

BRINGING UP FATHER

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PIVOT BLOW LEGAL IN THE ANTIPODES

No Rule Against La Blanche, as It Is Known, in Australia as in This Country.

While the conduct of boxing in Australia in many ways is admirable, it would appear the officials there are guilty of a step backward in permitting the use of the pivot blow.

In answer to a query as to whether the pivot or La Blanche blow was barred, W. F. Corbett, speaking for Australia, said: "The La Blanche blow is not barred so far as I know, anywhere. It is certainly not barred in Australia."

Dangerous Attack. "The objections to the La Blanche blow are that once it is sent out on its mission, there is no knowing where or how it might finish, as occasionally when starting the effort the user of this attack has his back more or less to the boxer whose destruction is aimed at."

"No matter how accurately the situation might be gauged beforehand, if it is possible to gauge it at all, considering the position the deliverer of the blow is in, he might, through his antagonist shifting backward or forward, make contact with the side of the hand, the wrist or the elbow, in which case he would run the risk of being disqualified. It is for this reason that the blow should rarely be used. Bringing it into service involves too much risk."

"I have heard people talking about the La Blanche blow being barred, and I have also heard the use of the La Blanche blow hooted. But there was not, and there is not now, any justification for protest in this connection."

Risk to Deliverer. "If a boxer cares to run the risk he is perfectly at liberty to bring the pivot punch into action, and if when it gets out of control, as it unquestionably must, at the height of its swing, and the elbow or wrist lands instead of the padded fist, then the referee should immediately disqualify the offender—not for bringing a La Blanche blow to bear, but for delivering the punch foully."

Veteran Ring Referee Reported to Be Dying

New York, Nov. 1.—Charlie White, known throughout the country as a referee of important boxing bouts, who has been ill for a number of months of a complication of diseases, was reported today to be dying at his home.

Battling Levinsky Has Better of Zulu Kid in Bout

Montreal, Nov. 1.—Battling Levinsky of New York outwitted Zulu Kid of Brooklyn in every round of a ten-round bout under the auspices of the Canadian Hockey club of Sohmer Park here tonight.

"War Babies" Fall in N. Y. Market; Italian Loss Fault

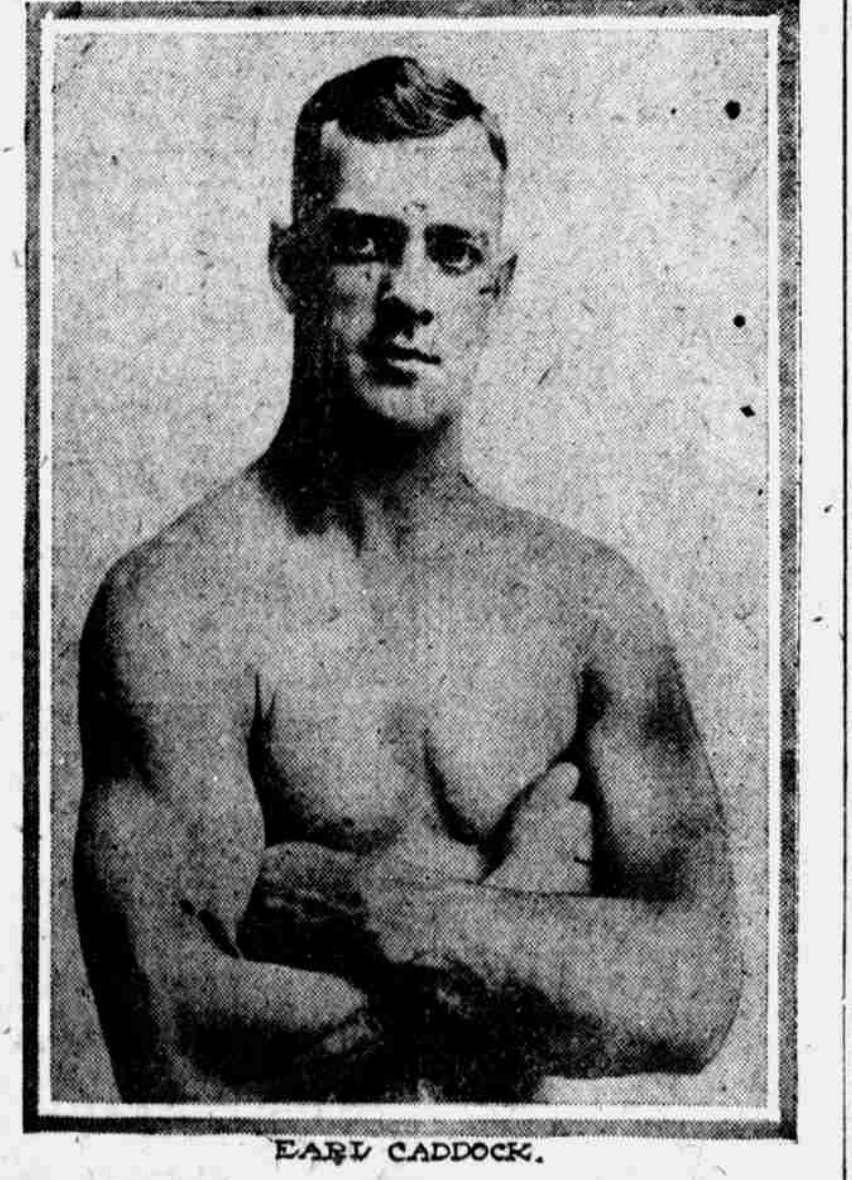
New York, Nov. 1.—Prices crumbled again in the stock market today, shares of recognized value as well as speculative issues falling to lowest levels of the year.

