

ATHLETIC BOARD SELECTS COACH

University of Nebraska Authorities Will Soon Be Ready to Announce His Name.

REED GIVEN SALARY BOOST

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 4 .- (Special Telegram.) -The choice of the state university athletic board of a director of athletics and head coach, to succeed Jumbo Stjehm, will be ready for announcement by the end of the week.

Preliminary steps for the selection wer taken today when the special investigating committee completed its findings and prepared a report to submit direct to the board, with its recommendation after soing over the field of candidates. The committee unanimously agreed upon a hoice, but has maintained secrecy until final negotiations are closed.

The committee also recommended the selection of an assistant coach and decided to recommend an increase in salary for Guy E. Reed, assistant athletic director and business manager,

Jack Meyers Offers to Take on Caddock or Charley Peters

"If Charley Peters and Earl Caddock are so anxious to do battle let 'em tackle me," immediately quoth Jack Meyers, Omaha wreatler, upon his return from the Pacific coast, where he has been ap-

pearing in a number of matches.
"I weigh 190 pounds," said Meyers, "and I'm just about their size. They are both good men, I know that, but I don't think they can clamp my shoulders to the mat. At least I'm willing to take a chance that they can't. If they are so anxious

Shevlin's Millions Left to His Family

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 4.-The will of the late Thomas L. Sheviin, former Yale foot ball star, filed for probate today leaves the estate of \$3,500,000 to the widow and two children.

A large part of the estate is placed in trust until the two children reach the age of thirty. The money then will be equally divided between them, Mrs. Shevtin will receive an annual income of \$60,000, in addition to money from certain

Although Mr. Sheviln's life was heavily insured, only \$25,000 is payable to the widow, \$1,500,000 going to two companies of which he was head.

Browns Trying to

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 4.-Henry Sinclair be the St. Louis Americans to put a price on had an inch advantage and so awarded some of the Federal league players he It is understood that St. Louis is bld.

ding for Hal Chase and Fred Anderson. a pitcher, of the Buffalo Federals. It is thought that the deal for the sale

and Otto Stifet will be concluded late to-Ask Half Million

for Cleveland Team

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.- The price demanded for the Cleveland club of the American league is \$550,600, according to conditions They decided, inasmuch as there was a of the sale communicated to Robert Mc-Ray, former secretary of the American league, who, with Jake Stabl of Chicago, has been mentioned as a possible purchaser of the club. The price was fixed was over. Lynch and Riba agreed to this, by a Cleveland banking committee which controls the financial affairs of Charles W. Somers, president of the club. The nittee demands \$350,000 in cash and

Sale of Browns to Ball is Completed

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 4.- The sale of the St. Louis Americana (Browns) to Phil Ball, and other stockholders of the St. Louis Federal league club, was completed, it was announced by attorneys for Mr. Ball. The consumation of this deal was provided for in the peace agreement between representatives of Organized base ball and of the Federal league which was signed at Cincinnati, about two weeks

Coe Defents Ames. AMES, Ia., Jan. 4.—(Special Telegram.) Dos college, with both fives showing the centress of early sames, defeated the was stat quintet, 16 to 15, on the state in floor before arounded bleachers this termoon. Coe played the better offens-

Camels, Glyptodonts and Three-Toed Horses Once Roamed the State

sued, the United States geological sur- jaws, much like those of the Micene vey, through its director, George Otts epoch, still existed. Short-legged rhin Smith, draws some conclusions of cen- was a great variety of wolf-like garnitrat Nebraska during some ages of the vors. Saber-toothed tigers and true cats, past. The bulletin concludes that where some of them considerably larger than the sandhill section of the state is now the moder tigers, were abundant. Threelocated, back in the dim past, conditions toed horses were still numerous, but the were much different from now. The bul- modern genusequus was not among them letin says:

"Camels and Hamas were abundant habited western Nebraska. Mastodons been for digging."

