THREE EYE PREXY TO ATTEND MEET

Al Tearney With Jim Hayes to Be President at the Annual Session of Central Association.

WILL GATHER AT CEDAR RAPIDS

Bloomington Team Signs Catcher Elmer Johnson of Lincoln to Succeed Simon Next Season.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Dickerson of [illegible] minor leagues [illegible] Cedar Rapids [illegible] intimated in Chicago [illegible] B. Tearney, president of [illegible] Eye league [illegible] of the Central league [illegible] league, the Central association [illegible] his own league to meet [illegible] conference. [illegible] necessary before the [illegible] season if the leagues [illegible] financial [illegible]

Sales Announced.

Sales announced [illegible] commission [illegible] included that of Homer [illegible] er, by Lincoln of the Western league, to Bloomington [illegible] league, and John [illegible] by Oakland of the Pacific Coast league to Lincoln. From [illegible] a report that [illegible] nounced as manager of [illegible] cific Coast league [illegible] telegram from [illegible] the Braves [illegible] waivers [illegible] John Ganzel, manager of the Kansas City American association club, was in Chicago yesterday conferring with officials of the Chicago Nationals in an attempt to obtain three players, including George Pierce, a pitcher.

Schedule Meet Postponed.

Announcement was made in Chicago last night also that the meeting of the National and American leagues [illegible] committees set for [illegible] Ga., Jan. 15, had been postponed because of the illness of Barney Dreyfuss, president of the Pittsburgh club, and probably would be [illegible] burgh late this week.

Plan New Race.

A new race to be known as The Battle Royal for 2:07 trotters for a purse of $1,000 is announced for the Grand Circuit meeting in Hartford, Conn., next September. There will be two heats, one around the half mile track and the other around the half mile track. Nine events were announced for the meet [illegible] being $21,000.

Army Schedule Out.

Feature games of the army football schedule [illegible] night are those with [illegible] Notre Dame and the navy. [illegible] announcement of [illegible] enthusiasts was that [illegible] Boston had renewed his contract as coach of the [illegible] elevens for the next three years. [illegible] coached [illegible] 1903.

Welsh Must Post Forfeit.

Racine [illegible] announcement of the [illegible] commission [illegible] would be granted for the [illegible] round bout between Freddie Welsh and Richie Mitchell, set for Jan. 19, until Welsh's contract [illegible] had been posted with the [illegible]

In Los Angeles Edwin Lowe, Kentucky heavyweight, [illegible] Gus Kervaras in a round [illegible]

ABE ATTEL KNOCKED COLD BY P. VIGERTS

New Orleans, Jan. 9.—Phil Vigerts of New Orleans knocked out Abe Attel, the one-time featherweight champion, in the fourth round of a scheduled 10-round bout here last night, Attel being unconscious two minutes.

ICE CHAMP IN CHI. FOR RACE.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Oscar Mathiesen, heralded as world's champion speed skater, arrived in Chicago last night after a brief visit in New York, where he showed the ice fans a few tips about rapid transportation on the steel blades. Mathiesen, who hails from Christiania, Norway, recently landed in this country and before his return will make a tour of American cities. The skater is accompanied by his wife.

NEWS NOTES from MOVIELAND

by DAISY DEAN

Charles Murray.

Charles Murray, of the Triangle-Keystone studios, is said by many to be one of the most popular men in Los Angeles.

Mr. Murray modestly acknowledges [illegible] popular for his own [illegible]

[illegible]

Lillian Doesn't Care for Expense.

[illegible] account of cost of gowns worn by Lillian Gish in her latest picture, "The House Built Upon Sand."

[illegible]	$1,700
[illegible]	1,000
[illegible]	1,000
[illegible]	750
[illegible]	1,600
	$5,850

Hart's Next.

W. S. Hart in his next picture, [illegible]

capacity of editor, proofreader, copy boy and cash boy.

John Brooks Too.

John Barrymore [illegible] "never again" when he quit acting for the screen and returned to the stage [illegible] has been engaged [illegible] to appear in a picture based upon [illegible] "The Lone Wolf." Work on the film will be begun [illegible] in the New York studios of [illegible]

Wilson's Uncle.

