friday afternoons for practice. Ow-

ing to the sickness of Dr. R. G. Clapp.

secretary of the university athletic board.

the foot hall men have never been called together to elect a foot ball captain for

next fall to succeed Captain-Elect Max Towle, who was declared ineligible by the

Missouri Valley eligibility committee.

Sometime during the next week Stiehm

will send out notices to the letter men to be present at the board mosting on April

20 to elect another captain. Stichim is

Cold Humpers Work.

is held the last of April.

members at that time .

high school meets.

YORKERS AGAINST WOMEN

could not wear long skirts.

Olympic committee at a recent meeting

taincy.

Big League Scouts Often Find Stars on School Teams.

BECOMING QUITE A FACTOR

Connie Mack Was First to Discover Worth of Exploiting Them and Now Other Managers Are Pollowing Solt.

NEW YORK, April 11 .- During the next antious to get the foot ball situation straightened out before the close of three months the college hase ball player school and one of the first steps to be will hold a prominent position in the taken is the election of another leader. spring sporting program. His record will Victor Halligan, the big tackle, is the be followed closely by university alumni likely choice of the board for captain and with even closer scrutiny by the Warren Howard is the only other player professional scout, for major league club likely to be considered, but the odds ap- managers are fully aware that occaparently favor Halligan to land the cap- sionally a star may be plucked from the varsity diamond. Players of the caliber

of Eddie Collins and Christy Mathewson Spring track work during the last week are found but infrequently. There always exists, however, the possibility of was much hampered by the cold weather. securing players who, if not capable of The squad worked out on the cinder path, but did not dare to do much sprinting major league speed at the outset of their or hard work for fear of injuries and professional careers, can quickly be sore muscles. Reed today picked two coached and trained to the point where relay teams in competition to represent they are a decided acquisition to a big Nebrasks at the Drake relay meet, which "circuit club.

Under professional coaching the stand-The regular tryouts for the varsity and of play in college base ball has risen squad will be held April 25, on the track. rapidly during the last few years. Vet-Reed will make his selections of team eran big leaguers have aided the natural

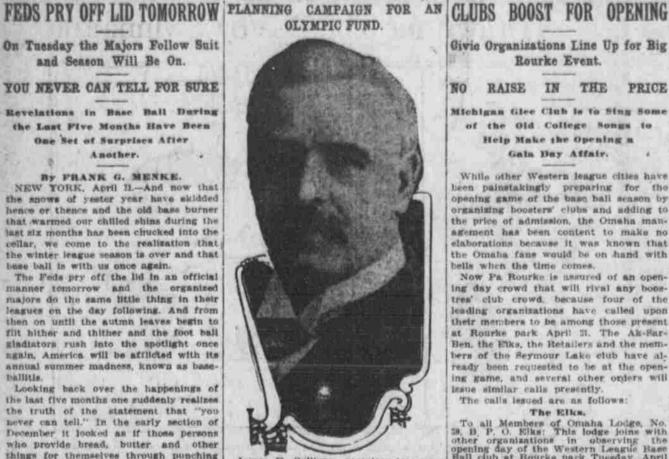
player by advice and instruction. Little The executive committee of the Ne- hints on how to bat; take the ball for a braska High School Athletic association. quick throw and other points of techwhich will fix the date for the state nique in the game quickly bring players high school track meet, was unable to with natural qualifications within the meet this week, but will probably get range of major league possibilities. All together next week. The committee is those connected with the professional experiencing a great deal of difficulty, same today realize that the college base owing to the conflicting dates of several ball team offers one of the best recruiting grounds at the disposal of the big

league magnates. Billy Evans, the American league umpire, a college grad-COMPETING IN OLYMPIC uate and close observer of every angle of base ball, said recently in discussing this phase of the game: NEW YORK, April 11-The American

"The college ball player has become a at the New York Athletic club went big factor in the major leagues. Ten on record against women competing in years ago a collegian was a rarity in a the Olympic games except in class work big league lineup. A few years ago maof gymnastic exhibitions. In other words jor league scouts, in search of promising material, gave the college games very little consideration. At a big game last the committee was opposed to women taking part in any event in which they summer between two strong college teams, exactly twelve major league scouts were in attendance. Quite a testimonial to the value placed on the col-

ENGLISH AND AUSTRALIAN TO PLAY SOCCER AT EXPO lege player by the men whose duty it is to pick up future big league stars. SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.-England "Connie Mack is the ploneer in the exnd Australia have accepted invitations ploiting of the college player. The reto participate in the international soccer sourceful leader of the world's chamgames to be held here next year in con- pions saw the worth of the college nection with the Panama-Pacific exposi- player long before any other major tion, according to an announcement made league manager looked on the varaliy by the exposition's athletic department. athlete seriously."





