





renewed litigation in a lower court and the fugs started all over again. Continued litigation is sure to be harmful to the interest of the pastime, thus leaving matters in a wavering condition, which would surely be detrimental to the sport.

championship of that division.

Piny on Three Floors. The university authorities have secured three floors for playing the games in the tournaments, including the City audi- & chance at fancy diving, at which he is torlum, the City Young Men's Christian | an expert. association and the regular university

Kahanamoku over 880 yards, and in this race he broke the existing American record for the distance. He is also good over 230 yards, and in various meets will wim these distances, as well as taking

WILLIE BRITTON Besides entering the intercollegiate championships, the team will be seen in NEW YORK, Jan. 30 -- The most intervarious dual meets. The Illinois Ath- esting hockey seen here this year resulted letic club has made an offer to the team from the clash between Willie Britton, for a meet in Chicago, and inquiries have cover-point of the Hockey club seven, and league. He confined his attentions strictly been received from the University of Hobey Baker, rover, of the St. Nicholas to Baker, but the former Princeton star

LIKE BOXER AND BALL PLAYER

NEW YORK, Jan. 30 .- Do not be surprised friend gelfer if at no very distant date you should hear some ardent devotes declare his intention to go into training tournament. Heretofore the mere thought

For complete details on golf training a feasionals, Ben and Gil Nicholls, should suffice. These two Englishmen are keen

extensor carpi ulnarus and so on and so

nile dirt track.

a hit and miss affair, so far as preparedness is concerned. The golfer of the twen-Ford Cars Still Are tieth century must be conditioned for Covering Territory Boon to Salesmen in

Unless all signs fall the supply of um- symnasium. In addition, some of the pires should be bountifed this year and earlier games will be played in the the league president who doesn't select chapel.

a neat squad of arbitrators will have only The Nebraska tournament is the biggest himself to blame. For the purpose of in the United States. Reed expects the cutting expenses many leagues have re- entries will reach eighty this year, as leased umpires previously carried under compared with sixty-four last season. the double system-two umpires for each Kansas, which had the next largest tourn-They are reverting back to the ament, admits both boys' and girls' teams. game. single system, with the result that good, and had but forty entries.

our own prexis, has always had an ex- the final semester examinations. Carthy and Gerald Hayes, all asserted to be good umpires, in the new cut. Any one of that trio would unquestionably come to the Western league and Tip might take a tip and employ one of two.

Reverting back to the trust-busting kots university five. suit, while we do not fear that an ad- The Husker basket ball quintet will verse decision will ruin base ball, as wind up the basket ball season two weeks hence with an eastern trip, when they solution to the problem now facing us. additional game with Fort Dodge. No matter if the Feds win the suit or if Organized Ball wins, peace must come nates tempting them to do so. The pub- home to take charge of his farm, and lie is evidencing utter weariness and disgust with the current scrapping, and isfactory substitute it will be up to him the one way to wean it back is by peace.

How easy it is to forget the heroes of Cleveland, once the biggest advertising Reed has not made up his mind on asset that city possessed, is no longer a members of the relay team. household word in Somersville as he once

was. Cleveland, not so very long ago. No Pooling by the was nicknamed after him. Now they want to forget the great Napoleon. He has seen his heyday and as a star he no longer radiates the twinkling rays which brightened the eyes of Cleveland fans. They want to forget Lajole in the Ohlo city now. But Napoleon knew that when season, as there was last year. The ashe donned the spangles, and, while he may know it more graphically now, he has do so as individuals and open their own tracks, no license for regret.

While the average player won't get but it is more than probable Beimont much sulogy from the average fan until park will be the scene on which the curhe cracks out a ripping hit with the bases tain will rise. Jamaica has applied for loaded, there is one player whom all real dates and the chances are they will be the \$15,000 derby featuring the opening bugs hope will make good. That is Juck granted, though the grounds need quite day. Coombs, recently released by the Athletics some fixing and the grand stand suffered and now signed by Brooklyn. Coomba was a victim of circumstance. Fate dealt year.

him a cruel blow and we all hope the veteran can come back and make good. And for giving him that chance Charley Ebbets, panned on every side, should be given at least one atom of credit.

