

ARROW TOSSERS TO PLAY IN CITY AMATEUR BASKETBALL LEAGUE-BOWLING SCORES

KRAFT TO PLAY AT WILKES-BARRE

Big First Sacker Signs Contract With "Red" Calhoun; After Other Stars

Kraft, the eccentric first sacker, who played with the Harrisburg Internationals two years ago, will play with Wilkes-Barre, this season.

Manager John C. Calhoun made a big step forward in the rebuilding of the Wilkes-Barre baseball team when he concluded negotiations for the purchase of first baseman Kraft from the Milwaukee club.

"Kraft was with 'Billie' Clymer's Louisville team the early part of last season and was used by him in a trade for Jay Kirke.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 9.—The national baseball commission yesterday held that the only tests that should be applied to the engagement of a minor league ball player upon his willingness to play for a salary within the prescribed limit of the club desiring his services should be his eligibility to contract.

The ruling was rendered as a result of the resolutions adopted by the national board at New Orleans reciting that the National Association had voted for a rule prohibiting the employment of more than five veteran players on its team.

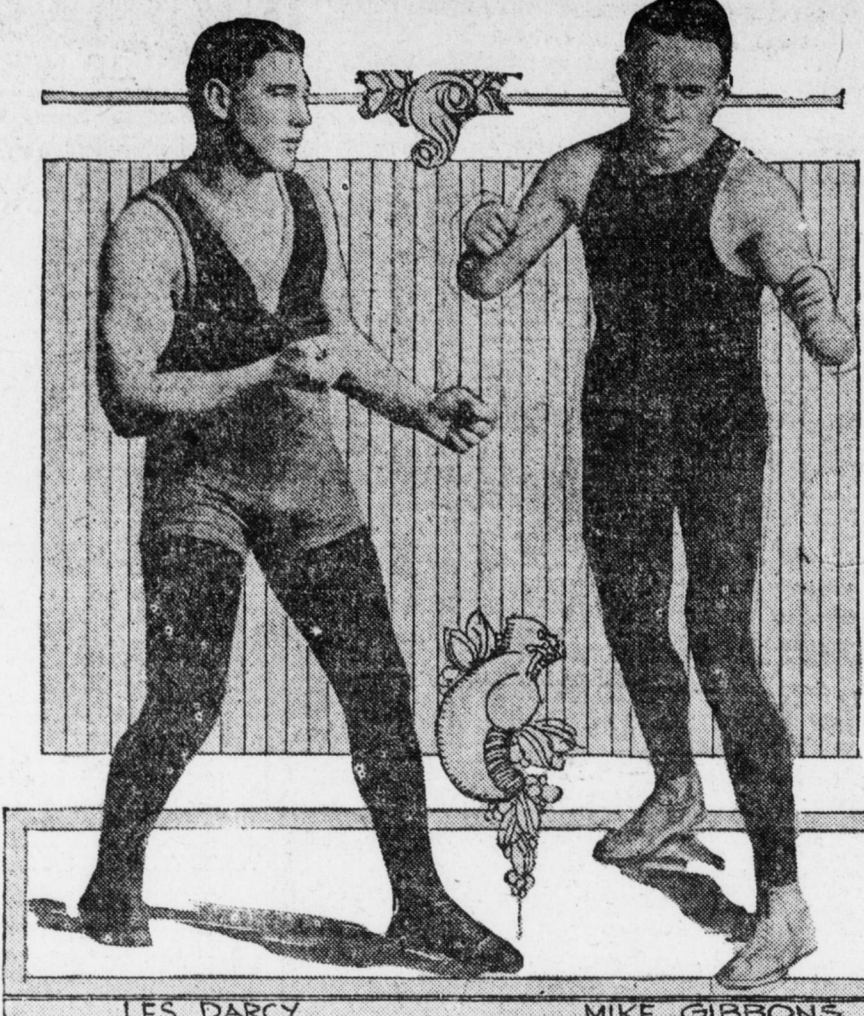
In this resolution the national board said the Muscatine club had subscribed to it in 1915, but had resisted its enforcement in 1916, and concluded the resolution as a result of the fact that it is the sense of this board that Manager Egan, of the Muscatine club, has appeared before the courts of baseball with unclean hands, and has further refused that this board further decline to place its stamp of approval on the winning of pennants by such unfair and unsportsmanlike methods.

