

P. A. B. WIDENER'S CONNECTION WITH BROTHERHOOD WAR IS EMPHATICALLY DENIED

WAGNER BROS., NOT P. A. B. WIDENER, BACKERS OF BROTHERHOOD LEAGUE

Bit of Baseball History Recalls Astute Dealings in Clubs and Development of Great Players—Garry Herrmann May Be Peace Envoy

THE statement has been made that Peter A. B. Widener had been the backer of the Brotherhood in the famous baseball war 25 years ago...

It appears that some one got the names confused and the report spread without denials until some fans looked upon it as a fact.

Wagners Made First Money From Washington Club

The Wagners owned the Philadelphia Players' League team in 1890 and the following season were the backers of the Philadelphia Club...

These Magnates Did Not Want to Win Pennant

George Wagner often said he was afraid his team might win a pennant. This was a strange attitude for a magnate to take...

Washington was the last baseball venture for the Wagners. In 1899, when the National League decided to change its circuit...

Everything the Wagners were connected with in baseball was a financial success. As developers of young ball players they were in a class by themselves.

Garry Herrmann in Role of Pacifist

Cincinnati scribes insist that Garry Herrmann is to go to the National League meeting in New York in two weeks with several suggestions...

Although there have been frequent denials from President Tener, it is believed that the National League wants peace and will listen to anything that may aid in bringing it about.

Haverford College Soccer Eleven Springs Surprise

Columbia University's soccer team ran up against an unexpected snag yesterday when the Haverford College eleven put over three goals while the visitors were held scoreless.

Deal for Chapman Would Round Out Athletics' Infield

Assuming that the four-cornered deal which will send Frank Baker to New York and bring Ray Chapman here will be made, local fans are rejoicing...

Malone Will Be Stationed at Second Base

With first base and shortstop taken care of, in the event that Chapman comes here, Mack has but two positions in his infield to fill.

Will This Meet With Harvard's Approval?

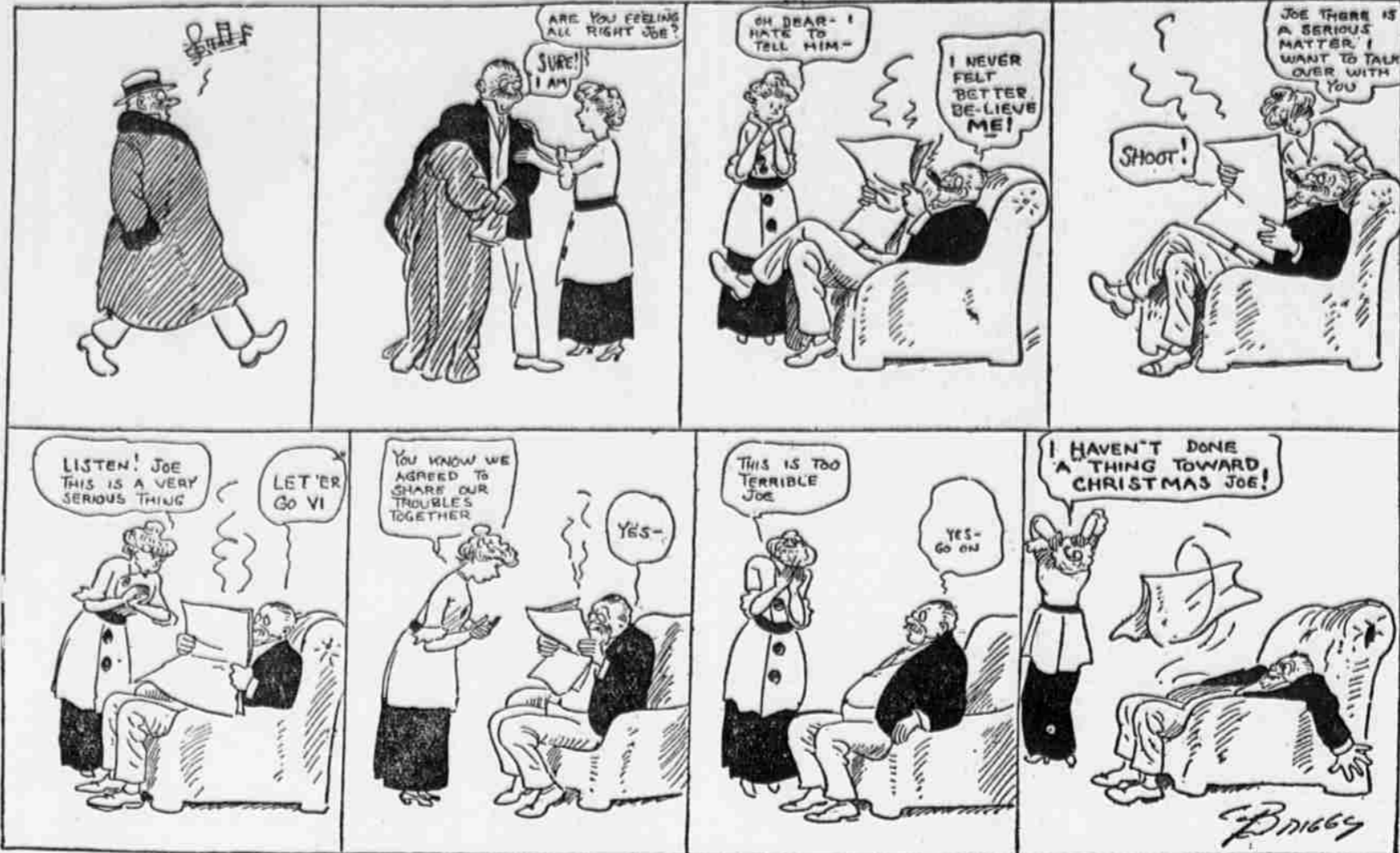
Eddie Mahan, Harvard's wonderful captain and the unanimous choice for fullback on the All-American eleven, covered the Penn-Cornell and Army-Navy games for a New York paper...

