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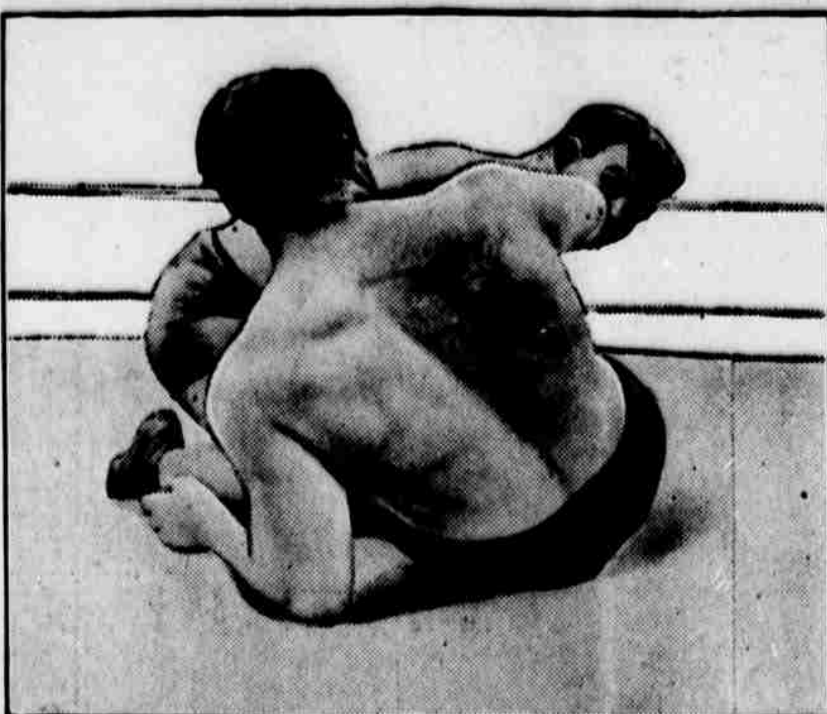
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FRANK GOTCH CRUSHES HACKENSCHMIDT



Final Fall in Gotch's Second Battle With Hackenschmidt.

Volumes have been written on the second encounter of the world's champion with Hackenschmidt, in which the "Russian Lion" was decisively beaten before the largest crowd that ever watched a battle of mat gladiators in modern times.

At the start the wrestlers bulled it about the mat for five minutes, stabbing for holds, with the American on the aggressive. Suddenly Gotch caught Hack by the neck, pulled him forward, and tried for a leg hold, but Hackenschmidt dodged away.

At the start of the second bout there was some preliminary feinting and stabbing, then a shuffle, a moment of suspense and Hack went sprawling to the mat.

Boxing promoters say there is no money in promoting fights, but few are known to quit the business which is their privilege.

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WANT GRIDIRON SERIES

Postseason Match Between East and West is Urged.

Critics Ridicule Plan and Declare Proposition is Impracticable From Every Standpoint of Game—Few Reasons Cited.

Every once in a while some critic or a number of critics conceive the brilliant idea of a world's series in the football with the champion of the east meeting the champion of the west in a postseason contest.

Just at present the idea seems to have taken a hold in the east and a number of experts are calling for such a contest. They declare it would be a great thing to have a championship gridiron eleven and propose a conflict in some neutral territory.

They compare the proposed game to the world's baseball series and declare a contest between Chicago and Yale or Harvard and Michigan or some similar meeting would fill the largest athletic field in the world.

It is all very well to speak of such a contest, but the easterners evidently have forgotten a number of objections to the plan. First and foremost, of course, would be the difficulty of getting the facilities of the schools interested, but granting this to be obtainable, how is one to determine which is the sectional champion?

Of course, last year produced a well defined eastern leader. Harvard won the premier place in the east beyond a question, but could any one pick a similar leader in the west. Wisconsin and Notre Dame had an equal right to the title last season, and to select either one would provoke a riot at the other school. So far as picking one this season—help!

There seldom have been well defined champions either east or west. Of late years there has been no western champion in fact, the honor being claimed by two, three or a half dozen teams. To talk of selecting a title holder when there is no elimination between Chicago, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Michigan, Nebraska and Notre Dame is ridiculous.

These teams are mentioned because they are usually at the top of the heap. Every season, however, sees one or two "outsiders" with claims to present, such as the



Pontius, a Michigan Star.

Michigan Aggies this season and South Dakota last year.

Nor is the eastern champion so easy to pick. Yale, Harvard and Princeton are usually considered the triumvirate of the eastern gridiron, but it is not too much to say that every year sees some other eleven with equal claims to press.

Up to date inter-sectional football games have proved flat failures. The Chicago-Cornell series was abandoned for this reason. Of course the Maroon-Red games drew good crowds and became the "society" games of the year, but they were not football. Chicago would a hundred times rather beat Purdue or Northwestern than Cornell, and Cornell cares more for one Pennsylvania contest than for the entire list of Maroon contests.

Exception might be taken to this assertion by quoting how the Michigan-Pennsylvania games have drawn. This is about the classic of inter-sectional contests and has become Michigan's big game of the year. Ask any Michigan alumnus or undergraduate how he would like to have Chicago and Minnesota substituted for Pennsylvania and Cornell on the Wolverine schedule and one will discover how scantily these games have taken root in the affections of the Wolverine rooters.

Some Game. A Honolulu paper announced a game arranged between the Twenty-fifth Infantry team, which was recently in Spokane, at Fort Wright, and an all-Chinese team captained by Sam Hop.

The Baseball Season in Cuba. The baseball season is now under way in Havana, Cuba, and will continue until March of next year, first with exhibition games with teams from the United States and later the regular games of the Cuban league.

Paris in Olympic Revival. The 20 years' anniversary congress of the revival of the Olympic games will be held in Paris in 1914. Rules to govern international athletic track and field games are to be finally passed upon at the meeting.

Some Fisherman. Dr. C. D. Dorchester set a new world's casting record in the salmon fly contest by casting 155 feet at the National Amateur Casting association in Chicago recently.

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SPORT AND POLITICS

Notes About Men and Their Doings in the Two Great Fields of National Pastime.

Here is the record of the fat jobs held by Appetite John Traeger from 1897 to date: 1897, Town Collector, Town of Lake. 1898, Town Collector, Town of Lake. 1899, Town Collector, Town of Lake. 1900, Coroner, Cook County (December).

It is possible to supply local telephone service in cities at one cent per call, plus a rental charge so low that every household could have service. This would increase long distance business and would not impair the net earning fund of \$105,000,000 held by the Trust, according to its annual report, just issued.

If it were not for the "smoke nuisance" of the railroads, Chicago would still be a dot on the prairie. Beat the electrification scheme.

Personal liberty is getting the worst of it on account of the office seeking propensities of the United Societies.

Appetite John must go. Following are the locations of the leading self-sustaining clubs of Chicago: Apollo Club, 202 S. Michigan ave. Builders', 412-418 Chamber of Commerce building.

Calumet, Michigan ave. and 20th st. Caxton, Tenth floor, Fine Arts bldg. Chicago Athletic Association, 12 S. Michigan ave.



WILLIAM LEGNER. Strongly Backed by all Classes of Democrats for County Treasurer.

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