

Sioux City Signs Seven New Pitchers to Report for Early Spring Practice

HONORS ARE ABOUT EASY
Anthony Biddle and George Geiger in a Three-Round Mill.

BOTH WAIT TEN YEARS FOR GO
Philadelphia Clubmen Engage in a Plate Contest and a Return Match is Among the Possibilities.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Anthony J. Biddle, clubman and boxer, who is known to all the local fight fans as Tony Biddle, had a particular motive in giving the fight feat in his private gymnasium besides the entertainment of his brother-in-law, Billy Thaw. It is said today.

This motive became known when George Geiger, an equally prominent clubman and a member of the famous "Paris Vesper crew," appeared upon the street today nursing one of the most artistically colored black eyes seen in Philadelphia in many a day. Biddle had done the painting.

The story goes that some ten years ago Geiger and Biddle were opponents in a boxing bout. Geiger was a top notcher then and Tony Biddle left the ring with a dent in the left side of his chest and just above the forehead. It was a sure proof of the strength of the blows behind Geiger's arm.

Biddle waited a long time, but yesterday "got even." In the meantime he trained hard under the tutelage of "Jaw" O'Brien. And the ten years' training showed yesterday when he put Geiger into the ring. The battle only lasted three rounds, but during those nine minutes of fighting what Biddle did to Geiger was a plenty. His last blow blackened Geiger's eye and then Biddle remarked, "Now, I guess we are quits."

The two men then shook hands. In describing the fight today, Biddle said: "It was a give and take and there never was any hard feeling between us, but now our account is settled. So long as the details of the fight have become public, I want it mentioned that ten years ago Geiger gave me a terrible kicking. It smashed in with right and licked me good and I decided that I would some day give him a similar dose."

Geiger has gone into active training and this is likely to be a return match.

Reds Visit Omaha
April Eighth and Ninth During Trip

Start Will Be Made February Eighteenth and Journey Will Last Two Months.

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—The longest spring training trip ever undertaken by a major league baseball team is indicated for the Boston American players by the itinerary announced today. The actual training will be done at a health resort between San Francisco and Los Angeles, and subsequent practice games on the return trip east, in which the squad will split into two teams, will be played in eight states.

The start will be made February 18 and the trip will last nearly two months. During their stay in California the players will meet the Los Angeles and San Francisco teams of the Pacific Coast league, and others, and on March 25 will break camp in two divisions to take up the following schedule:

Southern Division—March 7, Yuma, Ariz.; March 20, Tucson or Phoenix, Ariz.; March 29 and 30, El Paso, Tex.; March 31, Amarillo, Tex.; April 1, Oklahoma City, Okl.; April 2 and 3, Wichita, Kan.; April 4 and 5, Topeka, Kan.; April 6 and 7, St. Joseph, Mo.; April 8 and 9, Kansas City, Mo.

Northern Division—March 27, Reno, Nev.; March 28, Ogden, Utah; March 29, Salt Lake City; March 30, Grand Junction, Colo.; March 31, Pueblo, Colo.; April 1, Denver; April 4 and 5, Lincoln, Neb.; April 6 and 7, Sioux City, Ia.; April 8 and 9, Omaha.

Seven Pitchers Sign
With Sioux City

Packers to Open Season with Strong Battery of Twirlers, Says Manager.

SIoux CITY, Dec. 18.—Sioux City will open the 1911 season with a bunch of live pitchers, comes the report from the packers' management. Seven men will be used in the box by Towne and all are good. In the other eight positions of the team he intimates that there will be few changes.

To-date seven heaters are scheduled to report when the ground is beginning to thaw and the first robin breaks into print. They are Wilson, Barber, Miller, Vyskocil, C. Freeman, Beiser and Johnny Pihanz. "Burr" is still the property of the "Ho" City club, as is also "Rock" Freeman, but both probably will be traded or good. According to current plans there will be only one familiar face—"Kiddie" Wilson. Barber, however, has appeared here before with the Topeka team. He should be a valuable acquisition to the local staff. Behind a miffed team he did good work. Pitching for a good team he will win a majority of his games. Miller comes from the Portsmouth, Ohio, club, highly recommended. Vyskocil is a seasoned pitcher. He showed well last season with the Hamburg, Mo. club. C. Freeman and Beiser are youngsters. Freeman made a great record playing semi-professional ball with the Correctionville, Ia. team last season. Beiser comes from Port Dodge, Ia. Fisher performed last season with the Mobile club in the Southern league.

