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"If I Had the World to Give You."

## ELECTION PASSED

Stockholders of Baseball Association Do Little Business at Annual Session.

## WAIT FOR LEAGUE MEETING

Want New Policies, if There Are to Be Any, Outlined Before Making Plans.

The stockholders of the Rock Island Baseball association last night held their annual meeting at the New Harper house, and though they were in session three hours they accomplished very little and failed to even select their directors for the coming year. It was the consensus of opinion of those present that the club should not take any steps towards settling its policies for the coming year until the league has had its annual meeting. Different sections of the financial troubles which all the clubs have to face year after year are to be presented at the league meeting and it is probable that the Three Eye will take some measures looking towards a more economical management. In this event the local club stockholders and prospective directors wanted to be free to start with such an end in view. The present officers of the club will remain in charge until after the league meeting. Then President W. H. Rock will call another session of the stockholders and the directors and officers will be selected and the work of getting a team in the field next year will be started.

Telegram to Tearney.

In accordance with their desire to hurry matters along, a telegram was sent to President A. R. Tearney of the

Three Eye league asking him to have the annual league meeting at the earliest possible moment. The telegram read as follows: "The Rock Island Baseball association in annual stockholders' meeting requests an early session of the annual league meeting to outline the policies for next season to the end that the several clubs may know how to proceed."

Director F. O. Van Gilder was named as the representative of the local club at this annual meeting whenever it shall be held.

## No Manager Selected.

Although the question of a manager for the team next year was discussed at considerable length, no action was taken in the matter, as it was thought best to leave this selection to the new board of directors. It was apparent, however, that the stockholders were somewhat divided as to their choice for manager, although there was no lack of harmony at any stage of the meeting. Some favored a playing manager, others thought a bench manager would be preferable, some were in favor of one of last year's Islanders, while others thought that none of them would quite fill the bill. The whole question was put up to the board which is to be elected at the adjourned meeting.

As was expected by those who were familiar with the club's affairs, the report of Treasurer L. M. Casteel on the finances of the club was entirely satisfactory. There is no great amount of money on hand in the treasury, but practically all bills are paid and the grounds are in excellent shape and very little money need be spent in improvements there during the coming year. The coming season will be started with a small balance in bank.

Iowa Man Yale Manager.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 6.—W. K. Kaynor, Yale 1912, of Sanborn, Iowa, has been elected manager of the Yale university football team for next season.

## DAVENPORT WANTS O'LEARY AS MANAGER

Rumor Coming from Across Creek Is to That Effect and It Is Not Denied by Authorities.

According to rumors coming from Davenport, the owners of the Davenport baseball club are making desperate efforts to secure the services of Dan O'Leary the Islander catcher, as the manager of the Prodigs during the coming season. In view of the fact that efforts had been made to get Jack Tische away from Rock Island, it is not surprising that efforts are now being made to get O'Leary and it merely illustrates how Davenport depends on Rock Island for its baseball material, and how, despite the abuse which was heaped upon Tische, O'Leary, and practically every other man on the Islander team, behind it all nevertheless there is a powerful respect for the prowess and ability of the Islander players. The rumor is not confirmed by the authorities on this side of the river but it is strengthened by the statement that a fair offer has been received for O'Leary from another club not far from here, presumably across the river.

## THREE-EYELETS

R. E. Kennedy, the new Bloomer manager, is wintering at Jacksonville, Fla., and writes that he has hooked up a number of good ones for next year.

Tacks Latimer, who once played behind the bat for Rock Island and who was in the national game with Cap Anson and Charley Comiskey when young, was spotted by a Cleveland scout while playing in the Tri-State league a couple of years ago and signed. The scout reported he had found a promising youngster, but when he gave the name the management got cold feet. Tacks was going ahead with preparations to report, when he got a telegram which read: "Don't report." In half an hour another message followed, which read: "Be sure and don't report." Tacks didn't.

