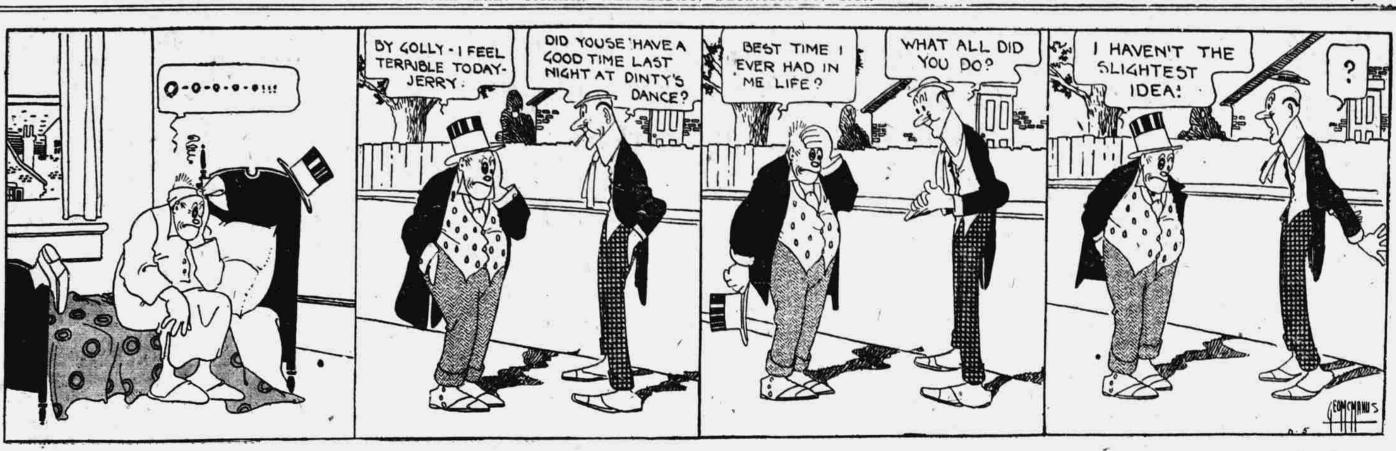
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WRESTLING LAW **UNDERGOES TEST**

New City Ordinance Regulating Mat Game in Omaha to Be Put to Test Friday Night.

That Omaha wresting fans are cager to learn the feasibility of the new city ordinance regulating wresting is manifested by the brisk demand for seats to the Joe Stecher-Charlie Peters match which will be held at

the Auditorium Friday night.

The tier the new ordinance, the city guarantees any wrestling match permitted to be held in this city. The Stecher-Peters match is the first to he held under this new ordinance and it will be a kind of test match by which the fans may learn whether or not the ordinance gives them the protection they should have.

The city is handling all of the money for this match. Promoter Jack Lewis conducts all the business affairs with the exception of the coin itself. That is all handled by city employes and not one cent of it will be turned over to Lewis until the match terminates

satisfactorily Post Forfeits.

Lewis also was compelled to take out a permit to stage the event and lile the articles of agreement between the competing gladiators with the city council. Stecher and Peters also posted \$500 forfeits that the bout would conclude to the satisfaction of, the city's representatives.

Tickets which are being sold for loss is the war tax which, of course, cannot be covered by a city ordinance. Seats Selling Fast.

The seat sale opened Monday night and already half of the house has been sold out. Papillion fans took Anderson 500 tickets right off the bat. Auburn, Neb., sent in an order for a block of seats and many mail orders have been received from out of town devotees of the mat game.

The match, in addition to being the first staged under the new city ordinance, is the first big wrestling event Omaha at which popular prices charged, in many years. Instead the usual \$5 top, which the bonecrushers have been getting, \$2 is the highest price of admission and half of the seats sell at \$1.

BILL ESSICK TO BUY ST. JOSEPH **BALL FRANCHISE**

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—William Essick, "Vinegar Bill," owner and manager of the bond of \$2,500, and Edward Slattery Grand Rapids team of the Central on a bond of \$1,000. league, is to buy the St. Joseph base ball team, according to announcement to contain certain materials, but the made here today and coming direct from President Dickerson, who has regotiated the deal which brings Essick here to take the Holland hold-

According to this statement Essick will co-operate with Ed Hanlon in purchasing the club, although this seems to be dependent upon conditions which have not been met. But it is certain that Essick himself will come and will manage the club next

Holland is in Kansas City and could not be reached today, but at his former offices here business friends said they had known of the deal. Essick is a former Cincinnati and Kansas. City pitcher and is well known in base ball circles everywhere.

