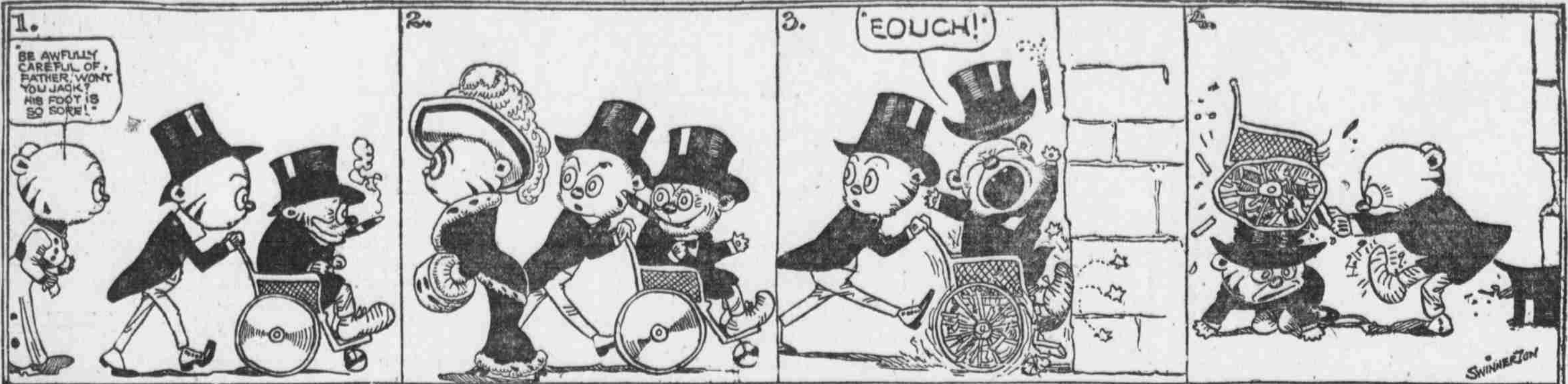


Mr. Jack Wasn't Altogether to Blame, at That . . . Drawn for The Bee by Swinnerton



FEDS SCORE FIRST IN BIG COURT PLAY

Landis Rules Defendants Must File Affidavits on or Before January 16.

PAPER SERVED ON G. HERRMANN

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Judge Landis in the United States district court ruled today that defendants in the Federal League suit against Organized Base Ball must file affidavits on or before January 16, Counsel for the Federal league, who requested the ruling, stated that affidavits probably would be filed Monday. They are to be used in support of the motion of the plaintiff for a preliminary injunction on January 20.

Magic City Girls Defeat Tekamah

The girls' basket ball team of the local high school, defeated the Tekamah High school girls' team last evening on the local gymnasium floor at Twenty-fourth and J. streets, 15 to 14. The game was moderately rough, throughout. Miss Ada Van Cleave of the Tekamah team played the best game of the evening, while Miss Lillian Brooker starred for the locals. The lineup:

National Golf Body Fixes Where to Play

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—The national amateur golf championship for 1915 will be contested on the links of the Country club of Detroit, Mich., and now president of the United States Golf Association, here tonight.

PLANS OF THE MINORS NOT MUCH SOLACE TO ED

Ed Spellman, Omaha Inf., who graduated into the professional ranks from the sandlots of Omaha, can't find much solace in the new plans of the minor leagues. Spellman finished the season last year with the Mononomee club of the Wisconsin-Illinois League. This year the W-I is talking of reducing to Class 2, and even if not a few salary reductions, which do not appeal to Spellman, will be in order. So if Ed can't be traded or sold he will either forsake the national pastime or hurdle to the Feds.

TO DETERMINE AMATEUR SKATE TITLE AT CLEVELAND

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—The amateur skating title of the United States will be determined at a tournament in Cleveland, January 20 and 21, and at Saratoga Lake, N. Y., February 2 and 4. It was announced today. President Allen I. Blanchard of the International Skating Union of America. The title will go to the skater making the greatest number of points in the various races scheduled, thirty points being credited for victory, twenty for taking second place and ten for winning third.

TENER CONFERS WITH NATIONAL LEAGUE COUNSEL

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 9.—President Tener of the National League today discussed with George Pepper, whom he has appointed counsel for the National League, plans of defense in the recent suit brought by the Federal League against Organized Base Ball. Both the governor and Mr. Pepper declined to discuss the result of their conference.

