Bringing Up Father

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MANY WOULD TAKE CHANCE ON TOPEKA

E. C. Quigley, National League Umpire, Is the Latest to Consider Kaw Town.

LEJEUNE THREATENS TO JUMP

The disposal of that Topeka franchise on which a mortgage has been foreclosed by the German-American bank of Topeka, is rapidly becoming a subject of interest to base ball men. The latest base ball light to become interested is E. C. Quigley, the National league umpire.

Quigley dropped into Topeka the other day and hadn't been in town long before he intimated that he might consider taking charge of a franchise in that city. Quigley announced that he believed a club in the Kansas capital would be a success under the right kind of management, and he said he would not be unwilling to invest if the proper sort of proposition were submitted to him. A meeting between Quigley and the present owners of the club was held and Quigley is to consider their terms after which a second meeting will occur.

Would Have Stock Company.

Arthur Spencer Abbott, a Topekan, is also willing to take a flyer on the club. He proposes to organize a stock company of Topeka men. The Commercial club of Topeka has also called a meeting and the matter will be discussed by the members of that organization and the citizens of the city. It is said $10,000 will buy the franchise.

Along with the deals, which would keep the franchise in Topeka, two outside cities, Joplin and Hutchinson, are angling for a chance to buy into the Western loop. John Savage, secretary of the Kansas City American association club, and C. A. Ludlow of Pittsburg, Kan., would like to move the club to Joplin, but Western league magnates are prone to refuse a removal to Joplin, so if Mr. Savage and Mr. Ludlow want a Western league club, they will have to stick to Topeka.

Hutchison fans are trying to raise money to buy the club. Archie Catlin, present president of the team, declares Hutchinson will have an equal chance to bid for the defunct club, but Hitchinson would not be accepted by the other Western league cities any more than Joplin. Hutchinson has only 20,000 people and could never support the class of ball played in this loop.

Lejeune Threatens to Jump.

Speaking of base ball, now comes Larry Lejeune, the well known Belgian batter, who deserves an ultimatum to the Pittsburgh club. Larry is very much excited over reports that waivers have been asked on him and he demands that he be given a real trail during the spring training trip or he will leap to the Feds. George Stoval has been making tempting offers to the Belgian that the latter has given notice that unless the Pirate management gives him speedy assurance that he will be given a genuine tryout, he will grab Stoval's offer.

SALT LAKE ROTARIANS HAVE A REAL INVITATION

"Zipping Zion Zephyrs Defeat Doleful Death's Call, Causing Cadaver to Trick the Terrible Tomb."

The foregoing is the caption of an invitation that S. R. Neel, Secretary of the Rotary club of Salt Lake City is mailing out to the members of the Association of General Baggage Agents and the American Transfer's Men's Association, who will hold their national convention in Los Angeles during next May.

HOWARD DOES NOT CARE TO BE COACH AT HIGH SCHOOL

Warren Howard will not make an application for the position of coach at the Omaha High school to be vacated by Tommy Mills next year. Howard was boosted for the job by students at the high school, but has announced he is not in the field. Howard has completed his course at Nebraska and has returned to Omaha to live.

MAY TRANSFER KANSAS CITY FEDS TO NEW YORK

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Secret conferences at which base ball fans believe the transfer of the Kansas City Federal league franchise to New York was discussed, were held today by Federal league leaders, including President Gilmore and George Etovall, manager of the Kansas City team.

HUNTLEY BACK IN OMAHA WITH PINEHURST MONEY

After waltzing off with considerable prize money at Pinehurst and Houston, Sam Huntley, Omaha amateur trap shooter, has returned to Omaha to remain here until the mid-winter shoot at Kansas City where Huntley figures on annexing some more kale.

HUSSANE HERE FOR MATCH

Terrible Turk Goes Into Training for Battle Tuesday with Jess Westergaard.

TO WRESTLE BEFORE MOVIES

Yousiff Hussane, the terribiest of all Turks, has wafted into the city from Louisville, preparatory to taking on Jess Westergaard, at the Krug theater next Tuesday night. Hussane had a wrestling match in Louisville the other night, but forgot to inquire who his opponent was, so he doesn't know who he dumped.

Hussane declares he is in fit and trim condition for his go with Westergaard. "Leave it to me," quoth Yousiff, "He's a good man, but I think I can throw him. You know I'll wrestle any of 'em. I will work hard between now and Tuesday and will be ready for a tough tussle.

"As for Stecher," continued Yousiff, his brow darkening a bit, "He will get his one of these days. I don't expect he'll be down to see the match Tuesday. He'll be too busy."

Yousiff will go from Omaha to El Paso to take up his duties as trainer for Jess Willard. Yousiff will throw Willard around a little to make him "hard," as Yousiff puts it and the Turk says, He'll have Willard in such fine shape that Johnson won't be able to hurt him unless he uses a cleaver.

