

SPORTS

MORAN FALLS HEIR TO DOOIN'S BAD LUCK



Pat Moran.

Pat Moran, besides succeeding Charley Dooin as manager of the Phillies, seems also to have fallen heir to Dooin's tough luck. Through a blunder of someone else connected with the club, Moran is already in danger of losing Grover Cleveland Alexander, his star pitcher. The blunderer asked waivers on Alexander.

RATE HEARINGS TO BE IMPORTANT

Western Roads Propose General Revision of Their Freight Rates.

INCREASES OPPOSED

Evidence From Both Shippers and Railroads to Be Heard and Reviewed.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Public hearings on freight rate increases proposed by railroads west of the Mississippi river will begin in Chicago, February 15, and will be conducted by Interstate Commerce Commissioner Daniels.

The hearings will mark the beginning in public of an important case, essentially different from the recent eastern case, in that the western roads are not asking for horizontal increase in all rates, but an increase based on traffic conditions and upon the movement of individual classes and commodities.

Some of the advances proposed aggregate as much as 20 per cent, while others amount to only 2 or 3 per cent. On some kinds of traffic no increases have been proposed.

Western Roads Revising Rates.

It is understood the western roads have endeavored to revise their rates so as not to bear too hard on the general shipper.

All of the tariffs submitted by the western roads have been suspended by the commission. Protests particularly from the railroad commissions of the western states have been filed with the commission and concerted action by the state commissions will be taken in opposition to the increases.

It was announced that February 15, 16, 17 and 18 would be devoted to the presentation of evidence from respondents supporting in general their claim for increased rates but not including evidence in support of increases of particular rates. Beginning Monday, March 15, opportunity will be given for the presentation of evidence in rebuttal of such general testimony.

Program for Hearings.

The program for the hearings follows:

February 19-24, grain and grain products.

February 25-27, live stock, fresh meat, packinghouse products and fertilizer.

March 1-2, hay, straw and broom corn.

March 3-5, cotton piece goods.

March 6-9, coal and coke.

March 10, salt.

March 11-12, fruit and vegetables.

March 13, rice and rice products.

March 15-18, shippers, and any opposing the increases, will have opportunity to present evidence in rebuttal to the claims of the railroads.

WYOMING MEN INAUGURATED

GERMAN SHIPS MAY BE RELEASED

Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 4.—The inauguration of John B. Kendrick as governor and other state officials of Wyoming elected in November, took place today. The oath was administered by C. N. Potter, chief justice of the supreme court.

Besides Governor-elect Kendrick the officials inaugurated were Frank Houx, secretary of state; Herman B. Gates, treasurer; Robert B. Forsythe, auditor; Edith K. O. Clark, state superintendent; Richard H. Scott, justice of the supreme court.

A public reception to the new state officials has been arranged by the citizens of Cheyenne at the capitol in the evening.

London, Dec. 22.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—In view of the high freight rates now prevailing increased pressure is being brought to bear on the government to release a part of the German tonnage captured since the outbreak of the war and now lying idle and useless in docks here and abroad. At the present level of freights the steamers would earn large profits if employed in general trading, or they could be utilized by the government as transports. In the freight market 436,600 per ton was paid by shippers to carry grain from the river Platte to



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BIG BUNCH OF FEATHERWEIGHTS

Johnson and Ray Jackson Headlines of Manhattan Club—Ogden Boy in Semi-Windup.

Salt Lake, Jan. 4.—Tonight's boxing show of the Manhattan Athletic Club in the Garrick theatre will bring together the greatest bunch of little boys that has ever been seen there in one night and it looks as though the fans are due for the greatest night's sport that has ever been dealt out to them.

The headliner bout between "Batling" Johnson and Ray Jackson will bring together the two best lightweights in the local boxing colony, and as they are battlers who are always busy from the crack of the first gong until the bout is over there will no doubt be something doing every minute of the four rounds or until one of the other has put over the winning punch.

Johnson is the sensation of the season in boxing circles, as he had never been heard of two months ago, and one night when some of Manager Downing's preliminary boys failed to show Johnson was substituted and almost took the fans off their feet by winning in about 30 seconds. A week later he was matched with Young Wolgast, one of the best boys at the club, and again he electrified the fans by winning in decisive fashion. He followed this up by beating Young Maloney, after which he was matched with Young Gilbert, the kingpin of the local lightweights, and although he was unable to bring home the decision against the hard-hitting "Boiler-maker," he fought him to a good draw, and since then has gone along meeting the best of them and has never yet lost a decision. He is fast and clever, has a fairly good punch, and is game to the core, which makes a hard combination to beat.