Benefits for Swaln.

a club in the Northwestern league ected to hold a "Swain day" next as a benefit to Charley Swain, the e outfielder who recently lost a leg

collegiate champions, and both Yale and Harvard have asked for a meet if the competent men are to be-had without the The university basket ball team has team goes east. usual scramble. Heretofore Tip O'Neill, loafed on the job all week, owing to The New York Athletic club is another organization that is anylous to entertain The cuse-and a perfectly legitimate one, too Huskers have had a disastrous basket the Pacific coast boys, and their cham--that umpires were scarce. They were, ball season, losing all chance for the pions will measure strokes with the Now they are picntiful with the Ameri- championship by dropping two straight arsity boys. If time allows a trip will can Association and Pacific Coast league games to the Jawhawkers. The Huskers releasing four each, and Tip should get meet Wesleyan next Friday night at Uni-in on the ground floor and pluck a few versity Place, and are due for a beating. of the released plums. The Pacific Coast The Methodists have one of the strongest league has released Red Held, Jack Me- basket ball fives in their history and two rat the locals. Carthy and Geraid Hayes, all asserted years ago defoated the Huskers, two out

be made to Pittsburgh to meet the Pitts burgh Athletic club team, and besides all these meets there are other eastern colleges which are anxious to get a crack Compete at Reno, Too.

On the way to Chicago meets will be held against the Destert team at Salt Lake City, with the Denver Athletic club at Denver, and an exhibition is slated for the swimmers at Reno, Nev. Ernie Smith, the manager of the team,

is the fastest sprinter on the Pacific coast, and has beaten every swimmer of note west of Denver. The only man able mistakably. still believe peace is the only successful play Drake and Ames two games and one to take his measure is Duke Kahanamoku, and he is only a few yards better

Myers to Leave School. than Smith over the 100 yards. Captain Myers of the Cornhusker track Jim Resleure is the third member of unless the track captain can find a satto leave the university. pionships, and holds records for various

Manager Reed, who is training the track distances in all these countries. squad, will send a relay team and a pole the past. Again we have that fickleness vaulter to the Kansas City indoor meet. of the public thrust vividiy before us, which is held at the Kansas City Ath-

> New York Race Men Louisville Plans NEW YORK, Jan. 30 .- There will be no

pooling of interests by the several racing associations in this locality the coming seciations which will hold meetings will grounds of the new Louisville Jockey When racing will begin and where is a question yet to be decided, derby is decided next spring. The spring

begins on Saturday, May 8, and continues considerable from the snowstorms last

Let Him Stay, Says Jones. Manager Fielder Jones of the St. Louis Feds is quoted as saying that if Roy Corhan really means it and intends to re-

intil the season opens. main with the San Francisco team, then he will make no effort to hold him.

Gideon Becomes Mormon. Infielder Joe Gideon. formerly with Washington and last year with Lon Angeles, has been secured by the Sait Lake Coast club for the coming season.

lilinois as to when the team will be in team. Although there were seven players en-Chicago. The University of Pennsylvania is anxious to meet the Pacific coast inter- saged, it seemed to the spectators like a man, tells the story.

> BASE BALL SLIPPING BADLY Ing themand ing themselves, outweighs the lure of the

Still Will Be National Pastime, but as a Commercial Proposition is on Downward Trail.

OTHER SPORTS ARE CUTTING IN

motor boat and motorcycle is not so ap-NEW YORK, Jan. 30 .- Base ball is and should always remain the national pas- parent. but none the less certain. Ob- ular visits to some of the smaller towns time. It is too firmly entrenched in the serve the rivers around Manhattan Is- which could formerly be made but once hearts of the youth of the nation to be land in the spring, summer and fall, or twice a year because of the limitasupplanted by any other game. But base dotted with boats. Motor boating is no ball as a commercial proposition has swept longer the rich man's sport. It has been suits in more business for the salesman, to its creat and hit the downward train. brought within reach of the man of mod- and also enables the country merchant to This fact is indisputable. The handwrit- erate means-of the average fan. The keep in much closer touch with the large ing on the wall says so plainly and un- same is true of automobiling and motor- markets to his own advantage and the cycling, 'though the loss here is not as

As a money making proposition, base great, due to the fact that many people ball has passed its zenith for many motor to the games.

causes, the least of which is the Federal Base ball, as a sport, was never in a league. The present tangles of the game, healthier condition. It is as a bdelness to remedy the present demoralizing siz- team is likely to loave school at the end the team, and he will swim in the 220 contract jumping, outlaw leaguing and that the writer contends that it has to remedy the present dimension and con-uation. Open commercialism and con-stant reference to that state of affairs in the squad and his loss will be the is a cripple, with one leg amputated. He stant reference to that state of a stand state of a state o We do not pretend to know exactly which teams made money last year, but today holds several English open and The present storms will pass away and venture to say that among the sixteen clubs of the major circuits you could count them on the fingers of one hand.

college championships. He also holds German, French and Hungarian cham-pionships, and holds records for various

Hig Teams Will Draw.