In a bulletin that it has recently is with tunks on both the upper and lower oceroses remained abundant, and there

"One of the most curious animals of the times in Nebraska was a gopher-like and during the Pliocene epoch great redent that had two horns on its nose. ground sloths and glyptodonts, whose Its enormous claws indicated good burrelatives now live in South America, in- rowing powers, and its horns may have

BIG TUG-O'-WAR AT AUDITORIUM OPENS

Denmark, Sweden and Germany Are Victors, While Bohemia and Ireland Draw After Dispute.

FIRE LADDIES EASY FOR DANES

into the Auditorium last night to witness the opening program of the international tug-of-war being staged all this week by Jack Prince.

While the eight teams were pulling and tugging and tussling, national hymns of in encouraging their favories.

Denmark, Sweden and Germany were Newark club, the victors last night, while the fourth was declared a draw.

minutes the Copenhagen crew was content to lay at rest, but when Captain Emil Tolbad gave the signal and Anchorman Hans Mets swung himself into the saddle, it was all off with the fire laddies. The Danes gathered in the necessary five feet of rope in just four minutes and

Dispute Over Result. Following the Denmark-America match came the Bohemians and Irish. And that was the big pull of the evening. For the full twenty minutes those Buy Fed Players sons of brawn labored on the hemp. During the first part of the pull the Irish had the advantage. They had a foot on the Bohemians. But as the period began fore he left here for New York last night to close Captain Riha's men went to it was asked by Manager Fielder Jones of with a will and when the time was up

them the pull. Then started the argument. Captain Lynch of the Irish insisted Big Bill Hokuff, well known wrestler, who sat in anchor for Bohemia, had grasped the slats of the ladder with his hands. This of the St. Louis Americans to Phil Ball is not permissable according to the rules. Lynch claimed the attention of Jack Prince had been called to this violation of the rules. Prince, however, pointed out that he had nothing to do with de clding matches.

Settled by Captains.

After much argument pro and con by, Lynch and Riha as to whether Hokuff did use his hands, the matter was finally left to the captains of the other teams distinct dispute that the match should be called a draw and that it should be erford's acceptance tonight. He is ex-pulled over again on the last night of pected to report September 1. the tournament or after the tournamen so everything was settled amicably. The match between the Swedes and the Scotch-English was the third event. Also it was the briefest. It took the Swede just twenty-two seconds to yank the Scotch-English the five feet and it was

Italiana Show Strength. The last match, which was between Germany and Italy, was another twenty-minute event. The Italians put up a wondorful fight against the stalwart Germans and it was all the latter could do to pull them twenty-eight inches in the twenty-minute period. Tonight the second round of the Inter-

national Tug-of-War will be staged

starting at 8:15. The schedule is as fol-

America against Bohemia. Germany against Sweden. Italy against Scotland-Engiand. Denmark against Ireland. **NEW BOWLING LEAGUE**

STARTS YEAR TONIGHT

tural Steel Works, Byrne-Hammer, No.

Sinclair Will Not Guarantee Salaries of All Fed Athletes

CHICAGO, Jan. 4 .- It was learned here oday that Harry Sinclair, the Oklahoma apitalist, is making a burried trip direct from St. Louis to New York, with the intention, according to reports of discus-sing the purchase of part of the stock of the New York National league club. NEW YORK, Jan. 4.-Harry Sinclair wner of the Newark Federal lengue franchise, will not guarantee all Federal eague contracts nor will he dispose of all the Federal league players," said lames A. Gilmore, president of the Federal league tonight.

