## TEL JED SOKOL ATHLETIC MEET STAGED SUNDAY

Nearly 200 Persons Participate in First Gymnastic Tournament and Exhibition Since 1914.

Tel Jed Sokol hall, 2220 South Thirteenth street, was the scene of aid in hitching the body across the gymnastic competition for the first circle. time since 1914 when nearly 200 4. The first hop should place the men, women and children partici- rear foot short of the middle of the

Competing in the gymnastic numbers were men from the Tel Jed Sokol of Omaha and representative of the Sokol of Omaha an trem the South Side and Dodge, lever). Neb., turning societies. Women rep- 7. From start to finish the body resentatives of the same organiza- must not "hang" or hesitate one intion, and children, offered calis- stant. The speed of action must be

physical development and mental the rear leg as you make your first elertness that result from systematic | hop. training, and the good health that | Facing stand. must follow Turners were fit for

Members of the Tel Jed Sokol are already in training for the state! ournament to be held at Crete, Neb., in August. Strong teams are to be sent from the local society and members are confident that their representatives will carry off first honors. Frank Lastovica and Rudolph Vanghe are instructors who are grooming the teams for the

## Amateur Players Seek Positions With Teams In Omaha Association

There will be no shortage of amateur base ball players in Omaha

this season. Scores of applications have been during the last, week from local a total which would insure the rereceived by The Bee Clearing House stars, ex-servicemen, former stars turn of their entry money. and youngsters who are anxious to make their first appearance.

These players are ready to sign up with members of the Municipal Amateur Base Ball association, and any manager in need of players should get in touch with the Clearing House at the earliest possible

in the field this season, four other leagues, the Banker, Boy Scout American Legion and Industrial the fans will witness many snappy games the coming season.

The Bankers' league, with four teams already entered, will mee Wednesday night for final or-ganization, while the Boy Scout American Legion and the Industria leagues will also get under way thi

Managers are lining up their teams and will start the season on Sun day, April 18, providing the weather conditions permit. The Booster and Gate Cit

leagues will meet tonight at the city hall to make final plans and adopt the 1920 playing schedules.

The Cudahy Puritans have reor ganized with a fast semipro team and are arranging a schedule, Of ficers elected at a meeting last week are as follows: W. T. Allen, presi-dent: J. T. McDonald, secretary and treasurer; John Mogeson, manager and Emil Swanson, captain. Among players signed are: Potach, Lane, Badura, Wachtler, Norgard, Pezdritz, Trummer, Swanson, McAndrews, Wolf, Krug, Christenson, J. Alter and McIntyre, the fans can appear to see some spanny games. expect to see some snappy games.

### Maxine Dempsey May Not Testify Against Her Former Husband

boxing champion, probably will not ing a three-round series and close testify against the champion when on Saturday, July 24. his trial comes up in San Francisco in two weeks on charges of evading the draft law. If the champion waives the right of excluding her. which is a privilege accorded to the defendant under the federal court procedure, she may be called to the stand, but otherwise she will not figure in the trial of the champion. This was discussed here Saturday by Miss Annette Adams, United States district attorney for the northern district of California, who left tonight for San Francisco, after consulting the Department of Justice regarding Dempsey's prosecution scheduled to begin April 17.

There are two counts in the in dictment against Dempsey, the first charging conspiracy with intention to evade the federal selective law. The second count charges him with the violation of the law itself.

Jack Kearns, his manager, will be tried on a conspiracy charge, as he was in no way personally involved less consequence right now." Win-in the charge of actually evading the ter baseball is over for McGraw.

### Omaha Man Sells Filly

To Kansan for \$1,500

cently sold his 2-year-old filly, Anna Lou, by Archdale, dam Anna Hall, by Walnut Hall, to C. C. Zellinger of Bellville, Kan., and the filly was shipped Saturday evening. The price paid by the Kansas man was S1.500. The filly was wintered by Roy Owens, now quartered at the Ak-Sar-Ben track, and was considered one of the most promising ered one of the most promising youngsters in his string.