FENLON WANTS MONEY BACK
Atlanta Player Says He Will Either Have Fines Remitted or Quit the Game.

SIoux CITY, Ia., Dec. 18.—Art Fenlon, a former Sioux City outfielder and now with the Atlanta, Ga. team, declares that he will quit the game unless Fairweather and Towne of Sioux City "come across" with some fines he was assessed. The board of arbitration decided that Fenlon's demand to have the money refunded was unwarranted.

Denver Gets Shortstop Coffey.
DENVER, Colo., Dec. 18.—President James C. McMill of the Denver Western league baseball club yesterday announced that he had completed negotiations for the purchase of shortstop Coffey of the Indianapolis American Association club. At the same time he announced the sale of "Billy" Cranston, last year's Denver shortstop, to the Wilkesbarre club of the Tri-State league.

Pitcher Lush Married.
NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—License to marry was issued last week to Ernest Benjamin Lush of 22 West One Hundred and seventh street, 24 years old, and Maude Evelyn Vincellette, 24 years old, of Bridgeport, Conn. Lush is a pitcher on the Philadelphia National league team.

Moissant Ascends to
Nine Thousand Three Hundred Feet in Air

Chicago Man Drives Aeroplane Out of Sight in the Clouds—Coasting of Ice.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 18.—John D. Moissant flew to a height of 9,364 feet, if his barometer reads true. In the United States Armstrong Drexel and Ralph Johnson alone eclipsed this distance, and it is within 1,135 feet of the present world's record.

Ascending at what looked from the ground to be almost a direct angle, the Chicago man drove his monoplane skyward until it was only a speck. Then he was lost to vision. As the moments multiplied Simon was sent aloft, but returned without tidings. In all there was seven unusually long minutes of waiting until a tiny dot appeared, gradually taking form as the manbird came nearer to earth.

As an indication of the frigidity of the higher atmosphere, Moissant brought back with him a coating of ice. The metal parts of his car were covered with frost and particles of ice had formed about the motor.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 18.—A race between J. A. D. McCurdy in his sixty-horsepower aeroplane and Jimmy Ward in a twenty-four-horsepower "Baby" Curtiss, marked the close of the aviation meet here this afternoon. Ward won on every point, completing the air 35 minutes and 11 seconds. McCurdy flew 30 minutes.

Eugene Ely came to grief when, after a flight of nearly a mile, the standpipe of his aeroplane fell, splintering the propeller, while he was about 100 feet from the ground. He reached the ground safely.

Henry Farman Makes
an Eight-Hour Flight

Aviator is Deceived by Applause and Descends to Find He Did Not Break Record.

ETAMPES, France, Dec. 18.—Henry Farman, competing for the Michelin cup today made a remarkable flight of eight hours and thirteen minutes. Owing to a fierce north wind, however, his progress was slow, and he covered only 45 kilometers (28 miles), against 42 kilometers, made by Maurice Tabuteau on October 25, in a similar competition.

Farman, deceived by the applause of the spectators believed that he had beaten the distance record, and descended. He was greatly disappointed to find that he had not equaled the former record.

Tabuteau occupied six hours in his flight for the Michelin cup, which is awarded annually to the aviator making the longest sustained flight within the year. A premium of \$4,000 goes to the winner.

Rourke Will Not Use
Any Bench Players

Pa Rourke has declared for quality rather than quantity for the Omaha team of the 1911 season. He will have fifteen or possibly sixteen men, not more.

Six pitchers, two catchers, seven men for the other positions, and a utility man, is the proposed organization. There are to be no bench players on the Rourke team, every man signed will be there to play ball.

"With a new grandstand, a good team, and a little better luck than last year, we ought to have a fine season in Omaha," said Mr. Rourke. "There will be a number of new men, although not more than the usual bunch, but when the season really begins it will not be with a big squad."

Princeton-Harvard
Game is Arranged

All Set for Big Match But Date—Crimson to Play Either Army or Navy.

