

BRINGING UP FATHER

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HOW EARL CADDOCK BECAME WRESTLER

Anita, Ia., Farmer Boy Took Lessons in Order to Get Revenge on a Fellow Hawkeye.

CLEANED UP ALL AMATEURS

By EDWARD W. SMITH.
For years one of the most popular fables that could be written brought out the country boy in the role of a hero, always defeating the city chap in athletic contests and generally humiliating the smart fellow who thought himself superior to the yokel because of his city surroundings.

In the wrestling game at least, these fables are no longer fables at all, but stories of hard facts. The world's greatest wrestlers are farmer boys, at least three of them today standing out as wonderful men in the grappling game. They are Frank Gotch of Humboldt, Ia.; Joe Stecher of Dodge, Neb., and Earl Caddock of Anita, Ia.

This yarn has to deal chiefly with Earl Caddock, who got his start towards the top of the heap in a strange manner. "One day while a wrestling tournament was in progress at the Hebrew Institute I got a call from a tall, angular looking young fellow with a decidedly prominent nose. He looked serious. He told me he was just in from Iowa, that he was a farmer named Caddock and that he wanted to learn a little something about wrestling. He had tackled a fellow named McPeath out in his country and been beaten. He wanted revenge. He wanted to make sure that when he tackled McPeath again that he could win. Would I give him a couple of lessons and work with him so he could get the hang of a few holds?"

"I didn't pay much attention to him after he got stripped other than to notice he looked strong, but ungainly. We took holds and started tumbling around. In about a minute I was flat on my back. "Scratch," I said to myself as I got to my feet. "Again we went at it and in less than no time I was again flat."

"What is this, anyway?" I worried as I again got up. Reeling a minute, I started to size the farmer up. Then I noticed that he was built like a gorilla, with arms nearly as big as his legs that drooped almost down to his knees. "Right there I made up my mind that he was a finger. So I decided to try some of my own copyrighted holds on him. I put one on him that I knew no other wrestler used up to that time. He broke it and about a minute after he tried the very same hold on me and dumped me again. That settled it; I got up and asked him if he ever had used that hold before. "No," he said, "but you just used it on me and I thought I'd try it right back on you."

"That convinced me that he's the greatest natural wrestler I ever saw, and I really believe with another year's experience, he will defeat the mighty Stecher."

Licks Ernest Kartye.
"Oh, yeh, my story isn't finished yet. I discovered that I had a good thing, so I started to 'tick' him on to some of the other wrestlers. He looked like such a good thing, such a soft mark, that they all fell for him in a hurry. First one and then the other until finally he tackled Ernest Kartye, who certainly is one of the greatest."

"Well, he did to Ernest just what he had done to all the rest of us. But, mind you, all the time he was flopping us around like we were kids, he kept worrying about whether he could trim McPeath or not. He could beat some of the greatest wrestlers in the business here in Chicago, but was worrying about whether he could beat some dub out in Iowa."

"Certainly he threw him when he got back there. Why wouldn't he? Didn't he flop Stecher for one fall, the only fall Joe ever had registered against him?"

OFFERS FIFTEEN THOUSAND FOR WELSH-WHITE BOUT
CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—An offer of \$15,000 for a championship go between Freddie Welsh, lightweight title holder, and Charley White of Chicago, was made White's manager here today by Joe Golden, who represents San Antonio promoters.

According to Golden, the Texas promoters want the fighters to accept a flat offer and divide the money between them as they see fit. If both boxers agree to the terms, the bout will be staged during the latter days of February. Golden stated.

Just an Earful

By Tad

Jim Corbett, working for a movie concern last week, had to play in a scene set for Broadway and Forty-fifth street. Jim was to drive his car and hit a man. The camera was set in an office building on two flights up, so that no one on the street except Jim and his man knew of it. The movie man wanted it that way so that a real crowd would rush out and make it natural.



a summons for reckless driving when he suddenly turned his head toward the mob, and seeing that no one was there, winked at Corbett and gave him

At a given sign Corbett started with his car and the other fellow started to cross the street. Bang! Corbett's car hit him, the fellow fell and let out a yelp. A mob rushed over to the auto, and with it came a big cop. He rushed through the mob, grabbed the fallen man and, seeing that he was not dead, turned his attention to the car.

The fallen guy was moaning and making all sorts of noises to hold the crowd. It was excited, too, and stayed right on the spot, making it great for the movie men, who were churning to beat the band.

The cop, in order to make himself important, then pushed his way out of the crowd, reached for a little red book in his pocket and walked over toward the car. He was just ready to slip our hero he looked up and recognized Corbett. He winked at Corbett and gave him the nod to beat it up the street.

DANES VICTORS IN GREAT TUG-O'-WAR

Captain Tolbad's Crew Wins Final Match from Germans by Two Inches in Twenty Minutes.

GERMANS PUT UP GREAT FIGHT

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.			
	Won.	Lost.	Draw.
Denmark	7	0	1,000
Germany	6	1	887
America	4	2	1,000
Sweden	4	2	887
Bohemia	2	4	1,323
England	2	4	282
Ireland	1	5	1,167
Italy	0	7	0

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS.
Denmark defeated Germany two and one-half inches in twenty minutes.
America defeated England in twelve minutes, twenty-four and one-fifth seconds.
Sweden defeated Bohemia nine inches in twenty minutes.
Ireland defeated Italy four inches in twenty minutes.

Denmark won the big International Tug-of-War staged at the Auditorium for the last seven days.
Captain Emil Tolbad's crew carried off the tournament by a victory over Pete Loch's German team last night. It became apparent three or four days ago that Denmark and Germany had the two best teams and would inevitably meet in the finals. As a result followers of both teams placed large sums of real coin on the result on the result.