Correct Arrangements of Ornamental Planting—For personal call and advice phone 1698, We have no agents. Meneray Nursery and Seed Store, 3341 West Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia.—Adv.

Baltimore, Md., April 4.—Johns Hopkins easily defeated Cornell both at basket ball and lacrosse, winning the former, 13 to 10, and the latter, 9 to 1. Store, 3341 West B

# TRACK TALKS

By Coach Henry F. Schulte University of Nebraska

The Sot Put Continued. The initial position. Two positions acceptable: the side tand and the facing stand. In the side stand:

1. Stand facing at right angles to the direction you wish to put.
2. Carry the weight on the rear . The forward leg should swing

O. Chavard of Omaha spoke dur-ing the meeting on the advantages of dle of the circle. Remedy this by gymnasium work. He explained the carrying the body well ahead of

1. Take your stand facing directly in line with your putting point. 2. Rear foot paralleling the edge

3. Kick your free leg straight for-ward several times. When you are well poised start your first hop as your leg goes forward and up. 4. Twist at your hips and alight as in the side stand. (The rest of the action to the finish is the same as in the side stand). The advantage putter alights from his first motion with the putting shoulder hitched

General points to watch. Keep the weight forward to

Have as many fingers as pos thenic and dancing exhibitions as progressive. Most of the success of sible behind the shot. (Rose used the effort lies in the continuous all his fingers and thumb behind snap at the finish).

> of the jaw and neck until the last 7. The putting shoulder should be lower than the off shoulder for four-

## service when sailed for military duty, he said, and had a large part in winning the war. OMAHANS FAIL WOMEN BOWLERS TO WIN PLACES TAKE THIRD IN AMONG LEADERS HANDICAP MEET

Bowen Furniture Co. Team Annual High Among Omaha Bowlers in A. B. C., But Fail To Land in Money.

Peoria, III April 4 .- (Special here Saturday night, Omaha could not deliver a single winner. None of the teams was able to muster up

The Bowen Furniture Co. team with 2,616, was high among the Omaha pin mashers, but as 2688 is low among the prize winners they will not receive any renumeration for their efforts. The Omaha Boosters dropped 2,358, Beau Brummels 2,545. Chamber of Commerce, 2,453 and the Convention City team 2,554. Although the Greater Omaha, class A, Intercity, class C, and the Saturday church league will not be

bowlers will have to roll counts better than 1,112 in the doubles, 572 in singles and 1.794 in all-events, as league will appear on the diamonds and with the City, American, Booster, Gate City and Commercial headed the Omaha shooters Satur-Booster, Gate City and Commercial leagues already set for the opening, day night with a 628 total in his the fars will witness many spappy three games. He hung up counts of 212, 214 and 202. Bowen Furniture.

t	B. Shaw182	182 175	169
	G. Gibson161 R. Karls156	160	139
t.	A. Jedlicka212	214	202
1	H. Fitz148	151	190
5	Totals	883	875-2616
3	Convention	City.	
	L. Canfield177	189	182
s	F. Hetruven138	176	187
-	L. Coupal143	199	193
r	H. Brannian175	168	149
8	F. Simodynes149	148	181
y	Totals	880	892-2554
ė	Beau Brummels.		
	H. Fritzcher 197	211	137
d	J Blakeney 156	204	147
	A. Murphy	137	143
	G. Zimmerman163	179	175
1.	M. Huntington173	202	187
-	Totals	933	789-2545
k	Omaha Chamber	of Com	merce.
-	J. Regan160	161	157
	R. Young	147	144
d	H. Lundgren132	177	154
r.	F. Swoboda 188	178	178
	A. Frand	194	174
g	Totals	537	807-2465
	Omaba Bo	osters.	
	J. London	179	110
-	W. Wiley	155	179
١.	J. Weich134	158	1.70
n	D. Butler 145	199	188
	Al Krug	181	144
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## Amateur Schedule.