Following the fight at Juarez, Hussane will go to Chicago, where he will be among those to appear in the movie wrestling matches. These matches before the screen will be held with a view toward eliminating all except one man who wins each match. This man will battle Gotch before the screen. Nobody will be alowed to witness the movie matches except newspaper men.

University of Omaha to Meet York College

The University of Omaha will play its first home inter-collegiate basket ball game Saturday evening when it meets York college.

Last week Coach Meyers' men ran up against considerable opposition in playing the Baptists at York. Though the Omaha quintet took the long end of the game the victory was more through the inability of the York forwards to locate the basket than the playing of the Scarlet and Black.

In order to leave no doubt as to the superiority of the University of Omaha, Meyers has had his men out late nearly every night this week putting them through the hardest scrimmage practice of the season.

STICE DEFEATS GILLESPIE IN THE THREE-C TOURNEY

E. Stice last night defeated L. E. Gillespie, 35 to 17, in the third match of the three-cushion tournament at C. C. Cannam's billiard parlor. Eddy and Chamberlain will play tonight. Score:

Stice: 3, 3, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 3, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 4, 1, 1, 0, 2, 0, 3, 0, 0, 1, 1, 0, 3, 0, 1, 0, 1—35. High run, 4.

Gillespie: 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 2, 2, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 2, 0, 0—17. High run, 2.

Forty-six innings. Referee: Brayton.

M.GRATH TO TRY OUT FOR PLACE AT GRAND ISLAND

Matty McGrath, a local sand lotter, will be among other Omahans to try for a position on Clink Claire's Grand Island team of the state league. Claire has been officially reappointed manager and hopes to come through with a second pennant for the third city.

Peck Gets $7,000.

It is said that Peckinpaugh's new New York contract calls for $21,000 for three years. And this is the player whom the Cleveland club tried to shunt to Portland—and would have succeeded had not ex-Manager Chance traded Outfielders Stumpf and Lelivelt for him.

ARMY FOOD CONTRACTS ARE ALWAYS CHECKED UP

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Stored within the war office building are great piles of samples of meat, hard bread, bacon and cheese, which are used in keeping check on the army contractors. All foods supplied by contractors must be delivered at certain military bases, where a careful comparison is made between the samples and the goods.

This new system, which is said to be due to Lord Kitchener, has been a great improvement over the old. While in some cases food shortages have occurred, owing to delays in transport, there is no complaint as to the quality of the food. This is true at the front as well as at home.

When the war office asked for tenders for bacon, the contractors underbid each other so that it was feared an inferior quality would be supplied. Thereupon, the contract was distributed among a number of firms of high standing at a reasonable trade profit, the government reserving the right to inspect the invoices as well as the meat. This worked so admirably that it has been followed since.

POOL INTERESTS, ASSERTS WILSON

President Insists Co-operation Between Business and Government in Framing Laws Needed.

BIG FOOD SHORTAGE COMING

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Co-operation between business and the government in framing laws for the benefit of all the people was urged by President Wilson last night in an address before several hundred representative business men here attending the annual convention of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. He declared that "we must all pool our interests" in order to discover the best means for handling public problems.

The creation in the United States in time of peace of the same kind of united spirit which moves nations during wars was advocated by the president who remarked "that when peace is as handsome as war there will be no wars" and "when men engage in the pursuits of peace in the same spirit of self sacrifice as they engage in wars, wars will disappear."

Bigger Shortage Coming.

The president predicted that while there is a shortage of food in the world now, the shortage will be much greater later. He pointed out that under the guidance of the Department of Agriculture efforts may be made by farmers in the United States to grow more grain, in order that the world may be fed.

Speaking of the foreign trade of the United States the president asked that business men devise some way of allowing exporters in the United States to combine to secure common selling agencies and to give long time credits in such a way that these co-operative devices may be open to the use of all. He declared that apparently the anti-trust laws prohibited such combinations now, but he would favor a change if a method fair to all could be found.

Surveying the Work.

He spoke of the work being done by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce in "surveying the world" for the benefit of all business men. Business men themselves are to blame if intelligent laws affecting them are not framed, the president asserted.

He added that they should come out into the open and use their knowledge of conditions to bring about fair laws to prevent business evils.

The Mexican question was mentioned by Mr. Wilson as an example of the difficulty he had in getting accurate information.

Getting Education.

"I agreed with a colleague of mine in the cabinet," said the president, "the other day that we had never attended in our lives before a school to compare with that we were now attending for the purpose of gaining liberal education.

"Of course I learn a great many things that are not so. But the interesting thing about it is this: Things that are not so do not match. If you hear enough of them you see there is no pattern whatever. It is a crazy quilt. Whereas the truth always matches piece for piece, with other parts of the truth.

