

# BRINGING UP FATHER

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## COMMISSION WILL TREAT WITH FEDS

Owner of Pittsburgh Nationals Says Best Kind of Peace in Base Ball World is in Sight.

### AMERICAN MAGNATES ARRIVE

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—At the close of a meeting between representatives of organized base ball and the Federal league at 6:45 o'clock tonight it was announced the National commission has been authorized to deal with the Federal league on the question of peace.

The question will be taken up by the commission at 8 o'clock tonight and it is expected that a tentative agreement which has been reached will be ratified.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Barney Dreyfuss, owner of the Pittsburgh Nationals, returned today from his conference with the American league magnates at Chicago and declared there will not only be peace between organized and independent base ball interests, but that it will be the "best kind of peace."

Dreyfuss was in a jovial mood when he reached the hotel where the National league magnates are holding their meeting. He said: "I went, I saw, I conquered. In other words, I accomplished everything I attempted toward peace. The best kind of peace is coming."

American Magnates Arrive. The American league men arrived soon after 11. In the party were President Stan Johnson of the league; Charles A. Conroy, president of the Chicago club; J. J. Lanahan, president of the Boston Americans; Colonel Jacob Ruppert, Jr., of the New York club; President E. B. Minor of the Washington club, and a number of club secretaries, managers and other officials.

Johnson and all the other members of the party appeared optimistic, but one magnate said the American league was not at this time committed to any peace terms.

End Far Away, Says Han. Going into details Stan Johnson explained that he headed the American league committee and that this committee was empowered to act finally in the matter of peace, should it so decide. Dreyfuss had admitted to him in Chicago, he said, only tentative plans and as yet the American league was not prepared to commit itself.

Furthermore, he explained, nothing could be done until a meeting of the National association had been held. This embraces both the National and American leagues and the Association of Minor Leagues. After this meeting, he went on, if it was the consensus of opinion that a conference should be held with the Federal league, such action would be taken.

At the National league meeting during the forenoon the magnates heard Dreyfuss' report of his trip to Chicago and agreed to meet American league representatives and all parties interested in the peace proposals at 3 p. m.

Murphy Talks About Lease. CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Charles W. Murphy, former president of the Chicago Nationals, intimated there might be difficulty in transferring the Cubs to the North Side park of the Chicago Federals.

"The Cubs have an eighty-year lease on the West Side ball park," said Mr. Murphy. "Mr. Taft has a half interest in the grounds and the Association of Minor Leagues. After this meeting, he went on, if it was the consensus of opinion that a conference should be held with the Federal league, such action would be taken.

VERMILION, S. D., Dec. 17.—(Special.)—Negotiations are under way between the athletic boards of the University of South Dakota and the University of Missouri for a foot ball game next fall between the two institutions at Vermillion. The only date open is one early in the season. If South Dakota's proposition is accepted by the Missourians, it will be the big game of the season on the home grounds and the date will be chosen as Dakota day, the annual gala day on which the alumni foregather. With Missouri on the schedule, as well as Minnesota, Notre Dame, Creighton and North Dakota, the Coyotes are in for the most strenuous season in the history of foot ball at South Dakota.

Flanker Beats Heavily. CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Joseph R. Tinker, manager of the Chicago Federal league base ball club, rested easily today in the hospital where he recently underwent an operation for a kidney ailment. His physicians reported that there had been no unfavorable symptoms.

Booster for Small Men. George Foster, like Dick Rudolph, is a refutation of the statement that it requires a big man to make a good pitcher. Prompt Action Will Stop Your Cough. Dr. King's New Discovery will stop your cough. The first dose helps. Good for children. All druggists, etc.

## FEDERAL LEAGUE MAGNATES WHO BROUGHT O. B. TO TIME

Top, George S. Ward of the Brooklyn Federals and Charles Weeghman of the Chicago Federals. Bottom, Harry Sinclair of the Newark Federals, and President James A. Gilmore, president of the Federal League.



