

in Fear of Callahan's **Right and Stays** Down.

Upward of 2,000 Omaha fight fans were handed a raw one by "Fighting" Eduie Ketchell at Fort Omaha Monday night. Ketchell was schedaled to go ten rounds with Frankie Callahan of Columbus. O., in the main event of a soldiers' athletic fund benefit performance, but after two rounds of fast work, in which he had slightly the worst of it, Callahan started a rally that took all the fight out of "Fighting Eddie" and when a left jab staggered him, the New Yorker fell to the floor to avoid a right swing and "faked" a knockout, pretty as you please.

Clean Case of Fake.

It was as clear a case of "cold outting" as has been seen in any boxing ring. Sam Jordan's highly touted featherweight was so badly frightened at Callahan's swift rally the opening of the third round hat he feared to attempt to weather another one and when Frankie's right came conveniently sailing near shoulder, fell to the floor, rolled over on his face, so he wouldn't have to tace the fans near the ring and took the count, tolled off by Jimmy Reddy of St. Paul, the ref-

Bobby McLean of Chicago, for a The remainder of the card was long time amateur skating champion one, the four preliminaries of America, will shortly leave for Sweden to contest for a \$50,000 and the semi-windup furnishing great entertainment for the fans. Stanley Leese of the 27th company and Frank Cox of the 17th company match with Oscar Mathiesen, the champion skater of Sweden. A seof the 27th company. Young Bloom of the 27th company went four rounds with Young Erickson of Dmaha and clearly won the boot ries of five races has been arranged. went four rounds to a draw. Joe

Omaha and clearly won the bout, but Referee Tommy Thomas was evidently badly rattled and gave Erickson the decision. The crowd moved and hooted the verdict and officers at the rigside, acting judges, reversed the decision and gave Bloom a victory

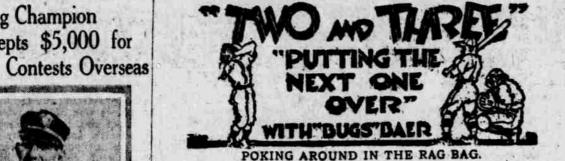
Fitzgerald Appointed.

Promoter Deny Ryan and Athletic Officer Lieut. John Hall, called day afternoon. Nine games have been booked for the season. The first game on the schedule is with Creighton High on Jan. 16. Coach Tommy Mills will have Thomas from the ring and sent lack Fitzgerald to cover the posi-

tion for the next two contests. Young Spellman of Omaha was given a decision over Battling Garrison, also of Omaha, by virtue of a hairline edge in six rounds. The two old timers trying "comebacks," Paddy McMahon and Eddie Gillen, Blue and White team.

both of the South Side, went on in a six-rounder in the semi and Gillen won a slight shade, but it will be played out of the city and five in Omaha. Most of the games will be played on the "Y" floor. The was declared a draw. Following the Gillen-McMahon

hout, the participants in the main 'event' took the ring. The result, in the parlance of the sport world, 'smells to high heaven." It was Coach Drummond is negotiating



STILL on the flatfooted trail of the saddest fighter who ever pulled off a glove. There are plenty. It takes more than one dumbbell to make a gymnasium,

SAM WALLACH,

Leaches Cross' brother, thought he would take a whirl on the resin and grab a few brass rings. Started as a semi-amateur in a knuckles tournament at the Irish-American club. Opponent was a nimble Swede who threw his punches discus style. Three waltzes and then let 'er fly. Sam punched him sour for one round. In the second round Von Swanson started one from the club entrance and Sam was still riding it at the exit. In spite of the signs on the wall, Sam beat all his neighbors to the street. When Sam started eating solid food again, he turned all the family fighting over to Leach and Marty.

Sam only made two mistakes. One was thinking he was a fighter The second was trying to prove it. He is a lawyer now and grabs all his rough stuff out of a book. Leach Cross piped the fight and held the watch. When the discus tosser hit the bull in the monocle, Leach laughed himself fat. There are two days in Sam's life in which he is not respon sible for debts contracted in his name. The fight was on Monday, and or Tuesday Sam tried to wear a Palm Beach suit down town in a blizzard On Wednesday, he bought a Ouija board and started taking message: from the moon. He was drilling regiments of paper dolls all winter.