Carroll Wins from Denton

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 9.—(Special.)—The debate between Carroll and Denton High schools on "Advisability of Military Drill to Hasten Immigration," was won by Carroll, 2 to 1. The judge was Principal Marshall of Council Bluffs. The Carroll team consisted of Missouri Valley and Superintendent Smith Maglester. Denton team consisted of David West, Hugh Rogers and Bert Williams. The Carroll team consisted of Martha Lewis, Pauline Kelly and Casper Kelly.

HOGANS A HELP TO THE TRAP

Famous Shooter Does Much to Promote the Popularity of the Sport All Over the Country.

ORIGINATES NEW METHODS

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—If there is any single factor that has proved more effective than any other in developing the popularity of the sport of trapshooting in this country it is the stimulating influence given to the sport by that unique organization, the Westy Hogans of America, whose annual trapshooting tournament in Atlantic City, N. J., is now looked upon in sporting circles as an event of national importance and justly takes rank with other sporting events of national character.

It was in the east—in Pennsylvania—that their organization originated; their annual tournament is conducted on the shores of the Atlantic ocean, and the great majority of the shooters who attend their tournaments come from eastern cities and towns.

But the name and fame of the Westy Hogans have spread to every part of the United States, as witness the fact that at the tournament in September of this year more than one-half of the states in the union were represented among the contestants.

Conceived over night in a little Pennsylvania mining town, where a one-day shoot had been held during the day, in the summer of 1907, the organization was launched, and in the following September held its first tournament on Young's old pier in Atlantic City. The membership of the Westy Hogans then consisted of scarcely a dozen well known professional trapshooters. Now it numbers fifty odd.

It might be said, by way of explanation, that membership in the organization is confined exclusively to representatives of firearms and ammunition manufacturers. Also, be it known, that their only object as Westy Hogans is to promote the welfare of the cleanest and most wholesome outdoor recreation there is. They are entirely unselfish in this, and mercenary motives are beneath them.

It is a cardinal principle of the Westy Hogans that no "shop talk" shall be indulged in at their annual tournaments, and this rule is strictly adhered to.

The first tournament was a gratifying success and a personal triumph for the men who shouldered the responsibility for undertaking the venture. Also, it forecasted the future success of the Westy Hogans' tournaments. Sixty-three different shooters took part in the several events of the first tournament, and all things considered, this was a good attendance.

STARTING THE NEW YEAR RIGHT AT CONEY ISLAND—New Year's day found fifty members of the two Coney Island swimming clubs pledged to year-round bathing romping about the beach in the usual water attire and plunging into the icy water. A big crowd shivered in furs and ulsters while watching them.



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INCREASE IN THE SPEEDERS

(Continued from Page One.) The 2:30 section previous to 1914 reduced their records. The speed exhibition paces was phenomenal during the season, and it was no wonder that many world's championship marks were lowered or equaled, all in actual racing. No less than ten of the new "two-tenths" entered the 2:30 class while sixteen others paced to records from 2:50 1/2 to 2:56.

Makes Great Exhibition.

Headed by Anna Bradford, 2:50 1/2, the sensational 3-year-old pacer, the fastest twenty-six in the new 2:30 list showed an average speed of a shade faster than 2:34 1/2, while the average record of ten in the 2:30 division was a little faster than 2:35 1/2, a speed exhibition which was never thought possible before this year.

Of the thirty-nine pacers in the new reduced list, three entered the 2:30 class, all in races, headed by Directum 1, 1:58; Frank Bogash, Jr., 1:59 1/2, and William 2:30 flat, all world's two-minute pacers in races. Fifteen in this list paced 2:55 or faster, and as only three were in the 2:35 class previously, this division added an even dozen, making twenty-two altogether, or over 25 per cent of the total number of 2:35 pacers in the complete list prior to 1914.

Perform in Sensational Way. The average record of the fifteen in the 2:30 list was faster than 2:34 1/2, Granting for the purpose of explanation, that these twenty-six all took records equal to their general average of 2:34 1/2, then the increase of fast performers for the season becomes sensational, as previous to 1914 the total number of 2:34 or faster performers was thirty-nine, including the windmill records.

LAWS TAKE PHONES' PLACE

(Continued from Page One.) strongest five in the league, to a 23 to 24 score. Considerable activity took place in the Commercial league last week. The Omaha High School reserves landed a victory from a close defeat, in their engagement with the Council Bluffs Cubs. The contest was one of the most spectacular played this season. After being led by a safe margin until the last eight minutes of play, Mills' minions copped the game by a hairs-breadth, 23 to 25.