Following is the Saturday Commercial league schedule for the 1920 season as adopted by the managers Washington, April 4. — Maxine at their meeting last weel: The Dempsey, divorced wife of Jack league will start the ball rolling on world's heavyweight Saturday afternoon, April 17, play-

on Saturday, July 24.
Following is the schedule:
April 17. May 22, June 26.
Iten Biscuit Co. against Western Union.
Kirkendall Shoe Co against Swift & Co.
Orchard-Wilhelm against Bemis Bag.
April 24. May 29, July 3.
Iten Biscuit Co. against Kirkendall
Shoe Co.

Western Union against Orchard-Wilhelm Swift & Co. against Bemis Bag.

May 1. June 5, July 10.

Iten Biscuit Co. against Swift & Co.
Western Union against Bemis Bag.

Kirkendall Shoe Co. against Orchard-

May 8, June 12, July 17.

Iten Biscuit Co, against Orchard-Wilim. Western Union against Swift & Co. Kirkendall Shoe Co. against Bemis Bag.
May 15, June 19, July 24.
Iten Biscuit Co. against Bemis Bag.
Western Union against Kirkendall Shoe

Swift & Co. against Orchard-Wilhelm. Winter Base Ball Over.

John McGraw was asked for his inion on who should be named chairman of the national commission. He had no opinion, he said, adding. "I can imagine nothing of

### Chency Out for Good.

Larry Cheney, who is now in the automobile business at Jacksonville, Fla., says he is done with base ball lack Kirkpatrick of Omaha re- for good. He gets a minor league offer nearly every day, but throws

### Kid Fielder Delivers Goods. The San Francisco club's young semipro outfielder, Joe O'Connell,

Hopkins Beats Cornell.

of the circle. of this form is the fact that the

well back. 1. Stop a bit short of the center on your first gliding hop.

avoid a hang. Develop a good shoulder hitch.
 Use the off arm as additional leverage for the put.

events were included in the compe- increase of the speed of the motion | the shot. That gave him a fine wrist 6. Carry the shot against the side

City Tournament Opens at Farnam Allevs - Entries Still Coming In.

Women bowlers copped third Telegram.)—Out of five starters in place in the opening games of the the five-man event of the A. B. C. annual city handicap tournament at annual city handicap tournament at Farnam alleys Saturday night. The bowled 2,756 and stepped in ahead of two-men teams and another woman's team.

Twenty-four teams were entered when the first ball went down the drives last night. Other teams were still straggling in with entries, however, and prospects are that the list will approach 30 teams.

Tonight six more teams will take the drives, the Armours, Paxton & Gallagher, Sam's Scouts, Frank's Jewelers and two Clan

Results of the first night's shoot ing were: Scout Tents

nion Outfitting Co. (women)..... Scores of each game follow:
P. I. Co. (Women.) N. & I. S. T. Co. |
Th'pson 140 122 118 Baustain 113 137 143
Murray 138 144 138 George 129 136 144
A. Stunz 102 150 121 Dodd 118 200 156
Th'pson 157 176 147 Hirsch 121 141 179
Rauber 153 186 180 MeMahon 122 134 112
H'dicap 125 125 125 H'dicap 125 125 125

Total 823 903 834 Total 728 873 869
U. O. Co. (Women.) Farnam Alleys.
House'n 185 152 155 Teynbee 116 147 188
G'mandt 153 164 127 Barre 173 152 150
Jameson 138 168 189 Bushman 142 167 135
Radford 166 195 178 Ashton 91 164 201
Pilling 178 153 148 Kanka 167 158 177
H'dicap 107 107 107 H'dicap 79 79 73

Total 927 929 909 Total 768 866 949

Scott Tents.
Martin 198 157 184 Bachman 139 157 221

Mivell 157 199 179 Grimm 137 154 168

Kneski 158 184 188 Prey 167 214 177

Devine 192 173 226 Collins 164 162 203

M. Stunz 201 196 174 Ctsuffer 147 193 172

H'dicap 31 31 31 H'dicap 65 65 65

Total 937 950 953 Total 419 945 1006

## With the Bowlers

WESTERN UNION LEAGUE.

 
 Construction
 Wor. Lost.

