

THE NEWS OF SPORTSDOM

FALL B. B. MIX-UP

Western League and New American Association Clash.

THAT NICE PROGRAM DOESN'T GO

A. B. Beall May Retain Membership in Both Leagues, but Will Not

Baseball affairs in the middle west became beautifully mixed yesterday at St. Joseph, Mo., where the Western league is in session.

At the meeting yesterday President T. J. Hickey, George Lennon, of St. Paul, and George Tebeau of Kansas City, resigned from the league.

New Western League President. James Whitfield, the veteran sporting editor of the Kansas City Star, was elected president of the league and the salary was increased to \$2,000 per year.

Mr. Beall's Position. The position of Mr. Beall is not clearly defined. It is, of course, quite possible for him to retain a membership in both leagues, as he could thus transfer to Sioux City in the Western league, but if the two organizations should enter into a bitter warfare his position would be a disagreeable one.

Former President Hickey said yesterday: "We closed last year's business and I tendered my resignation, as I had planned to do, and it was accepted."

George E. Lennon also says that Minneapolis will remain with the American association. He says: "I have a franchise in the American association and shall stand by it."

REIDY GOES TO BAN

He'll Pitch for the St. Louis American League Club. Special to The Journal. Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 5.—Pitcher Willie Reidy of the Milwaukee club, to-day attached his name to a contract with St. Louis in the American League, having reached an agreement with Manager McAleer last night.



Desperate Case Of Piles Cured.

Mrs. Wm. Kenmore, South Omaha, writes: "I suffered many, many years with protruding piles and dared not risk an operation. My case became desperate. I took Pyramid Pile Cure and in a short time was entirely cured, with no return of the trouble."

HE MIGHT PROTEST

Lipton Has Ground for Protesting Recent Yacht Race

SAYS H. P. SIMONTON OF CHICAGO

Deed of Gift of America's Cup Said to Forbid the Allowance of Time.

Special to The Journal. Chicago, Dec. 5.—"As a matter of fact the America's cup has not been legally won by American boats for several years," said H. P. Simonton, the secretary of the Chicago Yacht club.

Mr. Simonton bases his declaration on information obtained from copy of the deed of gift, which, drawn in 1887 by the sole surviving owner of the gallant schooner America, reconveyed the trophy won by America at Cowes, England, in 1851, to the New York Yacht club.

As is well known the last international race, as well as many of the others, was conducted with a time allowance provision. Mr. Simonton believes that Sir Thomas Lipton was not aware of the clause in the deed of gift forbidding time allowance.

Representative Wacher Objects to Their Annual Football Matches. New York Sun Special Service. Washington, Dec. 5.—Representative Wacher of Maryland is opposed to the annual football matches between the West Point and Annapolis cadets.

CUT OUT BUFFALO. As only regularly organized teams enter the national contests, it is doubtful if the two cities will be represented at the American Bowling congress tournament at Buffalo, Jan. 20-25.

HOCKEY PLAYERS ANXIOUS. Local Clubs Slow About Opening the Season. Minneapolis hockey players are a bit slow getting to work this season.

"WIZARD" WIELDS CUE

Beat Canadian Expert at Madison Square Last Night. "Jake" Schaefer, the "wizard" billiardist of Chicago, got in the game in an open tournament last night at the Madison Square Garden, New York.

Sidewalk-Bicycle Ordinance. Special to The Journal. Fargo, N. D., Dec. 5.—There is trouble brewing for "bike" riders. Before the paving, sidewalk riding was tolerated.

Roosevelt as President. New York, Dec. 5.—The president of the International Olympic committee, Baron Pierre de Coubertin of Paris, has written a letter to President Roosevelt asking him to accept the honor of the presidency of the Olympic games to be held in Chicago in 1904.

The New York State Special a New Train to New York. Boston and the East, via the Michigan Central, leaves Chicago 5:30 p. m., daily, arrives Buffalo 7:50 a. m., next day; New York 8:45 p. m., Boston 11:30 p. m., except Sunday, with through sleeping and dining cars.

Waltham Watches.

"The observed of all observers." "The Perfected American Watch," an illustrated book of interesting information about watches, will be sent free upon request.

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SWORDSMEN MAY MEET

PROF. LE ROUX AND C. H. ROSS STATESMEN RESENT INNOVATIONS

Mr. Ross Agrees to Terms Proposed by Prof. De Roux—Meeting to Arrange Details. Professor LeRoux of Minneapolis and C. H. Ross of St. Paul, expert swordsmen, seem certain to meet in a letter to The Journal, Mr. Ross formally agrees to the terms imposed by Professor LeRoux in his retort courteous.

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES

They Are Going in for Basketball Vigorously. Several black eyes, skinned elbows and bruised knees are but a slight indication of the fierceness put into their play by the basketball enthusiasts during the past week.

OBSTREPEROUS HENRY. History of Queen Wilhelmina's Domestic Sorrows. London, Dec. 5.—The matrimonial quarrel between Queen Wilhelmina and Prince Henry, her husband, excited great interest here.

ISN'T AFTER REDWATER

FOR UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL TEAM. Dr. Williams Says Not Slightest Encouragement Has Been Offered the Haskell Man.

Redwater, the star of the Haskell Indian football team, is not coming to the University of Minnesota next year; nor are any of the other members of the Haskell team.