UP BUFFALO WAY.. There is a kid busting around up around Buffalo and Syracuse who holds the record for parrying 'em with the chin. He calls himself Battling Hurley. The original Bat Hurley was a fairly good bomb thrower. This Bat Hurley is a good fighter when he's standing up. He was flattened pancake style three times in four nights. He has two legs on the brown derby. One more victory and the burnt sienna Kelly is his to have and to hold. It takes some influence to get pressed and ironed three times in four nights. Fred McKay couldn't top this record without fighting doubleheaders.

If pride goeth before a fall, Bat has his pride looking like the Tumbling Dooleys. Pride had to work quick to get in ahead of Bat's flop.

Joe Grim's mush was a keyboard on which all the Queensbury Pader-eweskies ran the scale and stretched double knuckle octaves. BOBBIE MILEAN OM

> But Joe's career is a chirp that should be saved for a spring day, when all the earth is gay and the cuckoos are nesting again in last year's Swiss clock.

GAMES TONIGHT LYNCH-FOX DRAW

of teams. Graduates Visit Team. Syracuse was one of the strong-MORAN, SHARKEY st teams in the east, he said, and ts defeat by Nebraska was a great Although admitting that has a "remarkable" team, **START SEASON'S AND DONLEY WIN** ebraska

team.

Clark, star right guard of the team, every man who played on the vicorious eleven during the past scaon, is making the trip. Stars With Eleven. Among the stars who strolled

HARVARD SQUAD

STOPS IN OMAHA

Eastern Foot Ball Team Will

Play On Pacific Coast-

Coach Fisher Not

Optimistic.

The Harvard university foot ball

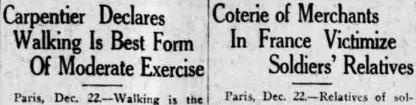
ENROUTE WEST

sons of your athletic curriculum; you then know all about poise and balance; awkwardness will not seize you. In addition to the movement of the muscles one gets the fresh pure air by walking in the country and is given a position on several

game, his comrads say, and is quite at home at afternoon teas and ball-

The squad is accompanied by Rob ert Fisher, head coach, and three other coaches. Fisher was not op-timistic about the outcome of the western game, pointing out the de-feat of Syracuse at the hands of

ALBERTINA RASCH & CO., WILLIAM EBS. AARRY BREEN, JAMES, J. MORTON, Sidney & Towniey, Lee & Crastes, Kanazawa Boys. Miss Robbie Gordone, Topics of the Day, Kine-



best form of exercise for the man diers who fell at the battle front are who wants to keep fit, according to being victimized by cab drivers, ho-Georges Carpentier, heavyweight tel men, dealers in coffins and grave champion of Europe, who is expect-the newspaper says this "odious exed to fight Jack Dempsey some time ploitation of grief is such that it cannot be passed over in silence. "I attach the utmost importance It is charged the worst cases of

to 'how to walk'." said Carpentier. and Somme regions, where unhappy imposition occur in the Champagne Perfect carriage - the knowledge pilgrims are charged from 60 to 65 that you possess a full share of that francs for a six-mile drive. It is poetry of movement which we call said the carriage drivers, in agreedeportment-has a wonderful effect ment with the innkcepers, invariaupon the mind, and as I hold that bly manage to miss the last train out to be absolutely necessary in the of these regions so that the mourner striving after physical fitness I

ers are compelled to stay all night would put deportment down as the Coffins of the cheapest grade, it is beginning of the alphabet of phy- said, are sold from 300 to 400 francs. AMUSEMENTS.



PHOTO-PLAYS.

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Weavers of Speech

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at the

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Promised, With All Play-Coach Drummond of the High School of Commerce gave out his 1919-20 basket ball schedule yesterers in the Pink of

Condition. Tonight's Games. E. Wops against Hanscom Parks, 7:30 p. m. Pearl Memorial against Presbyterians, 8:10 p. m. Benson M. E. against Trinity Baptists, charge of the High school team this year. Drummond expects his quintet to have a hard battle with the

Local basket ball shooters, repre-Of the nine games booked, four senting the Church league, will infive in Omaha. Most of the games will be played on the "Y" floor. The game with Beatrice High school on Jan. 24 will be another hard battle

Ian. 24 will be another hard battle the above-mentioned quintets will er receiving three hard rights to the for the local quintet, as Beatrice al- be seen in action fighting it out for head. He arose groggy. Moran

teams are in the best of condition,

CHURCH LEAGUE

man Rematched. Newark, N. J., Dec. 22.-Frank Moran, the Pittsburgh heavyweight, knocked out Sergeant Jack Burke of Chicago, in the first round of an Benson M. E. against First M. E., cight-round match Monday night. Calvary Baptists against First M. E., Moran weighed 1931-2 pounds and

