

1921 A. B. Congress Now On Its Way

Buffalo Preparing to Entertain Annual International Bowlers' Tournament.

No set of sportsmen, no devotees of athletics were more interested in the swing from 1920 into the new year than the bowlers...

To Boss Browns



Lee Fohl

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 10.—Lee Fohl today signed a contract to manage the St. Louis Browns...

Ritchie Mitchell Preparing for Bout

Milwaukee Lightweight Polishing Up His Ring Tricks—Meets Leonard Friday.

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. New York, Jan. 10.—Ritchie Mitchell, the Milwaukee lightweight...

Wrestling Matches Will Feature at 'Y'

Mat Performers and Indoor Base Ball Players Coming in For Share of Spotlight.

Amateur wrestling championship tournaments and matches will be the outstanding feature during the next three months at the local Y. M. C. A. gymnasium.

Gold Cup for Sculler Kelly

The Schuylkill navy of Philadelphia will present to John Kelly of the Vesper Boat club...

Grand Circuit Stewards Open Annual Convention

Philadelphia, Jan. 10.—Horsemen from many parts of the United States met today for the annual convention of Grand circuit stewards...

118-Pound Gibraltar

Paris.—Johnny Coulon, formerly American bantamweight champion, who tips the beam at a scant 118 pounds...

"Love Pirate" and His "Soul Mate" Return To Their Families

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German Paper Already Prints Result of Dempsey-Carpentier Bout; Say Frenchman "Winner"

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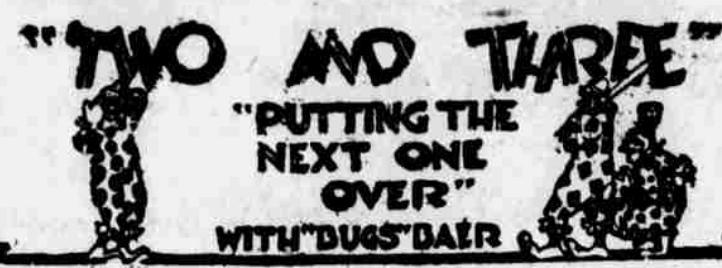
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Swedish Pentathlon in Swedish Army

A modern pentathlon which is popular in the Swedish army consists of pistol shooting, fencing, swimming, cross-country riding and cross-country running...



"Two Mo Three" "Putting the Next One Over" With "Dugs" Daer

Mexico staked our old trouble mate Villa to 1,000,000 pesos and a plantation in order to keep Pancho quiet during the revolutionary teething season.

This is the first time that the fiddler ever paid the dancer. No more will Pancho leap from ruddle to puddle in the mighty Rio Grande and hurl his hobo Vikings at the northern gringos...

The warrior is back from the conflict. Mother, hang on the self-sacrifice flag for the home guards are back in the automat. Peace hangs soggy over the border and Texas goes back to its old monotonous routine of friendly homicide...

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Schmader and Rector To Swap Punches Jan. 21

Andy Schmader, Louisville heavyweight scrapper, member of Jack Lewis' stable of mitt slingers...

Rector, who has several victories to his credit over Pacific coast battlers, nearly wrecked Johnny Sudeberg at Columbus a month ago.

Chicago Bowler Rolls His Way to Fame With 300 Score

South Bend, Ind., Jan. 10.—Louis Levine of Chicago, rolled his way into the bowling hall of fame during the second day of the interstate bowling tournament here last night...

Mike O'Dowd Scores Technical Knockout On New York Copper

Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. New York, Jan. 10.—Mike O'Dowd, former middleweight pugilistic champion of the world...

A street fight was the cause of the trouble early this morning. O'Dowd said to the policeman: "Old man, I'm sorry. I see you're Irish, one of my kind, and what's more, no match for me. I'm Mike O'Dowd, the fighter. Come on, I'll walk to the station with you."

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"Patty" McGill and Fred Grublmier Matched for Wrestling Bout Jan. 28

Stanton, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—"Patty" McGill, whom wrestling fans in this section of the state will remember had a tough two-hour draw with Fred Grublmier here last fall...

Last fall a farmer-fied looking chap breezed into the city of Wisner all "dolled up" in old torn overalls with very much of a rustic life expression upon his face...

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National Boxing Body Will Control Sport

New York, Jan. 10.—Representatives from 17 states, where boxing is legalized, met here today to form a national board of control over the sport...

Some of the proposed rules and regulations call for a maximum price of \$15 for admission to championship bouts and \$10 to contests in which no titles are at stake...

Tentative plans for the national body, provide for its composition of one representative from each state with powers of final decision on important questions by majority vote.



FREE COAL!

If this car of coal were given to us absolutely FREE at the mines, the freight alone on the coal in the car would amount to more than the coal and freight put together in 1915.

HERE'S PROOF: Coal cost us an average of \$6.23 a ton during 1920. It cost us \$2.78 a ton during 1915. Our average freight rate alone on coal now is over \$3.00. Simple grade school arithmetic shows that coal during 1920 cost us \$3.54 more a ton than it did in 1915.

The increase in coal alone amounts to \$517,000.00

The freight rates were set by the Interstate Commerce Commission. There is talk that they may be increased again. They will never go down to the 1915 level.

From These Facts It Is Evident That a Reduction in the Cost of Coal Will Not Solve Our Problem

All we ask is a "Living Wage"

The last change in our rates was in January, 1917. AT THAT TIME THEY WERE REDUCED 25 PER CENT.

These rates were based on 1915 operating costs. We all know what big strides have been made by "Old Man Increase" since 1915 and history has shown that prices will never reach that level again.

Despite the increase in business, our expenses have reached a point where their increase is more than the corresponding increase in earnings.

We are not receiving enough income to pay our manufacturing costs; to replace worn-out machinery, and to pay us a fair return on a fair value of our property.

LESS THAN 1 PER CENT HAS BEEN RECEIVED ON THE LAST FIVE MILLION DOLLARS SPENT BY US IN EXTENDING AND BETTERING OUR SERVICE TO YOU AND YOURS.

Everyone knows that 1 per cent is not a "living wage." Because of this, we had to sign a mortgage on our property. We have to meet the payments demanded by the clauses of this mortgage like you do if you have a mortgage on your home or business.

We will not be able to do it unless we get the increase in rates. All we ask is an addition of 2 cents to our present rate which would give you the same rate you were paying in 1915 when the cost of doing business was much less than it is now.

You know it costs you much more to run your home and your business now than it did in 1915. We are not asking for excess profits. All we ask is a "living wage."

Appreciation

When the gas rates were increased there was but little public comment. The board just announced an increase on every 1,000 cubic feet; "soaked on" a few "service charges" and let it go at that.

After obtaining the increase, as you know, the pressure of the gas was lowered, giving the consumer less gas for his money and the heating units were decreased.

Our service has always been maintained on a 100 per cent basis. We hope we will get the relief we ask so that this service can be continued. And we will appreciate it!

Isn't that fair?

Nebraska Power Co.