 Plant
 29
 27

 Plant
 38
 28

 Auditor
 36
 39

 City Superintendent
 56
 39

 General Manager
 30
 35

 Traffic
 19
 47
 Commercial ..... Individual Averages-Men. 
 Nelson
 181 Ambrose
 168

 Winn
 174 Yelvington
 186

 Lamb
 173 Askelof
 184

 Watt
 171 Saunders
 162

 West
 171 Raebich
 180

 Tolliver
 170 M. Lanyon
 157

LADIES METROPOLITAN LEAGUE. Team Standing.

Union Outfitting Co. ...
A. B. Sweet Shop ......
Payne Investment Co. ...
Omaha Printing Co. ... Individual Averages. | Mrs. Mulick | 162 Mrs. Cowles | 143 Mrs. Housman | 161 Mrs. Nesbit | 142 Mrs. Brilling | 158 Mrs. Nesbit | 142 Mrs. Jameson | 158 Mrs. Tilison | 142 Mrs. Theil | 155 Mrs. Tilison | 142 Mrs. Theil | 155 Mrs. Verdogren | 141 Mrs. Goerne | 155 Mrs. Crowe | 136 Mrs. Grandt | 151 Mrs. Stanton | 132 Mrs. Thompson | 149 Mrs. Beeson | 131 Mrs. Stunz | 149 Mrs. Reese | 124 Mrs. Rauber | 147 Mrs. Collins | 123 Mrs. Thompson | 145 Mrs. Beiden | 119 Mrs. Thompson | 145 Mrs. Beiden | 119

FARNAM LEAGUE.

mah Towel Supply Co. 45 icCaffrey Motor Co. 45 ownsend Gun Co. 44 Individual Averages. | 179 | Rice | 174 | 178 | Tilliver | 172 | 175 | Welff | 171 | 177 | Hensley | 170 | 175 | Bowles | 189 | 174 | Wenke | 159 | 174 | Ashton | 168 |

Today's Calendar of Sports.

Racing: Winter meeting of Cuba-American Jockey club at Havana.
Billiards: English professional championship tournament opens in London.
Bench Show: Annual show in Louisiana Kennel club at New Orelans.
Tennis: Opening of annual tournament of Coronado, Cal., Country club.
Golf: United north and south amateur championship tournament at Pinhurst. Skating: World's roller skating championships at Columbus, O.
Boxing: Willie Mechan against Al Roberts, eight rounds at Newark, N. J. Gene Tunney against Dan O'Dowd, eeight rounds at Newark, N. J. Gene Tunney against Dan O'Dowd, eeight rounds at Newark, N. J. Joe Burman against Hughey Hutchinson, six rounds at Philadelphia. Prilitone against Harry Bramer, eelginamends at Memobils, Pete Hartley against Phil Virgels, 20 rounds at New Oreleans, Wrestling: National amateur championships at Birmingham, Ala.

## TWO SANDLOT PRODUCTS SURE OF THEIR JOBS

Freynick and Skups Practically Assured of Berths on Pa Rourke's Base Ball Club.

Two products of Omaha sand lots re practically assured of berths on the Omaha Western league base ball club according to a letter received in Omaha from Pa Rourke Saturday. They are Ed Freynick and Staney Skupa, both pitchers.

Freynick pitched for the Armours the last of last season. His first ntroduction to Omaha fans was in team of the local navy recruiting

McCaffrey Motors in the City league. Then he jumped to play in with Ernie Holmes' White Sox.

Welch and Alervest, outfielders,

are not quite ready for Class A company and probably will be farmed out. The same applies to Earl Smith, recruit pitcher. The infield is airtight, according

The infield is airtight, according to Rourke, despite the retirement of Ed Hemingway, who was expected Fance vanit—Boy Keyl, 6 feet. Shot put—W. Beerkle, 38 feet 5 inches. to play third base. Wiedell will be the regular third sacker.

He reminds of Jimmy Austin, according to Rourke. He is the same type of hustler. Sam Maullins is making good at short and with women playing under the name of Gislason at short a rare keystone the Union Outfitting company combination will be seen in action combination will be seen in action at Rourke park this summer.