Jack McCarthy has been promised a number of castoffs from the Chicago Cubs when Chance gets lousy with the pruning hook in the spring. Jack will also go east to bargain for any good ones that other clubs may drop.

terday. Frank White, Lew Simmons and Ed White make a comic black face trio in a sort of act that McIntyre and Heath do their best work in. The rich humor of Simmons has a place in the plot of the little sketch in which Simmons takes the part of a half-starved minstrel. The Leland have a transparent art act during which they paint on the side of the screen away from the audience, electric lights revealing their work as they proceed. Joe McKay, a real Scotchman, has a comedy act in which he springs jokes, sings and plays the bagpipes. Mrs. Casey sings "Silver Bell" and the moving pictures show the feature film "The King of Beggars."

## TURNERS HAVE EXHIBITION

Classes Will Give Exercises at Hall This Evening.

The Rock Island Turners will give a gymnastic exhibition at Turner hall tonight for the benefit of their friends. The following program will be carried out:

Music—Orchestra.  
Tableau—All classes.  
Dumbbell exercises—Boys class.  
Long wand exercises—Girls class.  
Exercises on horse—Boys class.  
Staff exercises—Ladies and actives.  
Exercises on buck—Girls class.  
Parallel bars—Ladies class.  
INTERMISSION.  
Music—Orchestra.  
Ladder exercises—Boys class.  
Horizontal bars—Actives.  
Club swinging—Ladies class.  
Recreation—Girls and Boys classes.  
Parallel bars—Actives.  
Pyramids—All classes.

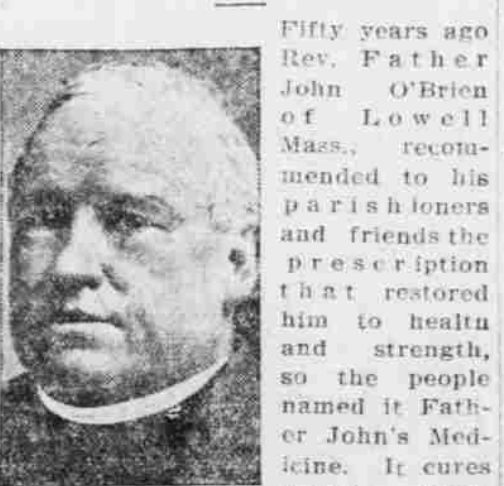
## Bike Racers Near Record.

New York, Dec. 6.—The leaders in the six days bicycle race at noon had covered 38 miles, and four laps, eight laps behind the record.

## Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

Your druggist will refund money if Pazo Ointment fails to cure any case of itching, blind, bleeding or protruding piles in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

## THE STORY OF FATHER JOHN'S



Fifty years ago Rev. Father John O'Brien of Lowell, Mass., recommended to his parishioners and friends the prescription that restored him to health and strength, so the people named it Father John's Medicine. It cures colds, coughs, croup, whooping cough, throat and lungs and builds up the body.

As a guarantee that the story of Father John's Medicine is absolutely true, the sum of \$25,000 will be given to any charitable institution if it can be shown otherwise.

## AT THE MAJESTIC.

An acrobatic act by Herbert and Germain and company, which ends in a real thriller, is featured at the Majestic for the first half of the week in the show which opened yes-

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\$20.00 all wool suits, plain and fancy	\$10.95	\$22.50 and \$25 all wool overcoats, plain and presto collars, tan, gray and plain colors	\$13.85	\$45 fur lined overcoats	\$26.45
\$25.00 and \$28 all wool suits, plain colors, grays and browns	\$17.85			\$35 silk plush lined coats	\$22.50

