

BIG CARD BILLED FOR FIGHT NIGHT AT FORT OMAHA

Denny Ryan Arranges Program of 30 Rounds of Boxing With Callahan and Ketchel in Main Event.

Athletic Director Denny Ryan of Fort Omaha announces that the athletic program for Fort Omaha Monday, December 22, is complete. He has arranged for 30 rounds of boxing and a battle royal. There will be three four-round bouts, two six-round bouts and the main event of 10 rounds.

First Four-Rounder.

Kid Lese of the Seventeenth and Young Cox of the Twenty-seventh will battle four rounds.

Shiner of the Twenty-seventh and Fienne of the Seventeenth will also go four rounds.

Young Erickson of Omaha and Sluggo Bloom of the Twenty-fourth will go on in a four round bout.

Omaha's coming lightweight, Young Spellman, will try his hand at battling Garrison, a newcomer in this territory, who comes heralded as a winner.

The semi-final will be between two local boys, who need no introduction to Omaha ring fans—Eddie Gillan, the stock yards prize, and Paddy McMahon, the fighting Irishman. These boys will go six rounds. They have had two previous encounters that have resulted in being called draws and each one declares that he is out to break the tie this time. Those who have seen them working out declare they are both in tiptop shape.

The Main Event.

The final event is a 10-round bout between Frankie Callahan of Columbus, O., and Eddie Ketchel, New York's sensational featherweight. Omaha fans have seen Callahan in action several times and know what to expect of him. He is one of the fastest men at his weight that has been seen in this country for many a day and the fact that he is under the wing of Emil Thierry, the man who brought out Packy McFarland, is sufficient to insure him a host of followers. Ketchel is billed in New York as a vest pocket addition of the late Stanley Ketchel. He is exceptionally fast and carries a k. o. in either hand. He has met some of the best feather and lightweights in the east and has two draws with Johnny Dundee, one of the few men in the country conceded a chance with Lightweight Champion Benny Leonard.

Bob Martin, A. E. F. Champ, Scores Technical Knockout

Battle Creek, Mich., Dec. 19.—Bob Martin, heavyweight champion of the American expeditionary forces, scored a technical knockout over Bill Bresnahan of Camp Custer in the first round at Camp Custer Friday. Bresnahan failed to come out of his corner for the second round.

Pacific Coast League Back-Stop Sold to Kansas City

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 19.—Ed Sweeney, catcher with the Seattle club of the Pacific Coast league last year, has been sold to the Kansas City club of the American association, it is announced. The consideration was given as \$1,000.

Lightweight Champion Wins By Knockout in Six Rounds

Memphis, Dec. 19.—Benny Leonard of New York, lightweight champion of the world, knocked out "Red" Herring of Paducah, Ky., Friday night in the sixth round of a scheduled eight-round "no decision bout."

Princeton Defeats Cornell.

Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 19.—Princeton defeated Cornell, 25 to 19, in an intercollegiate league basketball game Friday night.

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JACK LELIVELT OMAHA MANAGER FOR NEXT YEAR

Pa Rourke Buys Veteran Major League Player From Millers to Replace Jackson in Handling Team.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Jack Lelivelt, veteran major league and American association base ball player, has been obtained from the Minneapolis club to manage the Omaha Western league team next year. Bill Rourke announced here today. Lelivelt regularly was a .300 hitter in the major leagues and continued that stride after foot trouble drove him into the American association.

Owner "Pa" Rourke signed Lelivelt to manage the Rourkes for the season of 1920 on Thursday, providing the other seven clubs in the American association would grant waivers on him. The waivers were granted Friday and Lelivelt became the property of the Omaha ball club.

Professional Ten Years.

The local magnate has made a ten-strike in securing the services of Lelivelt, who has been playing professional ball for 10 years. He started in the old International league and went to Washington in the American league, going to Cleveland in a trade. An injury to his leg forced him back to the American association. He has played in the latter loop for the past five years.

During all his time in professional base ball Lelivelt has failed but once in the American league, going to Cleveland in a trade. An injury to his leg forced him back to the American association. He has played in the latter loop for the past five years.

Bought Rourke Outright.

With Lelivelt "Pa" Rourke bought Bill Weidell, the snappy shortstop of the Miller's crew, and Sandy Burke, who pitched a number of games for the locals in 1919. Sandy was sold to Omaha last year with an optional string on him. Rourke announces that he has bought him outright for the coming season.

In adding these three players to his roster and holding some of the stars of last year's Rourkes, the local owner should have a well balanced club in the field to open the 1920 season.

With the Boulders.

GREATER OMAHA LEAGUE.		
Team	Standing	W. L. Pct.
Boyer's Cafe	1	20 10 .692
Scott Tennis	2	18 12 .600
Washington Shirt Co.	3	15 15 .500
Beas Drummer	4	12 18 .400
Omaha Bicycle Co.	5	11 19 .364
World Furniture	6	10 20 .333
Paulson Motors	7	10 20 .333
Great Western Commercial	8	11 19 .444
Brown Furniture	9	12 18 .400
Billings Dental Supply	10	2 28 .067

GATE CITY LEAGUE.

