Up-to-Date News and Gossip of Interest to Sport Fans

South American Heavy May Climb U. S. Keeps Davis High in Pugdom if He Perfects His Lawn Tennis Cup Defense--- Is to Return to U. S. A.

A Says "Bugs"

The Glutt is ready to strike a

blow on the canvas for his native

land. He is ready to stand and fall.

His Turkish towel battle flag is fly-

ing from the ringpost. Siki refuses

In justice to color blind House

Painters' Union No. 594, we cannot

The Glutt is nervous today. He

gave his best girl a gold tooth for

Xmas. She already had a perfect

set of biters. Therefore The Glutt

had to knock out one of her deli-

catessen chewers. That was all

right and The Glutt was within his

three-mile limits of Roughtown

That was all right. But Xmas is

So you can pipe that The Glutt

Any expert on social puzzles who

can help The Glutt out of this non-

refillable blunder will be welcome

with his suggetions. The Glutt is

really a gentleman. And when he

parts his hair in the middle and

puts on his vest of all nations there

ain't a finer man who ever looked

Siki is no Humpty-Dumpty. The

Glutt knows that it will be a tough

battle. But he gets plump on rough

treatment. He was knocked down

like a sick mule's ear by The Floor

bumper. The Glutt is just the type

His fights don't start until he

He has been checked up so often

The only time he was ever really

buzzed out was when a Philadelphia

When he fights Siki, whenever

that is. The Glutt's girl and her

green tooth will be there to cheer

him on to victory. The Glutt will

spend a couple of minutes on the

canvas looking for six-leaf clovers

If he finds one Siki will not finish

This ain't the first time The Glutt

He gave his next best girl one of

University Place, Neb., Dec. 28 .-

Despite the fact that the basket ball

squad of Nebraska Wesleyan college,

Other promising candidates are An-

Franklin; McKenzie, Tecumseh; Cal-

University Place; Gregg, University

Following is the university basket

January 18-Midland college at Fre-

February 14-Creighton university at

maha. February 19—Morningside at Sioux City. February 20—Trinity college at Sioux

ity. February 22—Doane college at Crete. March 1—Cotner college at University

Coach McCandless announces that

other games are pending. The sched-

ule is one of the longest of the Ne-

braska colleges.

1923 football team.

am, and Gentry, Gering.

timekeeper gave him a quick Quak-

er addition. Five and five are ten.

that he thinks there are only nine

starts taking lessons in arithmetic

stands like an empty bag.

a judge in the eye.

from the referee.

only one installment away, and that

gold chopper is starting to turn

claim that Siki is yellow.

This news affects various gladiators and the hangers-on in pugdom in different ways.

Some of the boys are extremely anxlous to get a chance to mingle with Mr. Firpo-and others aren't at all keen about it. One section has it all figured out that Luis will be the softest kind of soft picking, whereas the other outfit has a wholesome respect for the South American fist

Firpo continues to be what might be termed "the unknown quantity of pugilism." He never has had a real test against a real fighter and, therefore, no one knows positively just how good or how bad he may be. But it is an undeniable fact that Firpo, in the bouts against third raters in which he figured here, demonstrated three vital things:

(I.) Terrific punching power. (2) Ability to take a pile-driver smash on the chin-and then come back as strong as ever. (3) A physique of which champions are made

Beyond Jack Dempsey there is no one who seems to be able to get as much dynamic fury into a blow as does Firpo. And beyond Dempsey and Bill Brennan there is no one in the heavyweight ranks who ever has stood up after taking punches such

as were rattled off the chin of the pride of South America. In physical make-up Firpo yields to none. He has powerful arms, marvelous legs, shoulders which betoken his hidden power, å huge chest and seems to be possessed of a natural fighting instinct. On top of all that he has courage, he certainly has

gameness annd is amazingly fast.