Rourke is sweet on Palmero, the Cuban pitcher. He not only is a dandy hurler. Rourke writes, but he s a good all and a bangup hitter Joe Wiedell, brother of the third baseman, looks like the goods, according to Rourke, and probably

Cy Lingle and George Hale will easily take care of the backstopping department and all that is needed land them before the season starts. horses under his care. Rourke is particularly happy over the acquisition of Jack Lelivelt. He manager leads the league in hitting. Lelivelt will play first base.

## Indoor Ball League Opens Tuesday Night;

Saturday afternoon.

The league will open its season on Tuesday night, when Dygert's Old-Timers clash with the Parish's Volley Ball Teams Will Pearls, starting at 7:45 o'clock. On Thursday night Mahoney's All-Stars meet the Bowen Furnitures. The league will consist of four teams this season and will play a

three-round series. Medals will be given the winners. Many well-known base ball players, among them being Eddie Dygert, Eddie Lawler of the Murphy-Did-Its, Ernie Adams, Ike Mahoney, George Parish, Spellman and others,

Dempsey Case Postponed. San Francisco, Cal., April 4.-The

have entered.

cases of Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, and his manager, Jack Kearns, indicted by a federal grand jury in connection with Dempsey's alleged evasion of the selective draft were called in the United States district court Saturday and went over for two weeks, at which time, it was announced, the cases would be set for trial. Neither Dempsey nor Kearns appeared in

Outlaws Have Hard Sledding. Falls, after efforts to finance such a team, has decided to give it up. The money was not forthcoming from

Yacht Regatta Dated. July 1 to 11.

## World Billiard Champion Here for O. A. C. Exhibition Robert Cannefax, world's three-

cushion billiard champion is in Om-aha prepared to give exhibitions this afternoon and evening at the Om-

aha Athletic club. Cannefax won the world's title last fall in a tournament in New York City. Two years ago he de-feated Alfred De Oro, then title-

Otto Reiselt, a Chicagoan, is matched to play Cannefax in his ex-

## Over 150 Boys Take Part in Hexathlon Tourney at Y. M. C. A.

Scoring 528 points. Beerkle won the annual hexathlon 1917 when he played on the base ball contests held at the Young Men's Christian association during the past week. He competed in the un-Skupa started last season with the limited weight class, and set two records and tied in the third event. This year, 152 boys took part in Wyoming but finished the season the contests, scoring a total of 17,-875 points as against 17,310 last Freynick look particularly good, year. The following 26 boys scored according to Rourke, and Jack Leli- over 400 points and will receive the relt, manager of the Rourkes, be- International "Y" athletic medal. lieves he will make a good Class A They are: William Beerkle, 528; Bob Keyt, 497; Clarence Hunter, Skupa is described as a willing 426; Verner Shallberg, 408; Van coungster with a good assortment Dusen, 470; Edward Fry, 409; Walof stuff. He is still very green, how- lace Marrow, 480; R. Kucharo, 479; C. Reis, 424; Frank Scriven, 413; I. Walter Nufer, star infielder with Fetteman, 403; John Madgett, 458; he Union Outfitting Co. last year, M. Fuller, 433; A. Head, 407; B. who is with the Rourkes at Olkmul- Perti, 447; A. Withrow, 477; Ray gee, probably will be farmed out for experience. Rourke, however, will keep a string attached to Nufer, as the local lad is regarded as a good the local lad is regarded as a good Wiles, 420; William Bergahm, 413: prospect. Nufer is still less than 20 E. Gember, 437 and R. Blundell, 405. The hest records made in the in-

dividual events were: Short potato race-H. Robinson, 15 3-5 Long potato race-Harry Smith, 34 sec-High jump-Wilmur Beerkle, 5 feet 31/2

The above are all new records for The highest point winners in each

## 86-ib, class—A. Withrow, 477 95-ib, class—John Madgett, 458, 116-ib, class—Wallace Marrow, 480, 125-ib, class—Harry Van Dusen, 470 Unlimited—Wilmer Beerkle, 528. George Wingfield to Ship Thoroughbred