Boys' all wool knickerbocker trousers	48c	All wool trousers, cannot be equalled	\$2.45	Hats, worth \$2.00, now	\$1.19
\$4.00 ribbed underwear	58c	\$1.50 Coolier's all wool underwear	98c	Hats, worth \$3.00, now	\$1.95
50c fleece lined underwear	38c	\$1.50 all wool ribbed underwear	\$1.09	A new line of fall shirts, just arrived, worth \$2.00, now	\$1.23
15c black and tan hose	6c	White cotton ribbed underwear	43c	Heavy wool flannel shirts	98c to \$1.85
5c and 10c bandanna handkerchiefs	3c	\$1.50 union suits at	98c	Blue chambray and black saten work shirts	42c
Hats worth \$3.50, now	\$2.68	\$3.00 jersey sweaters	\$1.95	Ladies' \$5.00 silk umbrellas, gold handles	\$2.37
\$1.50 stiff bosom dress shirts	19c	\$2.50 all wool sweater coats	\$2.37	Men's \$5.00 silk umbrellas, fancy and gold handles	\$2.95
\$1.00 dress shirts, soft and pleated Elgin and Monarch	58c	Rockford hose	6c	50c suspenders	38c
\$7 and \$8 both robes	\$4.65	All wool hose	19c	\$1.50 caps, now	65c
25c suspenders	19c	Fancy Hile hose	11c	Silk batwing string ties	11c
50c and 75c pure silk Bengal line ties, all colors, now	37c	10c and 15c hemstitched handkerchiefs	5c	Silk four-in-hand ties	19c
Wearproof Wellington material trousers	95c	Fancy silk handkerchiefs, each 15c; dozen	\$1.50	\$1.00 flannel night robes, extra large and extra long	78c
Pure worsted trousers, narrow stripes, plain shades	\$1.85				

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## NOGERT IS NO WRESTLER

Touted Aspirant for World's Title Downed by Turk in Quick Time.

Chicago, Dec. 6.—Yusuf Mahmut, the original "Terrible Turk," gathered in another victim last night in the person of the much touted Peter Nogert. Henry W. Titus' giant floor from South Africa, in the Krone-Messias show at Roosevelt hall, Mahmut wrestled a better and faster match than ever seen here before, and Nogert was outclassed and dazed at every turn. Mahmut showed up trained to the minute, clean limbed and agile. Nogert, who outweighed the Turk 40 pounds, showed up as a regular Apollo. He towered full head and shoulders above the Bulgarian Turk and appeared well muscled and well trained. When the men met and angled for a hold it was immediately seen that Nogert had been too much boasted as a wrestler. He proved to be a gentle and mild mannered dub. Not once during the 12 minutes of the two falls did he get behind Mahmut and take the aggressive. He was well content to play close to the mat and defend himself against the Turk.

## Wolcott to Fight on Dec. 13.

Cadillac, Mich., Dec. 6.—Just to return a favor done him by Bert Epsley, a hotel man of St. Joseph, Mo., Ad Wolcott has hedged on his determination not to appear in the ring again until spring. When Ad was trying to break into the game he struck St. Joe bartender. He asked Epsley to get him a

## Plexus Punch Stops Stewart.

New York, Dec. 6.—Jim Stewart of Brooklyn lost to Jack (Twin) Sullivan of Boston in the fourth round of what was scheduled to be a 10-round bout before the Marathon A. C. of Brooklyn last night. When Stewart had taken a count of nine after receiving a terrific left to the solar plexus, the referee stopped the bout.

All the news all the time.—The Argus

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Ladies' watch, extra small size, 20 year guaranteed case with finely jewelled movement.	\$12.50
Ladies' watch, 0-size 20 year guaranteed case fitted with Elgin or Waltham warranted jewelled movement.	\$13.50
Gents' watch, 12-size, open face 20 year guaranteed case, fitted with Elgin or Waltham warranted jewelled movement.	\$11.50
Gents' watch, 12-size 20 year hunting guaranteed case, fitted with Elgin finely jewelled warranted movement.	\$14.00
Gent's watch, 16-size, 20 year guaranteed case, fitted with finely jewelled Elgin or Waltham movement.	\$14.50
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