

Bringing Up Father



Drawn for The Bee by George McManus

Judgments

WHAT is the matter with Davy Fultz and his Players' Fraternity? Isn't it about time for Fultz to come forth and take a stand with regard to some official action of the fraternity...

And by way of speaking of the present fight in the courts it is to be hoped that the mooted question will be settled by Judge Landis once and for all.

Unless all signs fall the supply of umpires should be plentiful this year and the league president who doesn't select a neat squad of arbitrators will have only himself to blame.

Reverting back to the trust-busting suit, while we do not fear that an adverse decision will ruin base ball, as many radicals would have us believe, we still believe peace is the only successful solution to the problem now facing us.

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While the average player won't get much glory from the average fan until he cracks out a ripping hit with the bases loaded, there is one player whom all real bugs hope will make good.

Benefits for Swains. Each club in the Northwestern league is expected to hold a "Swain day" next season as a benefit to Charley Swain, the Seattle outfielder who recently lost a leg in an accident.

PLANS FOR HIGH TOURNEY

Guy Reed Sends Out Entries for the State Basket Ball Championship Event.

CORNHUSKERS WOEFULLY WEAK

By JAMES E. LAWRENCE. LINCOLN, Jan. 30.—(Special.)—Manager Guy E. Reed of the University of Nebraska, who is in charge of the arrangements for the annual Nebraska high school basketball tournament, Monday will send out to all Nebraska high schools outlines of the plans for the tournament to be held the last four days of the second week in March.

He is also sending out entry blanks to all schools, which must be filled out and returned to him on or before February 25. Entries received after that date will not be received.

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Myers to Leave School. Captain Myers of the Cornhusker track team is likely to leave school at the end of the semester.

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No Pooling by the New York Race Men

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—There will be no pooling of interests by the several racing associations in this locality the coming season, as there was last year.

Let Him Stay, Says Jones. Manager Fleider Jones of the St. Louis Feds is quoted as saying that if Roy Corhan really means it and intends to remain with the San Francisco team, then he will make no effort to hold him.

Gideon Becomes Mormon. Infielder Joe Gideon, formerly with Washington and last year with Los Angeles, has been secured by the Salt Lake Coast club for the coming season.

NATIVE SON SWIMMERS EAST

University of California Water Sharks to Invade Middle West and East.

ALL ARE RECORD HOLDERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 30.—The University of California swimming team, headed by Ludy Langer, holder of the world's 400-yard record, will probably be seen in competition in the intercollegiate championship and various eastern tanks during the month of March.

The announcement was made at the university that the executive committee of the associate students had decided to finance the tour of a team of five swimmers, provided the men could so arrange the trip as not to interfere with their studies.

Besides entering the intercollegiate championships, the team will be seen in various dual meets. The Illinois Athletic club has made an offer to the team for a meet in Chicago, and inquiries have been received from the University of Illinois as to when the team will be in Chicago.

Compete at Reno, Too. On the way to Chicago meets will be held against the DeSmet team at Salt Lake City, with the Denver Athletic club at Denver, and an exhibition is slated for the swimmers at Reno, Nev.

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Smelter's Wife Dead. Jack McNulty, who will umpire in the Western association next season, has returned to St. Louis from Corinth, Miss., where he buried his wife, who died in Chicago following an operation for appendicitis.

Clashes With Redoubtable Hobey Baker



NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The most interesting hockey seen here this year resulted from the clash between Willie Britton, cover-point of the Hockey club seven, and Hobey Baker, rover, of the St. Nicholas team.

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Carlson Says New Records Sure to Be Made in Vanderbilt

That the course inside the exposition grounds at San Francisco will offer drivers opportunities greater in several respects than those of the Indianapolis speedway is the prediction of Billy Carlson, new world's non-stop champion, who is now in the exposition city and who has just made an inspection of the course in his Maxwell car.

Carlson predicts that as the result of the two fine straightaways on the four-mile course, new records will be established for both the Grand Prix and the Vanderbilt cup events which will be raced February 23 and 27, respectively.

The fact that the course is entirely within the exposition grounds and will be thoroughly guarded will also enable the racers to add to their wild flights of speed in Carlson's opinion.

Ford Cars Still Are Boon to Salesmen in Covering Territory

There has been in the last few months a notable increase in the use of the Ford by local traveling salesmen. Last year almost 200 cars were sold at the Ford branch for this service, and it is said that prospects are bright for doubling this number this year.

After thoroughly investigating the automobile proposition and trying out several different makes of cars, one firm alone purchased twenty-five Fords for use of their Nebraska salesmen, and the claim is made that their business has been largely increased, although traveling expenses in all instances have been lowered.

Few Profited Last Year. We do not pretend to know exactly which teams made money last year, but venture to say that among the sixteen clubs of the major circuits you could count them on the fingers of one hand.

Canadian Racing Schedule Arranged

HAMILTON, Ont., Jan. 30.—The Canadian Racing association schedule for 1915 is as follows: May 23 to 29, Ontario Jockey club, Toronto; May 31 to June 7, Dorval Jockey club, Montreal; June 8 to 14, Montreal Jockey club; June 15 to 21, Comaught Park Jockey club, Ottawa; June 22 to 28, Hamilton Jockey club, Hamilton; July 3 to 9, Niagara Racing association, Fort Erie; July 10 to 16, Windsor Jockey club, Windsor; July 17 to 23, Hamilton Jockey club; August 4 to 10, Niagara Racing association, Fort Erie; August 11 to 17, Windsor Jockey club; August 18 to 24, Comaught Park Jockey club, Ottawa; September 1 to 7, Montreal Jockey club; September 8 to 14, Dorval Jockey club, Montreal; September 15 to 21, Ontario Jockey club, Toronto.

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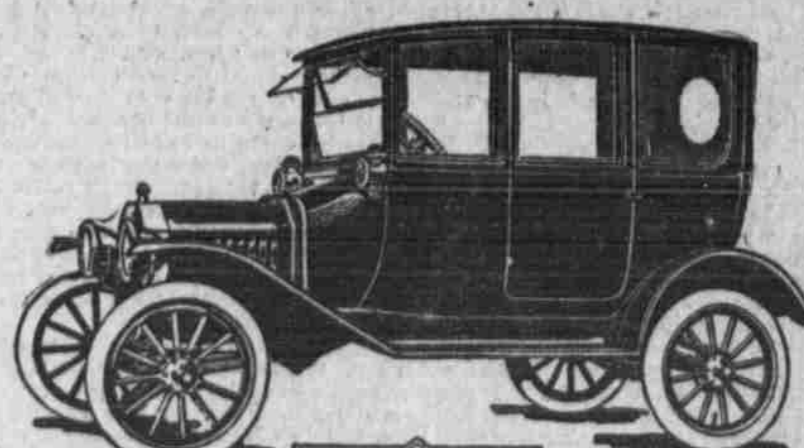
LIKE BOKER AND BALL PLAYER

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Do not be surprised either if at no very distant date you should hear some ardent devotee declare his intention to go into training for such and such a championship or tournament. Heretofore the mere thought of a golfer training would have caused a smile, but in this advanced stage of the game there is no telling what to expect.

For complete details on golf training a conversation with those well known professionals, Ben and Gil Nicholls, should suffice. These two Englishmen are keen on what they term "advanced golf," which is intended to keep one in form and improve his game, just as the rowing machine helps the oarsman and the punching bag the pugilist.

Does This Sound Like Western League Fans?

Does this outfield remind you Western league fans of anything? Moose McCormick, Willie Cole and Normal Coyle? That is the way the outfield of the Memphis club of the Southern association will lineup next season.



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