

BRINGING UP FATHER

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CHICAGO CHAMPIONS MAY REPEAT IF ROWLAND ABLE TO SMOOTH LINEUP BUMPS

Says White Sox Hit Less By War Than Other Majors and Second Because They Are "Set" for New Year While Others Still Very Uncertain.

By HUGH S. FULLERTON.

Chicago's world champion White Sox furnish just two problems, and if Manager Rowland can solve these, or if they solve themselves, the White Sox will win another championship.

wants to play third. Almost all short-stops want to play third base. It is the softest job on the field and the most spectacular, and besides it is a great arm saver.

Rowland's problem now is whether to play McMullin at third and Weaver at short, or listen to Weaver's desires, and play him at third with Risberg at short.

It is a vital problem. The question is whether McMullin is as good a ball player as he seemed to be last fall. The boy has nerve, courage, and he is a fighting, aggressive player.

One Real Pitcher.

That leaves Rowland with Cicotte, a great pitcher, Williams, a coming left hander; Danforth, untried, but one who should improve; and good old Benz, who is always trying and willing.

Faber Makes Good.

Last fall, when Cicotte attempted to carry the entire burden of the world's series and weakened when the strain thrown upon him through the failure of Russell proved too great, Faber had his chance.

Rowland Has Faith.

Rowland has faith in some of his youngsters, but no championship team can depend upon youngsters to win a pennant. Williams is improving, is getting stronger and larger and will help.

Today's Sport Calendar

Skating—International figure skating championships at New York City. Automobiles—Opening of shows at St. Joseph, Mo., Clinton, Ia., and Watertown, N. Y.

HOOP ARTISTS REACH LINCOLN FOR STATE MEET

Greatest Basket Ball Tournament in History Staged in Capital City This Week.

Lincoln, Neb., March 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Thirty Nebraska high school basket ball teams arrived in Lincoln Tuesday evening for the eighth annual state high schools basket ball tournament.

E. J. Stewart, head coach of the directing the tournament, says he expected every entry to be on hand inasmuch as there has been no cancellations.

Officials who will referee the games were announced today as follows: R. A. Cowan, Lincoln; Paul Schiesler, Hastings; Principal Jones, Union Anderson, Lincoln Young Men's Christian association; C. A. Berg, Fremont Young Men's Christian association; Cox, York Young Men's Christian association; E. W. Drawbaugh, Columbus Young Men's Christian association; Healy, Lincoln Young Men's Christian association; Robert Hager, Lincoln high school; Harold Mulligan, Omaha Central high; P. E. Lloyd, Norfolk Young Men's Christian association; Becker, Norfolk high school; Desnohied, Grand Island; John Riddell, Nebraska University; J. W. Skeen, Chardon; Ralph Thiessen, Nebraska University; R. M. Webster, Seward; Sam Waugh, Nebraska University; G. W. Kline, Nebraska Wesleyan; Jackson, Schellenberger and Spar, members of this year's State University basket ball team.

Only the first round will be played Wednesday. The second round comes Thursday, with the semi-finals reached Friday. There will be no play Friday night, but the high school boys will be entertained with moving pictures of the Nebraska foot ball games last fall, and an exhibition by the wrestling squad. The finals will be played Saturday.

OMAHA TO OPEN WESTERN SEASON AT SIOUX CITY

Des Moines, Ia., March 5.—(Formal adoption of a schedule of 140 games, with the season opening May 1 and ending September 15, was the only remaining business before the club owners of the Western league here today.

The first series of the season will bring the following teams together: St. Joseph at Des Moines; Omaha at Sioux City; Hutchinson at Wichita, and Joplin at Topeka.

E. W. Dickerson, president of the league, today said that a sufficient sale for the season had been secured at Hutchinson and Topeka to guarantee the success of the teams in those cities, and added that he looked for a good season, with all the clubs in the circuit more compact than ever before.

St. Louis Cards Start for Training Camp on Sunday. St. Louis, Mo., March 4.—The release of Tommy Long, outfielder last season with the St. Louis Nationals, to the Vernon club of the Pacific Coast league was announced tonight by Manager Jack Hendricks.