The same influences which recently provoked feverish liquidation were again operative. The Italian situation and the enormous tax exactions of the federal government as shown by the heavy appropriations made by railroads and industrial corporations were the principal factors.

Other industrials, including the prominent war issues, were 2 to 5 points under yesterday's final quotations. Rails also were offered in such volume as to suggest further enforced liquidation, investment shares yielding 2 to 4 points up to none. Sales were estimated at 650,000 shares.

Persistent Advertising Is the Road to Success.

Earl Caddock to Meet Hussane On Mat At Des Moines This Month



Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 1.—Earl Caddock of Anita, Ia., defending his claim to the world's wrestling championship.

East and West Whisters of Prairie Park Are Winners

The Prairie Park Whist club meet Monday night resulted as follows: East and West. Abbott and Reynolds 221 King and Bruce 213 Nelson and Dreyfus 210 Ellis and Martin 211

Quimet Goes Down Before Guilford and Wright

Newton, Mass., Nov. 1.—Francis Quimet, western amateur golf champion, paired with Frank McNamara, a professional, met defeat here today when Jesse Guilford, Massachusetts amateur champion, and Fred J. Wright, Jr., the western junior champion, won a 36 hole foursome at the Woodland club by five and four.

Weegham Urges 140-Game Schedule for Next Year

Chicago, Nov. 1.—Charles W. Weegham, president of the Chicago

RED FABER PRIZE FROM THE WESTERN

Eastern Ivory Hunters Looked at Him Long Time Before They Decided He Was Worth Trial.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 1.—A \$1,500 pitcher won the 1917 world's championship, added \$115,000 to the coffers of the Chicago White Sox club and made Charles A. Comiskey, owner of a team in line to pick up many more thousands during the coming season.

Urban Faber, known in polite baseball circles as Red, is the hurler whom Comiskey purchased for a pittance. In 1913 Faber was pitching for the local team in the Western league and was making opposing batsmen look like revolving storm doors.

While the Des Moines hurler, assisted by Clint Rogge, was pitching Des Moines into second place Frank Isbell and Tom Fairweather, owners, were trying to peddle him to divers ivory hunters who frequent these parts every summer.

Scouts Pass Up Faber.

The scouts were perfectly willing to follow Des Moines about the circuit and give Faber the up and down, but when it came to buying him there was nothing doing. Absolutely nothing! Faber had been in the major league once, had been weighed in scales of a spring training trip and found wanting. Their employers didn't send them out to look for has-beens or men who had failed in former years.

