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NATIONAL LEAGUE MEETS

Adoption of Schedule Not Taken Up in Brief Session.

LYNCH SELECTS HIS UMPIRES

Pitcher Overall Reinstated Without Penalty by National Commission After Two Years' Absence from the Game.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Peace and harmony prevailed at the opening session of the adjourned annual meeting of the National League of Base Ball clubs here yesterday. The business transacted varied little from the usual routine and outside the meeting room such talk of "deals" as was heard, was for the most part, vague in character and lacked authority.

After a brief meeting of the board of directors the National League club held a session of scarcely an hour's duration and deferred action on the playing schedule until tomorrow, when they expect to get through with the remaining business. The directors decided that hereafter when any National league club shall take an umpire from President Lynch's staff, the club will be required to reimburse the league with whatever amount the directors may deem sufficient for the loss of the umpire's services.

Announces Umpires' Names.

President Lynch announced his selection of umpires for the coming season as follows: R. W. Emale, W. J. Klein, Charles Richter, Clarence Owens, William Brennan, Al Orth, M. W. Eason, W. J. Guthrie and W. J. Byron. Guthrie and Byron were with the International league last year.

President Lynch said President Johnson had assured him that the American league would not negotiate with "Hank" O'Day if the National league required his services.

The former manager of the Cincinnati club was expected here today, but President Lynch said he had not heard from O'Day and if the latter consents he will be added to the list of umpires, making the tenth man on this year's staff.

A representative committee of the American league, consisting of President Johnson, Charles Comiskey and John E. Bruce, called on Mrs. John Brush at her residence and presented her with an address of condolence on the death of the late president of the New York National league club, who had done so much for

KAISER SUCCESSFUL FARMER

Emperor William Describes Experiences to Agricultural Council.

HIS ESTATE GREATLY IMPROVED

Royal Tiller of Soil Thinks German's Farmers Able to Supply Nation with Food for Many Years.

BERLIN, Feb. 12.—Emperor William gave an account of his experiences as a farmer in an informal speech delivered today before the German Agricultural council.

He went into details in regard to the improvements he had made on his estate at Kadinen. Since 1907 he has increased the arable land from 500 to 600 acres, besides reclaiming 300 acres of meadow land, which previously had produced practically nothing. It gave 225 tons of hay besides pasturing seventy to eighty cattle in 1910. In 1911 it yielded 450 tons of hay and pastured 120 cattle and ninety horses.

The emperor said: "I intend continuing these experiences on other land, from which I have evicted the tenant, because he was no good."

New Variety of Rye.

The emperor then narrated the results he had obtained by introducing a variety of rye hitherto unknown in East Prussia. He said:

"The neighboring farmers, whose rye had been badly treated, saw with astonishment my rye standing with ears erect like the lances of my chief Uhlans. When in the autumn the grain was hauled in the farmers crowded before my barn and fairly crowded each other to get seed. I did excellent business with that rye. Before the reclamation was undertaken this land produced 600 loads, but afterward it yielded 1,600."

The emperor then referred to his experience in crossing zebu with German cattle, saying the crossbreeds produced remarkable oxen. He hopes to develop a faster breed of oxen "which will get home the harvest wagons in quicker time."

"After my experience it is beyond all doubt that German farmers are able to supply Germany's entire food, not only now, but when we have an increased population in the future."

Raquet Tournament Results.

TUXEDO PARK, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Harold F. McCormick of Chicago and Ernest Greenhilda, Jr. of Montreal will meet tomorrow in the finals of the gold raquet championship. McCormick won today's semi-final match with his clubmate, George A. Thorne, three games to two, and Greenhilda defeated Stanley C. Mortimer of Tuxedo.

New Captain for Tarkio.

TARKIO, Mo., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Harry Luckhardt, a senior in the Tarkio college, was today elected captain of the

Carey Refuses to Sign Resolution for Inquiry Into Prison

The refusal of Governor Carey to sign the senate joint resolution providing for an investigation of the Wyoming General hospital and other institutions, notably the state penitentiary at Rawlins, has created an unusual legislative situation.

