UFF MAY HAVE TO FIGHT THE HUN TO SATISFY THE DREAMS OF HIS FELLOW TOWNSM

RROW, NEW RED SOX MANAGER, **VORKING OVERTIME FOR C. MACK** IN SEARCH FOR BALL PLAYERS

allure of Selected Bostonians to Play in Athletic Uniforms Makes It Necessary for Extraordinary Hustling for Material

HEN Ed Barrow signed the papers and became the honest-to-goodness nager of the Red Sox, little did he know that he was stepping into fectly good jobs and receive the salary of only one. Ed really is the manager of the Athletics and he propanly is spending more time sing Connie Mack than in getting his own club together for the 1918

It will be remembered that Connie had a little deal on with Frazee in ard to players to be sent here in exchange for Stuffy McInnis. At first orted that four sterling athletes would be shipped, but of late the er has grown to seven and from late reports it is still growing. Larry ner, Tilly Walker and Dick Hoblitzell are among those prominently coned, but those guys are just as anxious to join the A's as to jump off Brooklyn bridge. They like baseball and the monthly stipend, but at that said stipend be large enough to be interesting. They can't see joy in playing the game at reduced rates and then came the hitch. It is and that they told Frazee that they would not be exchanged and threatened quit the game. That made it in-trickit for the Red Sox boss and some stuff had to be pulled.

Now we get back to Barrow. Connie just had to have some players of gnized ability and Ed was put on the job to round them up. Barrow ras president of the International League and knows all about the players a that circuit. Now that the league is about to take the count, there are ny athletes looking for work a d he can step in and grab the choice ones r Connie. Manager Mack will not accept any spurious players, so Ed has e mighty useful. What he has done will be known on March 1 when connie announces the names of his talent.

THE Philadelphia Red Sox and the Bostor. Athletics should play well together this year, as each club has done its best to assist

Baseball May Require Caddies This Year

BASEBALL caddies would not be a surprising development in big league circles this season judging by reports. Otherwise now could players be expected to trundle about the batbags and suitcases with which they are to urdened? An enterprising salesman at the big league ball powwows in New York is said to have put over a big drive in the newfangled effects which will be all the rage in traveling during the coming season, when every possible precaution is to be taken to grab uncertain trains and be ready at a moment's notice to find a piece of necessary wearing apparel or a

Among teams reported to have adopted the custom of requiring players to carry their own effects and put aside trunks are the Yankees, Braves. Tigers, Cardinals and Indians. Managers of all of these teams already have given their orders for the outfits and ball players on the teams named, at least this season, may be seen carrying two grips each. Thirty grips and bat cases have been ordered by the Boston Braves, a description of which follows. They are to be custom made and will be just large enough to accommodate a man's uniform, his shoes, sweaters, gloves, etc. Skeleton steel cases will be covered with khaki in the club's colors, with each grip inscribed "Boston Braves" and the name of the individual owner. The grips will be taken into the sleeping cars by the players and will be made so that they can be slipped under the berths.

Johnny Evers recently advocated that the players should return to the old days when they used to ride to and from the grounds in a barge, dressed their playing togs. The return to the custom of having each player carry his own baggage at least is a step back toward "the good old days."

THE recent agitation about the need of more hitting may meet a natural death as the result of the return to the habit of players carrying their own effects. The custom should so increase arm power as to make it easy to slam out the long drives,

Kauff's Fellow Townsmen Want Him to Fight

COMMUNITY pride has gripped the town of Pomeroy, O., and public indignation runs high. Pomeroy in the Buckeye State corresponds to Royston in the State of Georgia. It is the place where the favorite baseball idol of that Commonwealth, Bennie Kauff, first saw the light of day just as Ty Cobb put the otherwise obscure Cracker hamlet in the geographies by select ing the spot named for his birthplace.

Pomeroy is not now sore at Bennie at all. The cause of the community flare-up is that there is a hint abroad that the community's first citizen may not be eager to go to war, and that he claims physical defects that would disqualify him. When the sturdy Giant walloped out a couple of home runs in one of the world's series games last fall, there was a procession and a bonfire in Pomeroy and no one in the town fails to rejoice in the brity that has come to it from being Kauff's home, but the populace has other and higher plans for its hero. It wants to see him come marching down the railroad track with a Hun helmet on the end of the bayonet and singing "Over There."

