

Four New Pilots to Be at Helms of Major League Baseball Clubs This Season

Chance to Try Comeback With Boston Red Sox

Arthur Fletcher of Phillies and Owen Bush of Senators to Pilot Clubs Without Previous Experience.

Two debutants, one holdover who has his spurs yet to win, and one veteran who will try to stage a comeback, constitute the new faces in the managerial frame of the major leagues for the coming season.

Probably the most general interest centers in the return of Chance to the game after eight years of retirement under the shade of his own orange.

Arthur Fletcher of the Phillies, and Owen Bush of Washington, and the men who will make their first attempts at diamond leadership.

Made Good With Cubs. In the seven and a half years he piloted the old Chicago Cubs Chance demonstrated his right to the title of peerless leader.

After two years of failure in Gotham, Chance quit, following a run-in with Devery, the secret owner and hoodoo of the club, and declared he was through with baseball forever.

Just what has tempted Chance to try his hand at building up another almost hopeless team is a mystery.

Must Reign Supreme. "I was going to work Ory today," the manager growled, "but now I'll have to switch."

Fletcher and Bush are both veteran players and, oddly enough, both have starred at shortfield.

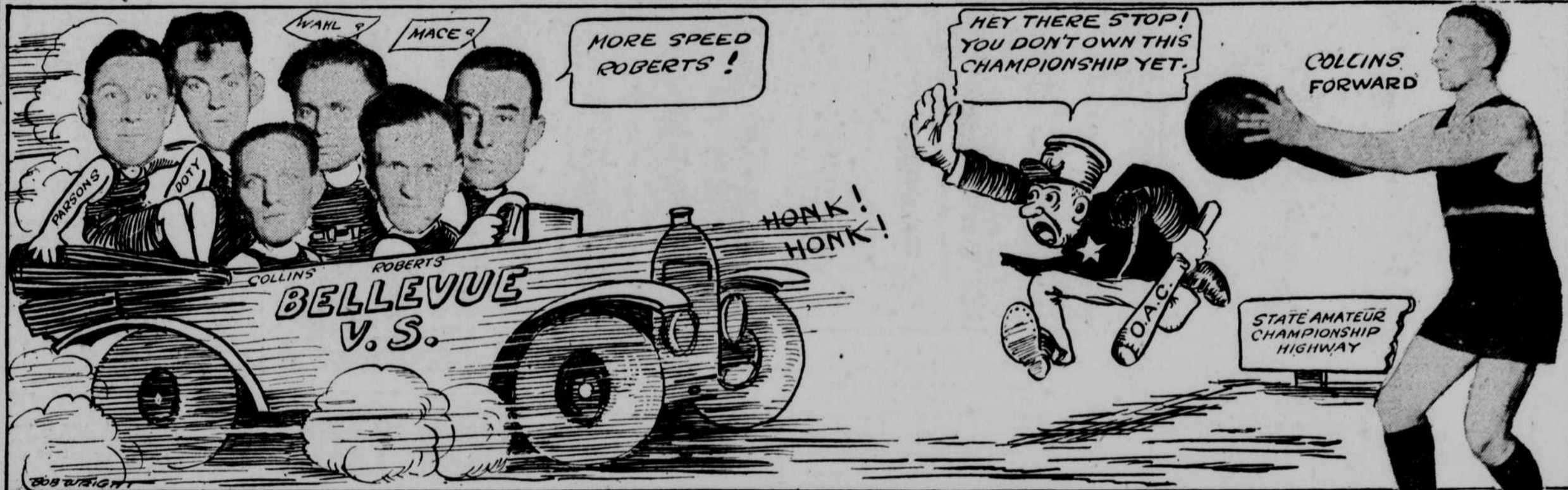
McKechnie's task is a tough one because, to satisfy Dreyfuss, he must fill the shoes of Fred Clark, one of the few really great managers of all time.

Choynski Beat 'Em All in His Prime. Pugilistic followers who smile at Joe Choynski's claim that modern boxers are not equal to the old-timers do not recall the great feats of the veteran.

May Stage East vs. West Professional Golf Match. New York, Feb. 10.—(Special.)—Provided satisfactory conditions can be arranged there will be an east against west professional golf match prior to the national open championship at Inwood.

Professional Golfers Association executive committee has gone on record as favoring such a match, with the further understanding that the proceeds from the gate shall go toward the benevolent end of the Professional Golfers association.