Has No Defense. But Firpo bas a fault-and a bad one. Fortunately for him it is a fault which can be corrected by six months of teaching. And that fault is that he has almost no defense and so far has spurned efforts to teach him how to box. He depends upon the stoutness of his chin and the toughness of

his body to withstand enemy assaults. Firpo has mingled in four or five battles recently and won every one with a knockout. His foemen all would hit him sledgehammer blows in every battle, and yet Firpo wasn't knocked out and not merely survived the attacks, but punched and pounded his way to spectacular victory. But all this happened when Firpo was pitted merely against men who are little more than mediocre as heavyweights. It never happened against a man like Dempsey or Wills or Brennan or Gibbons or Miske, or any of the other Firpo believes at this moment that

he has a chance against Dempsey. In hitting power, in speed and in ability to take it, he probably isn't much in-ferior to the champion. But where he yields hugely-and where his vital weakness has manifested itself-is in his lack of boxing skill.

Chance to Beat Champ. It wouldn't take much more than a Heavy Schedule for round for Dempsey, Gibbons or the others to tie Firpo into knots by outboxing and outgeneraling him. He wouldn't know what it was all about until one of the fellows had crashed over enough punches to flatten him. But if Firpo learned how to box,

cultivated the trickery of defense, as here, has but two veterans to form its well as the science of attack, and nucleus, R. B. McCandless, director of gathered in another six months or a athletics, is hopeful of rounding out a year of experience, there would be fairish team. The old men, Captain every reason in the world to warrant Bryan Harrell of University Place and the prediction which they now make Ralph Hurlbut, center, are letter men. in South America that: Firpo has a chance with Demp derson, University Place: Fruhling,

At this moment Firpo has no chance vert, Plattsmouth; Yetter, University

against Dempsey, none against Wills, Place; Steeves, Panama; Sowers, none against Gibbons and probably none against Bill Brennan. And Place; Harrington, University Place; that's all because he has not been McKibben, University Place; Quante, tutored in boxing and because he has Brock; Mock, Fairfield; Sack, Greshnot had enough experience with tough men to season and qualify him for a tussle with the world champion.

When Firpo drops in upon these American shores again it is likely that he will decide to permit some wise old man of the ring to school him in the intricacles of boxing. If he does that and is carefully and skillfully matched through 1923, this unknown battler of nine months ago may push Wills, Gibbons, Brennan and the others out of the spotlight and cause himself to be acclaimed: This is the man qualified to battle

for a heavyweight championship of

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High School Foot Ball /

Mondamin Wins.

Mondamin. Ia.. Dec. 28.—Mondamin won its sixth consecutive victory last Friday night by defeating Magnolia, 27 to 13. The locals completely outclassed their opponents in team work and basket shooting.

Portis Beats Kinwin.

Portis, Kan., Dec. 28.—The Portis Dynamos won from the Kinwin Sharpshooters here last night, 47 to 13. Killinger was high man, with 18 points. Kinwin did not score a field basket until the last two minutes of play.

Shelton, Neb., Dec. 28.—The Shelton High school basket ball team dropped the first game of the season here to St. Paul by a score of 28 to 12. Coach Miller has made a change in the lineur and hopes to see his hoopsters win their share of the remainder of the scheduled games.

Clarkson, Neb., De 28.—The fast Newman Grove High school basket ball quintet met their defeat at Newman Grove by the Clarkson High school basket bail team, 43 to 25.

Brown a Star.

Scottsbluff, Neb., Dec. 28.—Lincoln High school outclassed Scottsbluff High school in basket ball tonight, 29 to 16.

Brown led the scoring for Lincoln, with 21 points, while Pickett scored half of Scottsbluff's 12 points.

Wins Nine in Row,
utherland, Neb., Dec. 28.—Sutherland
th school quintet scored their ninth
secutive victory this week by defeatLincoln High in a preseason game,

American domination of the field in emphasized during 1922 than ever before when the Davis cup was successfully defended against an original entry list of 14 nations and Australia lisposed of in the challenge round, four matches to one. William T. Tilden of Philadelphia

A LL negotiations for The Glutt to depopulate Battling Siki have fallen through like hot coals on and William M. Johnston of San Francisco scored in straight sets over Gerald L. Patterson and James O. Anderson of Australia, in the singles, and only the doubles victory of Patterson and Pat O'Hara Wood over Tilden and Vincent Richards prevented an American cleanup. A few weeks later Tilden and

Johnston met in the final round of the national singles championship, sole survivors of a field that included Patterson, Anderson and O'Hara Wood of Australia; Zenzo Shimizu, champion of the orient; Manuel Alonso, champion of Spain, and his broth er. Jose, among others. The only absentees of note were Gobert and Cochet of France, and neither was as strong as the two Australian leaders and Manuel Alonso

Tilden earned the title by defeating Johnston in a great five-set match, but the question of individual supremacy remains in the air, since Johnston thrice defeated Tilden in previous matches and showed the better form in the Davis cup challenge round.