Much of the money was placed without odds. Pete Loch and M. Christensen had \$500 on the result this way. Others bet the Danes would pull the Germans in ten minutes. Others bet that the Danes would pull the Germans to the flag, a distance of five feet. Wagers at these latter two odds were won by the Germans.

Danes Big Favorites.
The Danes went into the match last night big favorites. Until last night no team had stayed even seven minutes with Tolbad's men. It was figured that the Germans would go almost as quickly.

But Loch's men upset the odds. At the flash of the gun on the start the Danes put their weight on the rope and obtained an advantage of about four inches. Time and again they attempted to add to this advantage, but failed. The Germans did not attempt to pull at the start. Loch was content to rest easily and merely hold his own with the Danes for eighteen minutes. Loch gave the signal for his men to put forth a mighty effort. And they responded nobly. They gathered up an inch of the lost rope. A minute later the Germans went to work again and gathered in half an inch, leaving the Danes an advantage of two and a half inches as the pull ended.

GERMANS FIGHT HARD.
The Germans put up a great battle against a superior team. The Danes are veteran tug-of-war men. They have been practicing together for years and have been pulling daily. Loch's team was only organized for this tug-of-war and did not have the teamwork the Danes did. The boys from the Rhine fought hard and died gamely.

Jack Prince announced last night that he had already entered into negotiations with the Scotch team of Chicago to come to Omaha to pull the Danes. The Windy City Scotch won the international championship some time ago and are regarded as the class of the globe.

Prince, however, says the Omaha Danes look as good to him as the Scotch lad-

BELLEVUE PLANS FOR FLOOR SEASON

Coch Benjamin Puts His Charges Through Stiff Practice in Preparation for Central High.

VETERANS MAKE POSITIONS

The Bellevue college basketball ball squad began three hard days of practice yesterday evening in preparation for the first Tri-City game, that with Central High, Thursday, night, at the Bellevue gymnasium. Although practice has been going on since Thanksgiving, Coach Benjamin gave his squad the stiffest session of the year last night. After the customary shooting and passing practice, Benjamin pitted the tentative varsity against the scrubs for two halves of thirty minutes each.

Racely, a veteran, and Irwin, a freshman, seem to be fixtures at the guard positions, and Captain Maxwell has one of the forwards slotted, but there is a merry fight on for the center and the other forward places. Picotte, star Indian halfback, and Noyes are the two candidates for the pivot position. Picotte's forte is jumping and team work; Noyes is an expert shot. Which will start the game Thursday night is still an open question.

Martin Out for Forward.
Martin is a new candidate, who, with Jim Allen, veteran of last year, is fighting for a place at forward. Martin was picked for a back position on the foot ball squad this fall, but his mother's objections put him out of the running. As it was he won an "F" the new scrub emblem adopted this fall. Now he is pushing Allen hard for a forward on the basketball squad, and from present indications is likely to get into enough games to win his letter.

Fairmont Takes Two More.
FAIRMONT, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—Fairmont High school added two more victories to its list Friday. Grafton High school was taken in tow on Grafton floor by the score of 45 to 23. Saturday, on the home floor, Edwood High school was defeated, 45 to 5.

He Could Hardly Go.
"About two years ago I got down on my back until I hardly could go," writes Solomon Bequette, Flat River, Mo. "I got a 6c box of Foley Kidney Pills and they straightened me right up." Common symptoms of kidney trouble are backache, headache, rheumatic pains, soreness and stiffness, puffiness under eyes, blurred vision, sleep disturbing bladder troubles, and a languid, tired feeling. Foley Kidney Pills help to eliminate the poisonous waste matter that causes these symptoms. Sold everywhere.—Advertisement.

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THIS LAD IS FIRST HOLD-OUT OF THE SEASON.



HAROLD JANVRIN.

Although the setting of the dove of peace in the base ball world has flooded the market with good players, thereby bringing down the price of stars to a certain extent, Harold Janvrin, the Boston Red Sox player has the distinction of being first hold-out of the year. Janvrin has not yet appended his signature to a Red Sox contract and is said to be holding out for more money. Joseph Lannin,

GRIFFIN AND JOHNSTON DEFEAT THE JAPANESE

MANILA, Jan. 10.—Clarence J. Griffin of California, who, with William M. Johnston, holds the American tennis championship in doubles, and Ward Dawson of California won the far eastern lawn tennis doubles championship today by defeating the Japanese players Kumagae and Mikami. Kumagae, the champion of Japan, defeated Griffin for the singles championship last week.

Gaffney, Sinclair and Davis May Buy New York Nationals

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—A base ball deal whereby the New York Giants will be sold shortly to a syndicate composed of James E. Gaffney of this city, Harry F. Sinclair of Oklahoma and Robert H. Davis, a former partner of Mr. Gaffney, is understood to be under way. Messrs. Gaffney and Davis sold their controlling interest in the Boston National league club to Percy Haughton and his associates in Boston Saturday.

Mr. Gaffney is quoted as saying: "You can say for me that if Mr. Sinclair acquires the Giants I shall deem it an honor to become one of his partners."

It is generally understood that if the sale is consummated Mr. Gaffney will become president of the club and that Manager McGraw will secure several star players whose contracts are understood to have been taken over from certain Federal league clubs by Mr. Sinclair. These players include Benny Kauff, Lee Magee, Fred Anderson, Bill Rariden and Roush.

Negotiations on the purchase price for the club set by President Hemstead at a figure higher than the syndicate wants to pay are under way and it is believed the sale will be announced shortly.

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