James E. Sullivan, secretary-treasurer of the Amateur Athletic union, principal

But the signs fibbed. So many things But the signs fibbed. So many things Frank Chance Says and date that it kept one up rather late at night figuring out, not what one could write about, but, rather figuring out which subject one should select out of a score

#### As may be remembered, Garry Herrmann and Charles Ebbets, the merry old

magnates who have a liking for Walderf wine, started things a going by framing turn home ready for a campaign they up the Tinker deal. Then Tinker stepped are ready to play. You seldom ever hear in and set them whizzing along faster, of their men complaining of sore arms by issuing an ultimatum to Ebbets, "More and other aliments It's bad business lucre than you offer or I'll hop to the to drive a ball club hard in the spring.

out little sporting articles were con-

happen during the interval before the regular season opened again, and that

When the Signs Fibbed.

little squibe now and then.

er more subjects.

nted with a mighty-a dreary-task. The prospects were that nothing would

would have to draw quite largely

one's imagination-and memory-for

And then along came Ebbets, care-free they are stale for the opening of the and happy, thinking he had Tinker where season. Tinker's spinal column seemed to be rubsing up and down against a blank wall, to have a squad in the south too long. murmuring, "Ha, ha, jump if you March 1 is carly enough. Some managinter" And that's what Josephus did. ers like to send their squads south as much to the surprise of the base ball early as the middle of February, but the world in general, and to the greater surprise of the aforementioned Mister Ebets, who since has lost a lot of his With pitchers it's different. I am hearritah laughter and a considerable portion of his carefree, happy manner.

And then events happened so fast that it seemed as though some were staging a ing-change panorama. The Federal guers, that had been merely looming in offing up to the time that Tinker ever, is a sufficient amount of time for bid-the-loop, and which organization any manager to get his squad into shape. wasn't given much thought by anyone, suddenly blazed up largely on the base

#### Makes Good News.

leapfrog stunts of the majors who into shape, and it is a waste of breath couldn't resist the bulging Federal bank- to tell him what to do and when to do it. rolls, the threats of organized base ball to The effectiveness of a pitcher's arm desue the Federals, choke 'em to death, boll 'em in oil and eat 'em alive, and other his body, and if he doesn't feel right the loud talk of like nature. furnished more aliments will always come to the sur-

Givic Organizations Line Up for Big Rourke Event. RAISE IN THE PRICE NO

> Michigan Glee Club is to Sing Some of the Old College Songs to Help Make the Opening a

Gain Day Affair. While other Western league cities have

been painstakingly preparing for the opening game of the base ball season byorganising boosters' clubs and adding to the price of admission, the Omaha management has been content to make no elaborations because it was known that the Omaha fans would be on hand with bells when the time comes.

Now Pa Rourke is assured of an opening day crowd that will rival any boostrea' club crowd, because four of the leading organizations have called upon their members to be among those present at Rourke park April 31. The Ak-Sar-Ben, the Elks, the Retailers and the members of the Seymour Lake club have already been requested to be at the opening game, and several other orders will issue similar calls presently. The calls issued are as follows:

#### The Elks.

To all Members of Omaha Lodge, No. 59, B. P. O. Elks: This lodge joins with other organizations in observing the opening day of the Western League Base Ball club at Rourke park Tuesday, April 21. All members who own automobiles are requested to take part in the street parade provides to the game assembling

ing. will sing a couple of songs.

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give a concert at the Brandels that even-

face. In my many years of experience I



Frances Oulmet, the open golf cham- , notice, as he has been consistently win-

pion of this country, is making all the ning since landing in England.

stronger. Rourke is worrying a bit about his pitching staff, because of Bert Bren. SOCCER FOOT BALL

Youthful Golfer Makes Good Abroad

peppery Mr. Evers.

wore available. Where would Evers go? win a ball game more than a pitcher. What would happen to Murphy? Would Evers jump to the Feds? These and a I have a regular system and stick to score of other little questions on the same this. 'Go slow at the start' is my sloorder seemed to call for answers and in gan. Players should be given no more aquibs attempted to answer them.

for the services of the unsigned players he is forced too hard ill effects are bound between the Feds and organized base ball ensued, the ensuing resulting in lots and as a player. They used to make us run

#### Busy Little Season.

All in all it was one of the busiest little masons that the oldest sporting inhabtant over has known. From the moment that the National league staged their annual battle in the Waldorf on December a, caaning Tem Lynch and injecting John to two or three-hour measions daily of Tener into their midst, there have been routine batting and fielding practice. At forth with a savage attack on the Fed- to stand harder work.