It is the wish of both houses, apparently, that the joint committee shall visit the hospital and penitentiary and report on the conditions existing in both places. Governor Carey, by refusing to sign the resolution, has blocked the proceedings. Either house has the right to appoint a committee to investigate any state institution or official, but any resolution providing for the expenditure of funds must be passed by both houses and signed by the governor. In other words, either the senate or the house can appoint a committee to investigate the penitentiary, but the members of the committee will have to pay their own expenses unless the governor co-operates with the legislature.

The proposed "anti-pass" bill came to an untimely end in the Wyoming senate this morning when senate file No. 3, by Senator Carpenter of Cheyenne, was indefinitely postponed by the committee of the whole. Before the senate was finally disposed of Senator Stone of Laramie county, tried to have an amendment put through whereby state officials when traveling on official business would be permitted to use passes. The amendment was killed and the bill was indefinitely postponed by a vote of 14 to 12.

Escaped Prisoner Hides on Island

MITCHELL, S. D., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—The officers have been hot on the trail of Clarence Good since he made his escape from the corridor in the court house in this city last Saturday. Good walked to Mount Vernon during the latter part of the afternoon and succeeded in stealing an overcoat in the hotel and then took a train for Chamberlain. The sheriff there had a description of the man and finally discovered him in a pool hall. He arrested Good and started with him for the county jail, having hold of the collar of the overcoat which the man wore. Reaching a dark spot Good worked himself loose from his overcoat and slipped away from the sheriff and got free in the darkness. He went over to American Island and stayed there overnight, but it is not believed he can remain there long, as he has little or no protection from the cold, although it is an easy matter to locate himself. Sheriff Berry went out to Chamberlain to take a hand in the hunt for Good and they expect to get him for good this time.

White Star Line Sued for \$8,000,000

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Claims aggregating \$8,077,374 for the loss of life, property and for personal injuries sustained in the Titanic disaster last April have been filed against the White Star line.

The owner of the ill-fated steamship, this was the last day on which these claims could be filed under a ruling of the admiralty branch of the federal district court, unless an application to the United States circuit court of appeals is granted extending the time.

In event of limit of liability being granted, the claimants will be entitled only to a pro rata share in the fund of \$96,000 turned over to the admiralty court from the salvage on lifeboats.

The largest single death claim is that made by Mrs. Henry B. Harris, widow of the theatrical manager, who asks for \$1,000,000. The Austrian consul asks for \$1,000,000 for the deaths of four countrymen and Englishman C. Ostby of Providence, R. I., claims \$200,000 for the death of his father. The claims for lost merchandise total \$1,523,528. In all 389 claims were filed.

KEARNEY BASE BALL PLAYERS ASK MORE PAY

KEARNEY, Neb., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—The management of the local state league has a problem on its hands in the refusal of players to sign the contracts sent them for the coming season. They have all returned their contracts to President Kibler with the notice that they must have more pay. The difficulty will be solved by a meeting of the officers, who state the team will be lined up March 1 whether or no.

Lewis Loses to Frenchman.

PARIS, Feb. 12.—The Frenchman, Adrien Dupuy, fighting under the name of Hogan, beat Willie Lewis, the New York middleweight, on points in a twenty-round fight here tonight. Hogan showed superiority throughout the contest.

Columbus Defeats Silver Creek.

SILVER CREEK, Feb. 12.—(Special.)—The Silver Creek Boxall basket ball team lost to Columbus Young Men's Christian association last night by the score of 44 to 34, in a hard fought game.

Mr. Cohee and Mrs. Gentry Elope

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Patrick Cohee and Mrs. Charles Gentry eloped Monday evening, going from here to Auburn in an automobile where they were arrested yesterday morning. Mr. Cohee was locked up and Mrs. Gentry was taken to the home of friends at Dawson. Mr. Gentry recently sold some of his property and left the proceeds in care of his wife, which she took with her. The Gentrys were married but a few months ago. Mr. Cohee has a wife, but had not been living with her for some time.