"No man can lie consistently and he cannot lie about everything if he talks to you long. So that I would guarantee that if enough liars talked to you you would get the truth.

"I had somewhat that experience about Mexico and that was about the only way in which I learned anything that was so for there have been vivid imaginations and many special interests which have depicted things as they wished me to believe them to be."

Cologne Gazette Resents Bryan's Letter to Stone

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 3, (via London, Feb. 4.)—The Cologne Gazette, a copy of which has been received here, attacks the American government's neutrality. The article criticises Secretary of State Bryan's letter, sent to William J. Stone, chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations repudiating charges that the United States had shown partiality to the allies against Germany and Austria. The article says:

"Mr. Bryan made himself the mouthpiece of the brutal British standpoint which is based on force. We are certain that German-Americans and those who share their views will furnish the right reply to Mr. Bryan's epistle. We now know what we must expect from Mr. Bryan's management of foreign affairs.

"American neutrality is only a thin veil behind which is concealed eagerness to do England a good turn. Knowing this, we will be guided by our knowledge. If America respects only brute forces then we shall give full play to brute force."

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AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Opponents to Consolidation with Omaha Now Look to Lower House for Relief.

SEEKING TO DEFEAT MEASURE

News of the passage of the consolidation bill in the senate committee of the whole ran through town like wild fire yesterday afternoon. Politicians and officials admitted that the only chance to defeat the measure was in the house. In the afternoon John M. Tanner left for Lincoln to join J. B. Watkins, Mayor Hoctor, City Attorneys Murphy and Winters and City Prosecutor Leigh in opposing the bill. These men are making a strong fight against the measure. They represent the anti-annexationists of the city.

Word of the school district consolidation bill introduced by Senator Howell brought a feeling of relief to the school teachers, who have been urged to line up with the antis as the only means of saving their jobs. The new bill consolidates the school systems of Omaha and South Omaha and makes provision for the teachers of South Omaha and the maintenance of the schools. Under the new bill the South Omaha teachers will get more pay and will receive pensions.

The amendment to the consolidation bill providing for a police court and judge for South Omaha was well received.

The fight on consolidation is far from being over, however, desperation lending strength to the opponents of the merger bill. Money is being sought on all sides to push the fight. The annexationists express themselves firm in the belief that the house will be likely to accept the decision of a majority of the Douglas county members who were elected with the full knowledge of what they stood for on annexation.

"It is not likely that the house will pay much attention to a minority, as against the wishes of the elected representatives of the majority," said an old democrat yesterday.

"A pitcher can go to the well too often, you know," said another, "and the same crowd always fighting such a merger is very much like the pitcher."

Despite the annexation talk that seems to occupy the entire attention of citizens, the local basket ball team of the high school is planning to take its proper place in the limelight. After the game with Arlington at the school gymnasium, which will decide whether the northerners have any claim to the championship of the eastern district, the team members will parade Twenty-fourth street from the gymnasium at J. to N street.

Manager Atkins of the Besse theater will receive the marchers and will entertain them during the remainder of the evening at his showhouse.

The game will open at 8 o'clock, earlier than usual, to permit the players to take part in the entertainment and still keep up training hours. The Arlington men will also be invited to participate.

Magic City Gossip.

F. C. Belts was in the city yesterday. He was here on business at the stock yards.

Charles Hayward, cattle feeder and shipper of Tekamah, was a visiter at the stock yards yesterday.

The Eagles will give their usual Saturday evening dance at the Eagle home, Twenty-third and N streets.

A large class of candidates will be initiated at the Moose Home, Twenty-fifth and M streets this evening.

The West End Improvement club will hold a meeting next Friday evening at Cassidy hall, Twenty-sixth and R streets.

The local freshman basket ball team defeated the Bellevue sophomore class last Tuesday evening, 39 to 12, on the Bellevue floor.

A card party will be given at the Moose Home, South Omaha, Saturday afternoon, February 6, by Mrs. C. L. Altstadt. Fancy work will be given as prizes.

The Progressive club, Degree of Honor, No. 193, will be entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thompson at Twenty-third and A streets, Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Ried acting as hostesses for the occasion.

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A humorous lecture will be given at the Lefler Memorial Methodist church at Fifteenth and Madison streets, tomorrow evening at 8:15 o'clock.

THREE BIG STARS

Clara Kimball Young, Beverly Bayne and Francis X. Bushman will shine at the Besse tonight in features fit for kings.

The men of the First Methodist church cleared quite a sum of money at their dinner given at the church last Tuesday evening. The dinner was served by members of the Baraca class.

The local Order of Red Men will hold a very important meeting at their hall, Twenty-fourth and O streets this evening. Several changes in the constitution of the fraternity are up for consideration.