Knocks Burke Out-Goth-

am Bantam and English

Burke 188. Is Floored Early. Burke tried to rush his opponent as the contest opened and was sent to the floor for a count of eight aftscored another right to the head and

went down and although conscious

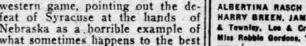
squad of 22 men passed through Omaha yesterday afternoon on their way to Los Angeles, Cal., where they will go into training to battle the crack Oregon university team at the crack Oregon unary 2. Pasadena, Cal., on January 2.

THE BEE: OMAHA, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1919.

hout the depot platform during the 20-minute layover here were Eddie Casey, famous half back, who punted he Harvard team to many victories

and the scenery and the songs of All American teams; Billy Murray. the birds gives one a more cheerful iminutive quarter back and captain outlook. of the team, and "Desperate" Dest "I have always made it a point to noad, 200-pound right end. thun all exercises that are merely Desmond, who is one of the roughviolent, for that which is physically est men in eastern foot ball, is a hard to do hurts and tires; it is harmful." genuine Beau Brummel out of the

oom floors.



during the summer of 1920.

sical culture. Having learned to

walk correctly the desire for com-

plete physical proficiency is irresisti-

the hardest and most exacting les-

AMUSEMENTS.

Orbheum #

for you have mastered one of

EMPRESS TWO SHOWS IN ONE Three Mirano Bros.—Edmunds and Rogers—Orren and Drew—Billy Scott —Photoplay, Geo. Walsh in "THE BEAST." Outing Chester feature; Pathe Wackly & Mack Sennett comedy.

start to finish, but that may not be the case. However, it should bar any of Sam Jordan's battlers from any further participation in this sec-tion of the section of the s tion of the country.

Jimmy Drexel Charges "Fixed." Substantiating the claim that it was a "fixed" affair, Jimmy Drexel declares that he was approached regarding a return match with the Co-lumbus fighter and had accepted, only to be told over the phone that Callahan insisted upon meeting Ketchell. Drexel charged Callahan with picking his own opponents. Grand Rapids, Dec. 22—President A. R. Tearney of the Western and Three-Eye leagues, and E. W. Dick-

St. Louis Offered \$70,000 and Four Players for Hornsby

National league base ball club for Roger Hornsby, according to President Branch Rickey of the club in a signed statement. He added that the offer was refused and that Hornsby is not for sale. President Rickey would not divulge the name of the club that made the offer.

Jimmy Wilde, English flyweight champion, believes he got the worst of the decision in his recent bout circuit. This is expected to be dewith Jack Sharkey at Milwaukee and cided December 20, at a meeting of will most likely seek another con-test with the New York bantam. Club owners from Saginaw, Bay City, Flint and Battle Creek.

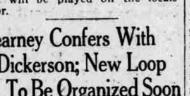


Tearney Confers With Dickerson; New Loop To Be Organized Soon

erson, formerly head of the West-ern league held a conference Mon-day regarding the claim of Dicker-son for \$6,000 back salary as presi-

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 22.-Seventy thousand dollars and four players have been offered to the St. Louis Formation of a new Central league 'and a Michigan State league was also discussed. Tearney proposed that the Central league relinquish Fort Wayne and Richmond, Ind., territorial rights to his organization. Dickerson declined to do this until it can be definitely deter-mined that enough Michigan cities er, and David Kubby, scorer.

will come into the new central league to make it a strong class B



having had plenty of practice durwas unable to get up before the ing the last week. count of ten. Micky Donley of Newark, 130 pounds, outfought Joe Benjamin of San Francisco, 134, in every round Old Rivals to Meet. The opening and final games of the evening no doubt will be the feature contests, as considerable of an eight-round bout. The west-

erner was unable to evade Donely' rivalry exists between them. Durng the past few years, whenever left jab in the first six rounds. Fox and Lynch Rematched. Joey Fox, the English feather-weight, and Joe Lynch of New York. these two quintets have met, the battles usually went into extra periods. The Calvary Baptist-First Metho-

fought eight rounds at a fast pace. dist Episcopal fives are evenly matched and former teammates will In the final round Fox sent a short right to the jaw that floored Lynch but he was up immediately. The men were signed up at the conclu oppose each other on the floor toight. Weiser, a former Drake university star at forward, and Howard, sion of the contest to meet again formerly a star at Parson college, three weeks hence.

