

BRINGING UP FATHER

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BASE BALL MEET IS ON TOMORROW

Committee to Put the Finishing Touches to Settlement Will Assemble Then.

COMMISSION AT CINCINNATI

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 3.—The committee appointed at the recent meeting of the base ball peace conference here to settle the dispute between the Federal and International leagues will meet here next Wednesday at noon. This decision was reached at a meeting of the members of the National commission here today. The committee, composed of President James A. Gilmore of the Federal league, President Edward Barrows of the International league, a representative of the Baltimore Federal league club, a representative of the Buffalo Federal league club, and the members of the National base ball commission.

Various Matters Up.

At the meeting here today various matters that have to do with the readjustment of base ball affairs to conform with the recent treaty of peace were discussed informally, and other than the announcement that the date and place of the committee meeting had been fixed, no news of a definite character came from the meeting room.

It is known semi-officially, however, that the waiver question, insofar as it concerns the Federal league players, was taken up, thoroughly gone into, and then laid over to be decided finally by the joint committee on Wednesday.

It is also known that there are a number of small matters that will be decided one way or the other at the meeting of the joint committee, other than the waiver question and the International league dispute.

Not of Importance.

What these matters are was not allowed to be divulged, but one man high in base ball circles said:

"It is natural that there are a number of details that are bound to conflict when peace is declared between two bodies. None of these details are of importance other than that they must be attended to. The two big questions to come up, of course, will be that of the dispute between the International league and the Federal league, and the waiver question. Insofar as the former is concerned, I can say very little, but in regard to the waiver question I believe this will be decided quickly after the situation is explained to all of those concerned."

Another meeting of the National commission will be held tomorrow and it is probable that the officers for the year will be chosen at that time.

RICHARDS MEN MEET TO SUGGEST CANDIDATES

PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—R. O. Richards was the active center of the meeting of the minority republican proposal men held in this city today, under the provisions of the old "Richards primary act," which selected a list of "minority" republican candidates and declared a platform of principles.

One of the features of the meeting is the list of delegates selected for candidates to represent the state at the national republican convention in Chicago, the selections being: C. N. Herold, Aberdeen; Coe I. Crawford, Huron; W. H. Bonham, Deadwood; R. J. Gamble, Sioux Falls; S. H. Elrod, Clark; C. M. Day, Sioux Falls; A. R. Brown, Canton; E. S. Bronson, Webster; M. R. Masterville, Watertown; R. A. Storm, Brookings.

The list is selected as candidates without any instructions.

The selections as candidates for supreme court judges are: R. B. Tripp of Ranken and F. G. Bohri of Clark. Mr. Richards has agreed to allow the use of his name as the selection for governor, and other selections are: Auditor, J. E. Handlin of Sturgis; treasurer, D. D. Wipf of Parkton; land commissioner, A. Hoffman of Leola; attorney general, H. J. Bushfield of Miller; railway commissioner, R. J. Murphy, Perkins county; secretary of state, C. E. Coyne, Stansbury county.

Congressional selections are: C. H. Dillon of Yankton, J. W. Parnley of Ipswich and J. R. Cass of Gregory county. The ticket motto is "Peace and Let the People Rule," following a platform which declares against the democratic program of military preparedness, with its enormous expense and idle class, and denounces the republican majority for attempting to set aside the right of the people to rule on laws and officials, through their votes, at all times.

The democrats adopted a platform endorsing the administration of President Wilson, for extension of rural free delivery, strict policy of conservation of natural resources, for a system of rural credits to facilitate farmers' loans, and greater reforms in state affairs. They headed their delegation for the national convention with Ed E. Johnson, and among the others on the list are Charles N. Cooper, Andrew E. Lee and Robert E. Dowdell.

The attendance at their meeting was very light. Not desiring to choose between possible aspirants for governor they they placed on the list Arnold E. Ellis.

YANKS AFTER CHICAGO STAR



JIMMY ARCHER.

