

# HOODOO SIGN WAS ON 'EM

"What's the matter? Did the roof fall in?"

Then Manager Ferris gathered his bewildered thinking machinery once more and tried to unravel a sign that looked blurred on the score board. It read:

"Spokane 1; Tacoma 12." But he couldn't get around it for the more he looked the plainer the lettering and "figgering" became and it was the "figgering" that hurt the new manager.

He was given some awful bumps by the Tacoma players yesterday and was seeing all sorts of hoodoo numbers.

Then Ferris got to thinking (yes, he thinks occasionally) and a happy thought struck home to his foggy brain.

During all the time the Tigers had the Indians up a tree Ferris had been squinting at the sun, making faces at Mickle da Lynch and trying to think of some more amateurs to sign. He didn't stop to think what the hoodoo was.

There was Terry McKune back in the game and batting a .500 clip and fielding 1000. Rowan got a hit and was doing clean work on first; Swain was still possessed of the idea that he was the real "hittin' kid" and had made a bingle, while Ferris himself had got a couple of hits out of four times up. Then why was it the Indians couldn't do any business?

"Ah, ha!" said Ferris in a stage villain whisper, "Friday, July 13! One and 12 tallies in the game makes another 13! Thirteen men on the team!"

That was the trouble and then to put the screw number onto things right Ferris had his ticket taken up by Conductor No. 23.

Yesterday's game at Butte was won by Grays Harbor. Score, 4 to 1.

# GANS TO DRAW THE COLOR LINE

Joe Gans, the colored lightweight champion faker of the world, arrived in Seattle Thursday night. Gans is there for the purpose of putting a quietus on the championship aspirations of another gentleman of color, Dave Holly and the two will meet at Pleasant Beach about July 23 or 25.

Both men will go into training at once. Gans will do all his work at Pleasant Beach while Holly will occupy the same quarters at Madison park that he used for training purposes when he fought Rufe Turner.

Gans feels confident of winning and intends, after disposing of Holly, to take on Battling Nelson.

### NORDYKE JOINS SAINTS.

ST. LOUIS, July 14.—President R. L. Hedges of the St. Louis American league team has sold First Baseman Louis Nordyke to the St. Paul club of the American association for a cash price of \$1000. Nordyke has left for St. Paul, where he will join the Saints.

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# Base Ball In the Harvest League



AROUND THE PLATE. THE BEANVILLE BOYS AT THE BAT.

# HAVE HANDED POOR OLD BOB MANY AND MANY A JUICY LEMON

By Jas. J. Corbett.

When Fitz cast off this mortal coil with him will go a record of financial setbacks that few fighters have experienced.

Recently I wrote a story about the unlucky John C. Heenan. Well Heenan got his from officials in the ring. With Bob Fitzsimmons such was not the case.

In the ring Bob generally managed to get what was due him. He always had a manager who could hold his own, at least while the fight was going on. But after the fight was over, many a trick and deceit have been played upon Fitz. Of course the latest of his misfortunes was the experience at the Tuxedo club.

But the Burns affair was nothing compared to his misfortune at New Orleans when he fought Jim Hall. He was to have received a \$40,000 purse, but instead received a bogus check for \$20,000 and an I. O. U. for the remainder. How different with Hall. At least the loser's end had to be handed to him before he would enter the ring. I think Mitchell was the man that

looked after Hall at that time and Charley was a Sure Thing proposition. The worst reverse Fitz ever met with was when he was handed a bunch by referee Earp the night he fought Tom Sharkey. Earp disqualified Bob for an alleged foul, and the Cornishman never received a cent. Bob has been man a lot of times, but any one of his friends will tell you that he was all but insane on the occasion of that night. Taken all in all with the half dozen other setbacks he has had, Fitz has lost in the neighborhood of \$75,000.

### GERMAN EVANGELICAL.

The German church of the North Side, corner Indiana and Lincoln, Sunday services: Sunday school, 9:30; preaching, 10:30. The choir will sing and A. Albert will render a flute solo.

### STRIKEBREAKER IS SICK OF HIS JOB

Another of the strikebreakers employed by the Washington Water Power company quit last night

and left town this morning. Before leaving the city he is reported to have said that would never act as a strikebreaker again; that all the time he was in the employ of the local monopoly he felt like a yellow dog and that he would never have gone to work had he any money. He reported that the work of the company was away behind and that competent men were at a premium.

# NEED CIGAR BOX FACTORY

"There is need of a cigar box factory in Spokane," said a well known cigar manufacturer this morning. "The local manufacturers secure their supply of boxes from Portland and the amount of money they spend in this way is considerable. One firm in particular pays Portland over \$100 per month for boxes.

### VICTORY FOR MISS SUTTON.

(Scripps News Association.) LONDON, July 14.—May Sutton and Miss Storey today defeated Misses Garfield and Boucher in the semifinals for the Welsh championship.

# At the Theaters

**THE COLUMBIA.** Considered one of the most interesting of American romantic dramas is "The Girl I Left Behind Me" which will receive its initial Spokane production at the hands of the Byron Douglas company at the Columbia theater tomorrow evening. It is full of life, action, balanced by comedy and sentiment. The climax of the third act is the general standing ready to shoot his daughter should the Indians succeed in breaking through the stockade. The play is a story of Indians near a garrison of the Northwest, who threaten an uprising because the government has forbidden them to hold their sun dance. A scouting party, led by Lieutenants Parlow and Hawkesworth, is sent out to watch their movements. The former officer, who is the affianced husband of the daughter of the commander of the fort, proves himself a coward, but after the return to the post he shifts the blame to Lieutenant Hawkesworth, whom he fears as a rival and with whom the commander's daughter has fallen in love after her betrothal to Lieutenant Parlow. To test his courage Lieutenant Hawkesworth is sent on a perilous journey to bring reinforcements to the garrison and he returns just in time to save the command from being wiped out by the Indians. Mr. Douglas will assume the role of Hawkesworth; Miss Henriette Browne that of Kate Kennion, daughter of the commander. Thomas Clark, with the company for the first time this week, will have the role of Lieutenant Parlow, while the rest of the company will be suitably cast.

**GETS READY FOR THE RUSH** That the Inland Empire railway is expected to bring in much traffic to Spokane is seen in the plans of C. W. Weber for the erection of a large warehouse on Front avenue between Colfax and Grant streets, within easy access of the new road. Mr. Weber will build at once, and as soon as contracts for occupancy of a second story are made, will increase the capacity. The site is 100 by 140 feet.

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This is the third article for girls who want to learn to swim, prepared for The Press by Miss Elaine May Golding, champion woman swimmer of America.



ENGLISH SIDE STROKE IN PRACTICE (PHOTO BY MISS GOLDING)

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