

Athletic Events From Your Own Territory and of the World

Sporting Page of The Herald

News in Every Field While It's News—Read Your Favorite Sport

CARPENTER TO BE SELECTED AS OPPONENT

French Soldier Picked as the Most Likely Contender, if He Misses Bullet.

"Jess" Will Answer Call of Public if the Minnesota Giant Beats Moran.

New York, Oct. 31.—Jess Willard may fight before the big war in Europe is over, but that fact is too close up in the picture for Jack Curley, one of the champion's directors, to pay any attention to just now.

"There is an opponent who, if God spares him, will draw a gate with Willard that will make all previous crowds dim into insignificance," writes Curley. "Crowded heads will occupy ringside seats and cheer for his success, with the common people."

The opponent of Willard will be a national yec, an international hero. Now I will stop all suspense. You have already guessed his name—none other than Georges Carpentier, the French soldier at \$10 per month and will not let his whiskers grow in idleness. If Fulton decisively defeats Moran in New York we hope to answer the call of the public.

Stagg's Men Back at Work in Preparation for Purdue

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Activities on the Maroon football field were resumed today by Coach Stagg's University of Chicago eleven. Apparently the men had recovered from the sting of defeat administered by Wisconsin on Saturday and they put a degree of "pep" into their practice that encouraged their followers in the belief that they will trim Purdue on the Midway gridiron next Saturday.

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A Shine in Every Drop

McGRAW EXPECTS SCHUPP TO PLAY BIG PART IN 1917



Ferdie Schupp.

New York, Oct. 30.—Early last summer not many supposed that Ferdie Schupp, the Giant twirler, was anything more than a rather ordinary pitcher. But since the season's close and especially since the Giants' famous streak of 26 victories, there has been plenty of applause for Ferdie. Many expect him to be one of the leading southpaws of the league next season.

The interesting thing about Schupp's dash of high class form is that he knew he had the stuff all the while. McGraw was caused many worries and trials by Schupp's frivolous behavior and though he threatened to can him many times, Ferdie managed to hang on and seldom put much effort in his work. Muggsy usually thought a second time when considering Ferdie's dismissal as he knew it would bring protests from the other players.

Early this summer things looked sad for the Giants and after Rube Schauer, Ferdie's particular pal, had been sent back to Louisville McGraw explained to Ferdie that he would have to buck up or the same thing would happen to him. And then Ferdie bowed in and did some earnest pitching.

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TO WEAK TO FIGHT

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DEVILS LAKE HERE FRIDAY

Heavy High School Squad to Clash With Central High in This City.

Arrangements were completed last evening for a football game to be played next Friday afternoon between the Devils Lake high school eleven and the Central high of this city.

Fresh from a victory over Minot last Saturday, Coach "Hurry Up" Helmie O'Keefe started his men this afternoon in preparation for the Friday game. All of the men are in the pink of condition, with the exception of a few minor bruises which will not prevent absence from practice.

With still a chance of winning the state title looming up before the squad, it never seems to have been the spirit of the athletes. They accepted the Devils Lake challenge jubilantly and are anxious to get back into uniform to prepare for the contest.

The Lake athletes have established an enviable record during the season and are now in the limelight as the most likely to carry away the championship but the Central high team is unwilling to let the title slip from sight on a victory such as was won by the northerners two weeks ago in their game with Fargo.

A challenge has been issued and carries an unconditional defiance for a contest, all terms to be set by the opponents. O'Keefe's men are willing to meet Grafton at any time, at any place and with any officials. The previous match, however, was played on a field, claimed to be in good condition by Grafton, and which was ankle deep in mud.

GOPHER TITLE STILL IN DOUBT

Carleton Picked as Winners

—Games of This Week of Little Importance.

Madison, Wis., Oct. 31.—The members of the University of Wisconsin football squad returned to their field work today with a vim, born of recent victory and suggestive of achievement when they met Ohio State at Columbus on Saturday.

The efforts of the men and the spirit shown in order that the coach and his assistants, but they warned the athletes against the pitfalls of a cock-sure confidence. According to the coach's representations to the press, the team will have a harder task to defeat the Ohioans than they had in beating Chicago Saturday.

Former National League President Died This Morning

Washington, Oct. 31.—Nicholas E. Young, an old time baseball player, and at one time president of the National league, died at his home here today.

Fargo-Moorhead High Teams to Battle For Inter-city Titles

Fargo, N. D., Oct. 31.—The high school football championship of the dual cities will be determined next Saturday, when the Fargo and Moorhead high schools meet in Moorhead.

Crippled Illini is Being Whipped Into Shape for Gophers

Urbana, Ill., Oct. 31.—Several of the half dozen cripples of the regular team of University of Illinois, are expected to start in the football game to be played Saturday with Minnesota at Minneapolis. Coach Zuppke and his staff today began the work of building up the team for that contest which from the strength of the Gophers is expected to require every ounce of football the Illini possess.