American eminence, however, was confined solely to the male of the species. Mrs. Molla Mallory again lemonstrated her superiority over her American field by disposing of Miss Helen Wills, the child from 'Frisco, in the national championship and other tournaments, but was beaten in straight sets by Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen, the French prima donna of the courts at Wimbledon, Mile. Suzanne thus preserving her right and title to the world's singles champion-

The east against west matches, in which Johnston scored twice over Til den, witnessed a division of spoils, the west winning in the early season and the east later at Forest Hills.

South High Cagers to Play Alumni

South high leather flippers will play the Alumni at South gym at 8 o'clock tonight.

Coach Pattton will start R. Graham and Clark at forward, Wedberg at center, and Reeves and DeVry at

The Alumni will be presented by Graham and Corr. forwards, Hill, center, and Neiman and Emigh, guards. The graduates, on paper, appear stronger than the present South

Out for Title post, American Legion, of O'Neill, ex-

pects to capture the Legion basket ball championship of northern and W. Conklin, the new commander, has appointed George Harrington director lard, former heavyweight champion of athletics, and the coach has a boxer, milled clumsily here last night Nebraska Wesleyans any or all Legion teams in the terri-



Nebraskan Taking Honeymoon in Clouds

Cubs' Training

first practice game, March 10. Francisco, Oakland, El Paso, San An-Wichita Falls, Fort Worth,

April 13, 14, 15 and 16. The list of pre-season games includes: March 10, Vernon or Los Angeles; March 16, 17 and 18, Vernon or racing will be held at Tanforan. Los Angeles; March 23, Vernon or Los Angeles; March 26, 28, 30 and 31. San Francisco at San Francisco: Francisco (afternoon), and April 3.

O'Neill, Neb., Dec. 28,—Simonson Willard Is Clumsy

driver, and his bride, who were married Christmas day at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.

New Frisco Race Track

Tex.; Oklahoma City, Tulsa, Okl., and Tanforan race track, near San Fran- the Uni five. the training tour will finish with a cisco, in course of construction, will The Maroons have an all-veteran four-game series at Kansas City, open in May, 1923, according to an- team this year, composed of Davis, a terrific clip today despite the intense aging director of the Pacific Coast necky brothers. Jockey club, under whose auspices

April 1, Oakland (morning) and San football squad were preparing to leave ever. San Francisco for West Virginia to-The Cubs will open in Chicago, day after being entertained yesterday Santa Clara University by members of the Olympic club. The easterners, who defeated the Gonzaga college team in San Diego on Christmas day, arrived here from the south in Exhibition Bout vesterday and were taken on a tour of the city. The party is composed two years, has resigned, according to a statement he made on the eye of his

Shoot Profitable

strong team in process of formation. in two exhibition bouts. He stung keys, 100 geese and 175 ducks were The team is looking for games with Alden Schumacker, a local heavy- awarded as prizes at the Kearney

Maroons Practice With Centralites needed deception. Instead of Beze

with the Omaha university Marcons handicap if the weather continues as squad has been perfecting his de fensive play, while Coach Hill of Central has been working on his choice for offensive material.

The Purple and White should be to Be Opened in May represented by a fast quintet this season from the showing made against

nouncement by John D. Stelling, man- Kastman, Reeves and the two Ko- heat

yet has made no choice as to his intersectional combat on Saturday, five on account of the wealth of ma- both teams are hard at work. The W. Va. Eleven to Start Home. terial at the Purple camp. Captain Cardinals are taking their workouts San Francisco, Dec. 28.-Members Reynolds, Marrow, Percival and Law- in the morning on the stadium field March 27 and 28, Oakland at Oakland; of the University of West Virginia son loom up the most promising, how-

San Francisco, Dec. 27 .- Henry G.