"There has been an erroneous opinio ever since the peace meetings that Mr. Sinclair will guarantee the salaries of all Federal league players and it seems time for me to deny it. I have received many letters from Federal league playthe various countries resounded from ers, asking if it were so that Sinclair had parquet to roof, and the supporters of the guaranteed their salaries and I replied different teams fairly outdid themselves it was not so. The only contracts Mr. Sinclair guarantees are those of the

"There also is a wrong impress match, between Bohemia and Ireland, filnclair will dispose of all the players of the Federal league. He will dispose The opening pull occurred between Den- of the players of the Newark, Kansas mark and America. The firemen's team City and Buffalo clubs, as well as Kauff. represented America, and until last night Mages and Anderson of the Brooklyn the firemen ranked well up among the club. However, Sinclair has not agreed favorites. But the knights of the nozzle to guarantee the contracts of players be didn't stand much chance when the longing to the defunct Kansas City and husky Danes began to pull. For four Buffalo clubs. Such contracts revert to

Williams Denies is Urged as Eli Coach

MINNEGAPOLIS, Jan. 4.-Dr. H. L. ball coach, returned to Minneapolis today, after a two weeks' visit in the east, When questioned relative to a report that the Tale committee appointed to select a coach for 1915 had decided to name him as the most likely man for the work, he said he believed the report was premature as no agreement has been reached.
"It is true that the Yale committee re-

quested me to meet them in New York on December 21 and talk over the situation at Yale in a general way," said Dr. Williams. "This was done, but I have not met with the committee since that time. Nothing definite has been done proposition made or accepted."

Rutherford to Be Assistant to Stiehm

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Jan. 4.-R. B. Rutherford, captain of the 1915 Nebraska foot ball team, will be assistant foot ball coach at Indiana in 1916. He was highly commended by E. O. Stiehm, director of athletics at Nebraska who comes to Indiana in a similar postition next au-

Benny Chavez Bests Buck of Quaker City

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 4.-Benny Chaves, Colorado featherweight, won a ten-round decision here tonight over Tommy Buck of Philadelphia. The little Mexican sent Buck to the floor in the ninth round, but Buck came back strong and had the better of a couple of hot exchanges in that The knockdown, however, turned the scales in Chavez's favor for the remainder was about even

HARVARD FOOT BALL SCHEDULE COMPLETED

CAMBRIDGE, aMan., Jan. 4.-The Har vard foot bull schedule of ten games was completed today. The dates. October 14 and 21, which were open when the other games were announced recently were taken, respectively, by the University of North Carolina and Massachusetts Agricultural college. The other teams A new bowling league just organized with open its season on the Huntington alleys tunight. The teams in the loop are:
Nielsenz, Huntington's Swedez, Columbian Optical company, Ostronics, First National bank, Hilliards, Omaha Structure.

New Haven, November 2.

Champion Aberg Holding Own in Tourney



ABERG ALEX

grappler and champion catch-as-catch- pinned to the mat by any of the men in can wrestler of the world is holding his own in the international tournament now being staged in New York.

Alexander Aberg, the mighty Russian | Aberg has yet to have his shoulders the game at present. He recently defeated Ed (Strangler) Lewis one of the most promising youngsters in the mat

Acting on the report of the state examiners, who said that "it is hopelessly insolvent." and "that its further operation is peritous to the public," State X-surance Commissioner Matt C. Clay of Kentucky asked for a receiver for the Central Life Insurance company of Lexington. The examiner's report showed the company's assets to be \$134,120.45, against \$200.877.50 liabilities.

For the first time in its history as a city, Portland, Ore., ended a twenty-four hour period without an arrest for drunkenness or disorderly conduct. If the new

Culled from the Wire.

| Description of the state of the

in months.

Stomach trouble, not polson, caused the death of Knox Booth, former internal revenue agent, who died under suspicious circumstances while internal revenue frauds were under investigation in Arkansas. Physicians who exhumed his body at Montgomery, Ala., announced that examination of the stomach disclosed the absence of polson.

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Winter Clearance of Men's Fine Suits, Overcoats and Furnishings

Including all of our fine Kensington and Society Brand makes In Overcoats, Carr's and Domestic Meltons, Kerseys, Vicunas, Ulsters and short, loose back novelties. In Suits, all blues and novelty patterns. None reserved. These are selling at the following prices:

Suits	and	Overcoats	worth	up	to	\$20,	now	\$13.75
Suits	and	Overcoats	worth	up	to	\$25,	now	16.75
Suits	and	Overcoats	worth	up	to	\$30,	now	18.75
Suits	and	Overcoats	worth	up	to	\$35,	now	23.75
Suits	and	Overcoats	worth	up	to	\$40,	now	26.75

Clearance of Men's Furnishings

\$1.50 Arrow Shirts, now......\$1.15 Lewis and Cooper Heavy Underwear, reduced 25%. Faultless Night Robes and Pajamas, reduced 25%. 50c Neckwear, 29¢-\$1 Neckwear, 69¢-\$1.50 Neckwear, \$1.15.