Sacramento, Cal., April 4.—George New rules reducing the size of Wingfield of Reno, Nev., has been balls and bats used by boys under in Sacramento several days prepar- 16 years of age, and providing for to make the team about as strong ing to ship out his string of thoras it is possible for a Class A club oughbred horses that have been to be is a good hitting outfielder working at the state fair grounds and a righthanded pitcher. Pa has during the winter. Walter Heath, Wingfield's trainer, has had 30 Launch

Heath will take 12 horses east to horses also are entered in the principal stakes throughout the east. Wingfield considers Plucky Chap the star of this string. This horse was imported from England with Wingfield's first shipment. Last year he was raced at Honolulu, winning

Four Teams Entered Another horse Wingfield regards highly is Waterwood, a three-year-old, who won his brackets at Reno Final plans for the opening of the last year. There also are 10 twofirst indoor base ball league at the year-olds, the get of Honeywood Young Men's Christian association and the Dutchman, which have been were completed at a meeting held working here all winter and are in the pink of condition.

Clash This Week for Title The championship of the volley hall league will be settled on Tueday, Thursday and Saturday noor at the Young Men's Christian asso-ciation, when the Tanks and the Gas Bombs, who are tied for first honors, will clash. They will play a series of three sets, best three out

of five games to a set. The winning team will receive the championship belt and will be matched against the winners of the Council Bluffs "Y" league to decide the Inter-city championship.

Following are the lineups: F. A. Matthews George Long A. G. Kittell J. Crowley A. G. Pinkerton William Jamison E. A. Root F. T. Johnson E Smith H. Nestor

### Maroons Trim Badgers.

Madison, April 4.-University of Chicago gymnasts defeated Wiscon sin today, 193.075 points to 174.75 Tasche of Wisconsin, with 35.626 points, was high individual scorer. four-tenths of a point higher than Inlow of Chicago. Chicago forfeit-All those Idaho towns do not seem ed four of the dual wrestling bouts so keen for outlaw base ball and and lost the decision in the two paying salaries of a thousand a staged. The Maroons also forfeited month to jumping ball players. Twin the broad sword match.

### Cut Rate for Kid Fans.

St. Louis, April 4.-The St. Loui Americans will admit boys under 14 years of age to the pavillion-the 75-cent seats-for 25 cents. This Vermillion, O., April 4.- The In- was announced following receipt of terlake Yachting association's 1920 work from other team owners in the regatta will be held at New York league that no objection would be made to the arrangement.

> MANY hats claim to be best-The Lanpher is the only one that carries the proof. LANPHER HATS



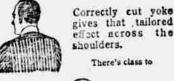
## Plan to Arouse Fresh Interest in Amateur Base Ball This Year

Detroit, Mich., April 4.-Plans to arouse increased interest in sand lot base ball were discussed at a meeting heer recently of the National Base Ball federation. A campaign will be conducted this season to interest the larger cities in the United States in organized juvenile base ball, and group the cities into re-

gional districts.
One of the aims of the federation is the establishment at Washington of a national department of recrea-Harness Horses East tion, which would provide the means for all athletes in the country unable to purchase their own equip-

seven instead of nine-inning games probably will be adopted by the con-

Launch Lipton's Ship Southamotori face the barrier and send 18 year- Thomas Lipton's 23-meter Shambelieves Jack will make the best lings back to the home ranch at rock III, which will be used in the manager Omaha has had in years. Reno. The racing string will go tuning up races with Shamrock IV, the American cup challenger, off okmulgee and Rourke declares he would not be surprised if the Omaha



Bear Brummel Shirts

rock III will sail for America on

### the war is too recent and too fa-The Shirt With miliar to need description here. He created the Plattsburg idea Comfort Points and the training camps for the A. E. F. under his guidance were models of efficiency. Correctly cut yoke

### By LAWRENCE F. ABBOTT of the Outlook. For the Federal Government | country are really in the domain is at present completely disor- of civil government. Three of ganized. It is politically bank- the best judges of modern government have not forgotten it. rupt and is well along on the And they are all three civilians. road towards financial bankruptcy. It has no permanent WHAT ELIHU ROOT SAID. policy. Its various heads of de-From December, 1899, until partments are following conflict-General Wood came out of Cuba ing policies. The abrupt and in May, 1902, I kept track of startling dismissal of Secretary what was done, and studied the subject as carefully as any business man ever studied his own

