# ONE OF BEST KICKERS IN MISSOURI VALLEY USE OF TRICK PLAYS CAREFUL MANAGEMENT NEEDED

Fakes Gain Most After the First Kickoff.

Teams Are Not Alert Then, Says Eckersall-Football Coaches and Players Differ on Time to

Spring Debelvers.

Football players and coaches have different ideas as to the best time in contests to spring trick plays or any other fakes which might catch opposing teams off guard. Many believe the substitution of fast and elusive players in the latter stages of the' games is the best time to spring a deceptive play, while others hold a directly contrary opinion, writes Walter H. Eckersall in Chicago Tribune. In football it is a well known fact that at the beginning of contests the players are not thoroughly alert to the situation, and those who have played the game know the men do not enter the game with the proper spirit until they have been tackled a few times or hit opponents hard in the interference. The minds of the players are not sharpened to the situation and they do not gain that alertness or aggressiveness which they acquire as the games progress.

In 1906, the first year of the forward pass, the old "shoestring" trick invariably was attempted on the play following a kickoff. The defensive team had not yet become accustomed to the play, and as a result it often was good for substantial gains. As the 1906 season progressed, one of the fundamental principles of the ends was to scan the extremities of the field to see that no offensive player had been placed there to receive a forward pass. Although coached on this point, many of the ends, carried away with the excitement of the contest, failed to carry out the coaches' instructions. A number of teams, especially high and preparatory elevens, attempt the play this year, but as there is no deception to the formation it generally fails against a well coached team. Coaches of the big elevens repriattendance.

mand a player severely if he is tricked on a play of this kind, although the play generally is attempted some time during an important contest. There is such a great chance of its ultimate success that the majority of the mentors are willing to take chances with the play, but so many formations can be evolved from sending a man to one side of the field or the other that it now is foolish to take

a chance with a forward pass unless the offensive player near the side line is not covered by a member of the defensive eleven. The moment a player on the offen-

sive team is sent wide on either extremity of the line the defense is weakened to the extent that it must send a man to watch the shifted player. Under these conditions formations can be evolved of deceptive character which can be sent on the opposite side from the shifted player.

times out of ten will expect the play .pail, whether pure-breds or grades. Good Plan Shown Where Ground on the strong side.

Animals That Produce Pound of Butter and Cheese the Cheapest Are the Ones to Keep-One Reason Why So Many Herds Do Not Return Profit From Their Food and Cost of Attendance.

**IN BREEDING COWS FOR DAIRY** 



A Prize Winning Jersey Heifer.

(By W. M. KELLY.) There is no phase of the dairy busi- to improve the type and standard in hardest of flinty limestone. Every ness that needs more study or more our herd. careful management than does the

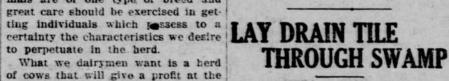
Upon the cow depends success or duce a general purpose animal by There is no basic rock at all, but only failure and we must, after selecting mixing beef and dairy breeds. Aim her, look to her care and her feed, to produce the animal whose special besion and strength. Nevertheless, and to the handling of her products. The fact that dairymen have de- of a pound of butter or a gallon of pared with granite and sandstone. voted more attention to other phases milk.

Always seek to have the crosses in petrified depths of a nearby cedar of their dairying than to the breeding and development of the cow is one of the reasons why so many of our dairy herds are not capable of returning tials. Unless a cow possesses vigor in the bed of an ocean, known to geoloa profit from their food and cost of breeder.

> and then do it by breeding the sire to some of his own get.

This should not be followed up too closely. Plan to have the heifers drop held in solution, their first calves at about 24 to 30 months of age. Their offspring will be more vigorous and there will be better results than by forcing an immature animal to bear progeny.

Breed cows are large feeders. Feed Select bows having individual exthem a liberal ration of milk-produccellence as determined by the Babcock ing foods and give them the best of test and scales in starting a berd. care. Keep in mind that bad qual-Better and more uniform results of ities are more easily transmitted than breeding may be secured if the anithe good ones. mals are of one type of breed and



Is So Soft as to Not Permit of Digging Satisfactory Ditch.

