NATURE OF FOOTBALL RULES COMMITTEE IS NEGATIVE, DESPITE SUGGESTIONS FOR CHANG

FORWARD-PASS PROBLEM ONLY ONE UNDER CONSIDERATION BY DOCTORS OF GRIDIRON REGULATION BOARD

Football Game in 1916 Was Satisfactory, Better Than Previous Years, and Definite Rules on Aerial Attack Is Lone Proposition for Solons
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 In view of theen fatese, ,everan, members of tho committeo are conving $\substack{\text { not sumice } \\ \text { int tomikh } \\ \text { there the }}$

 tor seme Many Suggestions to Be Considered
$\mathrm{A}_{\text {strong tendency among the rule-makers to lot the rules stay jofere, there ts }}^{\mathrm{E} \text { THE }}$
 the country, and ns all must be considered, most of the time will be Eiven over
to a careful examination of the posmblities of everything submutted. Probably the most novel idea which the committee will diseect tonight ts the one to
ohango the fime of the game, , imititg a number of plays to ench quarter, thereby
dolng nway with the tmekener

 siving a team a viletory which is undeserved. However, the general tendency is
to regard this premum of a moan after a touchdown as a valunble nsset to the
game and a just reward for kicking skill.

 If an erfort be made to orule ngainst this freak kick by changing the deffil tion of a kick from placement.


Athe unfair and unsportamanilike practice of sending substitutes in for the
purpone of conveying instructions from the coach, an effort will probat made to itprenss upon the coaches of the country that the best winterosts of the
game are not served by fuch tactics. The members of the committee bellive that this is a matter which should bo left to the honor of the coaches and playera
themselves, and for several years have teclined to provide a perarty anginst the
practice. They consider that part of the code which reads .


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& \mathrm{T}_{\text {and }}^{\text {HE }} \text { west Foint., but it is whispered that the former has seen He the ligh } \\
& \begin{array}{l}
\text { and is now willing to adopt a system which adds to the populartye of } \\
\text { game and the comfort of the spectators who support the Eame. }
\end{array} \\
& \text { Manager Connie Mack Is Elated }
\end{aligned}
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CONNIE MACK ts the happlest man in Florida. This veteran of major league League. There are several reasons why the tall person should be wearing a smile.
Primarill, Make has in the course of develoment a piththg staf that is golng
to open the eyes of the Lehish avenue fanm. The days gpent down at Fort Pierce have borne fruit. This is seen in the reports of the manner in which the
pitchera of that squad worked in the opening practice semsions on Rose Field
This feld, by the way, This field, by the way, is far superior to that used in previous seasons of tratining
at Jacksonville. Wh the nrat place, to consumes but a short period of tmeso to
reach. Further, the outheld has been sodided, so that tho you reach. Further, the outtield has been sodded, so that tho younskters o o not have
to race ankle deep in wand chasing fy balls. An up-to-date ctuthouse has been
built and the feeld is in inclosed, so that spectators admitted free ceene of dally activitues.
Perhaps the most

 turns into bed early and possesses the cacuity of resting between skirimmshes.
Another young pitcher who will set a merry chase before yielding to the yearning of a bush league manager is walter Anderson, who serves with his left fork
Anderson, who is nineteen years of age and stand six feet two inchey


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\text { voteruns Bush and Myers. The Athletces, while not being pleked to ge } \\
\text { out of the second division, are bound to redeem themselves partly this yea }
\end{array} \\
& \text { Collegiate Baseball League Would Be of Interest }
\end{aligned}
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C. and leagues of other sporta, and the sugkestion made by Roy Thomas, conch of the University of Pennsylvania, for an intercollieglate basebail teagua ts a a very
nne Hea. There are several big colleges in the East that no doubt would appres.
 not only would increase interest for students of the varlous instititionin, but aliso
zor the general public. Baseball $\AA$ the greatest of sporta in the United B tates,
 ball clrcuit would be of more than ordinary intereses, as is in recent yearse profes-
ional clubs have relied on talent furnithed by the colleges. Some of the greatest
 nines. Their brillinnt work while playing for their renpective alma manters at-
traetod them to blig leakue ncouts und managers. That real baseball competition
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Wailed, it is only a matter of another year or so before half a dozen } \\ & \text { univeritues will et together in a league. Nearty ant he big collegen have } \\ & \text { announced thelr approval of a league, so that one college can atand out }\end{aligned}$
as THE champlon
Metropolitan Limelight Is Real Fiekle

Texere are few boxers who have made the vivit to the metropolis who have not Jene withard, Car Morrix, Packey MCCNariand and Johnny Ertie have all watched the unvilizhe face away from their permonn, Gibbons was claseed an a falke alarm
 becrume of heo showtige in Mannactan, sas wun Charlie White.
 minutes in a med exhibition of the fafety-Aritit idea, the average Now York fuin




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