Bankers Hold Down Lid

The Omaha National bank quietest showed that they still have the right to hold the lid on the rest of their competitors. The bankers walked the Young Men's Christian association in an easy and decisive manner Thursday afternoon.

ATHLETIC TEAMS PICKED FOR 1914

All-American Athletic and All-College Squads Chosen by A. A. U. President.

EAST HAS THE MOST MEMBERS

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—The names of twenty clubs and four college athletes appear in the All-American athletic team for 1914, as selected by Alfred J. Lill, president of the Amateur Athletic Union. The Amateur Athletic Union executive is continuing the annual selection of these teams, first introduced by the late James E. Sullivan, today named amateurs from all parts of the country for the twenty-five events listed.

The All-American team is as follows: 100-yard run: H. P. Drew, University of Southern California. 220-yard run: George Parker, Olympic club, San Francisco. 400-yard run: Alvah T. Meyer, Irish-American Athletic club. 800-yard run: J. E. (Ted) Meredith, University of Pennsylvania. 1600-yard run: T. J. Halpin, Boston Athletic club. 3200-yard run: Homer Baker, New York Athletic club. One-mile run: A. H. Kivist, Irish-American Athletic club. Two-mile run: Harry J. Smith, Bronx Chivalrous. Five-mile run: Willie Kyrenen, Kaleva Athletic club. Ten-mile run, for cross-country: H. Kuhlmann, Irish-American Athletic club. 150-yard hurdles: F. W. Kelly, University of Southern California. 220-yard hurdles: J. Leomin, Chicago Athletic association. 440-yard hurdles: W. H. Meanis, Boston Athletic association. Running broad jump: Platt Adams, New York Athletic club. Running high jump: Edward Beeson, Olympic club, San Francisco. Pole vault: C. Borgstrom, University of Southern California. Pole vault: C. Borgstrom, University of Southern California. Shot: R. I. Beatty, Columbia University. Throwing sixteen-pound hammer: H. P. Bailey, University of Maine. Cross-country: D. F. Potter, Cornell University.

GOTCH TELLS HOW HE TRAINS

(Continued from Page One.) form. It was my hardest task to abandon my tobacco-smoking habits. "Moderation in wrestling is good for the college man, but too much of it is bad. I believe that wrestling takes into action every part of the body better than any other form of athletics. Wrestling is good for the college man if he limits himself to fifteen minutes of it in a good, stiff manner. That is all he should take at one time.

TEMPERANCE AT MICHIGAN

(Continued from Page One.) the university, it means that we should give our support to any movement or practice that has as its purpose the general moral, athletic and academic uplift. Any practice that dissipates our energies and lowers our efficiency can mean only one thing—a lower standard of school work and athletics."

Feds After Miller

Both the Indianapolis and Chicago Federal league clubs are said to be hot on the trail of Ray Miller, first baseman of the Columbus American association club. Miller has notified the management that he will hold out for an increase of salary.

STATE PROFITS BY BOXING

Regulation of the Sport in Wisconsin is Success and Game Gives State Good Revenue.

VIOLATIONS ARE VERY SCARCE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 9.—Boxing in Wisconsin under state regulation has been a success and the commonwealth has profited more than \$12,000, according to a report of the state athletic commission prepared and issued today for presentation to the legislature. The report says in part: "There was more or less opposition of the commission when it was created by those opposed to boxing, but wise and careful administration of the law and total elimination of the evil features of the old prize ring has won thousands of friends for the game.

"In fact, legalized boxing has met with statewide approval. The general public interest in the sport is reflected in the fact that during the period covered by this report, including one full winter season, nearly 150,000 persons have attended boxing exhibitions and have paid for admission nearly \$20,000. "The commission has been most stringent in enforcing the law and there have been very few violations. In only one instance was a boxer accused of shaming. He was immediately given a hearing and on being found guilty was barred from boxing in the state for a period of one year."

Ivy Wingo Goes to The Cincinnati Club

CINCINNATI, Jan. 9.—Manager Miller Huggins of the St. Louis National league base ball team, announced here tonight that Catcher Ivy Wingo had been transferred to the Cincinnati club. The two-year contract which Wingo recently signed with the St. Louis club will be duplicated by the Cincinnati management.