CAMBRIDGE, Dec. 18.—All arrangements, with the exception of the exact date and final confirmation by Coach Haughton of Harvard, have been completed for a football game between Princeton and Harvard at Princeton next fall. Princeton wants the game on November 11, the Saturday preceding the Yale contest, and Harvard wants the game on November 4, so as to give it more time to prepare for Yale. Princeton's 1911 schedule will be two weeks longer and carry two more games than this season. Lafayette, it is said, will be dropped, as also will be the "Carlie" Indians. Either the navy or the army will be taken on and a southern college and Rutgers will be added.

High School Team to
Take Long Journey

Oak Park, Chicago, Team Will Play at Portland and Seattle—Cook County Champs.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Oak Park High school of Chicago sends its football team on the longest trip ever undertaken by a high school football team, December 20. The high school warriors leave here for the Pacific coast, the team will play Seattle and Portland High school returning here January 2.

Mel Sheppard Getting Better.
NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Mel Sheppard, the greatest middle distance runner in the world who has been suffering from pneumonia, is rapidly convalescing. His physicians declared that he would be able to go out to a walk.

To Hold Bowling Tournament.
ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 18.—The International Bowling association will hold its annual tournament here from February 1 to 22. Entries for the tournament are expected from several of the middle western states and Canada.

Mercer Elected Captain.
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—LeRoy Mercer, the star full back of the University of Pennsylvania football team, has been elected captain of the 1911 squad. Mercer is a second-year medical student. His home is in Mendonhall, Pa.

STARTS OUT TO MAKE RECORD
Steamship Mauretania Leaves for Europe with a Big Passenger List.

SOME NOTED ONES ON BOARD
Captain Turner Ambitious to Make the Round Trip in Eleven Days, Thus Beating All Competitors.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—When the Mauretania, destined to make the swiftest voyage in marine records, slipped out of its berth at the foot of West One Hundred and Fortieth street at 6 o'clock this evening it was the hope of Captain W. T. Turner to land his passengers in Funchal before midnight next Thursday, making the trip from Europe to America and return in eleven days.

The departure of the big island of steel with 450 first class travelers was a gala event. Conspicuous among those who stood on the boat deck, the upper promenade deck and the promenade deck below, waving and smiling goodbyes and throwing kisses, amid the teeming of whistles from encircling craft and the prolonged note of warning from the ship's own horn, were:

Madame Mjiba, the opera singer, swathed in furs to the eyes; Lord Decies, who is to wed Vivien Gould, who took leave of her, accompanied by members of her family; Baron Rosen, the Russian ambassador; C. C. Rumsey and Mrs. Rumsey, daughter of the late E. H. Harriman; Mrs. H. Van Rensselaer, Mrs. Cavendish Bentinck, Dr. and Mrs. William Grenfell, missionaries to the Labrador fishermen; James Kerr Osborne and Lady Allen Johnston.

The 500 tons of cargo, apples principally, had received the 450 tons of coal from the fleet of thirty-six barges. The ship's laundry, 40,000 pieces of linen, rushed ashore early Friday morning the instant the ship made fast, was already in its lockers and on the beds and tables. The extra provisions, meats, fish, vegetables, dairy products and fruits, were already in the refrigerators. Nothing remained but 4,000 odd sacks of mail.

The actual time taken to unload and load and to coal the biggest ship in commission was about twenty hours—a record by many hours.

Mauretania's mails carried out one curious and timely epistle, a test-communication sent to make a record. From a man in Lewinstown, Connell, Tipperary, Ireland, Mayor Gaynor received a letter stating: "I have made a wager that this envelope will be returned to me by the steamer Mauretania on its return trip."

Secretary Adamson remained the envelope in order that the sender in Tipperary might win his bet.

Buenos Ayres the
Hobble Skirt Home

Minister Sherrill Back from Argentina and Tells of Things He Has Seen.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—"The hobble skirt came and went in Buenos Ayres before New York women had ever seen it," says Charles H. Sherrill, United States minister to the Argentine Republic, "and dukes and counts go unnoticed when they visit there."

Minister Sherrill is home on leave of absence, and believes that as a people those of the United States are behind the progressive inhabitants in South America, in the possession that makes up the world's progress.

"The women in Buenos Ayres," he said in an interview here, "are much 'smarter' than the Americans. Their clothes are much more like those of the Parisiennes and they dress much more quietly and consequently in better taste than the New York women. Moreover they wear no jewels to the opera or to any other public place."

Mr. Sherrill is looked upon as one of the most representative gentlemen the United States has ever sent to Argentina. In two years' business with Argentina, trade has doubled, largely through his efforts.