Jackson is one of the toughest and hardest hitting boys in the city, and has met all of the best boys with the exception of Johnson, and tonight they will do battle to see which one has the exclusive right to share the top rung of the local lightweight division with Young Gilbert.

Johns Opposes Cohn.

The semi-windup between Jimmie Johns of Ogden and Young Cohn of San Francisco promises to be another bumper, and is attracting about as much interest as the headliners. Johns has demonstrated that he is the class of the local featherweights, while Cohn comes here well recommended as one of the best of the new crop of feathers on the coast, who are without question of a doubt the fastest in the country.

While the local boys have been putting up some great battles at the Garrick, the fans have been anxious for some time to see some of them pitted

against some real classy boys from out of town, and this bout will give them the opportunity.

"Batling" Travis, one of last winter's favorites, who has just returned from a successful trip to the coast, where he met a number of good boys, will be back in the line-up again, and the fans will no doubt be glad to see him back, as he always gives them a good run for their money.

He has been matched with Bud Tucker, another boy who always has been a favorite with the regulars, and as they fought a whirlwind four-round draw last winter, they are anxious to see which is the best boy.

Young Wolgast of Los Angeles, who has been putting up some great bouts against the best local boys, will meet Lonnie Tucker, one of the most willing boys that was ever seen at the Garrick and they can be depended upon to battle from gong to gong.

Cyclone Lefty and Pug Dyle are a pair of boys who depend almost altogether on their punch to win, and it probably will be a case of which one puts over the punch first.

The curtain-raiser will bring out Cly Taylor and Kid Hobba, a pair of young bantams who are anxious to make good and will no doubt furnish plenty of amusement.

SCORES MADE AT LOCAL ARMORY

The fourth weekly match of the Ogden Rifle and Revolver association, in the National Rifle association tournament, was shot last night in the Armory. The opposing team was the one representing Buffalo, New York, which is considered one of the strongest teams in the class C division of the national association.

The Ogden club scored 949 points, the lowest score yet made, and the members are hoping that the Buffalo marksmen also had a bad day. Each match has brought out new talent and last night Roach, Kneass and Sorenson, the old reliable, were ousted from their positions by Brown, Way and McMillan, who made scores of 189, 188 and 187, respectively. Gruman was high man, his score being 192, and Peterson was second, scoring 192.

BASEBALL MEETING POSTPONED.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—The meeting of the national baseball commission which was to have been held here today was postponed because of President Johnson of the American league who is still in New York.

SCIENTIFIC NOTES.

Drivers of Moscow are not allowed to carry whips.

Yeast treated with ozone shows greater fermenting power.

A new species of whale has been recently discovered in the South Atlantic.

Oilstones produced last year in the United States were valued at \$207,352.

the United Kingdom against a normal rate of 12 shillings. It is said one vessel has been chartered at the unheard of figure of 45 shillings per ton.

The shortage of steamers is due partly to congestion at French Atlantic ports where there are poor prospects of increased unloading facilities at present.

CARPENTER'S CROSS AND SEAL ON DOORS

THREE FIRES DO NO GREAT DAMAGE

Rev. J. E. Carver, in his sermon Sunday night, told of the carpenter's cross and seal, saying:

The religion of those who have gone before us and who made their religion real, has left many marks upon the objects about us as well as upon our character. The common door in your house has its panels so made that the centerpiece forms an inverted cross. Long ago a guild of carpenters took the cross as their sign, but did not want to take the upright cross least it be as blasphemy. Therefore, they inverted it and, having their motto the words of the text, "I Am the Door," they used both as sign and seal. Why did they choose the door to be a sign? For two reasons: First, it is one of the few things a carpenter made in Christ's day that he makes today; and, secondly, the door is a universal call for a carpenter. No matter whether the home be of brick, stone, stucco, logs or earth, there is a call for a carpenter to make a door.

"Hast thou ne'er seen the cross upon the door?"
Yes, it is on thine own!
Look, even now across the accursed floor thou deemst so well known!

You have not noticed it? The cross unseen though on the door it stands?
Large, clear, in full relief as it had been carved there by reverent hands!

O, man, could'st thou have thought it possible
That this thing could have been?
The cross so large, so plain, so close to thee,
And yet so long unseen?"