## Chicago May Have Three Ball Clubs

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—A report was in circulation today that Chicago would have three clubs next season under the reorganization plan.

This report had it that with the amalgamation of the Federals and Nationals here, the American association would be allowed to enter Chicago, transferring the Cleveland association club to the Cubs' old park.

This, it is said, would take care of the Nationals' long-term lease on the West Side park and remove difficulties in the way of moving the Cubs to Charles Weeghman's North Side park.

## Injury of Wolgast is Not Serious

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—The injury suffered by Ad Wolgast in his bout with Frank Whitney at Atlanta last Tuesday night is not so serious as to prevent his fight with Lesch Cross here tonight. To make sure there would be no cancellation of the bout at the last moment, a physician, acting for the State Athletic commission, examined Wolgast, and, finding he has only a cut on the forehead, gave him a clean bill of health.

## BENDER SAYS HE WILL STAY WITH KANSAS AGGIES

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 17.—(Special.)—Johnny Bender, coach of the Kansas Aggies, and at one time a member of the old Beatrice Creamery ball team, which was located at Lincoln and this city, spent a few hours in town Thursday enroute to Sutton with his family to spend the holidays with his father. While here some of Bender's friends mentioned the vacancy on the Cornhusker team made by the resignation of Coach Stietem, but he stated he was well satisfied with the position he now holds, at Manhattan, Kan.

## VANDERBILT CUP RACE IS SET FOR MAY 13

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Announcement was made here today that the next Vanderbilt cup race will be run at the Sheepshead Bay Speedway on May 13 next. It is understood that the race will be 20 miles or slightly under that distance.

Collins Prizes Rowland. Eddie Collins says that Manager Rowland reserves prizes for the way he landed the Chicago White Sox in third place this year.

## FANS INTERESTED IN "RASSLE" MATCH

Tickets Now on Sale—Time is Short—Prices are to Be Popular.

### ALL EYES NOW ON PETERS

Tickets for the Charley Peters-Kuvaros wrestling match, which will be held under the auspices of the Omaha Athletic club at the Auditorium Tuesday night, are now on sale at the Merchants hotel, and from the way the wrestling fans are gobbling them up it would seem the match is attracting a great deal of interest.

Omaha fans have been hearing the praises of Charley Peters, who hails from Papillon, for a long time. Peters has been known to members of the wrestling fraternity for a number of years, but he has never done much professional wrestling because he has never cared to become steadily engaged in the game. As a result, for a man who lives so close to Omaha, he is pretty much of a man of mystery.

It is believed he will go up against a pretty tough customer in the Greek, W. H. Barton, his manager, staged the Stecher-Lewis match at Evansville, and he says Kuvaros would last almost as long with Joe as Lewis did. That means Mr. Kuvaros must be some wrestler and Peters will be hard put to it to win.

The match Tuesday evening will be the first attempt of the newly organized Omaha Athletic club in the promotion line. In case this match is a success it is the plan of the club to take an active interest in the promotion of clean wrestling matches, and Omaha will see a number of such before the winter passes.

The management has decided to make the prices popular all over the house.

## Thirty Thousand Sheep Will Be Fed In Buffalo County

KEARNEY, Neb., Dec. 17.—(Special.)—Cold weather, accompanied by a light snow, finds the farmers of Buffalo County in good shape to meet winter conditions. An abundance of feed of the rough varieties, as well as much corn, bids fair to make this the banner year of the decade in cattle and sheep feeding.

It is estimated that 30,000 sheep are being fed in the county or have been contracted for, and word is being received every day by local bankers, as well as other business men, requesting information as to conditions for feeding in this locality. Estimates vary as to the quantity of corn on hand, as well as alfalfa, but it is supposed there is at least 250,000 tons of hay to be disposed of in the county and a like number of bushels of corn.