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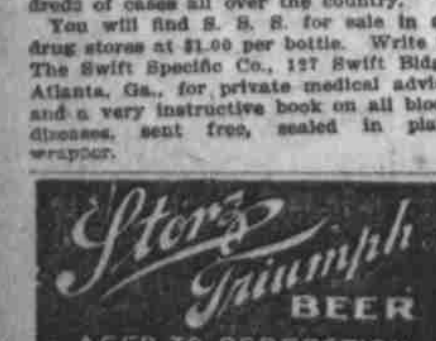
SIoux FALLS, S. D., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Arrivals from Fairview, situated south of Sioux Falls on the Big Sioux river, report that the millrace of a company which conducts a flouring mill on

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With the Bowlers

Special Match.

Two Scotch teams, the Clan Gordons and Caledonians, played a special match on the Metropolitan alley. The Clan Gordons' Athletic club have taken up bowling and this match is the second of a series. The club is well known as having the best curling, soccer, foot ball and golf teams in this section of the country. Following are the scores:

Table with 4 columns: Name, 1st, 2d, 3d, Total. Rows include Mulr, Hamilton, Dunn, Hishop, A. Falconer, and Totals for CLAN GORDONS.

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Table with 4 columns: Name, 1st, 2d, 3d, Total. Rows include Watson, Muro, T. Falconer, Hoane, McTaggart, and Totals for CALLEDONIANS.

Gate City League.

MID-WEST TAILORS.

Table with 4 columns: Name, 1st, 2d, 3d, Total. Rows include Moore, Landstrom, Rhoaden, Wiley, Leary, and Totals.

STORM TRIUMPHS.

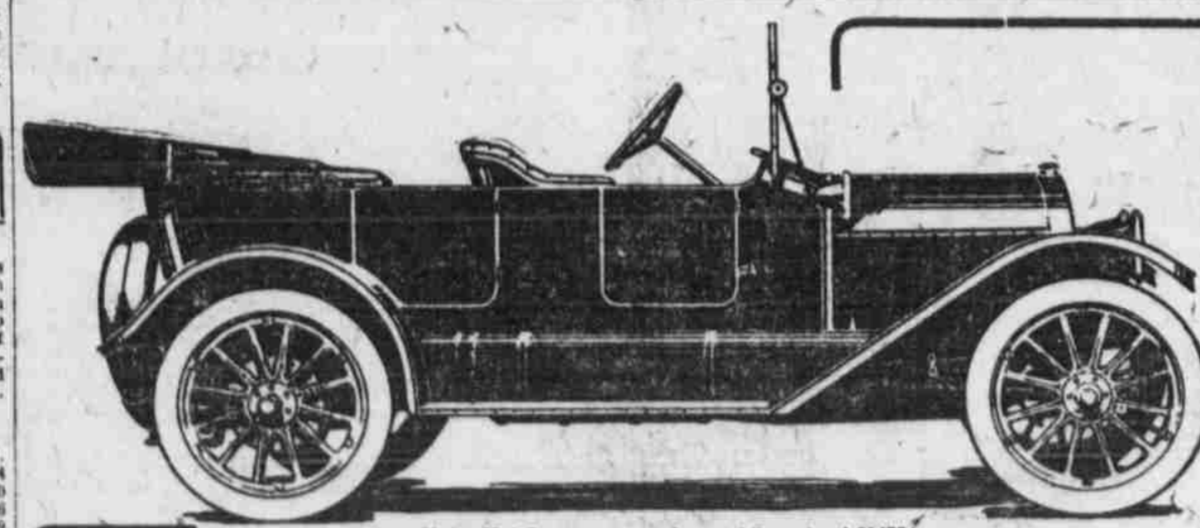
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Table with 4 columns: Name, 1st, 2d, 3d, Total. Rows include Abbott, Dudley, Polson, Purhouse, Evans, and Totals.

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