

Mutt Evidently Didn't Know a French Ship Was in the Harbor - Drawn for The Bee by "Bud" Fisher



Judgments

HERE are a few lines from I. A. Sanborn of the Chicago Tribune so much to the point on what we have often said as to "fans" and "knockers" that we print it for just what it is worth, 100 per cent. Why did Rath pull a bunt yesterday in the White Sox fifth inning with Kuhn on third and two men out? Because that was the last thing the Athletics were looking for in that situation, and the element of surprise gives the man who springs it a big advantage, just as you can double-cross a pal successfully—once. On the diamond the double-cross is as laudable as it is deplorable off it. Psychologically it was the right moment. The Athletics had faltered by leaving third base uncovered, permitting Kuhn to advance two bases on a simple play to first and that play had given the Sox the first run, which is a big advantage in an eight game. Rath knew from experience that the opposing infielders had their minds focused on what Connie Mack was going to say to them. He was fully aware there were two out and that this was no place to pull a squeeze play ordinarily. He also was awake to the fact the infield was playing deep for him, since it was necessary only to retire him at first to keep Kuhn from scoring the second run. Rath figured that if he could push a bunt safely past the unsuspecting Morgan his speed probably would enable him to reach first before Eddie Collins could come in and field the ball, while if Collins tried to field the bunt the chances were neither Morgan nor Collins would think to cover first in time to take a throw. It was a quickly thought-out, cleverly-executed double-cross, and it worked, for it caught Morgan napping and Collins could not get to the ball in time, even if he had not fumbled in his haste. And so the fans applauded Rath. If he had failed he would have been termed a dud in spite of all his smart thinking. That's base ball.

DOUBLE-HEADERS IN ORDER

Many Amateur Parks Will Be Occupied by Four Teams Today.

BIG ATTRACTIONS AT ROURKE'S

All of the Games Scheduled for Today Promise to Be Interesting to Those Who Keep Tab on Amateurs.

The Alamitos and Advos and the Townsends and Storz will line up this afternoon at Rourke park as follows: Admission price has been cut in half for this game. STORZ. Townsends. Drummy.....First.....Malm. Graham.....Second.....Hall. Minckan.....Short.....Woodruff. Burke.....Third.....Jenkins. Dougherty.....Left.....O'Connor. Hachert.....Center.....Fox. Welch.....Right.....Luber. Clair.....Catcher.....Coe. Probst.....Pitcher.....Adams. Young.....Pitcher.....Morcery. ADVOS. Alamitos. McGrath.....First.....Cross. Hollander.....Second.....Welch. Bowler.....Sport.....Eastman. Pabst.....Short.....Lynn. Carmody.....Left.....Christenson. Peitman.....Center.....Caulhan. Finnan.....Right.....Lyon. Coe.....Catcher.....Roberts. Madden.....Pitcher.....Kernan. Baker.....Pitcher.....Mocrey.

At Fort Omaha. Two games are scheduled for Fort Omaha, the Workmen and Spaldings furnishing the first entertainment, and the Hollis and Hanscom Parks being billed to wind up the afternoon's activities. The lineups: A. O. U. W. SPALDINGS. Koran.....First.....Gobler. Young.....Second.....Rudie. Brown.....Short.....May. McCullough.....Third.....Hofer. Van Scoyoc.....Left.....Mongerson. Wright.....Right.....Stangie. Lightell.....Catcher.....Gentleman. Falconer.....Pitcher.....Andrews. Eisenhart.....Pitcher.....Jordan. Riley.....Pitcher.....H. Bogatts.

Double-Header at Armour's. Another double-header is to be played at Armour park with the Brodegar and Armours and two Squireville Class B teams will be in the field. The Crowns and Armours will line up as follows: BRODEGAR. Armours. Sullivan.....First.....Graves. Gibbs.....Second.....Corcoran. Langhorne.....Short.....Hallen. Variety.....Third.....Hyatt. Slater.....Left.....Badura. Conklin.....Right.....Hydock. Fuller.....Catcher.....Williams. Hendry.....Pitcher.....Gurness. Bell.....Pitcher.....H. Bogatts.