Four-Club League Looms a California Prospect

The proposition making the Pacific Coast league a California outfit from crown to bootstrap, with four clubs series of six, will be one of the mis to come before the annual meeting of the league's directors in Los Angeles on December 17. There will be several other interesting numbers on the program for the meeting, one of the principal ones being a proposition to further decrease salary limits in order that clubs may be guaranteed a margin when the last bat is tucked in the locker.

Another item will be the proposal to shorten the league season at least two weeks, which would bring the campaign to an end about the middle of next October. The claim is made that interest in base ball lags after the world series, and that minors conduct their seasons after that period

only at a great financial sacrifice.

The outstanding proposition, of course, is the dyed-in-the-wool California league. Portland appears to be definitely out on account of transportation expenses. This argument also applies to Salt Lake City, and besides, the wiseacres say, Sacramento is about ready to purchase its er interest in the Salt Lake City franchise. This would leave San Francisco, Oakland, Sacramento and Los Angeles as the clubs with Vernon forced out on account of its position a fifth club

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Hat Men Charged With

Conspiracy to Defraud

New York, Dec. 4.-Conspiracy to

out of hundreds of thousands of dol-

lars on contracts for more than 1,000,-

Arthur C. Gilson and Peter J. Duf-

in the indictment.

The four first named defendants

The hats, under the contracts, were

product turned out by the manufac-

turers, it is alleged, was not up to specifications. The hats were for the

Established in the Crimea

London, Dec. 4 .- The establish-

ment of a Tartar republic in the

Crimea is announced, according to

he Petrograd correspondent of the

Times, who adds that details are un-

known. In this connection the cor-

respondent refers to the declaration

of independence made by the Cauca-

sus and the secession of Siberia. He

declares it is difficult to say where

the process of disintegration will end,

It appears to cause little concern to

the politicians in power, who are wholly absorbed in the peace pro-

The Crimea, a peninsula projecting into the Black sea, is the scene of the Crimean war. It is about 9,900

square miles in area and has a population of about 400,000, most of

whom are Tartars. There are also

Greeks, Germans and Bulgarians, The Tartars settled there in the thir-

Washington, Dec. 4 .- A joint reso-

lution to establish an American legion

of honor and to permit American sol-

diers to receive decorations for gal-

lant service from foreign nations was

introduced today by Senator Owen. The legion would consist of 200

named by the president, with con-

firmation by the senate, who had per-

formed distinctive war service in con-

nection with military operations or

otherwise. It provides for ribbons or

other decorations to be selected by

the president and for a cross of valor.

Police Arrest Man and Charge

With the arrest of William Mc-

Kenna police say they have the man

who held up and robbed George Cor-

rigan, Creighton medical student, last Thursday night. Corrigan "positively identified" McKenna as the stickup

Him With Holdup Job

Legion of Honor

Would Establish American

teenth century.

Tartar Republic Has Been

Totals....746 856 776 2376 Totals...569 543 522 1634 man. The student lost \$17 and a

Case Against Harvard _Doctor Dismissed by Court

cigarette case.

defraud the United States government The case against Dr. Fletcher A. 000 service hats is charged in an in-Butler of Harvard, Neb., charged with dictment returned today against Wil-liam B. Thom, John J. Slattery, Jo-seph Ives and Edward Slattery, con-nected with the corporation of Thom & Bailey, the Peekskill Hat Manufac- neys for Dr. Butler entered a plea in turing company and H. D. Parmelee bar on the ground that Dr. Butler had been tried before in federal court on the same charge. Judge Munger susfy, inspectors of the quartermaster's tained the plea. The former case corps, are named as co-conspirators against Dr. Butler was dismissed by the judge after the government's evientered pleas of not guilty. Thomas and John J. Slattery were released on bonds of \$5,000 each; Ives on a



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MINISTER'S SON WRITES FROM FRANCE

Corporal Bernard Slocumb Tells of Scenes "Over There;" Says Men Are in Best of Health.

Corporal Bernard Slocumb, whose member of the 35th aviation squad, tickets, advertising, etc. this branch of the service is rather uncertain as to how often a fellow Slocumb's letter was uncensored

and read in part as follows: "When I received your last letter I had not received one for five weeks and then got 22 in a bunch.
"Wish I was home today—it seems like I have been away for years. But I am away in a good cause and if I slip and fall over here—it will never hurt my feelings, as a fellow has only one life and only a few chances to show his wares.