Buckingham, football coach for the University of Santa Clara for the last Penn Practices a statement he made on the eve of his home, where he will spend the win-

Buckingham said complete disagreement with the athletic management at Hugo Bezdek of Penn State is concen-Santa Clara was the principal reason trating on defensive football in pracfor his action. He has received coachday. The event netted the club \$600 ing offers from three Pacific coast tion for the game against the Univerdecision until 1924.

Ski Clubs Organized Omaha ski clubs have reorganized

formed with a membership of 40 boys, and also the Omaha Ski club, com posed largely of members of the Omaha Walking club.

Baltimore, Dec. 28,-"Red" Causey has been sent to Baltimore by the New York Giants as part payment for Jack Bentley. The Giants agreed to pay the local club \$65,000 cash and three players. The other players have not been named.

Gets Hole in One Fullerton, Neb., Dec. 28 .- Down Fullerton way they're not only playing golf, but also making holes in Frank G. Arnold made the 215yard No.' 3 at the local club in one stroke the other day.

Shenandoah, Ia., Dec. 28.—Cecil Conley of Farragut threw Jess Queen of Omaha here last night. Conley won the first fall in 32 minutes with a toe hold and the second in 16 min utes with an armlock. Jake Schaefer Practicing.

Conley Throws Queen

Los Angeles, Dec. 28.-Jake Schaefer of Los Angeles, former world's champion billiard player, is practicing here daily for a contest with Roger Conti of France, at Chicago, January 8, 9 and 10.

Vancouver Downs Seattle. Seattle, Wash., Dec. 28.-In the Football Coaches' association yestermost combative hockey game seen day he objected to a proposal to climihere this season, Vancouver last nate side clipping because it would night defeated Seattle, 4 goals to 3, in take much away from the fundamenthe Pacific Coast association,

Sisler Only Batsman With Chance to Beat Cobb's Lifetime Average

Trojan Eleven a Foxy Bunch years perhaps forever.

teams representing the University of the Louisville club, then in the major Southern California and Penn State, league, from 1882 until 1893, led the which will engage in the annual in- batsmen of all leagues. Browning tersectional football game of the finished his career in the major Tournament of Roses in the Rose leagues with a lifetime average in bowl on Monday afternoon, will enter batting of .356, which stood as the best the battle without the services of two mark for 23 years,

the Trojans, Chester Dolly, quarter. took Ty ten seasons to bring his avback and captain-elect of the 1923 erage up to the mark set by this team, will not start because of an in. slugger of other days. Since 1915, Ty jured knee sustained in a regular sea- has gradually increased his lead, son game. This injury has caused the Trojan coach to make a complete Chicago clubs was one player who

After watching the Trojans go through their workout this afternoon, Penn State must be prepared to combat a bag full of tricks. Some of the foxy formations of many years ago have been brought to life by the California mentor and may bring about the desired results if sprung at opportune times. The players execute these tricks nicely and with the ished their careers in big league base-

Instead of Bezdek's Lions being the heavier team, the Trojans appear to one of them ever attained the mark have whatever advantage there is in of .372, at any one time after five poundage. Weight, however, will not cut much figure. In fact it may be a warm as it has been for the last few days. The Trojan backs are fast and in Baker will rest the responsibility of making most of the ground gaining Flock, a promising looking lines

man, filled in at Bedenk's position in today's workout.

Loss of Bedenk will lessen the defensive strength of the Lions. Bezdek asserted he has been the main cog in all games, the ones with Pennsylvania and Navy especially. He is a can also get out to head an interfer-

The Lions' mentor drove his men at Up at Palo Alto, where Pittsburgh

and Stanford will engage in another while the Panthers practice in the afternoons. A large delegation of fans in this section will make the trip to see the struggle and will return Football Coach Resigns immediately to take in the New Year's day struggle.

Defense Tactics

Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 28.—Coach Hugo Bezdek of Penn State is concentrating on defensive football in practice at the Rose bowl here in preparation for the game against the University of Southern California at the annual Tournament of Roses New Year's day. In workouts Bezdek has his second string men play on the offensive throughout and they are making no gain against the heavy Nittany Lions. Bezdek said that he would shift his lineup a dozen times if necessary before New Year's day to decide which eleven men were best fitted to start.