CHURCH BUILT OF FOSSILS **Building Constructed of Blocks Hewed** 

From the Petrified Depths of a

Nearby Swamp. Mumford, N. Y .- In Mumford is a church building constructed of fossils. At first glance the walls appear to be constructed of rough sandstone smeared with an uneven coating of gritty, coarse, plaster; but a closer view shows delicate traceries of leaves, lace-work of interwoven twigs. bits of broken branches, fragments of mossy bark, splinters of wood, all pre-

served against the wasting of time



Mumford Church.

our selection and mating be seeking and decay by being turned into the block of stone in the four walls is a The best special purpose animal is closely cemented mass of dainty fosnone too good. Never strive to pro- sils, literally packed and interwoven.

fossil fibers, which give the rock cocharacteristic is the cheap production the stones are light in weight com-The blocks were hewed from the

harmony. Do not mate extremes. swamp. Mumford is situated in the Vigor and constitution are two essen- beart of the great area of rock, once constitution she will make a poor gists as the Niagara limestone. It crops out either in the form of the Do not inbreed unless you have a soft, calcarerous stone, or the hard definite object in view, such as inten- and more serviceable blue limestone. sifying some particular good quality The clear, cold water which gushes from innumerable springs or flows in frequent brooks throughout the Mumford country is alkaline from the lime

**GERMANY'S GREAT MONUMENT** 

Colossal Memorial Nearing Completion is Built to Commemorate the Battle of Leipzig.





STRANDED.

first thing is to give the scholar a graceful bearing-to teach him how to walk

Student-Well, er-er-I don't expect to join that kind of a company.

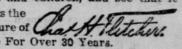
## BABY'S TERRIBLE SUFFERING

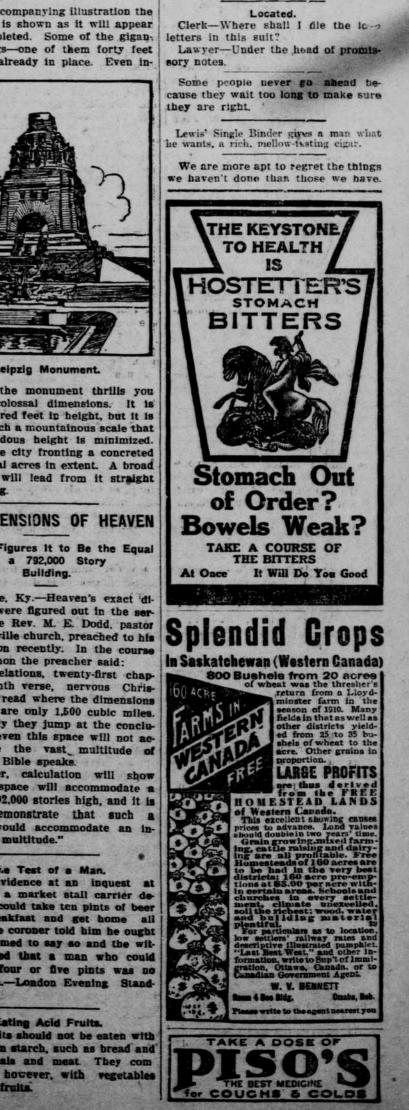
"When my baby was six months old. his body was completel; covered with large sores that seemed to itch and burn, and cause terrible suffering. The eruption began in pimples which would open and run, making large sores. His hair came out and finger nails fell off, and the sores were over the entire body, causing little or no sleep for baby or myself. Great scabs would come off when I removed his shirt.

"We tried a great many remedies, but nothing would help him, till a friend induced me to try the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment but a short time before I could see that he was improving, and in six weeks' time he was entirely cured. He had suffered about six weeks before we tried the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, although we had tried several other things, and doctors, too. I think the Cuticura Remedies will do all that is claimed for them, and a great deal more." (Signed) Mrs. Noble Tubman, Dodson, Mont., Jan. 28, 1911. Although Cuticura Scap and Jintment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. 18 K, Boston.

Obeyed Orders.

Percy-What are you doing about your doctor's advice to take physical exercise, dear boy? Cholly-I'm carryine a heavier walk-





in All Olympic Events. Great efforts will be made to secure

"Keckie" Moll, After Rest of Year, Strenuous Efforts Will Be Made to Secure Men Who Will Sweep Board

One of the sensations at Madison a team from the United States for this season was the return to the the Olympic games at Stockholm, rame of "Keckie" Moll at guarterback. Sweden, next year, that will not only tittle fellow's rest of a year sweep the boards in the field and seems to have been a great benefit to track events, but will capture most the initial kickoff in a game the play- ones that we want to keep in our

Captain Hackney, One of the Veterans on the University of Missouri Team. BADGER'S "COME BACK" STAR SEEK WELL BALANCED TEAM

although the defensive eleven nine

termination and willingness to work

Resumes Position at Quarter-

back-Better Than Ever.



