

SPORTING PAGE

KEOKUK TO PLAY AT KIRKSVILLE

Local Football Team Battles in Missouri Town on Coming Saturday Afternoon.

WILL LEAVE TOMORROW

Second Team to Play Hamilton Here at the Same Time—Kirksville Has Strong Eleven This Year.

While the Keokuk high school first team is battling at Kirksville, Mo., on Saturday afternoon, the second team will meet Hamilton on the home lot, and football fans of the city can be assured that the latter contest will be worth while seeing. Real football weather is promised for Saturday's games. The first eleven will leave for Kirksville on Friday afternoon and will spend the night at that place. Keokuk was defeated by the Missouri team here last year, but the score rolled up against the Purple and White was mighty small considering the finished machine that Kirksville sent against it. The locals expect to put every ounce of strength into Saturday's game and they will no doubt prove worthy opponents for the strong Missouri eleven. Kirksville has the finest playing grounds in this section of the country. A fence, ten yards back from the side lines, surrounds the field and there is no chance for the crowds to surge out on the playing grounds. Benches are provided back of the fences for the spectators. Between the benches and the field lines are benches for the subs of each team. Where other towns draw hundreds to football games, Kirksville draws thousands. The Keokuk team will be given a hearty welcome and will be royally entertained at the Missouri city, a letter from the high school principal at that place indicates.

Ex-Prize Fighter Dead.
[United Press Leased Wire Service.] CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—Ben Hogan, 37, ex-prize fighter, preacher, sociologist and humanitarian, is dead here today, and Hogan's "flop" at 22 Madison street, is silent, for the penitence and outcast who find shelter and food there know that only friend is gone. Hogan got his inspiration from early association with Moody, the great evangelist. Nearly half a century ago Hogan fought with Tom Allen for the world's championship and was beaten.

Hoppe Retains Title.
[United Press Leased Wire Service.] ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 2.—George Butler Sutton was on his way to Chicago today convinced that Willie Hoppe is a real honest-to-goodness billiard champion. Hoppe wound up the championship balk line match by running the final block of five hundred while Sutton, gathered but ninety-five. The total for the three nights play was Hoppe 1,500; Sutton, 598.

Tris' Wrist Watch.
[United Press Leased Wire Service.] CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 2.—Tris Speaker is wearing a wrist watch. He is back from a hunting trip in Canada. All the hunters wear 'em, said Tris today.

Turns to Authorship.
[United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—"Big Bill" Edwards, former star of the Princeton football team, has branched into the authorship game. His book, "Football Days" has just made its appearance. It is a history of the game up to the present day.

Dawson to Cuba.
CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—Rexford Paul Dawson, the Indianapolis twirler, will wear a Cub uniform next season. The big right hander showed a world of speed last season and won twenty and lost fourteen games for his association nine.

Don't Take a Chance

Keokuk People Should Act in Time. If you suffer from backache; if you have headaches, dizzy spells; if the kidney secretions are irregular. Don't delay—likely your kidneys are sick. Keokuk people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Here's a Keokuk woman's experience: Mrs. James Walton, 222 S. Second St., Keokuk, says: "I am always glad to say a good word for Doan's Kidney Pills. I have used them with the best of results for backaches, headaches, dizziness and at times when the kidney secretions annoyed me. Whenever I feel any such troubles coming on, I get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills from Wilkinson & Co.'s Drug Store and they never fail to relieve me." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Walton uses. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

WORLD'S CHAMPS IN NEW HANDS

Franchise of Boston Red Sox Purchased by Two Theatrical Men From Joseph J. Lannin.

\$675,000 WAS SUM NAMED

New Owners Want Bill Carrigan to Take Charge of the Club, But He Says That He Has Retired for Good.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] BOSTON, Nov. 2.—A deal said to involve \$675,000 has been closed here whereby the world's champions become the property of two theatrical men, Harry H. Frazee, of New York and Hugh Ward, of Philadelphia. Joseph J. Lannin, former president and owner of the club, kept the big deal secret to the last moment, denying emphatically that he would sell and then disposing of the champions at a sum close to three-quarters of a million dollars. The purchase price which is not given out, is for the franchise alone and does not include the grounds of the club, Fenway park. Frazee is owner of the Longacre theatre in New York and the Cort theatre in Chicago. Bill Carrigan, who piloted the Sox to two successive championships, is the man the new owners want for their manager, they said today, but Bill has announced his retirement and reiterated his statement that the change in management will have nothing to do with his giving up the game. No change in management or policy of the club, will be made, the new owners declare.

