

Bringing Up Father

Drawn for The Bee by George McManus



Judgments

DOWN IN Dixie—the land whar' J was born in—there used to be an old darkey preacher who, like most of the darkey camp mees'ters...

The thing, then, for the managers who meet in Omaha this week to do is simply to take off their masks, stand right up in meeting and tell their story plain. In other words, the men who are behind the billboards of base ball have come to the time of reckoning with their better senses.

We say base ball cannot long survive the kind of oppression it has endured for these two years. Two years is a short interval in the life of an institution. Quite true, but evidently not so short but that it can come perilously close to the death knell.

If the Omaha meeting should end without bridging the chasm between outlaw and organized base ball, then was to the fortune of the game in 1912? What happened in 1914 will hardly be a circumstance in the work of disaster.

Attendance Is Improving

Fans Are Showing More Interest in Local Gridiron Battles.

Apparently it is a good thing to get out the hammer and bump the foot ball devotees occasionally relative to being on the job when the Omaha troupe performs.

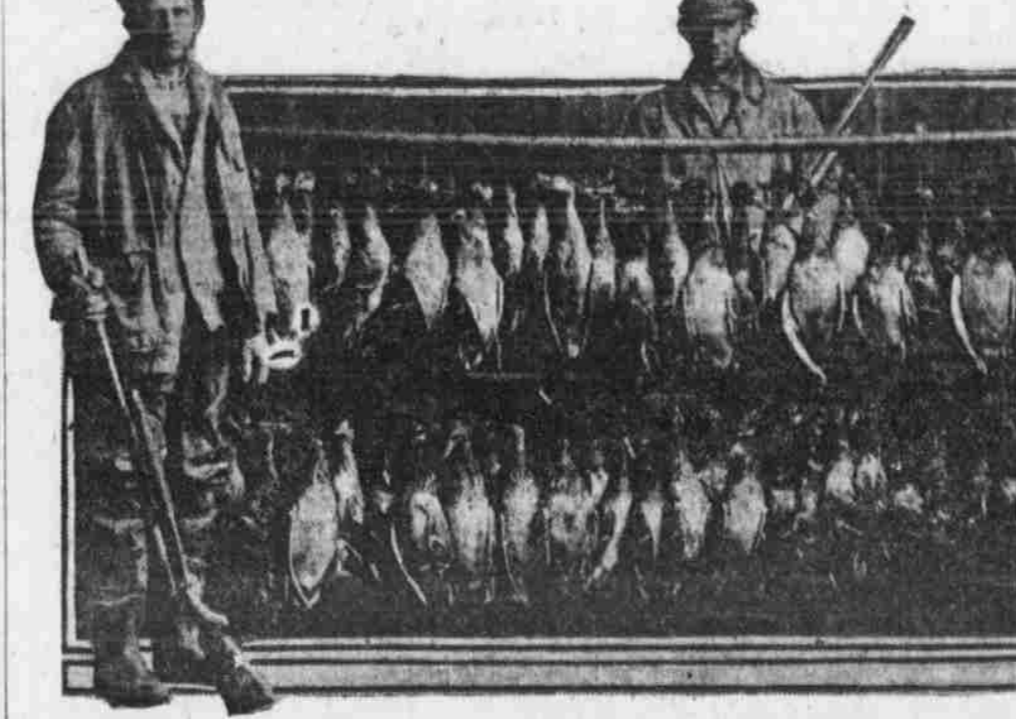
The majority of the teams can skillfully negotiate the forward pass and all the teams have plenty of tricks which are utilized in the pinches.

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Mr. Cobb says he will retire in four years. Shucks, Ty may be up there with the archangel in four years.

Good Bag of Ducks Made on the Platte



Shooting on the Platte river near Fremont is amply abundant as the accompanying photograph shows.

Merchants will battle with the home guards today. Woodbine has a husky aggregation of molekin warriors, and although they will be heavier than the Omaha boys, they will have to cough up a fast brand of foot ball in order to clean the Merchants.

Gridiron Flotsam

Sullivan of the Superiors is a humdinger at the end polish. Those Mazda Tigers are still plowing up the avenue of success.

Statistician of Base Ball Coming to Magnates' Meeting

One of the interesting figures in the base ball world is Louis Heilbronner, the debonair little president of the Central League.



LOUIS HEILBRONNER are in from two cities and the circuit may be enlarged from six to eight teams.

ON THE EVE OF THE MINOR CONVENTION

Appalachian League—Disbanded. California State League—Disbanded. Central Association—Omaha franchise transferred to Rock Island.

Four-Ball Golf Popular

New York Clubs Ignore Weekly Handicaps for 'Four-Baller.'

The season just closing shows apparently that this is the most popular form of the sport.

Only Few Take Part. Here is an organization claiming hundreds of members and boasting of two hundred members.

Pursuing the subject even further, it cannot be denied that all the national amateur championships do not always attract all of the best players.

North Platte Boys Plan for Invasion by Omaha Saturday

North Platte, Neb., Nov. 7.—(Special)—When Omaha High school invades this city next Saturday Coach Tommy Mills will find that he and his lads will find their hands full if they return with a victory.

Dundee-Ritchie Battle of Four Rounds Brings Such an Effect

Now in Line for Welsh New Yorker Feels Satisfied Now that He is Physically Able to Meet the Champion of His Weight.

Dundee will probably fill the bill. Dundee was very popular with 'Prisco' fans, and now that he has been able to concede ten pounds to Ritchie and then more than hold his own a longer bout is inevitable.

From all accounts Ritchie is going to have a hard time making weight in the future. His weight in the bout with Dan Dundee was estimated to be well over 100 pounds.

Cambridge Player Hurt in Game at Franklin

Franklin, Neb., Nov. 7.—(Special)—Franklin academy football team defeated the Cambridge High school team here yesterday afternoon by the decisive score of 35 to 0.

Golfers to Decide on Courses Next January

New York, Nov. 7.—At the annual meeting of the United States Golf association, which will be held on January 12, the choice of the courses for the three national golf championships will be made by the delegates.

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