Other Furnishings in Proportion.



Floods and Snow

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4-Transcontinental traffic from the Pacific coast was reported moving steadily tonight despite storm which swept the Pacific coast. The western portal of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad Cascade tunnel showed ninety-five inches of snow with 112 inches on the eastern slope. Eight inches covered the ground in Seattle. Twenty-five persons in Oakland, Cal.

were taken from their homes in boats. Mudslides blocked the railway tracks in many parts of the coast as the result of Wire service suffered every-

OMAHA MANUFACTURERS TO HOLD ELECTION FRIDAY

The annual meeting and election of directors of the Omaha Manufacturing association is to be held January 7. The special nominating committee has decided upon the following candidates from which six directors are to be G. W. Clabaugh, Omaha Gas company

W. L. Burgess, Burgess-Granden company; W. H. Yohe, Updike Grain company; Otto Bermettler, Iten Biscuit company; J. H. Haney, J. H. Haney & Co. H. O. Edwards, Swift & Co.: J. L. Baker, Baker Ice Machine company; W. J. Cul-

ley, F. P. Kirkendall & Farnsworth, Western Newspaper off.on; Lercy Corlies, Elkhorn Valley Con-Over Pacific Slope densed Milk company; P. C. Hyson. Omaha Cold Storage company; D. C. Eldredge, Farmers' Co-Operative Supply company; J. O. Lamb, Howard Stove Works: C. C. Cope, Jr., Omaha Printing company; Frank Freeman, Haskins Brothers' Soap company; Mr. E. A. Hig-, gins, Storz Brewing company; J. O. Siford, Thomas Cusack company: R. W. Besley, Hydraulic Pressed Brick company; James Allan, Yost-Allen Ice Machine company, and F. L. Vierling, Paxton-Vierling Iron Works.

Comiskey Signs George Morarity

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.-Third Baseman George Moriarty, formerly of the Detroit base ball club, was signed today by President Comiskey of the White Sox. He suffered from an injury early last season and was unconditionally released by De-

Drives Auto Into House.

Sidney Bell, a near-sighted automobilist from New York, ran his car through a fence and into the side of a house in South Newark, Conn., knocking over the dinner table of Mr. and Mrs. Raiph Comstock and sending them and their three children in all directions. The automobile was a wreck, but Bell escaped serious injury. He paid the damages and was let go.

Bell was driving down Hanford place and did not see the dead end. He knocked down the picket fence and went into the side of the house at full speed.—New York Mail.

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17 lbs. best pure granulated | 8-lb. sack best high grade Diamond H flour, nothing finer lbs. best white or yellow corn-Ibs. best rolled white breakfast vermicella or spaghetti...25c 10 bars Beat 'Em All, Diamond C or Laundry Queen laundry cans fancy wax, string, green or sauer kraut or baked beans, 28c 16-oz. cans condensed milk, 28c 6-oz. cans condensed milk . . 25c 1-lb, pkgs. condensed mince jars pure strained honey, lbs. best bulk laundry starch, 25c The best soda or oyster crackers,

Hershey's breakfast cocoa, lb., 20c

MacLaren's peanut butter,

AND BUTTERINE MARKET OF OMAHA. The best creamery butter, carton

Fancy No. 1 country creamery butter, per 1b.................290 Fancy dairy table butter, lb. . . 27c Good dairy butter, lb......25c The best strictly fresh eggs, per Wisconsin cream or young America cheese, lb......20c 2 lbs. good butterine......25c good table butterine, lb 1716c Fancy table butterine, equal to

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