Fairbury Soldier Boys Leave for Training Camp. Fairbury, Neb., March 5.—(Special Telegram.)—The last of Jefferson county's 15 per cent of the draft, left Tuesday morning for the medical officers training camp at Fort Riley.

Seven Republican Mayors Elected in Maine Cities. Portland, Me., March 4.—Republican mayors were elected in seven of the nine cities which voted in the state today. Waterville and Bath, which were democratic last year, went republican.

YELLOW PAINT FREELY SPREAD ON BUILDINGS

Man Whose Loyalty Seems Questioned Challenges Brush Welders to Face Him Before Council of Defense.

Grand Island, Neb., March 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Resentment over an alleged remark made by Richard Goehring, jr., manager of the Hoagland Lumber company, is believed to have been a primary cause of painting the office of that company and of the Liederkranz auditorium yellow, in the management of which the Messrs. Goehring, father and son, are prominent, and in the raiding of the high school rooms and the burning of about 300 German books.

The remark in question is alleged to have been made by Goehring to a Mr. Sage and the Harrison brothers. Neither admits or denies.

Mr. Goehring admits late today that he seems to be the one at which the entire demonstration was aimed, and in the public press tonight issues this challenge:

"If there is any red blood in any of the men who did the painting last night I challenge them to face me before the Council of Defense." In addition to this Goehring denies publicly that he made any remarks as to soldiers or sailors that could properly have been taken as offensive.

Officers of the Liederkranz would not comment freely today. Over their front the flag has been flying every day for months, put up, they claim, at their own initiative. It is declared by them that they have, upon many occasions, given the use of their hall absolutely free for various war purposes.

Among recent meetings held there, for which only the usual charges were made for light, heat and rental, were the Dr. Wilbur Ray, pure food party; Chairman Burgess, district war thrift meeting; Congressman Stephens lecture and others. One member of the society today computed the subscriptions of the war thrift campaign and asserts that over half of the total

Pat Smith, Famous Gridiron Star, to Become Aviator

Chicago, March 4.—"Pat" Smith, former captain of the University of Michigan foot ball 11, will fight from the air instead of in the army, Smith,

pledged and paid has been by the 400 members of the Liederkranz.

There has been no agitation here with reference to the teaching of German in the high school in recent months, either for or against, and it is indicated that the books destroyed will be replaced by the school authorities.

who was at the Great Lakes naval training station for seven months, was granted his honorable discharge, it became known today so he could join the aviation corps.

Pilots Must Have License To Fly Near War Plants

Washington, March 4.—President Wilson today, by proclamation, made it necessary for any person flying in the vicinity of military works or any part of the country designated as a zone of war-like operation or war-like preparation to secure a license.

Hurler "Red" Faber to Escape Army Service

Chicago, March 5.—Urban "Red" Faber, star pitcher, who played an important part in bringing the world's championship to the Chicago Americans last year, is not to be drafted, according to information received by Manager Rowland. Faber's home district, Cascade, Ia., has sent enough volunteers into the army to make the calling of conscripted men unnecessary at present.

AMUSEMENTS

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AMUSEMENTS. MUSE. Today and Thursday Harold Lockwood IN "The Avenging Trail" Friday—TOM MIX.

AMUSEMENTS. Hipp. ALWAYS A GOOD SHOW. Last Times Today HARRY MOREY and GRACE DARMOND in "THE OTHER MAN".

AMUSEMENTS. LOTHROP. Today—EARLE WILLIAMS in "A MOTHER'S SIN" "VENGEANCE AND THE WOMAN".

AMUSEMENTS. HAMILTON. Today—Special Return Showing "JACK AND THE BEANSTALK" Friday and Saturday—"Birth of a Nation".

AMUSEMENTS. SUBURBAN. Today—MIRIAM COOPER in "BETRAYED".

AMUSEMENTS. G-R-A-N-D. Today, Mark Twain's Immortal Story "TOM SAWYER". Starring JACK PICKFORD.

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