CHICAGO, Jan. 3.—Charles Weeghman, new chief owner of the Chicago Cubs, says that Captain Huston and Colonel Ruppert, owners of the New York Yankees, have made offers for some of his stars, including the veteran catcher, Jimmy Archer. Fletcher, Flack and Zwilling are also understood to be on the Yankees' wanted list, but Weeghman says he will not let any of them go. Flack and Zwilling were two of the star-Federal outfielders last year, while Archer is considered by many to be the greatest catcher in base ball.

a young Huron resident, who is not expected to go to the close of the campaign and embarrass any real candidate.

To Test if German Can Be Taught Here

LINCOLN, Jan. 3.—Argument was begun today in the Nebraska supreme court to test the constitutionality of the law providing for the teaching of German in the public schools. The case is one of appeal from the lower court, which declared the school board at Nebraska City had no option in the matter, but must provide for the teaching of the German language whenever a certain number of patrons made the request. The law generally has been regarded as a dead letter, but with the outbreak of the European war, interest in it was revived, and the Nebraska City school board was asked to enforce it. It refused and on a mandamus suit the district court upheld the law. The board, in turn, appealed to the higher court. One of the features of the suit is that while German-Americans are insisting on the enactment being obeyed, three members of the school board of German descent are the most pronounced in refusing to enforce the law.

Sale of Steamship Eastland Confirmed

CHICAGO, Jan. 3.—The sale of the steamer Eastland for \$46,000 to Captain Edward A. Evers of the Illinois Naval Reserve was confirmed today by Federal Judge Landis. An attorney for his claimants assigns the hull on behalf of the estates of victims of the disaster when the excursion ship overturned in the Chicago river last July, opposed the approval of the sale. He asserted that the vessel was worth at least \$125,000. Captain Evers said that the work of rebuilding the vessel to fit it for a training ship for the reserves would be speedily begun.

He Could Hardly Go. "About two years ago I got down on my back until I hardly could go," writes Solomon Bequette, Flat River, Mo. "I got a 6c box of Foley Kidney Pills and they straightened me right up." Common symptoms of kidney trouble are backache, headache, rheumatic pains, soreness and stiffness, puffiness under eyes, blurred vision, sleep disturbing bladder troubles, and a languid, tired feeling. Foley Kidney Pills help to eliminate the poisonous waste matter that causes these symptoms. Sold everywhere.—Advertisement.

TINKER FLASHES HIS SELLING LIST

Has Thirty-Three Athletes on Block in Case Weeghman Gets the Cubs.

NO BAR AGAINST HAL CHASE

CHICAGO, Jan. 3.—The Pittsburgh Nationals through Manager Callahan today opened negotiations for some of the players on the list of the Chicago Nationals and Chicago Federals. Callahan said he wanted a pitcher, catcher, outfielder and infielder.

Manager Tinker, it was learned today, has sent to each American and National league manager a list of thirty-three players he would be willing to trade providing the sale of the Cubs goes through. Tinker proposes to hold twenty-two of his players, fourteen of them being Whales last year and eight Cubs.

Those for Sale.

The players Manager Tinker would put on the market are:

- Pitchers—Pierce, Humphries, Adams, Douglas, Schott, Bobbins, Wright, Standridge, Hogg (Cubs); Brennan and Anderson (Whales).
- Infielders—Keating, Schultz, McLarry, Phelan, Fisher (Cubs); Beck, Farrell, Hauser, Frite, Westeral, Pechous, Welas and Johnson (Whales).
- Outfielders—Williams, Good, Kneisely, Allison, Murray (Cubs); Hanford (Whales).
- Catchers—Breenahan, Hargrave, Wallace (Cubs).

Those to be retained are: Pitchers—Vaughn, Zabel (Cubs); Brown, McConnell, Bailey, Prendergast and Hendrix (Whales); Zimmermann, Mulligan, McCarthy (Cubs); Doolan, Zelder and Tinker (Whales).

Outfielders—Schulte (Cubs); Flack, Zwilling and Mann (Whales). Catchers—Archer (Cubs); Wilson, Fletcher and Clemens (Whales). Tinker's list did not include Pitcher Lavender in either those he expected to trade or sell or those he wanted to keep, but some time ago he was quoted as saying Lavender probably would be retained. Williams will be offered to Cincinnati in a trade for Groh, it is said.

