

SPORTS

FRANCE AND ITALY

Leading Exponents of Two Schools of Fencing Meet at Naples to Decide Superiority.

Local Experts Discuss the Relative Merits of the Two Styles of Swordsmanship.

Local fencers manifest considerable interest in the meeting at Naples of MM. Marignac and Kirchoffer...

The principal difference between the French and Italian schools is that the Italians use their feet more.

Naturally, I think the Italian system the more effective, that is to say, I think an Italian expert would in the majority of cases defeat a French master.

Pessini Without an Equal. "I know Signor Pessini very well by reputation. He is from Tuscany, and is a compatriot of mine."

"Two or three years ago Pavesi, a noted Italian fencer, and a pupil of Pessini, came to New York and challenged any fencer in the country to a bout."

Kirchoffer the Best Ever. "M. Kirchoffer is the finest master of the foil in all the world. M. Marignac also is a noted fencer, although not the equal of Kirchoffer."

The Chamber of Commerce team took the odd game of the match yesterday at the City Y. M. C. A. alleys. Lumborg rolled in for the salesmen the first game which they won.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS. Played. Won. Lost. Pct. Turners 24 20 4 .833. Taxodors 24 18 6 .750.

FOOTBALL. There is little likelihood of the faculty at the University of Chicago passing favorably upon the proposition of the athletic council to discontinue the annual Thanksgiving Day football game...

Metropolitan Music Co. 41-43 S. SIXTH ST. This cut represents a lady playing the piano with the PIANOLA, which has become the universal piano player.

Metropolitan Music Co. 41-43 S. SIXTH ST. Advertisement for piano and music.

BILLIARD TABLES, \$18 to \$45. Edison Phonographs, \$10 to \$30. Ping Pong Tables and Sets, \$1 to \$14.

GREAT WESTERN CYCLE COMPANY, 601-603 1st Av. S., Cor. 6th St. Advertisement for bicycles and accessories.

LENNON IS TURNED DOWN

St. Paul Council Committee Acts Unfavorably on Petition for Down Town Ball Park.

The St. Paul council committee on streets will report immediately upon the proposition to allow the St. Paul baseball club to build a down town park.

The members of the committee appointed by the National American League for the purpose of effecting a peaceful termination of the baseball war, met at New York to-day.

President Ban Johnson's reply to the request for a peace conference sent out Wednesday evening by the National League was delivered to Chairman Herriman of the committee of the latter body just before the members of the National League finished their afternoon session at the Hotel Victoria yesterday.

August B. Herriman, chairman of the National League committee, Victoria Hotel, city: Dear Sir: I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your communication. The gentlemen of our organization, who will be pleased to confer with your committee.

Those who will take part in the conference are: Ban Johnson, president of the American League; Charles Sommers of Cleveland; J. P. Kilfoyle, president of the Cleveland club; August Herriman of Cincinnati; James Hart of Chicago and Frank Dehass of St. Louis, the three last named representing the National League.

Upon the receipt of Mr. Johnson's communication, the National League managers replied agreeing to the meeting.

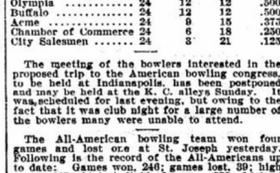
Through Pullman Tourist sleepers to California via the Sunshine Routes (Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul and Santa Fe lines), every Tuesday. Berth rate, \$4.

Round Trip Christmas Rates Via Burlington Route. Tickets on sale Dec. 12th to 23d. Canadian and other eastern points. Good to return Jan. 12th.

For Teachers and Students. The Soo Line offers a rate of fare and one-third for the round trip between all local points. Tickets on sale December 12th to 24th with return limit January 8th, 1921.

Make Money - Save Money! Use THE JOURNAL WANT ADS. You get a large quantity at a small price.

At "Plymouth Corner." 1 Men's Clothing, 2 Boys' Clothing, 3 Hats and Caps, 4 Furnishings, 5 Shoes, 6 Trunks and Bags.



Luxuriant Furs for Christmas. There is nothing more suitable for a Christmas gift than some fine Fur Garment.

Persian Lamb Jackets One Third Off. This unusual reduction brings these costly and elegant garments within the reach of many women.

Men's Furnishing Goods. Fine Neckwear. Gifts for Men. This season we have the best variety of scarfs for men that we have ever shown.

Men's Jewelry. All the latest designs in Pins, from 50c up to \$2.00. Fob Chains, both metal and silk mounted, in many beautiful designs.

Smoking Jackets, \$5. There's just enough snap in the air to make a man relish the thought of cozy evenings at home.

Holiday Excursions. Via the Northwestern Line on Dec. 17-20 to Canadian points. On Dec. 21 to 23 special low rates to Albany, Boston, Buffalo, Ogdenburg, Springfield, Syracuse, Watertown and many other Eastern and New England points.

Backache is almost immediately relieved by wearing one of Carter's Smart Wood and Belladonna Backache Plasters.

MICHIGAN MEN WORRIED

Wolverine Rooters Fear That They Are Going to Lose the "Hurry-Up" Coach.

There were all kinds of rumors afloat Wednesday night at Ann Arbor just previous to Yost's departure for a trip through the northwest, as to his intentions for next year.

Yost's contract reads that if he does not intend to coach Michigan a succeeding year he must give notice at the close of the football season.

The team of Canadian football players has arrived at Liverpool on the Allan line steamer Exavian (from St. John, N. B., and Halifax) and proceeded to Dublin.

Holiday rates to points on the Rock Island Ry. within a 200-mile limit, tickets on sale Dec. 24, 25, 31, and Jan. 1.

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Two games were played at the rink of the Four City curling club yesterday.

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BURTON TESTS THE ICE

First Regatta of the Winter at Minnetonka Will Be Held Tomorrow Afternoon.

An afternoon of rare sport is anticipated to-morrow by the Minnetonka club ice yachtsmen.

Ward Burton was out yesterday afternoon testing the ice on the lower lake. He sailed over, practically the whole lake, and found the ice from three to six inches thick.

It is believed that by to-morrow from an inch and a half to two inches more of ice will form on the lake.

Christmas and New Year's Holiday Rates. One fare and a third for the round trip to points on the Chicago Great Western.

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THE TWO NEW CRATERS

What Santa Maria Last Vent Holes It Will Be Working to Honolulu by Christmas Day.

Santa Maria, Dec. 12.—Two new craters of Santa Maria volcano, which burst from the side of the mountain on the morning of Oct. 24 last and devastated a large section of Guatemala, are still smoking.

Some formality will attend the splicing of the cable to the land end. A general invitation has been extended to the public. Besides some congratulatory speeches, the little daughter of Governor Gage will christen the splicing by breaking a bottle of California wine.

The cable company paid the custom-house \$8,100 yesterday as duty on the cable instruments for this end and for the first three miles of the line.

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