IOWA BUILDING DEFENSIVE PLAYS

Coaches Have no Line on Northwestern Plays—Hawkeye Squad Expect Great Battle.

IOWA CITY, Nov. 2.—Iowa will devote the present week to building up offensive team play. The return of the Hawkeyes to the home lot has found the team ready and eager for work. The big score which Minnesota piled up against Jones' men has not disheartened the players nor the coaches. All have a feeling that the best which they had and gave was not enough to stop the progress of the mighty Gophers and that it will be a superhuman team, indeed, which will be able to stop the Swedes this season. Last Saturday, since it was not expected that Northwestern would have a trouble winning from Drake, Hawkeye scouts were not on hand to view the encounter. Consequently Iowa is unable to practice defensive tactics this week against the Purple attack. Instead, Jones is building up new plays with which to fool the Methodists. It is a sure thing that if Northwestern's scouts attempted to get a line on Iowa at Minneapolis they were sorely disappointed, for the Hawkeyes did not even have a chance to show what they had. It now seems probable that Kritz, the Iowa right tackle, who was injured in the Gopher game, will not be out again this season. Kritz is captain of the university gym team, and if he is to do work this winter with the apparatus he will have to care for his wrenched knee. Iowa does not look forward to the Northwestern game without concern, and it is confidently expected that the Purple will give the Old Gold the year-old of the hardest games in the history of the two schools. Last year Iowa defeated Northwestern by scoring three field goals against the touchdown run up by the Evanstonians. This season both elevens are stronger than last. If the Hawkeyes are able to defeat Northwestern they did Gold eleven will be able to face the Ames game with considerable confidence. The showing which Ames may make against Nebraska next Saturday will also be of great interest in Iowa City.

Better Than Baseball.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—Hurling spit balls isn't half as attractive as producing iron ore for war consumption. Harry Eels, former hurler for the Cleveland Indians, has resigned the mound and today is showing his friends here where he has more than \$1,000,000 in iron ore on his tract of land in Minnesota. He found evidence of ore up there while on a hunting trip and returned to purchase the tract. Namiquipa, in the state of Chihuahua, Mexico, near where American troops are now stationed, has the distinction of being the largest city in the world. Its site covers an area of 44 square miles, its exact boundaries having been fixed some 200 years ago by a charter from the then king of Spain, who gave the land to some colonists from Castile. The greater part of the city site, however, is unbuild upon, and as regards the built-over portion, many of the houses, originally constructed of sun-dried brick, are in ruins.

JIMMY JOHNSON TO BE DEPOSED

Matchmaker for Madison Square Garden Bouts, Will Go When New Management Takes Charge.

HAS BEEN LONG ON JOB

Tex Rickard and Samuel McCracken to Have Charge of Famous Milling Place in the Future.

[By H. C. Hamilton, United Press Staff Correspondent.] NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Jimmy Johnson, who has had so much to do with boxing bouts at Madison Square garden that his name has come to be a synonym for the big enclosure, is just about ready to take his seat on the greased skids. Some time today Edward E. McCall, who is receiver for the garden, expects to come to terms with Tex Rickard and Samuel McCracken, promoters extraordinary and these two will come into active charge of all bouts at the garden. McCall has announced he is going to depose Johnson as matchmaker for the show corporation, lessee of the garden athletic club and it is all because Jimmy didn't want to make an accounting to McCall. Also McCall is displeased because Johnson didn't go through with the Moha-Welner bout which caused the boxing commission to order a suspension of the garden shows and to fine the garden \$10,000. Will Stage Old Bout. McCracken and Rickard when they sign the papers are going to inherit the Moha-Welner affair whether they want it or not and it will be the first bout to be staged in the garden. Rickard and McCracken are understood to have promised that they will stage this match and some say they even have agreed to carry out of the line assessed against the garden A. C. Before Rickard and McCracken can stage their bouts they will have to go through the motions of organizing an athletic club and will have to apply for a license at the boxing commission. Jimmy Johnson is apt to make a fuss when this time arrives, as it is understood his contract for the conduct of garden bouts has another year to run. He is now in disfavor with the boxing commission because he failed to show up at a meeting of the commission in response to a subpoena. Johnson-Jeffries Mill. McCracken and Rickard have been associated for many years in various ventures, among them being the monster affair at Reno in 1910, when Johnson won the heavyweight championship from James J. Jeffries. Rickard and McCracken started the pugilistic world by offering a purse of \$101,000 for this bout and coming out of it with a huge profit. It was Rickard who staged the bout at Goldfield, Nev., between Joe Ganz and Battling Nelson, offering a purse that in those days, was considered ridiculous. The fight attracted an enormous crowd and Rickard was a big winner. His last effort was the Willard-Moran bout in which he was associated with McCracken and which netted him a neat profit. Rickard's long record of promoting bouts shows not one unsuccessful affair. Rickard is said to be contemplating a match between Charley Welner, local heavyweight and Jess Willard for the heavyweight championship. Johnson had been trying to arrange a go between Frank Moran and Fred Fulton but this bout is now considered definitely off. Ike Dorgan, manager of Moran, has wired terms for such a bout to Harry Sherman of St. Paul and an attempt is being made to stage it on Thanksgiving day.