Meantime Frank Isbell raved. He knew Faber was a major league pitcher, and, besides, he needed the money. A major league pitcher wouldn't do him any good and the money would. The time for the draft drew near and it was a certainty some major league club or some class AA club would draft Faber. In those days the draft price was only \$1,000.

War Tax on Foot Ball Games and Dances

George L. Loomis, collector of internal revenue in Omaha, last night received notice from Washington that football games and dances are subject to the war tax on amusements. The tax will be the same as on theater admissions—10 per cent.

Indians Wallop Soldiers in Eight-Inning Ball Game

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 1.—The Cleveland Americans today defeated a team from the 145th United States infantry, Ohio National Guard division, 19 to 7. Sixteen errors and 31 hits were made by the two clubs in the eight innings played. Practically every man on the Cleveland team took turns in pitching to the soldiers.

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Norway Turns Over Large Amount of Sugar to U. S.

Washington, Nov. 1.—The Norwegian government, denied permission to export a large amount of sugar purchased here, has turned over the entire quantity to the food administration for distribution to dealers. The sugar was sold to the government at actual cost, which is considerably less than the present market value.

STATE RED CROSS CONVENTION ENDS

Closing Sessions Devoted to General Discussion of Work by Leaders of Central Division.

The Nebraska Red Cross convention closed its session at the Hotel Fontenelle Thursday afternoon and the delegates left for their homes early in the evening.

No business of importance relative to the association came before the conference, the entire time being chiefly devoted to a general discussion of the work by leaders of the Red Cross from the headquarters of the Central Division in Chicago.

J. F. Dillman of Chicago led a general discussion of civilian relief and accounting. Mr. Dillman outlined cases the Red Cross should endeavor to care for, urging members when in doubt of a charity case to accept it rather than refuse.

The general purpose of the conference, that of informing the delegates of the latest methods being adopted by the Red Cross to further its war work, and getting the members better acquainted is believed by Red Cross officers of the Nebraska chapter to have accomplished its purpose.

Britain Awaits Maiden Speech Of New Sea Lord

London, Nov. 1.—Unusual interest within and without Parliament attaches to the statement in regard to the navy, which is to be made in the House of Commons this afternoon by Sir Eric Geddes, first lord of the admiralty. It will be Sir Eric's first statement in regard to his department and also his first address in Parliament, and never has a maiden speech been awaited with keener anticipation.

Naval affairs have been to the fore in the last few weeks. There has been much outspoken criticism of the conduct of the admiralty, especially since the successful German attack on a convoy in the North Sea.

A section of the press, supported by certain retired naval officers of high standing, is carrying on a campaign with the object of ousting Admiral Sir John Jellicoe as first sea lord. The admiral has been the subject of attacks for his alleged lack of strategic ability and insufficiently forward policy.

The admiral's defenders in other sections of the press, as well as among his colleagues in the Parliament, have been equally emphatic in his support.

Evidences of Royalist Move Found in Paris

Paris, Wednesday, Oct. 31.—The Temps prints what is apparently an inspired statement of the government's proceedings against the royalist newspaper, L'Action Francaise, whose editor, Leon Daudet, recently made charges of treason against Louis J. Malvy, former minister of the interior. It says that the government has received information leading it to believe that the royalist movement was preparing to act against the government.

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EXPLAINS WORK OF ECONOMIC AGENTS

Mrs. A. E. Davison of Washington, D. C., Tells How Solving of Home Problems Will Help Win War.

Why congress passed the emergency educational and demonstrational bill, providing for urban and rural agents, after the Hoover food control went into effect, was explained to representatives of all women's clubs in the city council chamber Thursday afternoon, by Mrs. A. E. Davison of Washington, D. C., formerly with the home economics department of the state university.

Mrs. Davison gave concrete examples of the work these agents will do—solving home problems, planning menus, distributing household budgets, making over old clothing and co-operating with the Red Cross in civilian relief work. The Lincoln agent has started a fuel conservation campaign. Local furnace men have opened their shops to teach women how to bank fires and operate drafts in order to save coal. Shutting off unused rooms to save heat is also advocated.

Feel Responsibility.