From reports it would be unsafe for any one to intimate within the cororate limits that Kauff was a slacker, and report further has it that everybody in the village expects and believes that the former Fed sensation will go unless a sudden bust-up puts the Hun "on the Fritz," so to ak, and peace comes overnight before Bennie can get sctarted. So that ne pressure may force Bennie into the lists if nothing else does.

As ADDED weight to the impression set out, home authority has it that talk of Kauff's being rejected is all stuff. Bennie's reported short arms are stated to have been plenty strong enough to mine coal, which training, it is pointed out, is well adapted to the making of a swell trench digger.

Hughie Jennings Still Pestered Over Pitchers

THE sorrel-topped Tiger manager for the last few years has had his troubles with his pitching staff. He always has had a clouting outfit. but in the box department he has been chased by a real baseball Nemesis odoo, or maybe a Jonah. Anyhow the history of his twirling departint has been a sad chapter, second only perhaps to the world-beating record of the Yanks, who have set a mark for all time perhaps for harboring nound disappointments.

And the strangest feature to Jennings's situation is that in order to stem the tide and to overcome the flood that has been ving against him so persistently he goes out and digs up Wild Bill Donovan, the same party who uncovered the Yankee flivvers and who set the high mark for discovering ad training heaving disappointments. Bill is to be official nurse for Jenga's hill staff and it is to be hoped that his luck will change, although when the ordinary outfit facing him is contrasted with what Bill has been accustomed to handle the situation would not appear encouraging.

War Game Makes New Man of Jim Scott

SOME time back our esteemed contrib., G. Rice, made a few wise observaons upon the subject of the war. He let fall the remark that too many riewed from one angle only. They saw merely the destructive and not the ructive side of the picture. They figured on the human loss but not on nat service training does in the way of building up the weak and unde-

That it also is capable of making a man over morally is cited in the of Pitcher Jim Scott, of the White Sox, who, from the level of an a who was hopelessly in bad with his club and the home public and thought unable even to conquer himself, has arisen rapidly in the ntil now he has become a captain, full of pride in his work and a in of recognized value to his country in the great work facing it.

Hollocher Can Watch Him Play, Says Wortman

K WORTMAN, a shortstop who was heralded as the best ever when Chicago Cubs bought him from Kansas City a few years ago, does ch for all the boosting that young Charley Hollocher is getting. locher gets that shortstop, job this year he will have to ore than he ever did before. Wortman got married last winter, and will take baseball seriously from now on and will play such good t Hollocher will sit on the bench and watch him go.

Tennis Will Get Big Boost at War Camps

to get a tremendous boom as a result of the favor being inpert in army camps. Think of talk of building tennis courts

ods, yet this is the report, one camp director alone asking for

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IT HAPPENS IN THE BEST REGULATED FAMILIES



JOE FISHER SLIPS ONE OVER ROLFE

Camp Grant is seeking a return boxing contest with Camp Dedge. With the appointment of Parkey McFarland as boxing instructor of the camp the boys at Grant believe that in a few weeks they will be fit to avenge the defeat which they received from Mike Gibbons's proteges lust week.

Two important heavyweight contents are booked for next Monday night. Fred Fulton meets Frank Moren in a twenty-round bout at New Orleans and Jack Dempsey buttles Hill Brennan in a ten-round scrap at Mil-

Tomorrow night in the final bout of the ambria A. A. Jack McCarron, the Allen-ron bearcat, will endeavor to stop hea-ouch of laneaster, inside the six-round mit. Some Job.

In the semiwindup Harry West, of this city, will oppose George Christian, of St. Joseph. West has well his last five bouts via the knackout route.

Kid Ted Lewis, world's welterweight champion, and Soldier Bartfield, of New York, mest for the steenth time in the windle of the Clympia A. A. Monday night.

Andrew Johnston, who has stopped his last two opponents, makes his debut in this city Monday night at the Olympia, when he boxes Jack Thompson.

