

Philadelphia Nationals Complete Four Player Deals With Minor Clubs

Phillies Land Three Infielders and Two Hurlers

Get Infielder Kimmick of Vernon; First Baseman Hawkes and Pitchers Fillingim and O'Neill.

New York, Dec. 10.—The Philadelphia National League baseball club, in four deals announced today by Manager Arthur Fletcher, obtained infielder Walter Kimmick of the Vernon club of the Pacific coast league, Chick Hawkes, a first baseman, from Nashville of the Southern association, Pitchers Fillingim and O'Neill and Third Baseman Huber from Beaumont of the Texas league.

Cash and players were given in exchange for Kimmick, the Vernon club received pitcher "Lefty" Weinert. Nashville obtained infielder Parkinson and a cash consideration for Hawkes, a first baseman. Beaumont exchanged Huber for infielder Woehra and Pitcher Pinto, in one deal and in another traded Fillingim and O'Neill for a cash bounty and three Philly players who are to be named later.

The purchase of Gus Sandberg, a catcher, from Cincinnati, was announced by Oscar Reichow, business manager of the Los Angeles club of the Pacific Coast league.

GODFREY CHOSEN KEARNEY LEADER

Kearney, Neb., Dec. 10.—The Kearney High school Bearcats will be captained next fall by Giff Godfrey, according to the popular election which followed the football banquet. Godfrey played at left tackle this year and has seen three years of service on the high school team.

The Kearney college Antelopes will be led into battle next season by Clyde Cox of Kenesaw. Cox has played two years on the college team, this year in the position of right end, where he has fought a most dependable fight all season. He is an all around athlete, brilliant on the basketball floor and excellent on the track field. He succeeds Captain George Reed.

Benedict Beats Bradshaw

Benedict, Neb., Dec. 10.—Benedict opened the season of basketball here before a big crowd by walloping Bradshaw High school, 32 to 3. Bradshaw was unable to penetrate the local defense and did not make a goal from the field. It was the first game on the locals new 45x75 floor, and also the first game under the new coach, Superintendent T. P. Tyler, Val paraiso coach for four years. Ernie Hubka of York refereed. In a preliminary tilt, Bradshaw's girls were too much for the locals, winning, 17 to 8.

Plan Skat Tourney

Columbus, Neb., Dec. 10.—The second annual Platte county skat tournament, in which players from Platte, Colfax and Cumming county competed all night and two days for honors in the most difficult of card games, is being scheduled among the pre-holiday events here.

Kearney May Boast Team of Brothers

Kearney, Neb., Dec. 10.—If the present rate of increase keeps up, the athletic teams of the State Teachers college will be composed entirely of groups of brothers. The Reed brothers, George and Rex, and the Cox boys, Carl and Clyde, were letter men on this year's football team. Harold Lidgard's "big" brother expects to come along before another season has passed. Oscar (Swanne) Swanson, assistant coach, also has a young hopeful who is a prospective athlete under Kearney's banner. Dell McNickle and Ihing Carskadon boast of the physical prowess of their second editions and pledge their allegiance to the flag. Seaton Smith, likewise, expects his younger brother to follow in his illustrious footsteps. Rival coaches find they have little chance to catch high school stars who have brother athletes in Kearney college.

May Be Traded for a Red Shirt

WALTER HOYT



The dope is now that Urban Shockler, discontented pitcher of the Browns, will wear a New York uniform next year. As one wise cracker remarked, such a deal may depend somewhat on Shockler's ability to sell real estate when he reaches the Yankees' new training camp in St. Petersburg, Fla. He as it may, Shockler is not a paradox of the team.

And the man slated to be sent to Brownville in exchange is Walter Hoyt, veteran youngster (which is not a paradox) of the team. Miller Huggins, some time ago, hung out Joe Bush as bait for the

Brown star of the red shirt and tender feelings, but Siler couldn't see a trade even-up on that basis. Should Huggins refuse to heed Siler's demand for Hoyt, a trade may be cooked up involving Bush and one or two other members of the Gotham team.

GROVER LAND TO COACH "CINCY"

New York, Dec. 10.—Grover Land, veteran catcher, formerly with Cleveland and Toledo has been signed as coach by the Cincinnati Reds, it was learned here today.

Announces Cage Schedule

Falls City, Neb., Dec. 10.—With Merle Uhlig, guard, as his only basket ball veteran, Coach R. W. Symphon is facing a problem even greater than at the beginning of the football season, when only four letter men reported. Coach Symphon, however, succeeded in molding a team that held Pawnee City to a scoreless tie and local fans are hoping for similar miracle work along basket ball lines. The schedule to date:

December 19—Stella here. January 9—Auburn here. January 22—Sabetha, Kan., there. January 24—Nebraska City here. January 29—Stella here. February 5—Auburn there. February 12—Sabetha, Kan., here.

