

The Sport Page High Class Hunting Dogs Will Meet at Bakersfield

Mike Fisher and His Men Arrive on the Alameda

Ball Tossers Return From Honolulu

American Players Hospitably Entertained During Their Stay in the Islands

Mike Fisher and his baseball team returned on the steamer Alameda yesterday from their pilgrimage to the Hawaiian Islands.

The majority of the players will winter here and will be in the Pacific coast league uniforms next season.

Jimmy Britt made the trip with the players and it probably will not be adverse to trying his hand at the boxing game again.

RICH MAN'S DAUGHTER MARRIES BALL PLAYER

San Francisco Girl Is Wedded Secretly and in Haste

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 24.—Miss Catherine Donovan, daughter of a wealthy manufacturer of San Francisco, became the bride of Joseph Chevalier, ball player of New York, last night.

The story of the young ball player's courtship is quite romantic. He met Miss Donovan while she was making a tour of Alaska and while he was playing with the Seattle team.

GIRL IS ASSAULTED BY TWO RUFFIANS

Dragged from the sidewalk at Sixteenth street and Hoff avenue by two men, Miss Mabel Burnett, 20 years old, was rescued by a policeman.

PROTECTS HIS CHRISTMAS TREE AND CATCHES THIEF

J. H. Narcourt Knocks Out Intruder With Chair and Brings Policeman to Lug Him Away

Attempting to get his Christmas tree ahead of time, James Martin was caught climbing through the window of the home of J. H. Narcourt at 827 Fillmore street.

GOES INTO BANKRUPTCY

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 24.—Creditors of the Electric Heating and Manufacturing company of Dolgeville filed a petition for involuntary bankruptcy in the United States district court today.

INSANE MAN KILLS NURSE

Dec. 24.—Sister Theresa, a nurse in St. Mary's hospital, here, was killed by a man who thought he was in London, and that her mother hopes to find her there.

Mike Fisher and his baseball team on the brink of Kilauea-iki crater, near the volcano of Kilauea, Hawaii. The lower picture shows (left to right) George Hildebrand, Jimmy Britt and Tommy Dunn on the famous beach at Waikiki.



Once Noted Sporting Man Ends Life

Charles Stenzel, Backer of Former Champion Corbett, Drinks Fatal Poison

OAKLAND, Dec. 24.—Charles Stenzel, once well known in sporting circles as a financial backer of James J. Corbett, the former champion heavy weight pugilist, committed suicide late last night by drinking cyanide of potassium in the Oakland traction company's station at San Leandro Junction.

Britt Puts Out Man Who Hit Woman

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE CALL HONOLULU, Dec. 18.—While Jimmy Britt and a couple of the members of the Mike Fisher baseball team were enjoying a late supper in the Grill last night a man and a woman passed the woman looked into the dining room and the man reprimanded her for it.

MRS. DIETERICH TIRES OF CONVENTIONAL EXISTENCE

Friends Explain Her Departure for Paris, Which Caused a Stir

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Dislike of restraints which Mrs. Alfred E. Dieterich believed relatives were continually trying to impose upon her was declared today in the first statement made in her behalf to have had much to do with her unconventional departure for Paris.

MOTHER OFF FOR LONDON

Mrs. Young Refuses to Say That She Has Seen Daughter

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Mrs. Albert Young, mother of Mrs. Alfred E. Dieterich, who it is said, sailed from New York on the steamship Bluecher with Harry E. Brendley, formerly a wife of Alfred G. Vanderbilt, arrived at the Hotel Ritz after 10 o'clock last night.

WESTERN POWER COMPANY BUYS SUBSTATION SITE

Entire Block to Be Covered by Plant for the Distribution of Electricity

OAKLAND, Dec. 24.—An entire block in East Oakland at White and Prospect streets, has been purchased for a substation by the Western power company, according to deeds filed for record today.

FRENCH ANTIMILITARY LEADER GOES TO PRISON

Gustave Herve Sentenced to One Year Term for Having Defamed Army and Navy

PARIS, Dec. 24.—The Assizes court today sentenced Gustave Herve, the antimilitary leader, to one year's imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$750 for having defamed the army and navy and incited the troops to mutiny by his writings.

LATE SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

ISLAND PORT HONOLULU—Arrived Dec. 24—Br. str. Baron Cawdor, from Newport News.

Midget Boxers Work Hard at Camps

Attell and Moran Allow Themselves but Little Relaxation These Holiday Times

By R. A. Smyth

The Attell and Moran are allowing themselves but little relaxation these holiday times, as they are tuning up for their important championship contest in the ring on New Year's day.

There will be the usual turkey dinners at the rival camps today, but the middle of the afternoon will find the boys in their gymnasiums building up their muscles for the struggle in store for them.

Fight fans are trying to figure the fluctuations in the weight of Moran. On Saturday his weight was given out as being 125 pounds.

Moran is not worrying about the outcome of the fight with Attell, when every one thought it was a pity to send him against the "Terrible Terry" McGovern, he feels that his next opponent was "made for him."

Many betters are giving heed to the estimate Battling Nelson places upon Attell. The latter says he is the nearest to Attell in cleverness that he has ever seen in the ring.

CHIEF WITNESS FOR POWERS TAKES STAND

James Howard Describes the Scene Following the Assassination

GEORGETOWN, Ky., Dec. 24.—James Howard, chief witness for the defense in the Caleb Powers trial, took the stand this afternoon. He said that at 8 o'clock on the morning of the shooting the public room of the Board of Trade hotel at Frankfort. A man named Robinson stepped out in front of the hotel and brought back the information that Goebel was shot.

GAMBLERS OBJECT TO ST. GAUDENS COIN

New \$20 Piece Will Not "Stack" and Next Issue Will Not Be So Highly Embossed

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COLUMBIA WINS AT CHESS

BOSTON, Dec. 24.—Columbia emerged an easy winner from the sixteenth annual intercollegiate chess tournament which ended here tonight.

Y. P. S. C. SECRETARY DIES

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