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GERRY HERRMANN WOULD RESIGN

Head of National Commission to Take This Step Rather Than Cause War, Tenner Says.

ANSWER TO JOHNSON

Tenner Demands That Herrmann Be Deposed of and That Commission Make-Up Be Changed.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 2.—Garry Herrmann, president of the Cincinnati Reds, would resign as chairman of the national commission rather than precipitate a baseball war if proof is brought that a change is desired. John K. Tenner, president of the National league predicted today in a statement to the United Press. His statement was in answer to Ban Johnson's declaration in Chicago yesterday that Herrmann must go. "The same situation existed last year," Tenner declared. "Herrmann has been chairman of the national commission for more than ten years. He was interested in the Cincinnati club at the time chosen to head that body and it is my opinion that no better man can be found for the position today. The position is an extremely important one. The national commission is the court of last resort in the baseball world and its chairman is judge. His decision is final. Herrmann never has given an unjust decision in his long incumbency. I do not believe a change is actually desired, but if Herrmann realizes that it is desired he no doubt would step down rather than be responsible for splitting baseball and precipitating war." Johnson declared the new commission will be composed of two major league presidents and a disinterested person not affiliated in any way with the American or National league. Tenner declined to discuss the charge that the National league has too much power nor would he comment on the periodical stories that he is about to be deposed as pilot of the National league.

Election Betting.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—Presidential betting is light this year in Chicago's board of trade betting circles, where men will usually take a chance on anything. Early in October Hughes was a 2 to 1 favorite and republicans wouldn't wager on these odds. Today it's even money. John F. Barrett, big grain man, has \$5,000 up in several bets. One is 2 to 1 that Hughes will carry Illinois. He is betting even money that Hughes will win. On Jim O'Leary's stock yards books \$150,000 is posted. Bettors are putting up \$10 to win to \$7 on Hughes, and \$6 to \$7 to win on Wilson. Judge McCormick is Dead. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] WACO, Texas, Nov. 2.—Andrew F. McCormick, 8, United States circuit judge for the fifth district, died today. He was partially paralyzed as the result of a fall five years ago which prevented his serving on the bench although he was never retired. Judge McCormick served with the confederate army. He was appointed district judge in 1893 by President Harrison. T. B. McCormick of Los Angeles, Calif., is a son. The rose soon fades, but the thorn continues in business at the old stand.

The HAMILTON GATE CITY

HAMILTON, ILL., Nov. 2. Next Sunday being the first Sunday in the month, Mass will be said at St. Mary's Catholic church at 10 o'clock by Father Blasky. The Epworth league of the M. E. church held a Halloween party in the basement of the church Monday evening. There were sixty-five present. They spent the evening in playing games and all enjoyed themselves. After the election is over let us settle down to business and see what can be done in the way of locating factories in Hamilton. There are a number of them knocking at our door, but it takes a united effort to do anything. Let's get busy now. It is only a few more days until all your friends will stop you and say "I told you so." We will all know by the time who our next president will be. In Hamilton we are all posted on the lines of each candidate from boyhood up to the present time, as we have had speakers here on both sides, who have told us all the mean things each candidate ever was guilty of. We have had the Hon. L. Y. Sherman and Mr. Sykes for the republicans and the democrats have had Mr. William Hartzel and Mr. Scofield. We understand the democrats will close their campaign next Monday night, with Hon. Truman Plantz as speaker of the evening. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mays of Canton, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jake Morrow, motored to Hamilton last Sunday to visit their daughter, Mrs. George Cosgrove.

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Passed this 1st day of November, 1916, by the following vote:
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and pool tables for the patrons. Mrs. Leland McArthur and son of Jacksonville, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McArthur this week. Ed Swartz moved to Keokuk last Monday. George Tanner and Fred Brown are doing some fishing these days. Their catch last week was 27 one ton.

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