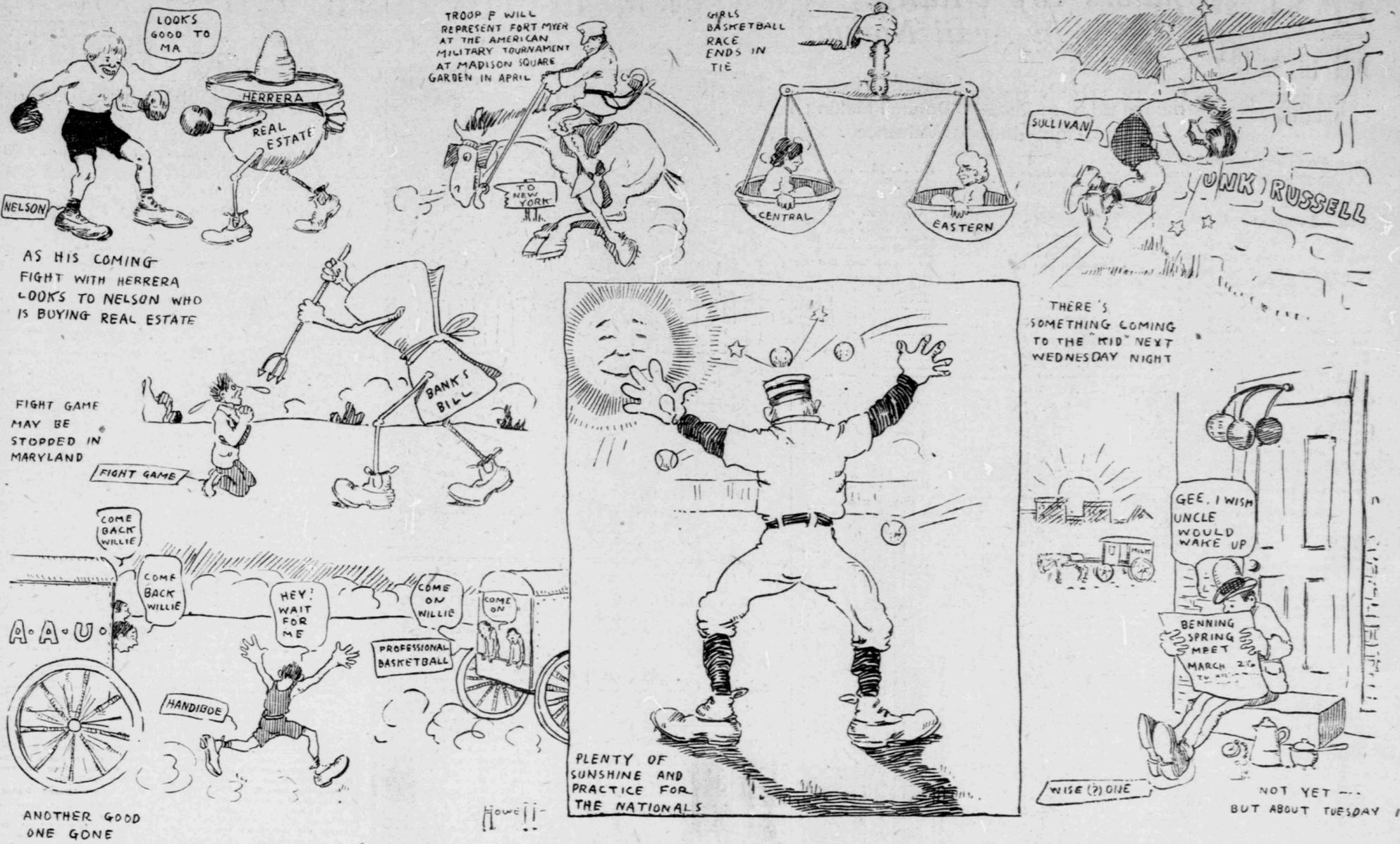


THE CARTOONIST'S WEEKLY REVIEW IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS.



TALK OF AMATEUR GOLF TOURNAMENT

Olympic Aspirants Will Contest For Western Title.

MANY TEAMS WILL COMPETE

Massachusetts, New Jersey, Canadian, and Foreign Associations Will Be Represented.

ST. LOUIS, March 24.—It may be only a question of a few years when there will be another amateur golf tournament that will rival the national championships in importance.

The latest scheme is to run off the Olympic cup championship in conjunction with the amateur championship of the Western Golf Association on the links of the Glen Echo Country Club, of St. Louis, June 18 and following days, and to allow teams entering the Olympic to compete for the Western title.

Big Incentive for Visitors.

This will give visiting golfers at Glen Echo this year a double incentive and, of course, whatever teams go on for the Olympic will be certain to remain to have a try at the Western title. The former will claim the attention of the golfers on June 18 and conditions call for thirty-six medal play.

Last year the western Pennsylvania team, so ably represented by E. M. Byers, George Ormiston, W. C. Fownes, Jr., and Dr. D. M. Friedrickes, won the cup. With teams from the Metropolitan, Massachusetts, New Jersey, and Canadian associations all competing, and possibly a team from abroad, the tournament would claim world-wide attention.

TIE IN Y. M. C. A. BOWLING LEAGUE

Hamner and Robinette Trios Each Have .667—Telfar Leads in Individual Averages With 179.

The Hamner and Robinette trios are tied for first place in the Young Men's Christian Association Bowling League, with 967. This is 334 points above the Gould and Mowry teams, which are tied for third honors. Caldwell and Goodman bring up the rear, with no percentage, having played no games since the starting of the league last Wednesday.