## MRS. STELLA PATTERSON GRANTED DIVORCE

KEARNEY, Neb., Dec. 17.—(Special.)—Alleging that her husband married her under the assumed name of Paxton and that she did not know of this for several years, Mrs. Stella Patterson was granted a divorce here yesterday on the support. When Judge Hostetter granted the decree he specified that Paxton, who is a Morrill county farmer, pay the defendant \$100 alimony and the costs of the suit. Two children were given into the custody of the defendant's sister, Nancy Paxton, both the mother and father being allowed to visit them. Paxton, or Patterson, made a strong defense against the allegations of the plaintiff and the case consumed the entire day in district court.

## ELKS OF GRAND ISLAND WILL HAVE NEW HOME

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Dec. 17.—(Special.)—The Elks' lodge of this city has a committee of thirty members out canvassing the Elks of the Grand Island lodge for stock subscriptions for a new building. The organization already owns the site and has \$5,000 in cash on hand for this purpose. It is contemplated to raise about \$30,000, and that the stock company shall rent the building to the Elks' lodge at such a rental as to yield a 4 per cent earning. The lodge has over 80 members. Little doubt is manifest as to the successful fruition of the plan.

## FILIPINO WITHOUT RELATIVES IN THIS COUNTRY IS DEAD

KEARNEY, Neb., Dec. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Melicio D. Dulce, a Filipino, died here today in the state hospital of tuberculosis. It is not known that the dead man has any relatives in this country. He was sent here from Omaha. The local undertaking firm at whose morgue the body is held has the name of a relative in the islands, but the cost of a cable announcing the death is \$5 and there is no way, it is said, to get a refund of the money. Nothing has been done to notify the family.

A "For Sale" ad will turn second-hand furniture into cash.

## TALY GIVES AID TO BALKAN ARMY

More Hopeful Feeling in London When News Comes Rome is Landing Men in Albania.

### FRENCH ARMY IS REINFORCED

LONDON, Dec. 17.—There is a more hopeful feeling in London with regard to the Balkan operations now that it is definitely announced that the Italians have effected a landing on the Albanian coast and that the Anglo-French forces, which have fallen back toward Saloniki, have been strongly reinforced with men and guns, including some heavy naval weapons.

It is not stated how large a force the Italians will send to the assistance of the Serbians and Montenegrins, but from the fact that the official account intimates that landings have been made at more than one port, it is taken for granted that an army of considerable proportions is to be sent across the Adriatic.

Mencece Right Flank. This, with the Montenegrins and Serbians who escaped from Albania, will be a serious threat to the central powers' right flank, while they can never look on in idleness to the concentration of an army at Saloniki, which at a chosen moment would undertake an offensive, and to the gathering of Russians in Bessarabia.

It is anticipated, therefore, that the Germans will strike at Saloniki before the Anglo-French forces grow too strong, and it is believed, with that end in view, they are now negotiating with the Greek government.

If their plans include the participation of Bulgarians in the attack they are likely to meet with opposition from Greece, as Greece is strongly adverse to any Bulgarians crossing its frontier. This applies also to some extent to the Austrians, whose ambitions always have been for a port on the Aegean, preferably Saloniki.

On the whole, therefore, it is thought here that the Greeks might prefer to see the entente allies remain there until the end of the war. In fact, Lord Robert Cecil, under secretary of foreign affairs, said in the House of Commons today that the Anglo-French plan was to keep the central powers from that city in accordance with the wishes of Greece.

Reports that the Germans are preparing for an offensive in the west persist, but thus far there has been little but artillery engagements and aerial fighting and raids. General Townshend, commanding the British forces in Mesopotamia, reports the repulse of another attack at Kut-Bil-Amara, since which the Turks have been quiet.

## ORIGINAL "UNCLE TOM" DIES IN SOLDIERS' HOME

BENNINGTON, Vt., Dec. 17.—Daniel Worcester, who was known as the original Uncle Tom of the dramatization of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," died at the Vermont soldiers' home tonight, aged 83 years. Mr. Worcester was said to be the last survivor of a company which produced the drama for the first time in Lowell, Mass., in 1851. He served in the civil war in the Twenty-seventh Connecticut regiment.