What Basket Ball Team Is Going to Stop These Speeders?



Scrambled Sports

Asks to ashes and dust to dust— If a fighter don't fool you, his manager must; All of the dust blowing right in your eye, Each promoter wishin' you'd fall down and die— Oh, Baby!

Up until midnight and dancing till light— Trying to train and get tough overnight; Head hard as rock and hands hard as nail, Manager trying to haul in more kale— Oh, Honey!

Signs to fight a tough one-legged guy, Who sleeps outdoors and is covered by sky. Nobody gives you a chance to win— Wisecrass say you'll get popped on the chin— Oh, Sweetie!

Enters the ring and is greeted with shouts— Someone chips you're gonna get knocked out. All that you get is the razz and the laugh, As you step up and battle this tall giraffe, Trying your hardest to please each fan; But the most you get is to be put on the pan. Oh, Mamma.

Referee raises your hand in the air— Fans all get up and say it ain't fair; Cops all come to get the referee, Boxing commissioners try to take refuge; Nobody has as much heart as stone, Everyone hinting the referee's head is one bone. Oh, Daddy!

One might say that the French were anxious to get the Krupp works for Essential reasons.

All of us have ideas and some of them are good. Just like referees.

KILBANE IN SOCIETY.

Johnny Kilbane, the gray-haired champion featherweight of the world, is in New York hobnobbing with Tex Rickard. He will probably call on Morgan & Co. while in the big town.

What are the wild Braves saying? Give us a squad of pitchers.

IT ISN'T THE FALL THAT HURTS THE BOXER, IT'S THE CALM BEFORE THE STORM, SO TO SPEAK.

If Jess Willard can't get Jack Dempsey in a ring with him for a fight, why doesn't he suggest a fixed bout? If Jess could throw Dempsey on the champ until the referee washed counting 10, providing the referee didn't interfere and take the referee to the railroad station.

THESE ARE DREARY DAYS IN THE NORTHERN CLIME— ESPECIALLY FOR THE GOLFER.

Even Tex Rickard has weakened on Willard and Rickard can stand a lot.

Anyway, Willard says he isn't after the money in a bout with Dempsey. It's the championship he's after, all of which makes us wonder that when a fighter reaches that stage he's either too old or it's a case for the alienists.

SMALL MATTER.

McGraw and Hughie Jennings have signed their 1923 contracts, so the Giants may be said to be at least two-thirds within the fold.

BASKET BALL OFFICIALS.

Is basket ball better off with two officials running a game instead of one? This question has been raised and has revived talk favorable to the two-official idea since reports have gone out of rough games in the Missouri valley.

Giant Constable Breaks Weight-Lifting Record

Arthur Giroux, giant provincial constable, is believed to have broken all world's weight lifting records when he raised from the ground to the level of his chest four iron dumbbells whose combined weight was 530 pounds.

Major League Magnates Busy Denying "Babe's" Assertion That 3,390,000 Saw Games

Joe Vila, a well known sport writer, says that "Babe" Ruth has aroused the major league baseball magnates to such a pitch of indignation that they are busy denying his assertion that "one of the New York clubs played to 3,390,000 spectators last season."

Says Boxing Game Needs Same Kind of Government Under Which Baseball Will Operate

New York, Feb. 10.—(Special.)—A sporting authority says that boxing has become "commercialized" to an alarming degree and needs the same kind of government under which baseball is expected to gain prestige.

White Weakened by Sweat Bath

New York, Feb. 10.—Decisively defeated by Rocky Kansas, the two by four fighting man from Buffalo, Charlie White, of Chicago, who has been near to a world's boxing champion more times, perhaps, than any other man, today is farther away than ever.

Yale's Basket Ball Team One of Surprises of Year

New York, Feb. 10.—(Special.)—One of the great surprises of the year is the sport made by Yale's basket ball team. Last year's tail-enders are now leading the league quintets, and they have not lost a game since the season began.

Dartmouth May Lose Grid Star in Spring

A curious case is that of Cyril Aschenback, elected captain of the Dartmouth eleven for next fall.

Iowa Wrestlers Win.

Chicago.—Iowa wrestlers triumphed over Northwestern university men last night, 23 to 10.