G. W. L. Pct.		
Omaha Printing Co.	1	24 9 .727
Law's Inn	2	23 10 .697
Olympia Candy Kitchen	3	23 10 .697
W. B. Baker	4	22 11 .667
Boswell's Kids	5	17 16 .515
N. B. Tent & Awning	6	16 17 .484
W. B. Baker	7	15 18 .454
Guarantee Clothing	8	12 21 .363
U. S. National Bank	9	12 21 .363
Western Union	10	6 27 .181

SOUTH SIDE LEAGUE.

No. Side Cafeteria. Stock Yards Bank.		
Chadd	1	24 9 .727
Whipple	2	23 10 .697
Thomas	3	22 11 .667
Blakes	4	17 16 .515
Total	2308	
Koucky-Favlik	1	23 10 .697
Hancock	2	22 11 .667
W. Baker	3	21 12 .636
C. Baker	4	21 12 .636
Harrison	5	21 12 .636
Handicap	6	20 13 .606
Total	2344	

MERCANTILE LEAGUE.

City Hall. Koppo Bros.		
Thomas	1	493 419 .541
South	2	481 431 .524
Black	3	479 433 .521
Grotto	4	471 441 .515
Handicap	5	461 451 .505
Total	2445	
Neu. Clothing Co.	1	467 483 .487
Tomau	2	469 481 .491
Aznok	3	469 481 .491
Vetter	4	468 482 .491
Straw	5	468 482 .491
Harrison	6	461 489 .484
Handicap	7	461 489 .484
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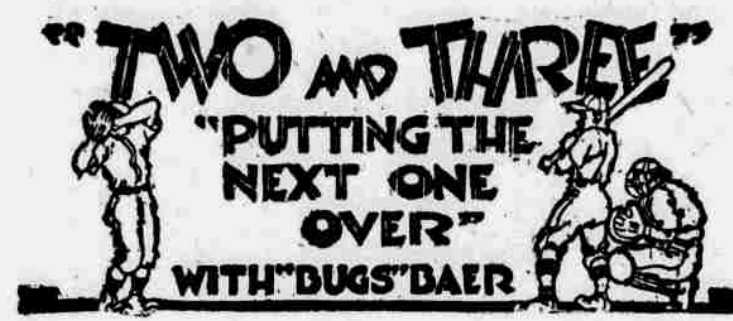
BOOSTER LEAGUE.

Shirley Clothes Shop Nat'l. Fur & Tan. Co.		
Toynees	1	459 501 .478
Bowles	2	459 501 .478
Erbshausen	3	448 512 .463
McQuade	4	438 522 .451
Handicap	5	438 522 .451
Total	2439	
Standard Motor Co.	1	453 507 .469
Storck	2	449 511 .463
Vorwald	3	449 511 .463
Ambrose	4	448 512 .463
Yavan	5	448 512 .463
Buck	6	448 512 .463
Handicap	7	448 512 .463
Total	2377	

SILK HAT HARRY

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Drawn for The Bee by Tad



WASHINGTON, D. C.

THE U. S. SENATE

now looks like the Mack Sennett. While there are no bathing girls in this Chamber of Oratorical Horrors, it still has the edge on the soviet senate, which lacks bathing men.

The absence of beautiful surf gazelles is balanced by the barrage of large pie that the Sennetts sling at each other.

When one Sennett starts in chirping in a neat lemon meringue manner, another bird slaps him in the Sennettorial mush with a loosely baked custard speech. In rebuttal the first bird smother him with a platter of deep dish huckleberry pastry, seasoned with wise cracks and served with appropriate gestures.

In spite of strikes and things, business in this peace treaty abattoir swings along with the regularity of the pendulum on an eight-day clock. A pendulum being an institution that does a lot of traveling but never gets anywhere. The peace treaty and the coal situation are the headlines this winter in the vaudeville branch of congress.

The coal job is easy. The Sennetts will chatter about it until spring flaps in and ice takes up the running in the poor man's relay race.

Some Sennett will buzz for hours in a limpid, clear voice, filtered through a set of pearl gray whiskers. Then another bird will rise to his class SA arches and spill a scrambled line of shillabearing that wanders like a Saturday Evening Post story through the advertising pages. He never gets anywhere. Which is the logical destination for a bird who never started from anywhere in the first place.

In the old days of continuous vaudeville there used to be dumb acts that were called chasers and supper acts. They got rid of the crowd by putting on a juggler, contortionist or a Swiss bellringer. The movies have developed a new actor. He is a cooler. When the movie machine gets red hot, they send out the cooler to play the xylophone or log himself bow-legged.

The Sennett is loaded with coolers. After the big guys talk 'emselves sour, the coolers chirp like sparrows after a storm. They don't say much, but they say it often, and they will fill in until Tommy Edison invents a graphophone needle that doesn't need resharpening.

The peace treaty is slightly tougher, like a vulcanized eclair. The pies the Sennetts toss in this act are primed with cement. The chaplain of the senate concludes the opening prayer with "Amen, brothers, amen."