"There are many messages in the thought that Christ is the door of life, but we call attention now to the one that speaks of the New Year. We head that the road to hell is paved with good intentions and resolutions. Well, the road to heaven is paved with good intentions and resolutions too, and it would be a good thought at this time to make this as one resolution. You have heard that the Christ has been and done much in other lives. Dare you resolve to try Him this year in your own? Make Him the door if indeed He can so be, to a better, higher and truer self. You need such a leader for 1915. The door is but the portal of the

safety and comfort that is to be found within. It is but a step that separates the 'without' from the 'within.' This is typical of all decisions and resolutions. In themselves they are little, but their consequences may be very great. Let no man ridicule you from the needed resolutions today.

"Would a man 'scape the rod'?" (Rabbi Ben Karsbook saith.)
See that he turn to God.
The day before his death.

"Ay could a man inquire
When it shall come? I say,
(The Rabbi's eyes shoot fire.)
Then let him turn today."

CHILE TO SEND BATTLESHIP.

Santiago, Chile, Jan. 4.—The Chilean government has decided to send the battleship Captain Prat, the finest vessel in the Chilean navy, to take part in the international naval parade in connection with the formal opening of the Panama canal.

As far as known at present, the grate is the only animal which is entirely dumb.

In the location of Newcastle, England, there is said to be coal enough to last the world 800 years—that is, 5,000,000,000 tons.

street. The one at the church was caused by a defective flue leading into an air shaft and the other one was by sparks from a chimney, falling on a shingle roof. The damage in each case was small, both fire departments responding to the call from the Nurses' home, and department No. 1 making a run to the church.

Yesterday morning an over-heated stovepipe in the kitchen of the C. H. Larned home, 2320 Lincoln avenue, set fire to the woodwork. The fire department was called out and extinguished the blaze before much damage was done.

GRAND EXALTED RULER OF ELKS

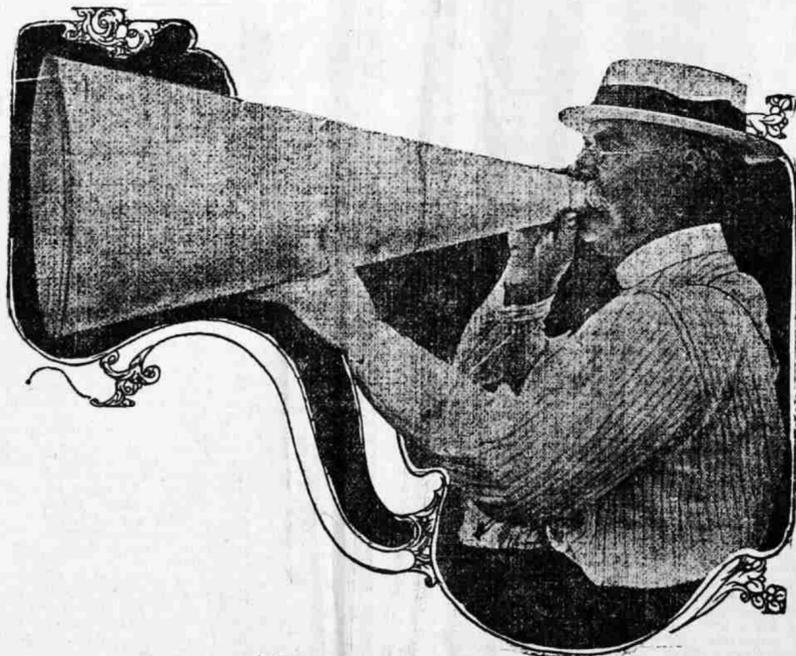
Ogden lodge No. 719, B. P. O. E., is to be visited next week by Raymond Benjamin of San Francisco, grand exalted ruler of the order, according to a notice received by Judge J. A. Howell, district deputy grand exalted ruler.

Mr. Benjamin is to go from San Francisco to Springfield, Mass., to officiate at the dedication of a new Elks' lodge and will visit Ogden and Salt Lake while en route east. His visit to Ogden will be on January 15 and Salt Lake, on January 16.

While in Ogden, the distinguished official will be entertained with a reception at the home of No. 719 and a special meeting will be held by the lodge early this week to prepare for the event.

Read the Classified Ads.

COURTNEY TO WORK OARSMEN ON MACHINES



COACH CHARLES COURTNEY.

Coach Charles Courtney has not yet gatta at Poughkeepsie, and in an effort to prevent Cornell's colors from being lowered in 1915 he plans to put three combinations to work on the rowing machines of the big Cornell gymnasium as soon as the candidates for the 'varsity' eight return from their Christmas vacation.



SNOODLES' DIARY—Oh, Yes—He Got Lots of Nice Presents—