Telfar leads in individual averages, with 179, with Bontz second, one point behind, and Baker third, with 178. Gammel, Shepard, and Mowry are fighting it out for the cellar championship, with 146 points each. Details of averages and percentages follow:

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Hamner	3	1	.667
Robinette	3	1	.667
Gould	1	2	.333
Mowry	1	2	.333
Caldwell	0	0	.000
Goodman	0	0	.000

INTERNATIONAL CHESS CONGRESS ON JUNE 2

NEW YORK, March 24.—As was generally anticipated, a second international chess masters' congress will be held at Ostend, Belgium, and invitations are already out for the leading experts of the world to attend the gathering, under the auspices of the Cercle des Echecs de Bruxelles. It is proposed to formally open it on June 2, and of the three events planned the most important is the restricted contest, to which five or six of the greatest players will be admitted.

Dr. E. Lasker, the world's champion; Geza Maroczy, and Frank J. Marshall are among those in this country invited to compete, and the last named two have made known their acceptance. Presumably Dr. S. Tarrasch, D. Janowski, and C. Schlechter will be similarly honored.

Y. M. C. A. CANOEISTS SELECT SUMMER HOME

Above Chain Bridge One and One-half Miles on Virginia Shore Opposite Broad Water.

At a meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association Canoe and Boat Club which was held Friday evening in the committee rooms of the new building for a tract of land about one and one-half miles above Chain bridge was selected as the place to build a summer house.

The location is one of the best along the Upper Potomac, being just opposite the Broad Water on the Virginia shore. This stretch of water is especially adapted to canoeing, many of the regattas which have been held in the past being held at this particular spot. Last summer the High Island Canoe Club held its regatta here, and it is expected that the Washington Club which recently sprung into such popularity will hold one there this year.

With such a spot as this on which to locate there is every reason to believe that the Y. M. C. A. club will be attended with great success. At the meeting Friday night a half dozen or more applicants were admitted to membership.

Work on the building will begin at once. It is hoped to have the structure completed before the warm weather starts in.

Manager Billy Clymer, of the Columbus team, says there is no thought of the ability of Fred Clay to make good with the stick in major league company. So say they all.

VALUE OF FUTURITY WILL EXCEED \$50,000

Many Eligibles on List—Number of Void Entries Breaks Record for Previous Years.

NEW YORK, March 24.—Assistant Secretary Smith, of the Coney Island Jockey Club estimates that the gross value of the Futurity this year will be \$50,000.

There are 282 youngsters still on the eligible list, but this number will be reduced some when the final declarations are in. The number of void entries this year is a record for the event, no less than 322 of the original nominations having been declared void for various causes. The entire entry made by the late William C. Whitney, something more than seventeen, is void.

The loss of so many nominations will have a material effect on the value of the Futurity. At the least calculation it depreciates the value of the race by \$5,000, while it is possible that it means a loss of \$12,000 or \$15,000 in the Futurity total.

Harry Payne Whitney will not have a Futurity starter this year, unless he follows his plan of last season, when he purchased Timber to carry his colors in the rich stake.

Manager Ed Ashenback, of Scranton, and formerly with Nashua, had the misfortune to lose a \$100 bill at the New York State League schedule meeting at Scranton. Hard luck for Eddie.

NEBRASKA DISREGARDS BIG NINE CONFERENCE

Cornhuskers Will Not Be Governed by Rules Adopted—Eligibility Code Is Unaffected.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 24.—According to a statement by Dr. James T. Lees, a member of the American football rules committee and chairman of the athletic board of Nebraska University, the cornhusker authorities will not be governed by the rules enacted by the big nine conferences at Chicago. Mr. Lees said:

"I can conceive of no good reason why Nebraska should even consider the adoption of the rules enacted by the Western conference. These rules are far more drastic than the situation deserves. Nebraska has already scheduled ten football games for the season of 1906. We shall play all of these games. A coach has also been engaged in the person of Amos T. Foster, formerly coach at Cincinnati University. I have no doubt of his retention by the Nebraska board."

"Neither do I sanction the abolition of the training table, although Nebraska may abolish it, but if such action is taken it will be purely for financial reasons. It is my judgment that the training table improves the physical condition of the players, thereby having a tendency to prevent injuries."

"Neither will Nebraska reduce the eligibility of players. There has been too much of the suggestion of spent powder in this football upheaval. The worse evil in the game was the professionalism coming from the offering of financial inducements to players. This phase of the situation has almost been totally disregarded."

COLLEGE PRESIDENTS ALLOW SUMMER BALL

DETROIT, March 24.—The decision has been reached by the presidents of Hillsdale, Alma, Albion, Olivet, Kalamazoo, Michigan Agricultural, and Ypsilanti Normal, seven of the smaller colleges in Michigan, to allow men in their baseball nines to play professionally during the summer providing they do not play on teams in the major or minor leagues under the national agreement.

The abolition of the training table was recommended, but freshmen will be allowed to compete in intercollegiate contests after they have been in attendance twelve weeks, provided they are up in their studies.

AMERICA CHALLENGES BRITISH CUP HOLDER

LONDON, March 24.—G. R. Newburn, secretary of the Lawn Tennis Association, has stated that England has been duly challenged for the Dwight Davis cup by both America and Australasia.

The American team is certain to include Messrs. Beals Wright, the American singles champion, and Holcombe Ward. The other pair are uncertain, but it is said neither Mr. Larned nor Mr. Clothier is likely to be chosen.

With Catcher Doolin laid up with a split finger, Crist suffering an injury to his leg, and Munson hit in the eye by a thrown ball, Hughie Duffy has a decidedly crippled corps of catchers.

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