"The United States," with a population of nearly 100,000,000, is proud because it welcomes 1,000,000 immigrants a year," says Mr. Sherrill. "Argentina, with a population of only 7,000,000, receives 250,000 new citizens annually."

"Another thing about Buenos Ayres that is superior to New York, is the indifference of the people to titles. Dukes and counts who have been fairly mobbed in the United States, come down there and nobody notices them. I'll tell you three things about Argentina," he concluded:

GOLD DREDGING IN THE HILLS
Attention to Be Given to the Placer Mines Formerly Worked by the Crude Methods.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., Dec. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—For the first time in the history of the Black Hills, gold dredging is to be carried on there. By this means placer gold to the value of several million dollars, which could not be saved by the crude methods of placer mining, will be recovered.

The dredging operations will be carried on by the Castle Creek Hydraulic Gold Mining company, which has secured patents to a strip of placer ground on Castle Creek, being one mile above the little mining camp of Mystic, extending up the stream several miles. There are 300 acres of patented ground in the company's possession, about 300 acres of which is right in the creek bed, and is workable at a known profit.

The body of the dredge is 100 feet long and the digger extends out in front will give it an extreme length of about 135 feet. It will dig thirty-five feet below the water line. The average depth of the soil is thirty-two and a half feet from the ground to bed rock.

Washington Affairs

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Army orders: By direction of the president, Major George T. Howland, paymaster, will report to Brigadier General Ernest Darrington, inspector general, for examination by the retiring board.

First Lieutenant Charles W. Cullen, medical reserve corps, will proceed to Port Duchesne, Utah, for temporary duty.

By direction of the president, Captain Herbert N. Holden, retired, is detailed as instructor of the 1st Cavalry, Fort Matthews Military school, Burlington, Cal.

First Lieutenant George B. Foster, Jr., medical corps, will report to the commanding officer of the Washington Barracks, Washington, D. C., for temporary duty.

Captain Harry N. Cootes, Thirteenth infantry, will report from treatment at Army and Navy general hospital, Hot Springs, Ark., and will return to his proper station.

Leaves of absence: First Lieutenant John H. Lewis, medical reserve corps, one month; First Lieutenant Lewis Foster, fifth cavalry, one month; First Lieutenant John H. Lewis, coast artillery corps, fifteen days.

Rural carriers appointed: Nebraska—Lincoln, route 8, J. H. Wilson, carrier; O. W. Wilson, substitute.

Iowa—Hanna, route 2, Monroe Young, carrier; W. B. Burfield, substitute; Lehigh, route 1, J. B. Whick, carrier; Lehigh, route 1, J. B. Whick, carrier; Lehigh, route 1, J. B. Whick, carrier; Lehigh, route 1, J. B. Whick, carrier.

Frank Bowman is appointed postmaster at Eagle Butte, DeWey county, S. D., vice W. L. Merrick, resigned.

SMITH BOOSTING PENSION BILL
Iowa Congressman Among Callers Who Try to Interest Taft in Salloway Measure.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—A congressional committee, which included Representative Smith of Iowa and Senator Warner of Missouri, called on President Taft today to interest him in the Salloway bill, an increase in the pensions of civil war soldiers. The bill would increase the pension list from 159,000 to 230,000 a year. It is understood that the president did not give much encouragement to his callers.

Clark Expects to Be
Next Speaker Unless "Somebody Lied"

Missourian Says He Has One Hundred and Fifty Votes Pledged—Election Good Medicine.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—New Jersey men from all parts of the middle Atlantic states sat at the banquet board at the Union League club house here last night and helped the New Jersey society of Pennsylvania celebrate its fourth anniversary. Among other guests were Speaker Cannon, Champ Clark, United States Senators Hays and Voorhees of Pennsylvania, and Governor-elect John K. Tener of Pennsylvania. Speaker Cannon and Champ Clark were among those who made addresses, all of which were in a happy vein.

Congressman Reuben O. Moon, president of the society, presided at the meeting and introduced Champ Clark as "the next speaker."

"My friend, Mr. Moon, introduced me as the next speaker," said Mr. Clark. "That is correct if I live long enough, unless King David was right when he said that all men are liars. For I have 100 votes pledged to me and only need 114 to win."

"I live in the hope that when I lay down the gavel I will be personally as popular as King Josiah. He is getting more full out of the present situation than I am, for his troubles are about over, and mine are but beginning."