[illegible]

STAR BOUTS CARDED FOR NEW YORK CITY

[illegible]

GREENLEAF IN LEAD IN BILLIARD MATCH

Ralph Greenleaf, the Monmouth youngster, won the first block of the [illegible] point pocket billiard match at the Turner hall in Davenport last night from Tom Hueston, former champion, by a score of 125 to 104. [illegible] as one of the [illegible] an attack of ptomaine poisoning [illegible] Greenleaf secured a high run of [illegible] The game was played in 12 innings. The match will continue tonight and tomorrow.

AMES DECLINES W. J. GAME.

Ames, Iowa, Jan. 9.—Director Clyde Williams of Ames has turned down an offer from Washington and Jefferson university for a football game with Ames at Washington, D. C., next fall.

TURKEY THOMAS IS SOLD TO CARDINALS

[illegible]

TINKER MAY THROW UP COLUMBUS DEAL

[illegible]

HUNT TO COACH WASHINGTON U.

[illegible] for four years [illegible] coach at Carleton college, has accepted the position of athletic director at the University of Washington under a [illegible] year contract. He will begin his new duties next July.

There is no gainsaying the fact that the Norwegians and Danes are natural racers [illegible] nations being often expert sailors and, indeed, following the sea as a calling.

On The Sidelines

George Hughes, who piloted the Moline Plow boys to a pennant in 1915, may retire from baseball. Strange as it may seem, George has been unable to land a berth for the coming season as yet. He has an attractive business proposition in Moline which he may accept.

A movement has been started in Davenport to revive the mitt game there through the organization of an athletic club. Tom Dougherty and A. E. Ballow are the prime movers. Des Moines, Sioux City and other places are holding bouts regularly. Joe Stecher may be one of the headliners to be brought there.

Leo Christopher Hoernschemeyer, 27 years old, of the New York Yanks, known to the ball fans as Leo C. Magee, dropped his real name in Judge [illegible] court at Cincinnati yesterday, assuming his professional name for all time.

J. Franklin (Home Run) Baker is about to break into the banking business. He is one of the incorporators of the State Bank of Trappe, Talbot county, Md., which has filed application for approval of its charter with a capital of $10,000.

Mrs. Helen Britton, owner of the St. Louis Cards, yesterday denied that Daniel E. Gardner of St. Louis had made any overtures to buy the club. Mrs. Britton placed the club on the market some time ago.

[illegible]

Special Taxation Notice.

[illegible]

Dated Rock Island, Ill., Jan. 9, 1917.

HENRY C. FIRST,

Commissioner Appointed to Make the Assessment.

John [illegible] City Attorney.

The Theatre

Illinois.

Jan. 9—Yiddish players.

Coming—May Robson, "Princess Pat."

Columbia (Davenport).

Vaudeville—Two shows daily at 2:45 and 8:15 p. m. Three Saturday and Sundays at 2:45, 7:30 and 9 p. m. Change of bill Sunday and Thursday.

Family (Moline).

Vaudeville—Two shows daily, at 3 and 8:15. Three Saturday and Sundays at 3, 7:30 and 9 p. m. Change of bill Sunday and Thursday.

Empire Skating Palace.

Sessions afternoons, 2:30 to 5. Evenings, 7:30 to 10. Children, Saturday morning, 9 to 12. Private parties 10:30 p. m. to 1 a. m.

In the Movies.

TONIGHT

Spencer Square—Nance O'Neil in "Souls in Bondage;" animated news.

Majestic—June Caprice in "The Mischief Maker," also a comedy.

Colonial—Donald Hall in "The Man Who Went Same."

Black Hawk—"The Red Circle," "Easy Ed," Selig-Tribune news.

WEDNESDAY

Spencer Square—Fannie Ward in "The Years of the Locust;" Burton Holmes travel pictures.

Majestic—Clara Kimball Young in "The Rise of Susan."

Colonial—"The Man from Yukon," "The Heart of Virginia Clair."

Black Hawk—Henry Walthall and Lillian Gish in "Lord Chumley."

At Spencer Square.