How Shall the Government Be

Reorganized and Set On Its

Feet Again As An Effi-

cient Going Concern

machinery of government.

situation. What is needed is to

realize the situation and to set

ficient fashion to remedy it. If

we begin to understand that, to

paraphrase President Cleveland's

effective aphorism, we are face

to face with a condition of gov-

ernment-not a theory of gov-ernment-we shall be in a frame

of mind that will enable us to

deal with the coming Presi-

WANTED: A BUSINESS MAN.

rich assets, but with a depleted

treasury, extravagant expenses,

decreasing production, and dis-

sension in the board of directors,

a new president who can reor-

work in harmony with the board.

for their holdings in immense as-

LEST WE FORGET.

When a great corporation with

dential problem intelligently.

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Lansing, the resignation of Secretary Lane, the discouraged retirement of important ambasbusiness or any lawyer ever sadors like Francis in Russia, studied a case which he was to Page in Italy, and Fletcher in try. I went to Cuba three times Mexico, have disclosed the fact that important functionaries of and went all around the island the Government go to bed each and visited the camps and the night without any intelligent army posts and the prisons and hospitals and asylums and the idea of what they are going to schools and public works; be able to do the next day. Notalked with everybody I could body knows what is to be the get hold of, and got all the infinal solution of the railway formation I could get by converproblem, of the merchant marine sation with soldiers and civilians problem, of the Mexican proband Americans and Cubans. lem, of the Russian problem. To read the reports and I directed be sure we have not come to a the course of the government in full stop, but we are running on Cuba, and I knew what was gomomentum only, and we shall ing on; and I feel under a debt come to a disastrous stop if some of the greatest gratitude to Gennew, wisely directed propulsive eral Wood for what I think is force is not introduced into the one of the most conspicuous and meritorious pieces of work ever It is of little use to argue done by an American. about who is to blame for this

Lord Cromer, the greatest colonial administrator that Great Britain has produced, who put modern Egypt on its feet, and whose two volumes on the Egyptian problem are the master work on colonial government in the English or, for that matter, in any other language, is reported by Eric Fisher Wood to have said that "Leonard Wood's work in Cuba was the best colonial work of the century, that he was the only man in the world who was completely fitted to carry on the work which Cromer himself had initiated in Egypt, and that he only regretted that Wood was an American and not a British subject."

### FAIR PLAY FOR ALL.

faces bankruptcy, what do the stockholders do? They choose And, finally, Theodore Roosevelt, who if he were alive and ganize the concern, select effi-cient department heads, cut well, would undoubtedly be elected president next Novemdown expenditures, transform ber, confirmed in 1917, what he the assets into productive capisaid as follows in 1903: tal, increase the output, and

"Leonard Wood four years ago went down to Cuba, has The people of the United States, served there ever since, has renwho are the stockholders of the dered services to that country of Government, and who are paying the kind which, if performed 3,000 years ago, would have sessments of taxes, begin to see made him a hero mixed up with this analogy. That is why one the sun god in various ways; a hears them talk of a "business man" for President. That is man who devoted his whole life through those four years, who why they are interested in Herthought of nothing else, did bert Hoover and Leonard Wood. nothing else, save to bring up the These two men are being considered by the stockholders, not life in that island, to teach the people after centuries of misrule General Wood's record as an that there were such things as organizer in this country during governmental righteousness and honesty and fair play for all men

on their merits as men.' The testimony of these three witnesses is high praise, indeed. But might it not at least lead us to read the records and ask ourselves: If what we really want We Americans are sometimes is to have our Government rea forgetful people. I wonder if organized on a plane of effi-we are not in danger, under the ciency, with competent men apglamour, on the one hand, and pointed who will work ably and the fear on the other, of militar- harmoniously to give us a fair ism-I wonder if we are not in return for our taxes, do we need danger of forgetting that Gen- to look much farther for a Presieral Wood's great services to his dent than Leonard Wood?

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