#### "Keckie" Moll.

about which so much is heard-"the true Wisconsin spirit." He has lost none of his old-time accuracy in passing and booting while his endurance is better than it has been since the days of his freshman year.

### DEED FOR ANDERSON TROPHY

Bowl is Formally Presented to American Automobile Association for Upp in Glidden Tour.

A deed of gift formally presenting the Anderson trophy bowl to the American Automo bile association to be used as a prize in the Glidden tour. was executed at Anderson, S. C., the other day, and the bowl was forwarded to Robert H. Cooper, president of the association

It is provided in the deed of gift that the winner of the trophy, which is to be awarded for individual excellency, shall furnish a bond of \$2,000 to guarantee the care of the trophy during the time it may be in his possession, and until it may be awarded after the tour of the following year. The trophy bowl was designed by a Philadelphia jeweler, and cost \$1,000.

#### Fielder Jones is Rich.

beider Jones, former manager of Chicago White Sox, today is a man, and it all came about through his ability to seize an oppor-tunity and invest his money at the right time. Having a chance to pur-240 acres of land in Oregon last ar, Jones made the deal at a little better than \$15 per acre, the same being bought as a straight timber deal for investment. Today Jones wouldn't sell his property for many times this amount, as it has been discovered that on it are some of the best-known voice in the matter of Cobb' coat deposits in this section of the acy in the American lengue.

More attention will be paid in the that has indicated a conception of that next selections of a team to rifle and revolver shooting, lawn tennis, wrestling, cycling, gymnastics, etc.

This will mean that more men will have to be sent abroad. As the American Olympic committee has not the slightest doubt that it will be able to raise the fund of \$50,000, there will, however, be no need to be sparing in the number of representatives that are sent across the Atlantic.

up by Sweden," said James E. Sullivan, the secretary of the Olympic committee, "is absolutely fair. Nobody is favored and we have no complaints to make

"We are beginning to take care of other than the field and tracks events are almost certain to be successful. this time," he went on to say. "In London in 1908 we were poorly represented in the cycling contests, for one thing. Amateur cycling does not amount to much nowadays in this country; but we hope, nevertheless. to gather a strong team. "I am afraid it will be some years 1000

before we can excel the Germans, Norwegians and Bohemians in gymnastics. However, during the last five years wonderful strides have been made at the colleges in gymnas tics, and when we come to look into the matter we may find that, after all, we have some real Olympic material at our disposal."



"Chick" Evans continues to golf it. He whom a paragraph offends is indeed of tender skin.

While the other coaches were shout ing Stagg was thinking. When the frost is on the pumpkin it is also on the famous game of base

Occasionally a football coach varies the monotony by displaying a gleam of

Football promises to kill more in its few short weeks than baseball did all summer long.

Evidently Pennsylvania does not be Right Half Back on Indiana 'Varsity lieve in shutting out her football rivals this year.

Death has begun garnering his 1911 crop of football players. No country can afford this kind of waste. The open golf championship of western Pennsylvania goes across the Even more excruciatingly funny than the review of football is an English-Atlantic this year. It was captured by George Duncan of the Hanger Hill Golf club, London, who, playing in an's review of baseball practice. the tournament held under the aus-pices of the Western Pennsylvania When bowling, semi-pro ball, football and a few others all come at Golf association at the Allegheny once, what chance is there for wrest-

Country club, turned in a score of 146 ling? for the thirty-six holes. Jack Hutchin-"Doc" Roller says the outlook for this year in the mat game is better than ever. He does not claim to be an optimist.

for the thirty-six holes. Jack Hutchin-son of the Allegheny Country club and Dave Robertson of the Oakmont Country club tied for second honors with 153. "Chick" Evans of Chicago. holder of the French amateur cham-One would have to go a lot further than eight judges to find a dissenting voice in the matter of Cobb's supremonship, negotiated the thirty-six oles in 159.

ers stand erect and attempt to discern herds the weaknesses of their opponents. We have a number of improved

It is several seconds before the teams breeds of dairy cows that represent clash in the first scrimmage. The the skill of years in their perfection. players are not warmed up to the conflict and as a result they overlook many things which they spot in an instant as the contest progresses. As a result the best and most opportune time to spring a trick or deceptive play is on the play following the first kickoff. If formations are

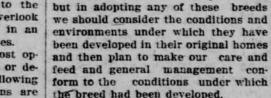
evolved in which the players assume "The program that has been drawn the necessary positions to make the play a success and if the ball is snapped before the defensive team has a chance to size up the situation and before minds are sharpened to the point where they will be on the lookout for such plays, such trick plays

HAROLD KING.