"If I had known that Cannon and Meyburn were coming here tonight, I would have remained away, for it is a sad waste of material. You'll have more of raw material by the way, in the next twelve months than you want."

"The last election was good for the republicans as well as the democrats. It chastened them. But I can assure you that all the legislation by the democratic house will be for the good, the glory, and the welfare of the country. The pessimists might not think so, but pessimists are a nuisance. We have no room for them in this great country of ours."

Would Come if He
Could Bring Wives

Mohammed Ali of Persia Gives His Views on the United States and Some Other Things.

PARIS, Dec. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The American woman's fame has spread to distant Persia; also, the report that she rules the sterner sex—or is beginning to. Said Mohammed Ali, the deposed shah of Persia, today:

"Your American woman—I have met them in Teheran—they will dominate the men soon. Sooner or later America will have a woman president; it is going to happen."

Mohammed Ali, whose people hurled him from the peacock throne in July, 1909, is a conspicuous figure here.

"You have asked me if I intend to go to America," he said. "I am unable to answer that definitely at present, but in a few months I can tell. Yes; I am very anxious to go to America, but my ladies do not like to make such a long voyage, besides I have been told that a man with three or more wives will not be permitted to land in America. My ambassador told me that before a man enters a steamer for New York he must answer if he is not a polygamist. Well, you know our sacred customs and traditions—that a man can have as many wives as he can support. I would like to go. I have heard so many interesting stories of the wonderful New York City, its skyscrapers, its jeweled women and great Hippodrome. Those are all interesting and I would like to see them."

"You want to know what I think of America and American women. I am a great admirer of your people and their education, energy and wealth. I know all about the multi-millionaires; I know all about Washington, Lincoln and Roosevelt—do you see I know practically everything that is going on in the United States. That your Rockefeller—oh, yes, Mr. Rockefeller—is a great man in America. He ought to be a president—eventually he will be, I have no doubt."

It was then Mohammed Ali expressed his opinion of American women and uttered the prophecy which should please American suffragettes.

GAMBLING CLUB IS HELD UP
Seven Men Rob Twenty-Five in New York of All Their Money and Valuables.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Seven men walked into a tawdry gambling club early this morning, held up the twenty-five persons present and robbed them of their money and valuables. The exact amount of the haul is not known.

The raid was evidently carefully planned, for it was executed with precision. The leaders brushed past the lookout at the door, shouted "hands up" and then fired a dozen shots over the heads of the men in the room to frighten them. One man demurred and jumped from a second story window. He was found later lying on the pavement with a broken arm. Some shots were returned and in the exchange another man was wounded by a stray bullet.

Allen Freeman to
Give His Wealth to Aid Socialism

Would Establish Theaters Where Radicalism Could Be Taught by the Drama.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Allen Freeman of East Orange, one of the richest socialists in this country, through the death of his father, Joseph Francis Freeman, formerly treasurer of the Standard Oil company, is planning to use his wealth to promote free thought. He is working out the idea of an independent theater, in which radicalism can be taught by dramas that will deal unflinchingly with religion, morality and riches and poverty.

"I want to employ this money to educate people," Freeman said. "Nothing in the world can accomplish more than education. It seems to me that an excellent idea would be to promote free thought by investigating and disseminating facts concerning all foundations, all systems of morality, the distribution of products of labor and resources of nature. This can only be attained by means of free lectures on these subjects, free schools where they can be explained and possibly through an independent theater—one that is not controlled by any special interests—where radical plays can be produced."

Two years ago Mr. Freeman invited Emma Goldman to lecture before an East Orange club. There was such a row at the hall was closed to the anarchist and the lecture was given in Mr. Freeman's stable.

"Emma Goldman's theories are directly opposed to yours, are they not?" Mr. Freeman was asked.

"Not at all," he replied. "I find that the two philosophies are complementary. By the time we have converted the world to socialism no great amount of government machinery will be necessary."

"For the fraternal feeling will be so strong that all associations and combinations of men and women will be voluntary."

"Emma Goldman is doing a useful work. No one can hear her speak without being led to think, I believe in freedom of speech. If they stop Emma Goldman today, what can prevent them from stopping me tomorrow? There is no danger in her views or in anyone's views. There is more danger in suppressing them, or not having any to suppress."