TWICE KIDNAPPED

Assault by Villagers Does Not Prevent Second Abduction. Chicago, Dec. 5.—Armed with stones, clubs, shotguns, and pitchforks, indignant villagers at Niles Center yesterday fell upon Samuel Housen, who, aided by a constable, was forcibly taking his 13-year-old step daughter from distant relatives in that town.

TOBACCO COMBINE

American Peace Delegates Said to Have Brought It About. London, Dec. 5.—The financier to-day says a combine is being effected among the tobacco growers of the Philippine islands with a capital of between \$2,000,000 and \$7,000,000.

Highest of Waterfalls.

Geography tells us that the highest waterfall in the world is the Corcovado cascade in the Alps with a height of 2,400 feet, but as a matter of fact some prospectors discovered a much higher one in Mexico about ten years ago.

Home-seekers' Excursions

On Dec. 17th the Northern Pacific Railway will again sell the round trip home-seekers' excursion tickets to all points west on their line in Minnesota, Dakota, Montana and Washington at one first-class fare, plus \$2 for the round trip.

A Delightful Trip.

Only 1 1/2 hours to Omaha via Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R. Buffet Library cars, Cafe Parlor cars, etc.

Palace CLOTHING HOUSE CO. MINNEAPOLIS: 315 to 325 Nicollet Avenue. ST. PAUL: Seventh and Robert Streets.

Bargain Friday Stunning Offers

The Most Sweeping and Unprecedented Price Cuts of the Season. We advise early trading.

385 most supremely handsome, heavy weight, fancy worsted, cassimere and cheviot suits, in sack and 3-button frock styles. An endless variety of patterns in most wanted colors. All sizes from 34 to 42. These excellent garments represent some of the season's best sellers.

\$8.00 Men's Ulsters, \$5.00 Men's extra heavy weight Melton ulsters, in colors—cut double breasted style—52 inches long—high storm protective collar—muff pockets—plaid worsted lining—all sizes up to 42. For a flyer we offer a limited quantity Bargain Friday at \$5.00

Teamsters' \$2.00 Coats, \$1.10. Made of wind and waterproof covert cloth, in tan and Canadian gray colors. Patent buttons, corduroy collar. Regular \$2 Bargain Friday \$1.10

\$3.50 Two-Piece Suits, \$1.95. All-Wool Boys' Suits—in sizes from 7 to 16—made from cheviot, cassimere and unfinished worsted—in black, blue and fancy colors—broken sizes and odd lots of this season's best sellers—worth to \$3.50. While they last, Bargain Friday \$1.95

Boys' \$4.50 Reefers \$2.95. They are Dobson's standard blue chinchilla, trimmed and made first class in every respect. In sizes from 5 to 16. Either velvet or storm collar. They are exceedingly cheap. Bargain Friday \$2.95

\$5.50 Boys' Long Pants Suits—made of blue or black cheviot—cut single or double breasted style, in sizes from 13 to 19—\$3.95 Bargain Friday \$3.95

Boys' All-Wool Knee Pants—With double seat and knee—all sizes from 4 to 16—all colors—worth 45c Bargain Friday 45c

\$2.00 Men's Felt Shoes—Either lace or congress—either felt or leather soles—Bargain Friday \$1.00

\$1 Boys' Jersey Buckle Arctics—Reinforced heels and soles—red or black fleece lining—while they last—69c Bargain Friday 69c

50c Little Girls' First Quality Rubbers—Sizes 10 to 13 1/2. While they last, Bargain Friday 25c

Boys' Moccasins—Silk stitched and reinforced seams—the kind that usually sells for 75c and \$1.00. Bargain Friday 50c

Boys' 50c Fleece Lined Leather Gloves—All sizes. Bargain Friday 25c

Boys' Fast Black Fleece Lined Hose—Heavy ribbed, double heel and toe—worth 25c—15c Bargain Friday 15c

Boys' Plush Back Underwear—Jaeger or gray mixture; worth 50c. Bargain Friday 25c

Men's Fancy Domet Night Shirts—Cut 54 inches long. Handkerchief pocket and cuffs. Worth 35c. Bargain Friday 35c

Twentieth Century Tuffers—Are made of high grade silks and satins. Extra large size. Worth \$1.00. Bargain Friday 48c

Way's Worsted Mufflets—In navy, maroon, black and white. While they last, Barg. Fri. 15c

Men's Silk and Satin Neckwear—Cut from remnants of 50c and 75c silks. All styles. While they last, Bargain Friday 19c

Men's Oil Tan Heavy Fleece-Lined Mitts—with comfort wrists. 21c Bargain Friday 21c

Men's Suspenders—Uncle Sam brand—roll ends—every pair warranted—as a special offering—Bargain Friday 19c

Men's Merino Fancy Cotton Half Hose—Excellent assortment of patterns and worth 20c—per pair. 10c

Men's Fancy Flannel Overshirts—With ties to match; also navy blue—worth \$1.00. Bargain Friday 69c

Boys' French Flannel Shirt Waists and Blouses—Plain and fancy colors—sizes 4 to 12. Bargain Friday 48c

A CHRISTMAS BOX OF The Herbert Spencer Cigars. Will be acceptable to any gentleman. They do like them so much.

La Preferencia 10¢ cigar. Stands on its reputation.