F. J. Bendenk, Nittany Lion guard, who was injured in practice, is able to the procession of the start Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 28.-Coach colleges, he said, but will reserve his sity of Southern California at the an-

who was injured in practice, is able "Red" Causey to Baltimore. to train with the others, but Bezdek will not allow him to get into the "rough stuff." The Trojans also are holding daily

Attack Gambling New York, Dec. 28 .-- An attack on

gambling and commercialism cropin intercollegiate sport, was launched today by delegates to the annual meeting of the National Collegiate. Dean D. W. Morhouse of Drake

university, Ia., representing the Sixth district, comprising several mid-west ern states, advocated a graduate system of coaching to supplant the existing professional system,

Boston Coach Avers Reformers Driving Football to Parchesi

New York, Dec. 28 .- Football will legenerate into parchesi if reformers succeed in having adopted rules tending to minimize the physical aggres siveness of the game, in the opinion of Frank Cavanaugh, coach of the Boston college eleven, who was a star on rugged Dartmouth teams a few years ago. At the meeting of the American

tals of the sport.

Ty Cobb leads the batsmen of the world with an average of .372 for his entire career in major league base ball. This mark may live many, many

It is not generally known and perbaps the name of the maker of this record is almost forgotten but, a certain Pete Browning who played with

It was up to Ty Cobb to trim this According to Coach Henderson of record left by Pete Browning but it Joe Jackson of the Cleveland and

shift of his baskfield, with the result had a chance to compete for high Harold Galloway, a fullback, will pilot honors in batting for this bird was the team from the quarterback posi- going like wildfire when his feet slipped and he was placed on the black list. Jackson, up to the time of his forced retirement, possessed a batting average of .359 for his lifetime work in major leagues. Capt. Anson., Harry Stevey, Ed Delehanty. Dan Brouthers. Dave Orr.

"Tip" O'Neill, Sam Thompson, Tris Speaker, Billy Hamilton and Jesse Burket are listed as batsmen who fip-At the height of their best mark not seasons of big league ball playing. Rogers Hornsby, although going at

a terrific pace, is a long way behind the fast-going Georgian who, despite his 18 seasons' service, is going like of .347 for the eight seasons he has played in the old National. In order to reach Cobb's record he must maintain a .320 pace for the next six years.

Cage Leadership Tied.

The Trinity quintet tied the Fairview five for leadership in the class "B" division of the Church league ferocious charger of the type who last night by defeating the Fairviews, 8 to 7, in the feature game of the evening. Maxwell, Marple and Roberts each

ollected a field goal for the Trinity crew, and Maxwell added 2 points from the free-throw line. Davis and Fenner flipped Fairlew's goals and Vawter contributed points from the penalty line. Results of other games Hirst M. E. defeated Parkside, 7

Plymouth trounced Walnut Hill, 12 Calvary Baptist beat First Baptist,

You Should know

Q. Must I pass ball immediately after having completed dribble?

A. No. Length of time depends upon activity of opponent.

How to Play Basketball.

Pivoting The pivot is an excellent means of getting into a position to pass. dribble or shoot. When covered in front a player uses the pivot to evade the guard. The left foot is advanced to pivot on the ball of the right foot and the right shoulder goes backward. The tack is now presented to the opponent. To pivot on the ball of the right foot, advance the left foot. If dribble is being made at time of pivot, the ball must be passed on or a shot taken before forward foot comes in contact with floor. If pivot is made after receiving a pass dribble must be started before the left foot comes down. It is more effective to pivot towards the sidelines. At first, you will become confused, stopping on the wronk foot. Always pivot away, never toward your man. Do not start the pivot too carly. Wait until you are within three feet of your man. Starting too soon gives the opponent a chance to shift and meet you after the pivot has been completed. How to Play Basketball.

Marriages Licenses.

Jack Hall, 22, Omaha; Bertha Windsor. Jack Hall, 22, Omaha; Betta L.
Joseph C. Gould, over 21; Retta L.
Thompson, over 21, Omaha;
Herman Werner, 27, Gretna, Neb.; Anna
Huff, 25, Gretna, Neb.
Soren Behernes, 61, Cotesfield, Neb.;
Mary Johnson, 59, Cotesfield, Neb.
George Danoft, 27, Omaha; Lucia Sacca, 24, Omaha, John W. Foraker, 30, Omaha; Theresa E. Klein, 20. Omaha.