Team.

Penn Golf Title to Duncan

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breeding of the cow.

We are often asked which is the

best breed of dairy cattle to select for

the dairy? To such men I would say

that there is no best breed. Some

think because they have Jerseys they

are on the royal road to success.

Others think that the Hoisteins will

This is a sad mistake, for scrubs

What we dairymen want is a herd

The ones that will produce a pound of

are very common among the pure-

breeds, and a nure-bred scrub is with-

bring prosperity to the farm.

out doubt the worst scrub of all.

to perpetuate in the herd.

If a man has Jerseys, give them Isle of Jersey care and feed for they cannot succeed on scrub fare and fodder. They were not intended for that pur-

The Jersey cow is a delicate, nervous machine and requires warmth. kindness and liberal feeding to make her profitable.

If Holsteins are selected do not exscanty pastures where they are compelled to rustle all day to gather sufficient food.

Give them the care they were developed under, large amounts of succulent forage and well cured hay, warm stables and kind treatment.

You may get pure-breds if you can afford them, but all farmers are not jfar plan to be tried in various secable to buy pure-breds. However, always use a pure-bred sire.

of the herd if it is desired to grow calves for the dairy. Select them from some of the well-

known families of the breed and be sure that he possesses prepotency which gives promise of being a good calf-getter. A bull of this kind will give you

excellent results in improving the herd. Some of the best herds in the country are high grades that have resulted from the continued use of good sires

In order to be successful as breeders we must learn some of the lessons meat or bone with lean meat clinging associated with our stock; have an to it. They will pick at the meat inideal type in our minds and always in stead of pulling feathers.



Where Straw Is Not Readily Obtainable it Is Difficult to Get a Covering of Right Thickness.

(By H. F. GRINSTEAD, Missourt.) Where straw is readily obtainable it is difficult to spread properly over the strawberry plants so that it will be thick enough yet not smother the plants or require raking off in the

A mulch of oats or sorghum is the best thing I know of that may be sown between the rows.

Oats alone has been tried, but from the fact that we often have a very dry fall it has not always made a satisfactory growth before frost.

Sorghum or kaffir corn are dry weather plants, and if there is suffcient moisture in the soli to germin-ate the seed they will grow till frost. A good plan is to sow cats and sorghum or oats and kaffir corn is mix-

permit digging a satisfactory drain ditch. By driving stakes in the ground and laying a one-inch board on the tops of them, and upon this laying the line of tile, a good flow of water can be secured. This tile must be laid be-Tringing on the Martin Y HAY KARAKARAK

low the wet weather water level and pect them to thrive on closely cropped, after the land has been thoroughly drained for a year or two the tile can be removed and the stakes driven deeper, so that it rests upon solid earth.

Tiling a Swamp.

#### Egg-Laying Contest.

The success of the Australian egglaving contest has suggested a simtions of this country. Poultrymen are expected to ship a pen of six hens The breeding bull always represents to an experiment station or other cenhalf the value of the breeding power tral point where contests will be carried on under competent management. and prizes awarded to the winners have found good markets for eggs for

hatching. Besides requiring the suitable reputation as breeders of the best laying pens, the contests are expected to bring out many practical points of feeding, housing and general care of laying stock.

# Cure Feather Pulling.

A good remedy for feather-pulling hens is said to be a piece of tough

ture and thick enough so that it will

not be coarse As soon as it is killed by the frost the sorghum will fall, making an ideal mulch Then, as the weather becomes more severe the oats will be killed. Mulch grown in this way will always be found thickest where needed -in bare places and between the

It cannot possibly smother out the plants no matter how rank it grows, and is the best for keeping the fruit of the ground in the spring One of the greatest advantages in a mulch of this kind is that you are reasonably sure to have no woods sown with it, as is often the case when using wheat straw.

Iron Pails

Have two or three galvanized iron alls in which to carry fertilise distribution. Then if left in the field or otherwise exposed, they won't fail to pieces, as wooden ones will,

Marketing Lambs. When marketing lambs leave the culls on the farm.