The Journal-Stockman reports a liberal run of horses at the yards during the last week. Because of the heavy run during the recent demand for horses by buyers from foreign countries, the price is still low.

The second basket ball team will make a trip to Plattsmouth tomorrow evening to play the high school team of that city. On the same evening the first team will play Fremont High school at Fremont.

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STOCK QUARANTINE WIDENED IN SOUTH

Kansas Won't Let Shipments Into State or from One County to Another Without Leave.

OKLAHOMA FIXES PLAGUE BAN

WINFIELD, Kan., Feb. 4.—An order prohibiting the movement of all live stock, with the exception of horses and mules, from one county in Kansas into another and from points outside the state into the state, without the permission of the department, was issued today by Taylor Tiddle, state live stock sanitary commissioner.

The purpose of the order, it was stated, was to give the state authorities complete knowledge and control of all movements of live stock until the foot and mouth disease, prevalent in four southern counties, is wiped out.

The order, which was issued upon the recommendation of the Kansas State Live Stock association, does not affect cattle in shipment to market.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okl., Feb. 4.—Oklahoma was quarantined today against live stock from all states of the union except Texas and New Mexico. The State Board of Agriculture ordered the quarantine into effect immediately to guard against introduction into this state of the foot and mouth disease lately discovered in southern Kansas counties.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 24.—Promptness in reporting symptoms of the foot and mouth disease to state and national authorities was urged as the only way to prevail epidemics by Dr. M. Dorset, head of the biochemical bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture, who spoke at the meeting of the Missouri Valley Veterinary association here today.

Dr. Dorset also told of the nation-wide campaign for the control of hog cholera that is being ushered in with experiments in sixteen counties in the United States. Pettis county, Missouri; Dallas county, Iowa, and Montgomery county, Indiana, where the work has been in progress eighteen months, provided results for comparison.

"In those three counties the increase in the number of hogs was better than 40 per cent and the death rate was decreased about 89 per cent, showing the effectiveness of the work," Dr. Dorset said.

Bulgaria Fears Trouble with Greece Over Macedonia

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Feb. 3.—(Via London.)—"The attitude here with reference to the war is one of the strictest neutrality, and the Macedonian question is the only factor giving apprehension," said the Bulgarian premier, Vasell Radoslavoff, to the Associated Press today.

"Our relations with Roumania are improving constantly; trouble from that quarter is not expected. But the Macedonian question is assuming greater proportions each day with the arrival in Bulgaria of hundreds of fugitives from those parts of Macedonia ruled by Servia and Greece, the governments of which have suppressed the Macedonian institutions, closed the schools and churches and driven off the private teachers.

"In Bulgaria at the present time there are thousands of Macedonian refugees, destitute and clamoring for aid from Bulgaria. It is impossible to say what Bulgaria's action will be. We are waiting and must wait."

The premier said that the Macedonian Turks were adding to the problem by looking to Bulgaria for deliverance from Servian and Greek "misrule." He had no comment to make on the general European situation.

New York to Vote on Amendment to Give Women Ballot

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 4.—The woman suffrage resolution passed by the legislature in 1913 was adopted in the senate today by a unanimous vote. It previously had been adopted in the assembly. The voters of the state will now be given the opportunity to vote on the question of constitutional amendment giving women the right of suffrage.

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STEAMSHIP IOWA SINKS OFF CHICAGO

Goodrich Liner Crushed by Ice Floes Three Miles Outside Harbor Goes to Bottom.

PASSENGERS TAKE TO THE ICE

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—The steamer Iowa of the Goodrich Transit company sank in Lake Michigan about three miles off the river mouth today, after being crushed by what lake men declare was the heaviest ice jam seen in years in the Chicago harbor. The crew, numbering seventy, and the one passenger clambered to the ice pack as the vessel settled and struggled over the ice hummocks to shore. Some reached the government breakwater and were rescued by tugs and others landed at different points. Those who reached safety first declared that no one had been lost.

The Iowa, beaten back from the Chicago harbor Tuesday night, made a fresh start from Milwaukee last night and with the Racine and other vessels, was caught in the ice floes off the harbor here this morning.

The vessel, valued at $150,000, carried a miscellaneous cargo from $50,000 to $75,000 in value. Officials of the company said it was fully insured.

Groh Is Improving.

Second Baseman Heine Groh of the Reds is improving very rapidly and will soon be able to return to his home in Rochester. John Dodge of the Nashville team has decided to remain in Cincinnati until March 1, which he will report for spring practice.

Mat Battle

For the Heavyweight Championship of the World and a Purse of $2,000.
JESS WESTERGARD, American Champion, vs. YOUSSIFF HUSSANE, The Terrible Turk.
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