Pugilist Dies from Effect of Knockout

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 9.—L. Anderson, a heavy weight prize fighter, known in the ring as Jack Newton, who suffered concussion of the brain as the result of a knockout last night at the hands of the Cohen, died today without having regained consciousness. Cohen and one of his seconds are in jail in default of bail. Lonnie Austin, the referee, and three others are out on bail. The bout was fought before the Pacific Athletic club, an organization composed of policemen and firemen.

HITCHCOCK'S BILL MEETS WITH FAVOR

Mass Meeting at the City Hall Endorses It—German Professor Praises Kaiser.

PEACE PRIZE FOR THE KAISER

The council chamber of the city hall was packed to capacity by some 700 persons, largely Germans, at the peace meeting held last night for the discussion of the Hitchcock bill to prohibit the transportation of munitions of war from this country to foreign nations engaged in war. A resolution was passed in favor of the Hitchcock bill. The members of the resolution committee were Byron G. Burbank, Norris Brown, Arthur Waksley, Rabbi Frederick Cohn, Arthur Muller, Dr. A. F. Jones, Rev. T. J. Mackay, Dr. Sedlacek, Nels Thorsen, T. B. Murray and F. L. Haller.

Dr. Eugene Kuhnemann of the University of Breslau in Germany, was the principal speaker. He spoke for an hour and a half on Germany as a country. "Even until July 21, Germany was of peaceful disposition," declared Dr. Kuhnemann. "On the morning of that day we regarded war as improbable, on the afternoon of that day we were told to prepare.

To Fight to the Last. "The spirit of Frederick the Great has been instilled in the whole of the German populace and Germans will uphold the honor of their country and fight to the very last."

"The German kaiser is for peace. He is the one man who has worked for peace and he is the only man in the world who should be awarded the Nobel prize for peace.

"As for Belgium, there is no neutrality of Belgium. Belgium violated any neutrality it might have had as early as 1905 when it entered into secret agreements with England. The Belgians were forced into this war by England. And we Germans are right now doing more for the Belgians than you Americans have ever done.

"You are reading reports in your newspaper of the fate of certain battles. But in those reports you will find that the official announcements show many German victories while the reports of English victories are all false."

M. F. Harrington spoke in favor of Germany and advocated the bill which will prevent the transportation of munitions of war to France, England and Russia.

Rev. H. Miller of Athol, Kan., who came from that place expressly to attend the peace meeting said, "as American citizens of German descent, let us support the Hitchcock bill."

General Cowin advocated the prohibition of the importation of American arms and ammunition into Mexico and also declared "a neutrality meeting is no place to laud any one of the belligerent powers. Let us talk alone on neutrality."

Richard L. Metcalfe was the last speaker. "I cannot hear the songs of war," said Metcalfe, "I can only hear the songs of humanity. This is not a German question, an English question or a French question, it is an American question. We must preserve our neutrality and I believe the Hitchcock bill will be of material assistance in that direction. It matters not to me who will benefit and who will suffer by the passage of that bill, but it does matter to me in that it preserves the neutrality of this nation."

Judge Sibaugh presided as chairman of the meeting and Val Peter acted as secretary.

New Haven Officials Will Come to Omaha to Study Railroad

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—A committee of eight officials of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad company, including Vice President J. M. Tomlinson and General Manager C. L. Barde, has been appointed by President Elliott, it was announced today, to visit Detroit, Chicago, St. Paul, Omaha, St. Louis and other cities in the west and middle west to study railroad operations there, with a view of obtaining information and data that would be helpful in making the operation of the New Haven road safer, more efficient and more economical.

M'GOORTY GETS DECISION OVER BILLY MURRAY

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 9.—Eddie McGoorty of Oshkosh, tonight earned a decision over Billy Murray of San Francisco in ten rounds. He sent Murray down for the count of eight in the fourth round. McGoorty had six rounds, Murray two and two were even.

Empire Is Married

Harry Gabel, Central league umpire, was married last week in Indianapolis to Miss Alice Collins of that city, where the Cohen and the Gabels are employed in Indianapolis during the winter and also is in demand as a referee in billiard matches.

Bergen All In

The Scranton club of the New York State league has purchased Catcher Charley Miller of the Harrisburg Tri-State league club and he will succeed the veteran Bill Bergen, who is a fine fielding and throwing catcher, but has failed to hit up to requirements.

See Want Ads Produce Results.