Gorham Parsons Sargent, a member of the famous Sargent family of golfers, has not followed the game as industriously as some of the rest...

Without doubt, the reversal of form shown by the Greystock Eastern Basketball League five is due entirely to the far-sightedness of Manager Joe Bailey.

One of the best things the Intercollegiate Swimming Association ever did was its recent action in making a ruling that each member should meet each other member twice, once in each pool.

IT HAPPENS IN THE BEST REGULATED FAMILIES



TWO VETERANS WITH OLD PENN CAGE QUINTET

Good Material Will Try for Quaker Varsity Basketball Berths

THE OUTLOOK IS BRIGHT

In spite of having lost three veterans from last year's team, the University of Pennsylvania expects to have a basketball team of intercollegiate proportions this year.

There are four men who are running strong for the leadership of the Quaker eleven of the 1916 season.

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FOUR MEN IN LINE FOR PENN ELEVEN LEADERSHIP

Election Will Be Held Friday When Picture Is Taken

The next captain of the University of Pennsylvania football team will be chosen on Friday afternoon, when the picture of the varsity football team is taken on Franklin Field.

"BIG THREE" DISCUSS RULES FOR ATHLETES

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BERNARD O. GERRISH Captain of Dartmouth football team for 1916. He plays tackle.

Y. M. C. A. RUNNERS COMPETE IN NOVEL GAMES TONIGHT

Representatives of Various Branches of This District to Meet in Average Test

Athletes representing the various branches of the Philadelphia Y. M. C. A. district organization, will meet tonight at the Central gymnasium for a novel indoor track and field games.

BIG TRAP TOURNAMENT SET FOR LAKEWOOD

Laurel House Gun Club Has Event for Dec. 27, 28 and 29—Pinehurst Event

Trap shooters in the eastern section of this country are interested in the announcement of the Laurel House Gun Club, of Lakewood, N. J., of a midwinter target-shooting carnival at Lakewood on December 27, 28 and 29.

On the opening day of the Lakewood carnival there will be a 100-target practice match, and on succeeding days there will be the Lakewood handicap championship and the Lakewood sweepstakes, for which \$50 in attractive prizes will be awarded.

C. C. N. Y. SWIMMERS TO APPEAR HERE AGAINST PENNSYLVANIA. Date of Dual Meet Is Set for December 10—Other Dates.

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NEW GAME CROSS BETWEEN BOWLING AND BILLIARDS

Ten Miniature Pins, Pool Ball and Cue Are Used

A brand new game has been invented which has made a great hit with those who follow bowling and pocket billiards. It is played on a billiard or pool table, but the principle of the game is centered on bowling.

DINNER FOR PRESIDENT OF SUBURBAN LEAGUE

Many Prominent Men Will Attend the Affair

Subscriptions are fast coming in for the testimonial dinner to be given E. M. Hackney, president of the Philadelphia Suburban League, next Wednesday night at Schuetzen Park.

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CORNELL ENDS PITT'S DREAM FOR BIG GAME

Refuses to Accept Challenge to Play for Championship of the East

SYRACUSE TRIMS AGGIES

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL. Another post-season dream has been shattered. The Cornell football team declined the challenge issued by the University of Pittsburgh for a contest to decide the Eastern championship...

A game between Cornell and Pitt would be a wonderful drawing card and one of the largest crowds that ever witnessed a gridiron struggle would be in attendance.

Pittsburgh won all of its eight games, scoring 247 points, an average of about 31 points a game. Cornell scored 217 points in nine games, an average of about 24 points.

While we are on the subject of dreams, it must be remembered that Syracuse turned on the alarm clock in Portland, Ore., yesterday morning and rudely awakened the Oregon Aggies in a football game.

They have started to clean house up at Yale, and a new committee, consisting of Vance McCormick, ex-Mayor of Harrisburg, "Brink" Thorne and Johnny Kilpatrick has been appointed to get things straightened out.

This move was made before next season. A regular boss must be appointed. Ted Red and Hue has been in the rut for four years and this is the only chance to get out of it.

Penn is likely to do some reorganizing in football affairs before next season. A new system is needed and a head coach—a regular boss—must be appointed.

Tickets will be mailed on receipt of the subscription price of \$1.50 by Harold C. Pike, secretary, Cheltenham, Pa.

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EVENING LEDGER MOVIES—LISTEN, LOO, IS THAT YOUR REAL NAME? YOU UNNEUTRAL THING!