Ban is to be thanked for something else, the same program with new players as too. After the National commission, sit- with veterans. The rookles as a rule are ting in Cincinnati in January, granted unknown quantities. Their minor league most of the demands of the Base Ball records don't amount to much. Through Players' fraternity and it seemed that necessity they have to put through a peace would reign and there'd be nothing more severe course of training in order left to write about for a week or two, that I can find out quickly what they Ban stuck his feet under a banquet table can do to decide whether I want to knep and loosened a savage attack upon Dave them. This must be learned before the Fultz, president of the fraternity, who regular season, for when the salaries ed to be absent from the room at begin no manager wants to carry along the time.

Of course, this made considerable copy, because Ban's speech came as something reason I put the rookles through a rigid of a surprise, in view of the fact that course of sprouts. When I decide I don't right up to the minute that he climbed Davey's frame it seemed to everybody that he and Davey were awfully good tion of him. This is the system with

Usually a base ball acribe looks for- won four pennants for me 1 think it is will be delighted to teach you the game ward to the summer months, when base the best I could devise." nard labor. But this season it will be Rourkes to Play which so many things happened, and continued to happen, one after another. and one on top of another; after a win ter in which he got no rest but had to inhor at double speed, he looks forward. to the opening of the base ball senson as the beginning of six months of vacation for him.

### FANTON MAKES A NEW BOWLING RECORD FOR OMAHA

Frank Fanton, a member of the Wroth team, established a record for Omaha bowiers Friday night when he rolled a perfect score of 300, alternating on two alidys. Beveral times bowiers have registered 206 acores in Omaha, but they Congaitan. always have been rolled on the same allay. Panton alternated every other Brady Hicks. frame on two alleys. Fanton was rolling a Mame with Carvoll and McMartin when he top score was registered. The record was made on the new Morrison alleys. Alaran

And then just when things seemed about have found few cases where a pitcher to resume their normal status, just about has taken advantage of this leniency, and the time when the Feds ceased to be a it isn't hard to find the men who are insensation and were voted as among those clined to loaf. When I do find a man present, just when it seemed as if things loafing on the job I simply map out his would quiet down, along came Charles work and see that he does it. But these webb Murphy, who poked his frame into cases are few and far between. Pitchers the spotlight by suddenly canning the are anxious to get into shape, for they know that their success depends upon

Once again reams and reams of copy their effectiveness, and nobody likes to "My system differs for other players. a dutiful way the composers of sporting than one workout for the first few weeks After Mister Murphy was duly and com-cletely canned from his Cub presidenting job, the world tourists scudded across up muscles. A six months' rest is bound if New York bay and a merry scramble to make a player's muscles soft, and if

> our legs off the first week or so, and the result was my muscles were soon stove up, and by the time the season opened my legs felt as if I had been playing a ball a year.

First Weeks Are Boutine. "I devote the first two weeks in camp

dull moments. When, it looked as the end of each session I have the boys ish there might be a slight full in the run around the park a couple of times to proceedings. Ban Johnson, who prezies get up a good sweat. After two weeks the running. for the American league, would burst of this kind of work the men are ready Omaha fan

"It is, of course, impossible to follow A pleasant way to spend your noon hour, especially during rainy weather, is to play chess or checkers at the Omaha

players on the pay roll unless he thinks Chess and Checker club. The monthly they will be of use to the club. For that dues are but a trifle, the pastime is a clean one and will benefit you mentally and morally; and the location is conwant a certain player I let him take venient, being on the third floor of the things casy until I make some disposi-Coutinental block, Fifteenth and Dougwhich I trained the Cubs, and since they las streets. The best players in the club

of chegs if you are not an expert, or to beat you at it if you are.

# Storz Team Today champion, and F. Sager, who tied with him in the recent annual tournament for

Ward.

the title, have each won a game in their The Omaha base ball team will clash match to break the tie, Armstrong scorwith the Stors semi-pro. team at Rourke ing the first and Sager the second. The park Sunday afternoon. The thora have third game will be played the coming a fast organization this year and promise week.

to hold the lenguers to a tight score. George Graham will discard his Omaha The following game between A. M. iniform and play in a Stora uniform in Furr and F. C. Swearingen decided the the battle. The same will be called at a championship of the 1912 correspondence o'clock, The Mneup: tourney of the Nebraska State Chess as-

OMAHA. Position. STORZ sociation. Swearingen, who succeeded in name..... ... Dyck getting a draw after the game had been twice lost, won the title with a score of thirteen wins and five draws. FUE. Feltman Falcoper ... Welch Furr, White. Aiderman Custles Q-KU P-KE KtsP

# **Rourke Boys Show** Signs of Usefulness Under Steady Work

(Continued from Page One.) White, Davy Davidson, Callahan, Cooney

as a manager. Dale Gear has banded together with good this year and he is hitting a little

has half a dozen Texas leaguers, who out better.