DANES WANT FOOTBALL GAME New York, Jan. 9.—The Danish Football Association has requested the United States Soccer Football Association to select an all-American squad for a series of games to be played in Denmark in May.

TINKER INSISTS ON PLANS Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 9.—Joseph Tinker, erstwhile manager of the Chicago Nationals, arrived in Columbus yesterday preparatory to attending a meeting of the minority stockholders of the Columbus Association baseball club to be held to-morrow.

GANZEL WANTS PITCHER PIERCE Chicago, Ill. Jan. 9.—John Ganzel, manager of the Kansas City club of the American Association, conferred with Fred Mitchell, manager of the Chicago Nationals, here to-day in re-connection with three players, George Pierce, a pitcher, is understood to be one of the players wanted by Ganzel.

DARCY-GIBBONS BOUT WILL BE STAGED IN HAVANA



LES DARCY MIKE GIBBONS

"Curley" Brown, the race track owner, of Havana, is believed to have signed Les Darcy, of Australia, and Mike Gibbons, of St. Paul, for a middleweight championship fight in Havana.

Boyd Memorial League Has Twenty-Four Contests

In the Boyd Memorial Basketball League last night the German class defeated the Black class, score 17 to 11. This was the opening contest of the league.

Local P. R. Y. M. C. A. Tossers Win Game at Altoona

At Altoona last night the Harrisburg Pennsylvania Railroad Young Men's Christian Association basketball five won over Altoona; score, 18 to 14.

Table with columns: HARRISBURG, ALTOONA, F.G. Fouls, Pts. Rows include players like A. Winn, M. Gerdes, etc.

CHANGE IN SCHEDULE MEETING

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 9.—The meeting of the National and American Leagues' schedule committees, which was set for Brunswick, Ga., January 10, was postponed because of the inability of Barney Dreyfuss, president of the Pittsburgh club, to make the trip.

FRED KAISER DEAD

New York, Jan. 9.—Fred Kaiser, who won the national three-mile walking championship in 1911 and the national seven-mile walking title in 1913, died here yesterday.

HARVARD MEN TRAIN AT NIGHT

Use Calcium Lights For Night Shift; Crimson Athletes Work Hard

Cambridge, Conn., Jan. 9.—Harvard will work a night shift for its track candidates in the months to come in an effort to bolster the strength of the field event division.

Meet in February

Two weeks later, on February 17, the Harvard-Dartmouth-Pennsylvania meet is due. Events to be competed for by athletes from the three colleges will be the 45-yard hurdles, the 390 and 730 yard relays, the mile run, the high jump and the shot-put.

RED CROSS SEAL COMMITTEE TO WIND UP ITS AFFAIRS FOR 1916

Harrisburg Red Cross Christmas seal campaign for 1916 will be officially closed Thursday evening when the general committee meets at the home of Mrs. William Henderson, 25 North Front street, to hear final reports of the sales season's crusade.

Girls' Basketball Leagues Start Series This Afternoon

Plans for two basketball leagues for girls at Central high school were completed last night. Games will be played morning and afternoon on Chestnut Street Hall floor, starting to-day.

SEEK TO MAKE KITCHEN IN HOTEL ABSOLUTELY CLEAN

Sanitary precautions, the equal of which perhaps have never been taken in any other hotel, are to be observed in equipping and operating the kitchen in a very large hotel to be erected in New York city.

JAPAN'S LOST OPPORTUNITY

Japan had a great opportunity to serve China herself, and humanity when, quite legitimately, she attacked the German stronghold of Tsingtao. Instead of rising to this opportunity, she rode roughshod from one blunder to another.

BOROUGH OFFICERS CHOSEN

Lewisberry, Pa., Jan. 9.—Borough Council has elected officers for the year as follows: President, W. S. Hammond; secretary, Harvey Erney; treasurer, Edward S. Wolfe.

CONKLIN MORTON TRUSTEE

Assets Scheduled at \$260,000; Liabilities \$810,000 Attorney Job J. Conklin was selected yesterday as trustee in bankruptcy for the Morton Truck and Tractor Company at a meeting of creditors from this city, New York and other cities.

WELLY'S CORNER



Ban Johnson is showing increased activity in putting into force his new ideas. He had a birthday celebration on Saturday, having reached the fifty-fourth milestone.