Views Old Tombs.

"The ancient things you see in this country sure are well worth a felow's time. Saw tombs like you see in the Bible, some of them with the

date 1010.

"We have seen old statues with their heads shot off by the Boches on their invasion of the country, Also saw the old paintings of Napoleon's "We are all in the best of health.

216 The Young Men's Christian association is a Godsend to a soldier. The is the best thing out for a soldier away from home.

in Riverview park for yours truly." Bernard Slocumb enlisted in May. His father now lives in Loup City,

Failed to Claim Exemption

the troops ship to stop while the in the event of Greece becoming a youth was taken aboard a tug and re-turned to an Atlantic port. He had scheme for which the first survey was not claimed the exemption to which made in the years 600 B. C.-London he was entitled.

Army Grid Game Receipts \$11,000; War Tax Puzzles Committee

included the rent of the lumber for McCabe Methodist church, is now a cials, premium on liability insurance, gymnasium funds.

FALLING WIRE CABLE KILLS 8; SHOCKS OTHERS

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 4.-Eight men were electrocuted and three suffered severe electric shocks when a wire the plant of the Anheuser Busch Brewing company broke today and fell on a Union Electric cable

Some Years Between Canal Project and Completion

The proposal to construct a canal between the Forth and the Clyde for great ocean-going vessels is by no means a recent one. The Romans built a wall across the same line, but history says nothing about a canal. Nevertheless, the idea has been mooted for at least a century, and the

canal has not been commenced yet. The Kiel canal, made famous as the hiding place of the great German Throw a few peanuts to the bears fleet, was talked about in the days of Napoleon, but it is only a recent years that it has been completed. No fewer than four centuries elapsed between the conception of the

Panama canal and its completion. It was one of the earliest ideas of the And Was Ordered Ashore old Spanish and Portuguese navigators, seeing that it cuts off thousands. Chicago, Dec. 4.—After having been of miles on the way to the Pacific, 100 miles at sea on his way to France. The completion in 1893 of the canal Ervin Sweiger is back in his home in across the Isthmus of Corinth this city. A wireless message ordered which would come into prominence

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Descriptive Circular on Request

Answers.

Receipts of the Camp Dodge- fied Chairman Vincent C. Hascall Camp Function foot ball game staged that he has received a ruling from the at Creighton field. Saturday totaled war tax commissioner that the war \$11,462, according to the financial re- tax of 10 per cent applies on this port of the committee in charge of game the game, just made public.

Expenses were \$2,331.71. This sum dollars less than \$4,000 will be turned If the war tax must be paid a few

over to each camp from the game. If the temporary stands, erection of the the war tax is escaped \$4,565.14 will father was a former minister of the temporary stands, expenses of offi-

It is feared, however, that the com-not understood in Omaha, as Kansas "somewhere in France." He has written a letter to his folks, declarmittee will not be able to turn over City did not have to pay the local coming "at present things look like we the \$9,130.29 net to the two canton- its army game, and the local comwill be over here for several years ments for their gymnasium funds, as if we are lucky that long. You know. Revenue Collector Loomis has noti- Washington before paying it.

Canadian Pacific Earnings Reach New High Record

Montreal, Dec. 4 .- Preliminary re turns of the Canadian Pacific railway's gross earnings for November show that a new high record for any month in the company's history has been established. The weekly state-ments for November give a gross of \$14,942,000, and it is probable when cable which the men were handling at the usual adjustments are carried, the monthly statements will top \$15,000,-000 by a good margin. The previous record for a month was \$14,733,774.





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if he can keep up the lick he has set

he may yet win his place among the

great coaches of the college game. Base Ball Man is Mayor.

Dr. Franklin R. Carson, former Central league president, has been elected mayor of South Bend, Ind.

PHOTOPLAYS. .



Last Times Today EMMY WEHLEN, in "THE OUTSIDER"

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Last Times Today ALICE JOYCE, in "A FETTERED WOMAN"

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SUBURBAN

Today-MARY PICKFORD in "THE LITTLE AMERICAN" LOTHROP 24th and Lothrop

Today—MILDRED MANNING in "The Princess of Park Row"

HIPPODROME 25th and Cuming Today-WILLIAM S. HART, in "DAKOTA DAN" Sat .- Tanks at Battle of Ancre

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