TAFT ACTS AS REFEREE AT A BOXING CONTEST

CHICAGO. Feb. 21.—William H. Taft, former President officiated as referee of a boxing contest at the Great Lakes Navai Training Station yesterday between student seamen Lemaro and Bouche, 142-pounders. The bout was winessed by several thousand saliors and civilians. Mr. Taft awarded the demeion to Lemaro.

MISS CAMPBELL VICTOR IN PINEHURST TOURNEY

Boosts and Bumps By ROBERT W. MAXWELL

Philly No Longer a Tank Town

Wins 133-Pound Title of Atlantic Fleet in Service Tournament

AFTER years of suffering, enduring second part eight times, and his work was said to be highly satisfactory.

Ole Sam Langford also was a steady, consistent worker. Ole Sam used to get a partner and nurse him along until he became obstreperous and then knock him place in the foremost rank of American cities. No longer will our home town be the subject of jabs, gibes, boosts and bungs, for recognition has come unpany because of a vagrant punch on tournes, derision and ridicule or slams and bangs, for recognition has come unpany because of a vagrant punch on the chin, but Ole Sam and Sam McVey performed for years without once missing their cues. Joe Jeannette also

By BILL BELL

Young Morthew, or Billy Rolfe, as he is better known among the fashionable 3000—more or less—who are weekly patrons of the local boxing arenas, now has a double reason for wishing to recentlat in the services of Uncle Sam, or services of Uncle Sam, and bight in the services of Uncle Sam, and bight is to de his bift in downing the Rim in the gigantic bift in downing the Rim in the struggle for democracy hat Billy has an other bift in the service of United Sam. Billy's four-year enlistment in the nawy expires in a short time and with his defeat at the hands of Joe Fisher lout night at the National A. C. for the 132-nound title be is more anxious than ever to re-enter the service of Uncle Sam. Fisher and Rolfe fought six fast and furlous two-uninute rounds for the lightweight champions part at the end of the title two indees gave the decision and furlous two-uninute rounds for the lightweight champions and at the end of the title the two indees gave the decision and furlous two-uninute rounds for the lightweight champions and at the end of the title the two indees gave the decision and furlous two-uninute rounds for the lightweight champions and at the end of the title the two lidges gave the decision and furlous two-uninute rounds for the lightweight cha

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If the performance is satisfactory an effort will be made to book East Lynne or Uncle Ton's Cabin.

D. C. Sinclaire, of Princeton winner of the 16 bound shotput at the Fern Relax Carnital last year, and indoor intervolles at the complete in the Johns Hopking zames.

HOLD-OUT FEVER HITS BALL MAGNATES HARD

ball Players' Fraternity to make the magnates come through with money. At least it isn't so far as money. At least it isn't so far as Da-vid L. Fulix knows, and Dave, being the holdover president of the fraternity, says he would know if such was the

But the holdout fever is epidemic and rampaging through the payrolls of every major league club in the country. As a matter of fact, there are very few which have signed enough men to even claim the rudiments of a baseball team. Even the New York Giants, a club which have signed enough men to even claim the rudiments of a baseball team. Even the New York Giants, a club which have signed enough men to even claim the rudiments of a baseball team. Even the New York Giants, a club which declares it has most of its players signed must own up to lack of contracts from George Burns. Jim Thorpe, Dave Robstudent seamen Lemaro and 142-pounders. The bout was elaims allows liams. Mr. Taft awarded the devicement. The bout was liams. Mr. Taft awarded the devicement.

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NATIONAL A. C. WILL HOLD SHOW SATURDAY NIGHT

Less Than 30 Per Cent Old and
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The gang of holdouts now bringing sweat out in large lumps on the brow of major league magnates is not a result of a concerted plan by the Base-bill Players' Fraternity to make the

SPORTING WRITERS BOOST BALL FUND

COLLEGES ENTER BALTIMORE MEET

Many Track Stars to Compete in Annual Johns Hopkins Games

SELECT PENN ATHLETES

By PAUL PREP

boys Rept the spectators and the time, the men from the Kansas calling to Rofe to Gardina cheered their favorite with ever-increasing volume to bring home the "bacon," meaning the title and the little sum of \$4 stort.