Across the River. Another double-header will be played at Athletic park in Council Bluffs. The Cubs and Imperials will play the first game and the show will wind up with the Merchants and Luxus, lined up as follows: LUXUS. Merchants. Hachten.....First.....Wahl. Rapp.....Second.....Hodge. Tracey.....Short.....Merran. Tracey.....Third.....Phillips. Denny.....Left.....Scanlon. Vannous.....Right.....Elliott. Danze.....Catcher.....Duff. Payne. Dyke.....Pitcher.....Peterson. Cunningham.....Pitcher.....Humbach.

Will Observe Custom. The custom of pulling off two games in one afternoon will be observed at Farrell park, where the Shamrocks and Kiplingers and the Farrells and Grain Exchange meet. Lineups: SHAMROCKS. Kiplingers. Pletcher.....First.....Guinane. Kennedy.....Second.....Nelson. Horn.....Short.....McGrath. Collins.....Third.....Platz. Langhorne.....Left.....Millet. Clark.....Right.....Abdul. Cavanaugh.....Catcher.....Gladen. Smith.....Pitcher.....Linne. Moran.....Pitcher.....Moran.

Farrells. Exchange. Kemp.....First.....Dennison. Michel.....Second.....Sliger. Farrell.....Short.....Grossman. Saap.....Third.....McNama. Kucera.....Left.....Thompson. Ogden.....Center.....Murray. Wallace.....Right.....Knee. Prefen.....Catcher.....Morrow. Lueken.....Pitcher.....Ratke. Steam.....Pitcher.....Kinnard.

At Crescent Sunday the local team will meet the Stolz team of Council Bluffs. Both teams are a live bunch and fast. They have both played seven games apiece and have their first defeat of the season to meet. With this in view an exciting game is expected. The lineup: Stolz. Crescent. Bell.....Catcher.....H. Watts. Hurduth.....Pitcher.....Foote. Wallace.....Right.....Currie. Dike.....First base.....Hough. Praker.....Second base.....Barrett. Grieves.....Third base.....Kinney. Moore.....Short.....Adams. Moore.....Left field.....Dorsett. Wallace.....Center field.....Williams. Austin.....Right field.....R. Watts.

Towae Still Farms. Babe Towne seems satisfied with farm life and shows no signs of wanting to join Sioux City. He is said to have grown so fat that he couldn't be of use any more.

Watson Makes Recorder. Watson, the St. Joseph outfielder secured from the Central association, where he was the champion of about every thing last year, is keeping up his record. He leads the Western league in hitting.

Rube Some Hitter. Rube Marquard on this year's record is not only the tenth pitcher of the un-salted base ball era, but a bearcat with the stick. He has macerated the ball to the extent of almost 300.

One of Omaha's Lively Leaders



From Left to Right—Daley, Martin, Schuhart, Prawl, Westergaard, Nemitz, Parkins, Schroeder, Florke, Webet. M. E. SMITH IDEALS.

STATE GOLF TOURNEY HERE

Big Event to Start at the Country Club June 26. The first annual Nebraska state tennis tournament, which will be held in Norfolk July 16-20, will be a success if Norfolk can make it one. The whole city is joining in the movement to give the visiting racquet welders, of whom 100 to 150 are expected, a good time and superior tennis courts to play on.

OMAHA HANDICAPS PREVAIL

Plenty of Golf is Staged to Keep All Visitors Busy During the Four Days of the State Tournament. Over 200 golf enthusiasts of Omaha have entered for the eighth annual tournament of the Nebraska Golf association which will be held on the links of the Omaha Country Club June 26, 27, 28 and 29. The tournament will be played with a handicap, the Omaha style prevailing.