And the Sennetts start right in to amend.

They sewed codicils on to the original treaty until it looks like a crazy quilt in the moulting season. The Sennett can sure shuffle all the spots off the cards. It's a fortunate thing that Jefferson wrote the chirp of independence before the Sennett was organized. Otherwise, it would now look like the catalogue for a mail order house. Couldn't tell whether it is an order or a complaint.

The treaty has been traveling between the White House and the Sennett until it begins to look like a commutation ticket on the 29th of the month. Woody read it, subtracts a few additions, signs it and sends it to the Sennett.

The Sennett sends it back marked "no funds."

Woody signs it again and it comes back chalked "account overdrawn."

The next time it doesn't reach the Sennett. The watchman stops it at the Sennett door and signs "Nobody Home." Plenty correct.

The fourth time, it is stopped by the postal authorities and sent back to Woody. Finally, Woody hands it to the messenger and the messenger hands it right back. It's one of those shuttle treaties. Woody was getting along well with the Sennett until this peace business. When treaties fly in the door, love flies out of the window.

Woody is getting along fine now, being way ahead of his ticket. There are still four physicians at the White House, who take turns in feeling Woody's pulse and carrying the treaty back to the Sennett.

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- Hand-Mades, box of 25..... 1.50
- La Truda, Jr., box of 50..... 3.00
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Harvard Suggests Names of Two Men for Game Officials

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 19.—Harvard university suggested to the football committee of the Tournament of Roses at Pasadena, Cal., under whose auspices the inter-sectional game between the University of Oregon and Harvard eleven will be played on New Year's day, the names of two men as officials for the contest. The men are A. G. Van Surdan, formerly of Wesleyan, and D. W. Merriman, an official in Pennsylvania games for 12 years. Neither, it was said, has ever served in any Harvard game. Both are planning to be in Pasadena on January 1. Van Surdan and Merriman are familiar with the style of play on eastern and midwestern gridirons. Fred W. Moore, graduate manager of athletics at Harvard, explained that it was for this reason they were suggested.

German Carrier Pigeons In Boston Eat Pretzels

Boston, Dec. 19.—German carrier pigeon prisoners are here. They are very tame. They were captured at St. Mihiel and since their coming to Boston will eat nothing but pretzels, according to Lieut. Robert Milns, pigeon expert, who has just returned to army headquarters after a long experience in France.

PAL MOORE ASKS THAT WILDE BE DELAYED IN U. S.

Anxious That English Pupilist Be in New York When He Gets Back From England.

By JACK VEIOCK.
International News Sporting Editor.
New York, Dec. 19.—Little Jimmy Wilde won't pine for action while on this side of the pond if he listens to the mutterings of Pal Moore, Joey Lynch, Frankie Burns and others. Pete Herman, being the champ, is not demanding a match with Wilde, but there is little doubt in the minds of those who know Herman that he expects to measure wallops with the little Englishman before Jimmy boards a sea-going hack for home. None of the American crop of banties, with the exception of Moore and Lynch, know anything about Wilde except hearsay, but they are all willing to learn from actual contact. Many of them, no doubt, will be sadder but wiser after they meet Wilde—for we understand Jimmy really means to do some regular campaigning and dough-reaping on this side.

Moore, of the whole shebang, is the most eager. Pal says that having met Jimmy twice in his own backyard and come away once with the loser's end of the decision he is tickled to death to have Wilde on this side, and he implores everyone to do all they can to keep Jimmy until he can get another crack at the Briton.

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TO NAME TODAY MEN TO ADJUST COAL SITUATION

White for Miners and Peale For Operators Mentioned—Citizens' Member Is Not Named.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Announcement of the membership of the commission of three to be entrusted under the provisions of the bituminous coal strike settlement with investigation of wages, working conditions and prices in the industry is awaiting the final approval and signatures of President Wilson. The announcement, together with a letter by the president outlining for the commission its duties, will be made public Saturday, it was said at the White House. It has been planned to announce the commission's personnel today, but attendance of Attorney General Palmer at the senate coal committee hearing was understood to have prevented a conference desired by the president before the announcement was made.

Unofficial reports were that John P. White, former head of the United Mine Workers of America, and Rembrandt Peale, a Pennsylvania operator, would be appointed to act for the miners and operators, respectively, on the commission. There was not information as to whom the president had selected as the representative of the public.

More than 14,000 employees of the men's and boys' garment industry in Philadelphia have been granted additional pay amounting to \$5 per week.

Canadian bank clerks, whose wages average from \$22 to \$25 a week, will be given a bonus at Christmas time.

to entertain Jimmy so that he won't get homesick," said Pal. "Take him to the movies out to Coney Island and buy him 'goodies,' but be sure and keep him contented until I return from England, where I am going to fill an engagement with a mutual friend of ours, Charles Ledoux, the French champion."

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Just received a big lot of new Mackinaws in a lot of lively patterns, strictly all wool, all sizes, very special \$9.98 at.....

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Silk Hose

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