No Bar Against Chase.

Hal Chase, the first baseman who left the Chicago Americans in midseason to join the Buffalo Federals, will find no bar raised against him by Owner Comiskey of the White Sox, who said today that Manager Rowland was free to sign any player from the Federal league whom he wanted and could get.

Herzog Wants Corridon.

Report has it that Manager Charley Herzog of the Cincinnati Reds wants

Just an Earful

By Tad

Toothpick Kelly was a white ho po. He sailed into Frisco one day from up north. He had about four bits and a great desire to be a champion. He walked down Market street with his six feet two of muscle topped by a solid ivory dome and attracted the eye of Spider Kelly, the great hander.

Spider lured Toothpick into a soda store, had him sign a contract for ten years and then gave him some lessons in boxing.

A week later Spider had Toothpick signed up with a big black mauler called the Congo Thunderbolt. The latter was noted as a terrific hitter, but a heck boxer. Spider Kelly knew this, but his charge was aware of nothing except that he knew when meals should be served. He was dead from the neck up.

The night of the fight came and Spider with his man mountain entered the ring. The Toothpick towered over his manager as the Singer building does over a flivver.

The Toothpick's instructions were to stay away and box the black charger and never to mix.

The bell rang and the ebony war rior smacked Kelly right on the centerboard. The latter felt his nose. It was bleeding, and it was swollen. He stepped back for a spring and then took it and the wildest mixup ever seen in the west was on.

Spider Kelly from the corner howled like a mad man: "Stay away, you bonehead."

There was no stop to our hero, however. Reeling and groggy he was swinging like a gate. Spider Kelly was howling like a Comanche and white with rage.

At the bell the man mountain reeled to his corner bloody and tired. Spider Kelly met him as he took a load off his feet and squatted in the chair. The Spider pulled back and slapped the man mountain right across the mouth. To the surprise of everyone the Toothpick started to weep. "In the next round you do as I tell you," piped the Spider, and the Toothpick did.



John Corridon from Louisville to play second base for him next year.

Coughs and Colds Are Serious. Don't disregard your cold. You sneeze—cough—are feverish—nature's warning. Dr. King's New Discovery will cure you. All druggists.—Advertisement.

A "For Sale" ad will turn second-hand furniture into cash.

NEW YORK MAN SECOND IN SCOTCH MARATHON

EDINBURGH, Scotland, Jan. 3.—The Powderhall Marathon, fifteen miles, was won today by G. McCrea of Scotland, who finished twelve yards ahead of Hans Hillmer of New York, second. The winner's time was 1:13:45. Hillmer won in 1914 and was third in last year's race.

RUSSIANS ADVANCE BEYOND THE STRIPA

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No doubt the result of these operations will have an important effect on the Balkan campaign, especially in their influence on the future plans of Roumania. It is reported with increasing frequency that the central powers are planning an attack on Saloniki, but they are said to be experiencing difficulties with Bulgaria which, according to these reports, does not wish to participate in such a campaign unless it promises something more than the expulsion of the allies from Saloniki.

England awaits with the greatest interest details regarding the bill for compulsory military service which Premier Asquith will introduce in the House of Commons Wednesday. It is announced that Ireland will come within the scope of the bill.

French Official Report.

PARIS, Jan. 3.—The war office tonight issued the following statement:

"In Belgium a bombardment by our field artillery and trench mortars against groups of the enemy in the region of the Dunes caused heavy damage. Two fire towers were started and two munitions depots were blown up.

"In the Argonne the fire of our batteries dispersed a body of Germans moving upon the road from Avoncourt to Maloncourt.

"On the heights of the Meuse in the forest of Chaveliers a heavy cannonade directed against the enemy's trenches caused the destruction of several block-houses.

"In the afternoon two shells fell in Nancy. The enemy's gun from which they came was immediately taken under our fire.

"In the region of Hartmanns-Wellerkopf the enemy carried on a violent bombardment, following which our troops retired along a front of 300 meters on the western side of the ravine to the south of Rehfelden. The enemy did not attempt any attack with infantry.

"The official Belgian statement says that nothing in particular has transpired outside of the customary artillery struggles."

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