will be seen at the center position for the Calvary Baptists. Jack Sharkey of New York, who recently outfought Jimmy Wilde, the However, the games between the English flyweight champion, easily outpointed Patsy Johnson of Tren-Pearl Methodist Episcopal and the United Presbyterian, Benson Methoton in the last eight-round bout. Sharkey weighed 116, one pound less dist Episcopal and Trinity Baptists, should not be missed, as the manthan Johnson. agers of these teams state that

Lightweight Champion Wins big surprise is in store for the fans. Officials for tonight's contests are: Press Verdict From Jake Abel Verne Moore, referee; Noble, um-

pire; William O. Blozies, timekeep-Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 22.—Benny Leonard, lightweight champion of the world, gained a newspaper de-cision over Jake Abel, local welter-A recent meeting of the basket ball committee of the Young Men's Christian association, under whose weight in 10 rounds of fast boxing. auspices the various basket ball leagues at the "Y" are conducted, Leonard gave an exhibition of speed and cleverness that outdid anything adopted a set of rules and regula-Abel had to offer. tions which will govern all three leagues, Church. Commercial and

Omaha Boy, Reported Missing Since War, Plans Xmas Surprise

Concordia, Kan., Dec. 22.-(Spe-cial Telegram.)-There will be an

Following eight rules unanimously adopted by the managers:

Eight New Rules.

Greater Omaha.

unexpected Christmas gift in the anark home in Omaha this week. Duffield Lanark, who has been reported missing since the Argoune batle, will walk in as a surprise on his parents Christmas, if he is able

to reach Omaha by that ime. Lanark was here Sunday Ard-worked motor car bound for Omaha. Although reported missing, he got out of the battle with two wounds and was invalided for several weeks in a hospital. His efforts to cable home were

Eight New Rules.
1. Each player must be a member of the Y. M. C. A.
2. Every player must sign a contract.
A. There is no limit to the number of men a team may have under contract.
B. A player is eligible to play immediately upon handing in a bona fide contract.
C. No contract will be accepted after one-half the schedule has been played.
3. Under certain conditions a player may secure bis release from one team and sign up with another even in a nother league, but such a transfer must be O. K.'d by the basket ball committe.
4. No games will be postponed and they must all be played in the order they appear on the schedule.
5. Each game will start promptly on scheduled time. In event of both teams not being on the floor ready to play on time, the time they are late will be taken off the first half. When just one team and spears and is ready to play on the floor ready to play on time, the time they are late will be taken off the first half. When just one team and is ready to play on the floor each minute their opponent is late.
The game is forfeited when a team fails to appear within 15 minutes of scheduled fime.
The committee reserves the right to pont form their league any team whose point and conduct are continually out of futile because his parents had changed their address. Upon his discharge he signed up with a fruit ship and remove from their league any team whose spirit and conduct are continually out of quit the sea at New Orleans, where he purchased his automobile and harmony. S. All complaints or protests must be made in writing and handed to the com-mittee within 24 hours of the occurrence complained of. started home.

(The name Lanark does not apear in the Omaha city directory.)

Britain and Holland Sign Moore to Meet Eugene Criqui

London, Dec. 22 .- Charles Ledoux, bantamweight champion pugilist of Europe, is suffering from an attack of bronchitis and will be un-

able to meet Pal Moore, the American boxer, Friday night. Eugene Criqui, a French bantanweight, was engaged to take Ledoux' place against Moore.

French Champion III and

Today's Calendar of Sports. Bacing-Winter meeting of Cuba-Ameri-an and Jockey club, at Havana. Winter-neeting at Jefferson Parish Fair associa-ion, at New Orleans. Hockey-Opening of the season of the intional Hockey league of Canada. Chess - Yale-Harvard-Columbia-Prince-m intercollegiate tourneet

Secret Treaty is Rumor Brussels, Dec. 22 .- The Nation Belge has printed a rumor that a secret treaty has been signed by Great Britain and Holland by which the integrity of Dutch territory is guaranteed.

Tanker Aground.

Tampico, Dec. 22.—The American tank steamer John D. Rockefeller is aground at the shore end of the jetty here. A high sea is running and it will be impossible to com-municate with, the tanker until it moderates. A tug is ready to pro-ceed to the Rockefeller when conditions permit