## KINKAID IS CHOSEN FOR CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—At a meeting of the republican members in congress from Nebraska held this morning in Judge Kinkaid's room in the house office building, he was selected as a member of the national republican congressional committee, there being but one sentiment expressed that Judge Kinkaid was the man for the place.

## Now Look Out.

When a cold hangs on, as often happens, or when you have hastily gotten over one cold before you contract another, look out, for you are liable to contract some very serious disease. This succession of colds weakens the system and lowers the vitality so that you are much more liable to contract chronic catarrh, pneumonia or consumption. Cure your cold while you can. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation. It is relied upon by thousands of people and never disappoints them. Try it. It only costs a quarter. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

## Mr. Edward Grey Rests.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, is again taking a rest in the country. His place at the foreign office is being filled by the Marquis of Crewe, lord president of the council.

## Captain of Foot Ball Team.

Charles Moriarty, star halfback on the Central High school foot ball team, was elected captain for 1916. He is a junior and has started in both foot ball and track since entering the school. He is captain of the 1915 track team and junior class president and holds an office in the cadet regiment.

## HOLLAND GOES TO KANSAS CITY CLUB

Owner of St. Joseph Accepts Position of Business Manager of American Association Team.

### KEEPS INTEREST IN JOETOWN

Jack Holland, owner of the St. Joseph Western league club, will become business manager of the Kansas City American association club. Holland was recently made an offer by George Tebeau and yesterday he accepted the offer.

Holland will buy a Mock of stock in the Kay See club and will take an active part in its affairs. He will have nothing to do with the management of the team itself, that position still being retained by Danny Sharz.

Holland will appoint a business manager for the St. Joseph club to take charge of the business affairs. Denny Sullivan, recently appointed, will take the field management of the team.

The move to Kansas City will in no way affect Holland's present status as a Western league magnate. He will continue to be the owner and controller of the club for the present, although he probably would be quite willing to sell if he could find anybody who would buy.

## Three Divorces Granted.

KEARNEY, Neb., Dec. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Three divorces were granted here today by Judge Hostetter in the last grind of the present term of court. Non-support, cruelty and desertion were the pleas, and no alimony was asked or ordered in any one of the cases. Hallie Isdell was legally separated from Edward Isdell and her maiden name of Young restored, while Mary E. Pettit got a decree from Peter Pettit and Minnie L. McPerrin was likewise granted a divorce from Paul D. McFerran.

## A Room for the Roomer, or a Roomer for the Room. Bee Want Ads Do the Work.

## Laws and Bankers Meet.

Tonight the Creighton Law's basketball squad will meet the Omaha National Bankers. Last year the two teams were rather evenly matched when the Law's played their full lineup of first string men, but in the Commercial league the bankers were handicapped by having several stars barred, with the result that the Bankers carried off victory.

## SPORTING GOODS DEPARTMENT, Men's Store

## "BABY"

We can't think of any name but BABY for the doll we are going to give away this week. If you girls want to see the prettiest, sweetest baby doll in all the world, just come down to The Bee office this week and see "BABY"—you'll be glad you came, just to look at her. Everything about her looks "BABY," her dress, shoes, hair, cheeks, mouth, everything is just dear, innocent, pink BABY. Wouldn't you like to hold her in your arms just a wee moment? And think of it—she is going home with one of you next week, to be ALL YOUR OWN. How happy that little girl will be. Maybe, that little girl is You.

Two more beautifully dressed dolls, but not so large as "Baby," will be given as second and third prizes.

"Baby" will be given free to the little girl, under 10 years of age, that brings or mails in the largest number of doll's pictures cut out of the Daily and Sunday Bee before 4 p. m. Saturday, December 18.

Her picture will be in The Bee every day this week. Cut them all out and ask your friends to save the pictures in their paper for you, too.

See how many pictures of "BABY" you can get, and be sure to turn them in to The Bee office before 4 p. m. Saturday, December 18.

If you don't win this Dollie, perhaps you can get one next week. Only one doll will be given to any one person.

YOU CAN SEE "BABY" AT THE BEE OFFICE.