Extravagant though women may be in their fashions, Mrs. Davison expressed the belief they would feel the responsibility of war. "You will not buy wool or wear high leather boots when these articles are needed by our soldiers and you will not eat too much candy or sweets when you realize our men abroad will enjoy it more."

Mrs. Davison advocated the establishment of skim-milk stations; the continued support of home charities despite contributions to war funds; the support of hot school lunch systems; conservation of national resources, abandonment of hunting to save ammunition and game; saving the birds in order that they may protect food from insects and—the extermination of rats and mice—all conservation methods.

G. W. Wattle, federal food administrator; Miss Maud Wilson of Lincoln, home director; and Mrs. F. H. Cole were other speakers.

Minotto Hearing May Be Extended; New Evidence In

Chicago, Nov. 1.—New leads for further disclosures in the case of Count James Minotto, charged with pro-German activities and at liberty under \$50,000 bond, made it probable today that the hearing, which was expected to be concluded before night, would be extended for 10 days or more.

Dr. Percy L. Prentiss, Chicago immigration commissioner, and C. H. Paul, inspector, before whom the hearing yesterday was held, refused to disclose any of the reasons for the continuation.

These officials also refused to divulge the nature of the testimony adduced from Mrs. Ethel Eldridge, wife of Chauncey Eldridge, a New York engineer, who appeared as a witness after it was learned she was acquainted with Minotto during his sojourn in South America, at which time it is charged he was on intimate terms with Count von Luxburg, the German ambassador to Argentina, whose intrigues recently threatened the neutrality of Sweden.

"FOUR-MINUTE" MEN BUSY AT THEATERS

Will Finish Campaign in Interest of Food Pledge Drive This Week; Boy Scouts Assist Speakers.

Batteries of "Four-Minute" men working in the food pledge campaign, speaking nightly at the downtown theaters, will wind up their campaign this week, but the work of this week is not expected to end their usefulness in the food conservation plans being worked out by Food Administrator Hoover. The speaking program of the Omahans, who will talk from the stages of the theaters nightly during the balance of the week follows:

Friday night: Boyd, J. T. Votava; Brandeis, E. A. Benson; Empress, D. C. Patterson; Tipp, R. D. Neely; Gayety, R. M. Grossman; Muse, W. A. Horton; Orpheum, Kelso A. Morgan; Strand, W. E. Fraser; Sun, R. A. Van Orsdel.

Saturday matinee: Boyd, Philip E. Horan; Brandeis, E. A. Benson; Empress, D. C. Patterson; Hipp, R. D. Neely; Gayety, Kelso A. Morgan; Muse, Henry Monksy; Orpheum, Charles H. Marley; Strand, R. A. Van Orsdel; Sun, R. M. Switzer.

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Must Keep Faith.

At each of the theaters and at each of the meetings, during an interim in the performances, the speakers in four-minute speeches will drive home the necessity of signing the food card pledges, and the further necessity of keeping faith in the pledges.

Food pledge cards will not be distributed in the theaters, but in the lobby of each house visited by the "Four-Minute" men, Boy Scouts will be stationed and as the people pass out, the cards will be handed to them to be signed.

Parties signing the food pledge cards will receive membership window cards. These are in colors of the United States and attractive.

Swiss Mission Bids Good-Bye To President; Work Ended

Washington, Nov. 1.—Relations between the United States and Switzerland have been placed upon a firmer basis of mutual understanding in the belief of members of the Swiss mission, who today called upon President Wilson to say goodbye. Many misunderstandings, some due to hostile influences, members of the mission stated, have been removed.

German Goods Bought Before War to Be Shipped Here

Washington, Nov. 1.—Approximately \$4,000,000 worth of German products, piled upon the wharves at Rotterdam, will be permitted to move to America. The State department has secured from the British foreign office permission to ship merchandise consigned to American importers and paid for prior to the entrance of the United States into the war.

With the Bowlers

Table listing bowling scores for various leagues and clubs, including Special Ladies' Match, City National Bank, Council Bluffs, Omaha State Bank, Omaha, Mercantile League, Nebraska CLO. Co., and Central Furniture.

Change of Location advertisement for Rock Island, featuring text about the city ticket office and freight office, and the Rock Island logo.