James Shadden, 23. Council Bluffs. Ia.:
Edna Zuifer, 21. Omaha.

Births and Deaths.

Frank and Westa Wesiley, boy, 1827
North Twenty-fourth street.
Theodore and Theodora Stolinski, boy, hospital harles and Ethel Davis, girl, 4421 South hirty-fourth street, Charles and Philomena Bredin, girl, 2016. ake street.

Joseph and Marie Wagner, boy, hosital.

Ignatias and Mary Carovski, boy, 1423
bouth Tweifth street.

Russell and Lillian Bennett, girl, hospi-Arthur and Edith Sorensen, girl, 6823 outh Thirteenth street. Frank and Heiga Peters, boy, LaPlatte. Orrie and Helen Wilson, girl, 1833 Ontario street. William and Lenora Hall, girl, hospi-Edward and Elizabeth Hiedeman, boy. ospital.

Mathaniel and Bertha Alshuler, boy hospital, Auton and Josephine Pavios, boy, 1311 Auton and Josephina
Drexel street.
Flora and Bertha Davis, boy. \$114
South Twentieth street.
Jacob and Sarah Baker, girl, hospital.
Deaths.

Numira Pospisek, 2 years, hospital, Alice A. Lorenc, 3, 5806 South Twentyfirst street.
Leonard Paul Bogatz, 21. Twenty-fourth and H streets. ohn Sade. 60, 2714 South Twenty-fifth street.

Mary Jane Solomon, 47 hospital.

John F. Mathiesen, 37, 2208 South John F. Mathiesen, St. 2208 South Tenth street.

Minnie M. Hayward, 65, hospital.

Mathew J. O'Donnell, 44, 522 South Twenty-sixth avenue.

Erna Mewinkle, 12, hospital

Robert Paul Guerin, infant, 3724 U

BRINGING UP FATHER-PAGE OF COLORS IN THE SUNDAY BEE YES AN YOU SOME THING WOW! HERE'S A BY GOLLY! WE LION BRING ALONG TELLS ME HOLE THAT THEM ARE LOST HERE HUNTERS A CANE INSTEAD THAT WE'RE IN THE JUNGLES BIG SNAKES I'LL BET! LIVE IT! NOT GONNA OF A GUN OF INDIA -HAVE ANY FUNERAL EXPENSES! Copyright. 1922. by Im'l Feature Service. In

Starts Feb. 22

Cubs Baseball club has arranged 30 lock's ship and "hopped off" for a exhibition games for the training trip flying trip to the south. this spring prior to the opening of Bullock flew from North Platte, his the National league season, it was home, to Broadwater for the wedding announced today. The pitchers and ceremony catchers will leave Chicago, February | The marriage culminates a romance | January 5. 22, and arrive at Catalina island, Cal., which budded when Miss Beatrice the permanent training camp of the Maize was attracted by the daring club, February 25. The infielders and air exploits of the dashing young outfielders will leave Chicago, Feb. aviator at a county fair, ruary 25 and arrive at the training Bullock recently added new laurels camp March 4. After training five to his racing record when he won the days on the island, the club will line Pike's Peak climb at Denver. up with Vernon or Los Angeles, in the Games have been scheduled for San

Yakima, Wash., Dec. 28 .- Jess Wil-Frank Farmer.

on their honeymoon are Noel Bullock, Nebraska aviator and auto race S. Maize of Broadwater, Neb. Dec. 28.—The Chicago riage altar into the cockpit of Bul-

San Francisco, Dec. 28.-The new

Kearney, Neb., Dec. 28 .- Fifty tur-

EDDIE'S FRIENDS The Great Unknown.



The mentor also announces the election of Owen L. Donohoe of Decatur, a sophomore, as captain of the The British government announces that an order has been issued abolishing slavery in former German East

SEE JIGGS AND MAGGIE IN FULL

Drawn for The Omaha Bee by McManus DO YOU GENTLEMEN NO-BUTIT'S