Previous to the titular scrap, Pats, Wallace fought a four-round draw with Young Sharkey; Battling Leonard defeated Tommy Murray, Johnny Mahone, outpointed Charles Hercheiffe and Bob Grant shaded Kid Samasky. Billy Rocap and Lew Failey referred the present pouts and Leuteman Hill the min secto. Charles Kid Thomas, former local boxer, gave a few vocal selections, while the band from the United States staumbip Michigan enertication before and a stirring address, telling of his many esperiences "over there."

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The National senior indoor championship meet of the Amateur Athletic Union will be held in the Twenty-second Regiment Armory. New York, on March 16. Entry blanks were malled yesterday to athletic citos, colleges stated to the colleges of the winder of country. All but the of the winners of country. All but the of the winners of units and year year are now in the service of Uncle Sam.

The indoor championships of the Middle Allantic District of the A. A. U. will take place Thursday evening. March 14. In the Second Regiment Armory, Broad and Suscuedant Armory, Broad and Suscuedant Armory, Broad and Suscuedant are as follows: 60-pard dash, 300-yeard light and broad humps.

There will also be special events for mem-

WAGNER OUT OF GAME

FRASER HALE, ONE OF LEADIN GOLFERS OF THE WEST, IS OVER FRANCE FIGHTING WITH SAMM

Carried Warren Wood to 39th Hole in Wa Championship and Played Splendid Golf in Last British Amateur

By CHARLES (Chick) EVANS, JR.

THE subject of this little sketch is one of the best of the younger golfers in the country. Not of the very youngest, for as a matter of fact he celebrated his twenty-fifth birthday on the fourth of January, 1618, and in France. It was his misfortune to appear a little after the famous group of Chicage boy golfers who had things mostly their own way for a while and made it very hard for the one who came immediately after them.

Fraser Hale has played golf all over this country and in England and France, and everywhere his showing has been creditable. From the very start he has had to work against seasoned players, and always he has put up a good fight.

He had a good beginning at golf. His fatter was a charter member of the Skokle Golf Club and Fraser played from his earliest years. His first instructor was Jimmie Watson, at that time one of the most famous golfers in the country. Then, too, there is the story of a Scottish grandfather, J. G. Dariling, who was a distinguished golfer in the old country.

Loses Thirty-nine-Hole Match

Fraser was a valued member of the midwestern team that played in the Pacific northwest in the carly spring of 1913. That year playing in the western championship he carried Warren Wood, the eventual winner of the event, to the thirty-ninth hole. In the national and Garden City that year the slender, twenty-year-old stripling fought the veteran Travis to a standstill, finally losing by a small margin.

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In 1914 Fraser Hale was one of the Americans who played in the last British championship. He went over later by several weeks than Travis and Outmet, and a week or so earlier than L. He employed his time before the tournament in playing over leading British courses, and made friends everywhere. He was defeated in the second round of the tournament by Ivo Whitton, the Australian champion.

In both of these rounds he was up against first-class players. Contrasting his game with the leading two eastern players he shows more than favorably.

Big League Clubs to Spend \$600,000 in Railroad Fares

It is estimated that the sixteen major league clubs this year will spend nearly \$600,000 in rullroad tares, exclusive of Pullman charges. The National League clubs will travel \$5,131 miles, which means about \$1700 for each player. If each club carries twenty-two men on the road all season the lotal expenditure for transportation will be not much less than \$500,000. The American League's mileage is about the same, so that railcoad rates will consume a like amount.

be played as soon as satisfactory arrangements can be made. As Manager Jim Coffey, of the Saints, hasn't heard from the Penn State League in reference to a post series with the pennant winner, it is probable that he will accept the B. B. I. offer.

Marines Play Tonight

Captain Hogan's United States Ma-rines from League Island will play one of their "biggest" contests of the season tonight at Traymore Hall, where they take the floor to appose the strong But-terworth five, which quintet finished in a lie with Dobson for the Industrial

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WALT JOHNSON LAN IN HOLD-OUT LEAG

Star Twirler Reported to H Refused \$10,000 Salary

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Heinle Wagner, veteran aborts Soston American League beschaff not play with the team this year, o a statement by Harry H. Fra





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