Thomas Helfrich, who pitched for Harrisburg last season, has been signed by the Portland (Ore.) team, according to Manager Walter McCready. He won 27 and lost 12 games while under George Cokill.

The interclass basketball series at Tech high school opened to-day. The Juniors and Seniors met this afternoon. All games will be played on the gymnasium floor.

With the introduction of the Boyd Memorial Intermediate Basketball League will mean the development of future great stars for the big team. The players are all members of the

Pine Street Sunday School and they are enthusiastic in their work.

The Harrisburg Independents play at Williamsport to-night. Manager Ike McCord was rather dubious about playing the game because of his players being busy this week.

Announcement has been made that Fred Mitchell, recently chosen manager of the Chicago Nationals, has been given authority to begin a campaign which may last two or three years to build regardless of expense a pennant-winning team.

J. Franklin Baker will get into the banking business. He secured a charter yesterday for a bank at Trappa, Md., capital stock \$10,000.

Aviator Dead, but Plane Sailed on as Usual

Berlin, Jan. 9.—Replete with dramatic incidents are the reports just published of the late Captain Boelke, the famous German aviator, who brought down forty aeroplanes during his service ended by his death on October 29.

"I wondered at the stubbornness of the enemy," wrote Boelke, "considering that he must have been finished a long time ago; but he continued to circle in the same fashion. Reason told me the man must be dead and that the machine was being maintained in its right position only by the ether band at the helm. Therefore I approached closely and saw the occupant of the machine leaning toward the right side, dead. The aeroplane bore the number 7495. The horrible picture left me unshaken. I let the man alone and attacked the next one."

An example of chivalry reported in Boelke's book is to the effect that after having encountered an adversary Boelke made several "rounds of honor" over the place where his enemy had fallen. A "round of honor" left me unshaken. I let the man alone and attacked the next one.

LADY WHO ADVERTISED TOWN

When Binghamton, N. Y., desired to attract neighboring citizens to the town, a young lady was selected to visit other towns and see what made them attractive, boosting at the same time, Binghamton. The result of her experiences are published in the January American Magazine and the writer of the fact says:

"Miss McCormick declares that her work was the most educative of any campaign she ever tackled. She would be justified in setting up shop herself on the strength of the knowledge she gained.

"Don't you give us a list of some of these things you learned about 'rubber' asked a merchant. 'We can use 'em in our business.'

"Sure," replied Miss McCormick, with her most demure smile. And this is what she wrote down:

"1. The knowledge of a woman's name is the open sesame to her confidence.

"2. Don't expect interest if you are not ready to show it.

"3. Artistic display of goods is half the sale.

"4. Every dollar invested in a good clerk will return a hundredfold.

"5. A good location is money in the bank.

"6. Variety is the spice of shopping.

"7. Price, style and quality are all ready to be cherished, but the greatest of these is style.

"8. It is not always the butterfly who buys the most goods."

CHARTING THE ARMY'S FEET

To a layman, the records of the inspections of the feet of the various militia regiments stationed on the border last summer are astonishing. For example, take the specific case of the Sixteenth Pennsylvania Infantry. Out of 1,087 men inspected only 290 sound feet were found.

Busy Time For Bowlers; Records on Casino Alleys

Academy Duckpin League (Academy alleys) table with columns: Bakers, Bitters, Looser, etc.

Solvay Duckpin League (Taylor alleys) table with columns: No. 1, Snyder, etc.

Casino Duckpin League (Casino alleys) table with columns: Calumets, Electric, etc.

Casino Duckpin League (Casino alleys) table with columns: Majestics, Pennsylv, etc.

Allison Hill League (Hess alleys) table with columns: Lions, Leopards, etc.

Miscellaneous table with columns: On Enola Y. M. C. A. alleys, Lemoyne, etc.

Mount Pleasant Press League (Taylor alleys) table with columns: Cubs, Pollys, etc.

Standings of the Teams Mount Pleasant Press table with columns: Pollys, Cubs, etc.

Standings of the Teams Allison Hill table with columns: Wolves, Lions, etc.

Standings of the Teams Casino Tempin League table with columns: Calumets, Electric, etc.

Standings of the Teams Solvay Duckpin League table with columns: Team No. 1, Team No. 2, etc.

Standings of the Teams Allison Hill table with columns: Officers, Bakers, etc.

Standings of the Teams Reception For Soldiers table with columns: Marietta, Pa., etc.

Bringing Up Father

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