Former Greek Minister at London Will Become Envoy to United States

Athens, Oct. 31.—Via London.—Demetrius G. Metaxas, former Greek minister at London, will be appointed minister to the United States, it is announced. He will replace D. Chatareas, who has resigned because of former Premier Venizelos.

"King George is riding his favorite horse again," says a London cable. Probably not the same favorite that figured in the Flanders episode.

Army Athletes to Begin Work For Two Big Gridiron Fights

West Point, N. Y., Oct. 31.—The Army football team began preparations today for the games against Notre Dame and the Navy on November 4 and 25, respectively.

NEW COACHES IN CHARGE OF TEAM

Former High School Stars Take Over Grade Squads During the Week.

For the last game of the season for the championship of the grade schools of the city, the Roosevelt and Washington grade school teams opened practice for the week last evening.

Roosevelt has been equally fortunate in obtaining a coaching staff. Calvin Jackson, also a former Central star, and a former St. Thomas football man, has taken over the team for the week and last night put the youngsters through a stiff grind.

Scrimmages will feature the practice work of both teams during the next three days and on Friday evening they will be put through a rapid fire signal drill.

The Saturday game will begin at 1:30 sharp, in order that the contest will be over before the Varsity-Aggie game begins on University field. A small admission will be charged for the game and the proceeds will be used to defray a portion of the expense that will be incurred in furnishing a banquet for the five grade teams of the city.

Confidence Reigns in Wisconsin Camp at First Practice

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DIAMOND STARS PETITION FOR CONTRACT RULES

Baseball Players Fraternity Requests National Commission to Make Change.

Release of Injured Player is Most Important to be Considered by Board.

New York, Oct. 31.—The official list of requests made by the Baseball Players Fraternity to the national commission and the national board of arbitration for concessions to its members was outlined today by President David L. Fultz of the fraternity as follows:

"First—That clauses in baseball contracts empowering clubs to suspend without pay after certain periods of disability, players who are injured in service, be eliminated and that such players be entitled to full pay as long as they are held under contract.

"Second—That rule 34 of the rules and regulations of the national board be amended insofar as it violates section marked 'first' of the fraternity agreement.

"Third—That minor league players receive their traveling expenses from their homes to the training camps when reporting for spring practice. (The words 'traveling expenses' to include in addition to railroad ticket, berth and meal money where either or both of the last two items are usual expenses of the trip involved.)

"Fourth—That the procedure now employed by the national board in hearing players' claims presented by the fraternity be amended so that the defendant shall receive copies of the defense interposed by the clubs and an opportunity be given of answering such offense; that immediately after the hearing the referee of the fraternity shall be rendered a copy thereof and the players exhibits, if any, presented by the fraternity, returned to it if requested. That this board enforce its awards against the clubs."

"Request 1—There exists today, in many of the minor league contracts and in some of those of the American league, a clause allowing clubs to suspend without pay a player who has been disabled on the field.

"Request 2—The national board, at its annual meeting in the fall of 1915 enacted a clause designating rule 4 of the rules and regulations of the national board which is in direct violation of section 1 of the fraternity agreement, which reads in part as follows: 'When a major league player receives a ten days' notice of unconditional release or when a class AA or class A player receives a five-days' notice of unconditional release, he shall be free to sign with any team immediately, the contract to run from the expiration of his notice of release.'

"This section permits a player who has received notice of his unconditional release to immediately negotiate for his services so that by expiration of the release period, he will have a position open for him. Rule 34, complained of, takes the right away from the minor league player, thus materially lessening the value of the release notice."

ATHLETES OUT FOR AVERAGES

Eastern Critics Believe Players Work for Hits and Not for Team.

The sooner the present system of compiling batting averages is done away with the better will be the teamwork of every major league team. The present system tends to do away with teamwork, and a large percentage of players think too much about their batting averages and not enough about the success of the team.

When a ball player goes to a manager to renew his contract and asks for a raise the first question the manager will ask is, "What did you hit last season?" It is only natural for a ball player, making his living out of the game, to desire to hit as well as possible when his salary depends upon his batting average.

St. Paul Phantom Returns to Mill City—Capital City Gym Too Small.

Minneapolis, Oct. 31.—Mike Gibbons has given up the plan of training in St. Paul, and today he and his corps of handlers were back on the job at Potts' gymnasium. Last week, the phantom moved his training baggage to St. Paul as a gymnasium was fitted up for his use.

More eastern sport writers have written in for press reservations and from all indications, the east is going to be as excited as the west over the match.

Only One Man on N. W. University Team Absent From Squad

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Coach Murphy began drilling his Northwestern university football eleven today for the game at Bloomington, Ind., next Saturday with Indiana. Only Cigrand, the clever halfback who had three ribs broken in the game with Drake in St. Paul, was missing from the lineup for scrimmage today.

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