Prominent in the cast supporting Nance O'Neil in "Souls in Bondage," is [illegible] Stanhope and William Corbett, both specially engaged for this feature by the Lubin Manufacturing company. Miss Stanhope plays the part of Beta, the heroine's [illegible] sister, and as an opposite to Miss O'Neil, her emotions were [illegible] Mr. Corbett, as Julian does some of the best work of his career and in that portion of the play wherein he realizes that he has not only lost his wife, but also his self respect. Mr. Corbett rises to heights that place him in the front rank of the leading men of today. In the scene where Miss O'Neil as Rosa comes to her sister Beta's apartment and finds her husband Julian there enjoying a tete a tete supper with Beta, there is a moment of thrilling suspense, for it is in scenes of dramatic intensity like this that these splendid players are at their best, and the masterful way in which the author leads up to the situation and then away from it furnishes an angle of the eternal triangle that has never been surpassed for potency and power in the making of feature photoplays.

At the Majestic.

The statue which plays an important role in the William Fox photoplay "The Mischief Maker," was actually posed by the persons it is supposed to represent. The head was made from a cast of June Caprice's head, and the body was molded complete in a cast posed by Margaret Fielding. In the story of the film, this is actually supposed to have occurred. [illegible] character played by Miss Fielding poses for the statue, and Ellie, the girl Miss Caprice interprets, sits for the head. When May accuses Ellie of having been the model for the body, everyone believes her. "Is that not Ellie's face on the plaster?" [illegible] This [illegible] leads to the complications which bring the story to a dramatic end. Miss Fielding stood patiently for three hours while a professional artist took a complete cast of her form. She had to rub grease over her entire body to keep the plaster from adhering to the skin. Even then, she forgot the finger nails and spent several moments of tears in pain while the little particles were being removed. "It was harder work than acting in the movies," was Miss Fielding's sole comment. "The Mischief Maker" is to be seen at the Majestic tonight.

REXO THRILLS MANY AT EMPIRE PALACE

[illegible]

PROSPERITY FAILS TO REMOVE POVERTY

New York, Jan. 9.—Despite the general prosperity, the demands upon charity organizations in this city are virtually the same as in time of business depression, says the charity organization society in its annual report. The report shows that during the year ended Sept. 30, aid was given to 4,710 families, only 200 less than the number helped in 1915 [illegible] the years preceding, the period of unemployment which reached its climax in the first few months of the war.

"That there should be so much distress in a time of general prosperity," says the report, "is only another confirmation of the society's long established position that poverty is not merely a problem of employment or unemployment, nor outside of economic and industrial conditions, but that it is also a complex social problem whose roots lie deep in environment, heredity and character and health."

[illegible] the families under the care of the society there were more Italians than any other nationality; Americans were [illegible] Irish third.

LONG SOUGHT GOAL OF OIL MEN PASSED

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 9.—The long expected goal of [illegible] reached and passed here today when at the opening of the market it was announced that the principal purchasing agencies had [illegible] Pennsylvania crude [illegible] to $3.00 a barrel.

COMMISSION HITS MUSKY BALL CLUB

Major Baseball Body Holds That Ned Egan's Team Won Pennant in Unsportsmanlike Manner.

REPLY IS GIVEN TO PROTESTS

Ruling May Cause Central Association Directors to Award Championship to Marshalltown Club.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 9.—The national baseball commission yesterday held that the only tests that should be applied in the engagement of a minor league ball player upon his willingness to play for a salary within the prescribed limit of the club desiring his services, should be his signature to contract. Any other test [illegible] imposed by league legislation are [illegible] arbitrary and subversive of the national agreement rights of the players, and therefore are null and void.

In announcing the ruling the commission says:

"The national association's officials and members will be held to strict account by the commission if this ruling is not respected and enforced."

The ruling was rendered as a result of the resolution adopted by the national board [illegible] that the Muscatine club of the Central association had [illegible]

[illegible]

Commish Explains Ruling.

[illegible]

OWEN DRAWS BILL TO DISCHARGE JUDGES

[illegible]

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Spencer Square

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A wonderful story of love and self-sacrifice [illegible]

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in a powerful drama of diamonds and hearts

"THE YEARS OF THE LOCUST"

The diamond mine shown will be [illegible]

Added Attraction—BURTON HOLMES' TRAVEL PICTURES

Coming—CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG in "THE FOOLISH VIRGIN"

MAJESTIC

TONIGHT

JUNE CAPRICE

in

"THE MISCHIEF MAKER"

They had a great deal of trouble getting married because lots of people interfered and tried to keep them apart. But true love, you know, always wins conquer.

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