Small Crowd at Match

Bridgeport, Neb., Dec. 10.—A small crowd witnessed the wrestling match at Bayard, between "Toughy" Arnold of Wyoming and Omar Kingsley of Bayard, which was won by the latter, two out of three falls; the second in 14 minutes and 48 seconds by a double scissors and arm lock, and the last in six minutes, 32 seconds by a half Nelson and toe hold. Arnold won the first fall in eight minutes, 32 seconds by a double scissors and arm lock hold.

Wins All-State Honors

Clarinda, Ia., Dec. 10.—Hunt Cramer, spectacular quarterback for the two seasons on the Clarinda high team has been placed on the all-state team by both the Des Moines Register and the Nonpareil. He is a senior; also a star basketball player.

Lodge Pole Team Wins

Bridgeport, Neb., Dec. 10.—Lodge Pole basketball team defeated the Lewellen team by the score of 12 to 7, at Lodge Pole, in the first game, the Lewellen team has played this season.

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Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 10.—When Knute Rockne's rollicking horsemen gallop into the Rose bowl here on New Year's day in an attempt to twist the tails of Pop Warner's Le-land Stanford Cardinals it will be the first time the South Benders have played on the Pacific coast and the third time a leading eleven from the middle west has clashed with a California team.

In 1894 Stanford defeated Chicago in a post-season tilt and in 1921 the University of California humbled Ohio State, 28 to 0. Harvard has defeated Oregon, Oregon smashed the University of Pennsylvania and Washington State has taken Brown into camp in other noteworthy east-west contests, but memories of these games will be dimmed by the Notre Dame-Stanford clash.

Never has interest in football been as keen on the slopes of the Pacific as this year and never has a game de luxe, such as the Rose bowl battle, been offered at the season's finale. Stanford, should it lose to Notre Dame, and it doesn't look in the cards as though anything else could happen, will have no regrets. The Palo Alto institution has an eleven of veterans, one of the strongest red-shirt teams in history.

Stanford's great drive from behind to finish its game with California in a 20-20 score makes Warner's outfit the strongest team west of the Rockies, with the possible exception of Andy Smith's Golden Bears. Smith's team, as the California-Stanford game demonstrated, hasn't the reserve power of the Cardinals. Neither has Stanford, nor as brilliant passing backs. Nor has California a Nevers. Ernie Nevers, Stanford's huge fullback, is the greatest individual player the west has ever produced.

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NAVY SCHEDULES EIGHT GRID GAMES

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 10.—The United States Naval Academy's football program for the 1925 season calls for eight games, all but two of which have been definitely decided upon.

The 1925 program, as announced today follows: October 3—William and Mary at Annapolis. October 10—Marquette. October 17—Princeton. October 24—Western Maryland. Pending. October 31—Michigan, at Ann Arbor. November 7—Open. November 14—Bucknell at Annapolis. November 21—Team will meet November 28—Army at New York.

Issues Call for Basket Ball

Red Oak, Ia., Dec. 10.—Coach Sumner has issued the first call for basket ball recruits. High school boys who have an interest in the cage game will report for the first work out tonight on the gym floor. The material is "green" this year, not one of the year's squad returning to the game.

Famous Swimmer Retires

Sydney, N. S. W., Dec. 10.—Andrew (Boy) Charlton, famous Australian swimmer, at the age of 17, is retiring. It was announced. James Paddon is relinquishing the world's sculling title to W. McDewitt on condition that the latter meets Major Goodshell in a title race.

again. Injured three times this season, Nevers was out of all of Stanford's big games, but he is expected to be in fine fettle for the Pasadena fray.

Sending Stanford against the powerful champions from Indiana will not bother Glenn Schoey Warner, the dean of American football coaches. It's an old story for him, dating back to 1899, when Warner brought the Carlisle Indians to San Francisco and Redwater and a few other players with picturesque names defeated California, 2 to 0.

Warner came to Stanford this year and his success has been remarkable. He went through the season without a defeat, and as an anti-climax to the

Notre Dame game, stopped California's long string of victories.

Stanford, with Warner as mentor, boasts interesting coaching history. No less personages than Walter Camp, who picks All-American eleven from a typewriter pitched not far from New Haven, and Fielding Yost, the great Michigan-der, years ago paved the way for Warner at Stanford.

Camp, for the first time since he became famous as a picker of mythical eleven, visited the Pacific coast

this season and may sit in at the death New Year's day.

Notre Dame will enter the lists at a slight favorite, at least among the intelligencia of the gridiron.

Picks Men for Cage

Team at Columbus Columbus, Neb., Dec. 10.—Columbus High school basketball team this year will be composed of Allan Egert, captain and center; Bill Haney and "Calp" Miller with C. Schuit and Con Keating as guards.

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