Here's Creighton Coach in Action



Here's "Chet" Wympe, Creighton's new football coach in action. This photo was snapped during the Iowa-Notre Dame grid game at Iowa City in 1921 when the Hawkies handed the South Bend team its only defeat of the season.

HOT STOVE LEAGUE by Wags

BARNEY Burch, owner of the Omaha Buffaloes has mailed out all the contracts and is "watchfully waiting."

Morrie Loses to Shade in Stiff Fight

Although losing the decision, Schlaifer put up a great battle against the Gotham speed artist.

Omaha Maroons Trim Western Union Five

Omaha university won the second of a two-game series against Western Union college of Le Mars, Ia., by defeating the latter team at the Pratt street "gym" last night by the score of 28 to 22.

Omaha Owls Win.

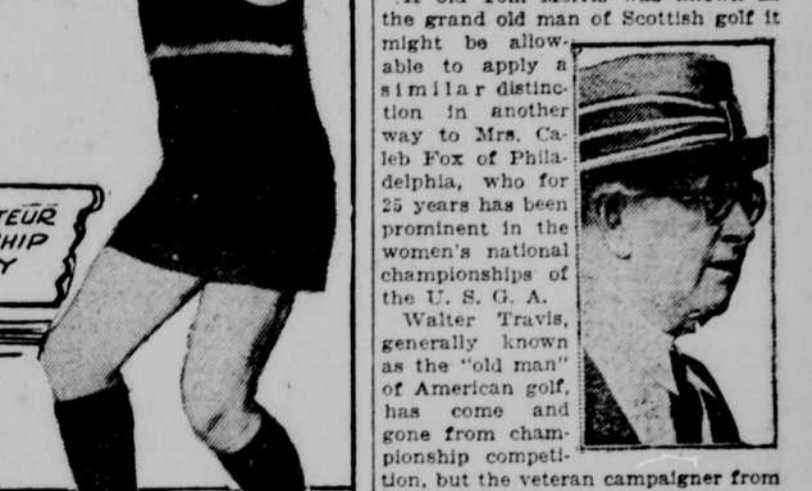
The Omaha Owls trimmed the Fort Omaha basket ball team last night at the Fort Omaha "gym" by the score of 25 to 15.

Uni Girls Lose.

The Daughters of America girls basket ball team defeated Omaha university girls at the Pratt street gym last night, 22 to 18.

Mrs. Caleb Fox at 62 Defeats Golf Champion

Philadelphia Woman Has Been Competitor in Women's National Tournaments for Last 25 Years.



If old Tom Morris was known as the grand old man of Scottish golf it might be allowable to apply a similar distinction in another way to Mrs. Caleb Fox of Philadelphia, who for 25 years has been prominent in the women's national championships of the U. S. G. A.

These victories were scored in the January tournament at Bellear, Fla., Mrs. Fox winning from Mrs. Hurd, 2 and 1, and defeating Miss Collett by a similar margin.

Has Eight Grandchildren.

However, when she placed in the national event at Chevy Chase in 1908 she was reported as being a grandmother.

Oklahoma Sooners Defeat Nebraska

Norman, Okl., Feb. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—For the first time this season, Sooner followers saw their basket ball athletes win a Missouri Valley conference game, when Oklahoma defeated Nebraska, 21 to 25, here yesterday.

Schaefer Plays Jap.

Los Angeles.—Jako Schaefer, Jr. of Los Angeles, formerly world's champion 15.2 ballroom billiardist, who is training for a match for the world's title against Willie Hoppe, title holder, at New York in March, was met Kenri Matsuyama, champion of Japan, in two 300-point matches here today and tonight.

OKLAHOMA (31) FT. F.

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| Wallace, Jr. | 1 | 2 |
| Gilmer, Jr. | 2 | 0 |
| Moss | 2 | 0 |
| Ruppert, Jr. | 0 | 0 |
| Johnson, Jr. | 0 | 0 |
| Bauer | 0 | 0 |
| Blahop, Jr. | 0 | 0 |
| Cooke (c) | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 13 | 1 |

NEBRASKA (25) FT. F.

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| Usher, Jr. | 4 | 2 |
| Kieffer, Jr. | 1 | 1 |
| Wright | 2 | 0 |
| Riddleberger, Jr. | 1 | 0 |
| Valley, Jr. | 2 | 1 |
| Goodson, Jr. | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 10 | 5 |

Referee: H. W. Hargis, Kansas State normal.