C. E. Armstrong, New Tersey state

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Omaha fans know that Omaha looks if they will play the best of class A ball.

ner's had arm and shoulder und the lack of form by Hicks, Ormaby and Glosman. Stevenson is really the only Omaha pitcher who is going good. The others are unquestionably good twirlers, but have not been going right this spring. It may be the cold weather, but Rourke that more interest can be aroused in base

cracks of Great Britain sit up and take

fears that one of two of them may so ball by making it purely departmental bad all year.

The infield is far stronger. Chase, Waland Wheatley still remain as a nucleus. lace, Thomas and Ward are a much But the great relief in the Western stronger quartet than Cane, Schipke, altuation lies in Wichita and Topeka. Justice and Grubb. Krug is head and These towns really look good. The shoulders above Coyle as an outfielder Wichita management got down to work and as a hitter, while Thomason and in the league this summer and quite s and over seventy-five players reported Congalton are just as good as they were little interest aroused between the diffor spring training. Many of these are last year. Behind the bat, Shestak and ferent colleges. His preliminary plans merely rookies, but many have had some Crosby loom up as good steady receivers. experience. Some of them have even Crosby fields wonderfully and has a proved to be sensational players in the whip to second that will compare with three from the academic college and one practice games and the Wichita fans as- any of them. He may be a little weak from the agricultural school. sert that if Maddox cannot select a win- at the bat, but he is swift on the paths ning club, it will be because he falls short and can steal bases. a virtue, seldom

his last year's remnants a swarm of better than he did before. The box is southern players. He has returned from the only weak spot right now and that his training season at Denison, Tex. may prove to be the strongest when where the Kaws bent everything in sight Jine arrives. Rourke is hoping it is and reports that his squad is wonder-only temporary iameness and when Brenfully improved. Gear asserts that he nev gets back into shape things may turn will shine this year and if his predic- Unquestionably the Western circuit

Kt-K2.

IxKt ch

QR-Q sq.

C1-Q4.

R-K sq ch

StxBP.

K-Kt2

Fenlon.

Swearingen, Black

P-H4

Kt-QR0 R-B4

Drawn by perpetual check.

gen, H. Thomsen, Jacob Sass,

Q-B3 Viele, W. E. Fenion, Mrs. R. C. Moore, Q-K13 L. A. Tyson, A. L. Joseph, Jacob Sam,

Jacob Sass' problem, Q.Q7. Solved by

Mrs. L. R. Marr, H. Thomson, W. E.

Denamore's prize winner, R-R sq. Solved

Tourney problem No. 12, B-Kt2 Solved

by Richard H. Mockett, F. C. Swearin

by Mrs. L. R. Marr. Dr., J. W. Brendel

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Frisch, Otto Kruse, G. E. Cyphor, Verne K.

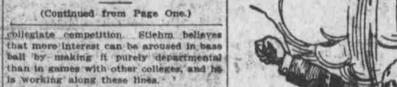
Viele, W. E. Fenlon, Mrs. R. C. Moore,

tions come true Topska will be up in faces a properous year. The race looks very even and all the teams, look as

Q-Q5 cl Q-Q1 cl Q-Q4 cl

Lanyon, H. S. Nielsen, H. J. Hunsen,

reside in Nebraska or lows. Solutions must be mulled within two weeks after appearance of problem. Tourney consists of twenty-six problems and contestant who solves the greatest number shall be declared winner. In case of a tie, other problems shall be submitted to the contestants who are tied until the tie is broken. The prize is a 35 out of chezanen (or anything of equal value selected by the winner). Address all correspond-R-102 ence to E. M. Alkin, 1608 Harney street. Omaha. Please do not fail to enclose a stamp if you wish a reply.

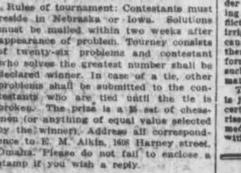


He announced today that he would ar range for a schedule between the different departments of the university. He believes that nine teams can be drafted call for three teams from the engineering college, two from the law college, Stiehm will present his plans for inter

AT THE STATE UNI

departmental base ball to the senior so clety of Innocents for its approval and to the student body in general at a convocation. He will call upon each department to elect a representative to meet with him and draft a schedule. There is plenty of material in the university to provide nine teams, Stiehm believes, and he thinks the rivalry will lend enough interest to make the sport self supporting. Under the old system base ball always ate a nice hole in uni versity finances.

The spring foot ball squad of forty





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