The fourth member of the team will be Base ball men will make money. Cham-George Lindsay, a good all-round awim- pionship teams will still draw the hordes mer, proficient over fifty yards in about in. In New York and Chicago nearly Napoleon Lajoic, once the pride of all letic club's club rooms, February 27. 25% seconds, and can swim the 100 in an any kind of a team will pay expenses and the even-minute. He is also good for points a little better, but minor league clubs, in the 229-yard event. The fifth member and most of the majors as well, will undoubtedly had some effect on' the of the team is not decided on, several usually be fortunate to break even. The game. But as we stated in the beginning. men being mentioned for the other berth. reason for this chance is not directly

connected with base ball at all. It is due primarily to the return to its own again. They are not. The return outdoor life of the men and boys of the of the people of the cities to their herit-big cities. It is due to the growth of age of the great outdoors, has worked

for Kentucky Derby Boil and tennis, and the reduction in the havon with the business, 'though not the price of automobiles, motorcycles and sport, of base ball. motor boats. It is not that general in-

there at the base ball has lessened, but that canadian Racing there is a more personal side, are call-Schedule Arranged ing a large portion of fandom away from the game.

There are nearly 700,000 golfers in this HAMILTON, Ont., Jan, 30 -- The Cancountry today. It is estimated that duradian Racing association schedule for until and including Friday, May 21, with ing 1914 at least 100,000 were added to the 1915 is as follows:

with and the set is a set of the set is a set of the set is set in a set is a set in and around New York.
The majority of the men who play golf were and are still interested in base ball. But whereas before they have in their evening paper and spend the day golfing. Their interest is still in base ball, but the fact that at golf they have is each are and have the pleasure of play.
Tread. In the or and have the pleasure of play.
With is an follows:
May 12 to 20, Ontario Jockey club. To form they have is to 22, Consult Park Jockey club. June 5 to 15, Montreal Jockey club. June 25 to July 2, Hamilton Jockey club. June 26 to 10, Ningara Racing association, Fort Erie August 14 to 21, Windes. Jockey club, Commend 2, to 28, Ontario Jockey club. Jockey club

personal contest between these two ster ling men.+ Britton is considered the bes defensive player in the Amateur Hockey There has been in the last few months

Tennis Big Factor.

The effect of the low-priced automobile,

Few Profited Last Year.

the National league, you would not

need all the fingers of one hand, either.

The Federal league, bickerings of play-

ers, and wrangles among magnates have

for the links.

a notable increase in the use of the Ford by local traveling salesmen. Last year pierced his defense on several occasions. almost 200 cars were sold at the Ford The score, 2 to 0 for the St. Nicholas branch for this service, and it is said that prospects are bright for doubling

this number this year. After thoroughly investigating the auto obile proposition and trying out adveral different makes of cars, one firm alone

purchased twenty-five Fords for use of their Nebraska salesmen, and the claim Tennis has fully as many, if not more devotees than golf. It, too, has made big is made that their business has been strides in the last few years. It is luring largely increased, although traveling exits thousands out of the ball parks to penses in all instances have been lowered. The greatly increased development in the courts, for the same reasons that the golfer leaves the national pastime the building of better roads during the last few years has made possible the use of a Ford throughout almost the entire year, and salesmen are able to make regtions of railroad transportation. This re-

convenience of his patrons.

muscles in trim when the snow was on the ground. The carsman has had his indoor rowing machines, the foot ball star his drill in the symnasium, and there has been some sort of indoor work for all athletics. But the golfer has had nothing of the sort to keep him in trim. The man who was a true "bug" played

the game in all sorts of weather, 'tin He has been known to take a true. round on the links when the ground was covered with snow. But that was not doing his muscles a whole lot of good It was not tending to improve his golf under good conditions.

DOES THIS SOUND LIKE WESTERN LEAGUE, FANS?

Does this outfield remind you Western league fans of anything: Moose McCormick, Willis Cole and Normal Coyle? That is the way the outfield of the Memphis club of the Southern association will lineup next season. Coyle once chased files for Omaha, McCormick and Cole for Lincoln. Also Buck O'Brien, former Grizzly pitcher, is on the Memphis sound.



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Jack McNulty, who will umpire in the Western association next season, has re-turned to St. Louis from Corinth, Miss., where he buried his wife, who died in Chicago following an operation for ap-pendicids. McNulty will make his tiome any summer afternion they had off, they are now content to read the game in

Economy has hit another umpire. Presi-dent Hellbroner of the Central league has released his chief of staff, Harry Gelael, Anc. Geisel got married only a month or as aso, 100

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 30 .- Vast imclub, and all will be in a state of com-

pletion long before the coming Kentucky meeting at Churchill Downs this year

Umpire's Wife Dead.

Another Ump Bounced,