"You believe that anarchy is the goal of all political systems?"

"Exactly. It advocates the most freedom; and the world cannot be too free. But socialism is the next step."

GRIP OF ICE KING IS BROKEN
Rise in Temperature Brings Relief to the Poor of New York.

DEATH AND DISASTER REPORTED
Cold Weather in New England the Most Severe Known in Years This Early in the Winter Season.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The rise in temperature tonight has to some extent relieved the suffering among the poor and calmed the conditions along the coast where the ice king held fast last night and today.

An icy wind swept in upon the coast today leaving death and disaster in its wake. Three persons were known to have perished and small craft, fishing boats and merchant vessels were left in distress and damage done to property along the coast. A squad of men under Lieutenant Hoos of the harbor squad at Harlem river have gone tonight to an upturned sailing vessel reported to the police by the watchmen at Clason Point. The vessel and a large quantity of lumber and wreckage was sighted one and one-half miles off the point. The watchman also reported he could distinguish the cabin of a submerged ship.

Ice Stops River Traffic.
Ice today effectually closed the Hudson river to steamboat traffic at and above Nyack, and the snow and ice delayed trains between New York and Chicago any where from one to three hours.

Word reached here of the rescue of five oystermen who were locked in an ice field and almost frozen to death after going out from City Point, New Haven, to the oyster beds in New Haven harbor. The ice caught them and held them in their fish-boat until their cries for help were finally heard by people ashore. The gasoline propelled oyster boat, Isabella broke through with a rescuing party and brought the men to shore. One of the men, William Cooper, was frost-bitten and all were so exhausted and chilled that it was some time before they were revived.

Many alarming reports came from Atlantic City today that small boats which had put out on Thursday had not returned. Searchers were started for them. Reports of suffering and narrow escapes were told by the men of the fishing fleet when they reached their landings.

Randall Hackney, who got into Atlantic City suffering from badly battered arms and legs, had a terrible fight for his life in the cold water when his skiff was overturned by a sudden squall.

Cold weather upstate and throughout New England has been the most severe known in several years so early in the season. An ice bridge has formed over the gorge at Niagara Falls.

In the city there are many reports of destitution and suffering coming to the police.

In the municipal lodging houses 600 persons, thirty of whom were women, were accommodated last night. During the early hours of the day men staggered into police stations in different parts of the city so debumped by cold they could scarcely walk.

TURKEYS FOR PARK LABORERS
Mrs. Russell Sage Announces Some Christmas Gifts to Be Made Next Friday.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—There won't be any lack of Christmas turkeys for Central park laborers and menageric men next week, for each one receiving \$5 a day or less will get a brand new \$5 gold piece from Mrs. Russell Sage as a gift, to use as he wills.

Mrs. Sage never misses a day while in the city going to the park. She feeds the squirrels and is a great favorite with them.

While driving about the park Mrs. Sage became interested in the men who work there. The gift will amount to \$1,500 and will be made next Friday in plenty of time to buy turkeys.

Bob Moha to Tackle Dixie Kid.
BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 18.—Bob Moha, the Milwaukee water weight, and the Dixie Kid were matched today for a 16-round bout in this city on January 8. The men agree to make 16 pounds at 3 o'clock of the day of the fight.

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Room 320—On the third floor; room 20x19 ft., has vault, fronts north and west. Price \$40.00 per month.

Room 218—On the second floor; room 8x20 ft., fronts north. Price \$12.00 per month.

Room 613—On the sixth floor; room 15x16 ft., fronts on the fine court of the building. Price \$18.00 per month.

Rooms 426-428-430—Now divided into four rooms, but may be changed to suit tenant. Has 1157 square feet floor space with large vault. Fine north and east light. Rent \$115.00 per month.

The Bee Building Company
See Business Office 17th and Farnam Sts

COASTING

Now that the time for coasting and other winter sports is at hand, we want to speak a word of WARNING, with particular reference to COASTING.

On all streets on which there are street car tracks, and on all hills which cross or terminate on streets having street car tracks, there is a CONSTANT DANGER to those indulging in the exhilarating sport of coasting.

Men and women, as well as boys and girls, have lost their lives, or have been seriously injured by dashing into moving or standing cars on their sleds or travelers.

Why jeopardize your lives by coasting where the hazard is so great, when there are so many places in this city of hills, where this sport may be indulged in with perfect safety?

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