Wednesday Morning. Qualifying round Nebraska club team championship, 7 a. m. Thursday Morning. Amateur champion, first round, 8 a. m. Director's, first round, 9 a. m. Secretary's, first round, 9:30 a. m. Friday Morning. Amateur champion, third round, 9 a. m. Director's, first round, 9:15 a. m. Secretary's, third round, 9:30 a. m. Saturday Morning. Amateur champion, first half final, 9:30 a. m. Director's, first round, 9:45 a. m. Secretary's, first round, 9:45 a. m. Sunday Morning. Amateur champion, second half final, 2:30 p. m. Director's, first round, 2:30 p. m. Secretary's, first round, 2:30 p. m.

Norfolk Preparing to Entertain State Tennis Players

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Creighton Men Plan for Future Work

When the twenty-one members of the senior class of Creighton university gather at the Orpheum theater June 20 to receive their diplomas, it will be the last meeting of the young men who have worked together in the school room for the last seven years. The majority will continue the student life in professional schools. Other departments of Creighton university will receive a majority, while several will go east. Plans of the graduates are as follows: Steven Boyle will probably enter the priesthood. Phillip Cahill and Lewis Moore will study law at Creighton Law college. Carl Rasmus will study medicine at Creighton Medical college. Julius Festner will travel in Europe and take an advanced course in the arts and sciences at Prague university. Basil Lanphier will take engineering at Cornell. Maurice Miller will study pharmacy at Creighton Pharmacy college. Edward Costello will travel for the Iten Biscuit company in Oklahoma. Paul Tobin will study law at Harvard. George Riley will study medicine at Rush Medical college. Robert Connell will enter Princeton. Thomas Norris will study surveying. Louis Kavanagh, Thomas Keenan and Mark Ryan will study law at Creighton Law college. Reginald Whittaker will enter the drug business. John Spellman will study medicine at Creighton Medical college. Deiss Muffitt will enter the automobile business. Michael Quinn will enter Columbia university. Thomas Kennedy will enter some college in the east. John O'Connor will enter Columbia university.

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OLYMPIAD PROGRAM TO BE STANDARDIZED

NEW YORK, June 8.—There is a movement on foot to standardize the Olympic program, and it has found supporters in almost every country likely to be represented at future games. Lord Bessborough said recently that he hoped it would be possible to bring the change about in the near future, adding that the program ought to be as compressed as possible because of the heavy burden in expense borne by the country holding the games.

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Such a tabloid form is the substance of the boxing commissioner's intentions regarding violators of their rules. It means war against those who are seeking to ruin boxing in this state for their own petty ends and financial benefit.

"The State Athletic commission has been too lenient in the past to men who have menaced the best interests of boxing," said Commissioner O'Neil. "The law under which boxing is permitted here is a new one, and the commissioners, realizing that all angles of the sport could not be attended to at once, thought it advisable to go slowly and not ask at once too much of the club officials and the fighters. We thought it advisable to be lenient and to smooth over the rough edges that cropped up in the game by suggestion rather than orders. By this method we considered everything would be working smoothly and harmoniously before the end of the year.

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"Now I want to say that in the future the commission does not intend to dally in matters pertaining to sport and all officials of clubs, managers of fighters and boxers themselves will be held to a strict observance of the law and the rules and regulations laid down by the commission. The State Racing commission and the Jockey club punished violators of the rules of the turf not only by suspensions, revocations of licenses to trainers and judges, but debarred them and owners of horses from entering all race tracks under their jurisdiction.

"This is the intention of the commission—to prevent any man who violates its rules from taking part in or witnessing a boxing bout in this state. The secretary of each club will be provided with the names of those men who much not be permitted in the club house and they will be compelled to enforce the ruling made by the commission."

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Knows Get Two Pitchers. Topeka has secured two pitchers who recently wore Kansas City uniforms. One is Chick Brandom, the other Pep Hornsby, who was taken on by Kansas City from Houston on trial and turned back, Manager Gear then buying him from the Houston team.

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