

RICKARD TALKS WITH MCGRAW ON SALE OF GIANTS

Promoter Is Slated To Purchase Interest Of Charles Stoneham

By Davis J. Walsh INS Sports Editor NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Tex Rickard and John McGraw, a couple of gentlemen who normally have little in common beyond the fact that each has no particular objection to doing himself some good, are understood to have been conferring behind closed doors these several days, with the result that the hardy annual having to do with the sale of the New York Giants came up for air again today. Frankly, it is more than possible that it will get exactly what it came up for. Rickard has made no secret of the fact that he would like to buy the controlling interest in the Giants. McGraw, having known matters that were more ideal than his present associations, might be pardoned if he broke right down and laughed over the prospect of Charles Stoneham selling out. It Rickard and McGraw have had anything to say to each other, it forms reasonable to suspect that the merits of the sale, calling as a vacation were discussed more as an afterthought than anything else.

The entire matter narrows down to this and other revelations of a startling nature; if they talked they said something. If they said something, it had to do with a possibility of Rickard buying out Stoneham's controlling interest in the club, so much for that. Rickard is for it, so probably is McGraw. Unfortunately, one cannot speak with the same assurance for either Stoneham or the National League. I would say, off-hand, that both would have to be for it or the deal might prove altogether successful. Nobody knows how Stoneham feels about selling the New York Giants. In the first place, he is under agreement to offer his stock first to McGraw and Judge McQuade in the event that he feels the urge to sell. For obvious reasons, he has yet to feel the urge in the face of these conditions. In the second place, the Giants are far from a profitless investment and it figures to get exactly no worse as time goes on.

As for the National League, it is understood that the league officials and one of them would be enough, since the league must give its official countenance to transactions like this. Its first objection is said to have to do with an underecurrent of reluctance to mix baseball with baseball, it is being estimated, that the ready or none at all, that the fair name of the sport cannot hope to be elevated thereby. Its second objection springs from Rickard's admitted program in the event he acquired the ball club. It is his plan to retire the Giants from the Polo Grounds and obtain a long-term lease at the Yankee Stadium, where by both of the local ball clubs could use the field for their home games. The Polo Grounds then would be redeveloped into a modern fight arena. In other words, Rickard wouldn't enter baseball for baseball's sake. He would be using the entire to get what he always wanted—a fireproof, permanent outdoor arena devoted almost exclusively to the fight racket.

Tiger Beats Lion In Battle Royal In Lakota Gardens

ALABAMA, Dec. 21.—(INS)—The fight that the lion and the tiger had in Lakota Gardens, in the city of Montgomery, Ala., last night, was a hard one. The lion, a big one, was taken as a prize by the tiger. The tiger, a big one, was taken as a prize by the lion. The fight was a hard one. The lion, a big one, was taken as a prize by the tiger. The tiger, a big one, was taken as a prize by the lion.

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HIS ANNUAL OVERHAULING!



By Burriss Jenkins Jr.

America To Take German Is Sought Part In Parleys For Mail Robbery On Reparations Aboard Leviathan

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The first and most important condition of American participation in the reparations commission is that the reparations commission in the opinion of the American government should be a body of American and international law.

President's message is calling on the American representation on the reparations commission to be a body of American and international law.

Palmetto News from Palmetto city units to county line completed.

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O'KELLY AND JIM MALONEY BATTLE TO EVEN TERMS

Youngster From Cork, Ireland Makes Impressive Showing

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Young Jim Maloney, from County Cork, Ireland, made an achievement in the ring today which has not been accomplished in American methods of boxing since the days of the late, great, and accurate punching of the world's closely, Maloney had a jab, but he spoiled an otherwise brilliant performance by striking O'Kelly low five or six times. Under the rules in New York the referee can carry heavy penalties on a judge's score card, even if it does not provoke disqualification of the fighter.

Maloney undoubtedly was punished on this score by the referee, and as O'Kelly did him in aggressiveness, clean and accurate punching, clean and accurate punching, especially after O'Kelly held the upper hand in the first three rounds when Maloney was very tired.

The winner's score gave Maloney five rounds, O'Kelly four and one round was a free fight for heavyweights, featured by flashes of pretty boxing and solid punching. Both men had to take punishment. O'Kelly endured a cruel body beating and Maloney's more leg breakers held firm against numerous Capitanian caraves. Shamus was in better shape than in any fight he has had in New York for two years. Although he weighed just under 200 pounds, his body was lean and hard.

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Dear Santa: We are so glad you are coming soon. Julian and I would like so much to have one of your bicycles, and don't worry about bringing us boys for there are so many children for you to remember. Santa, I am 7 years old and Julian is 9. And please remember our sister, Baby Ruth. She wants a doll and carriage. She is three years old. Santa, we will put some fruit and cake on the table for you. We all love you. DOUGLASS, JULIAN AND BABY RUTH

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BIBLE VERSE FOR TODAY

Mat. 7:3 Why beholdest thou the mote that is in thy brother's eye, but considerest not the beam that is in thine own eye?

EVENING

Just before she comes
Lifting her great gray gown,
A discord rattles and hums
From end to end of the town,
Louder the mason's maul,
Shriller the children's cries
The stark mad animals all
Complain with heavenly eyes,
The harsh pain of the road
Makes watchers blench and start,
And a finished episode
Beats a throb in the heart,
A frenzy wars the bells,
And birds uncertainly cry,
When the old gray wife compels
Her flock to fold the eye,
The door of sight and sound
Shall her way to the end,
Leaving on all the ground
The thing that no one knows,
And spread the web of fate,
Farther than we can mark
Till late ones hurrying
Are bits of separate
ORRICK MOHNS

As one influenza germ to another, isn't this great weather?

They are grooming Franklin Roosevelt for 1932, but the pupil is no more acceptable than the teacher.

The Jacksonville Times-Union wisely points out that this war debt has absolutely nothing to do with widow's pensions.

There was lots of fight in the Bolivian-Paraguay people but the Pan-American arbitration conference took it out of them.

Before it is too late, we wish every fellow columnist in the state a merry Christmas and many clever ideas for the New Year.

Jack Dempsey will mix in the next fight for the heavyweight championship and his opponent will be well, unfortunate, to say the least.

Arthur Brisbane who is tremendously interested in agriculture as the solution for this state's problems should visit Sanford where agriculture was invented.

Here's a quack who sold seven million dollars worth of "cure-all" at a dollar a bottle. At the present price of water and sugar, he should have made a reasonable profit.

Mr. DeCotter seems to have an unfeeling propensity for antagonizing the people and their interests. He is an iconoclast and his shoulders are broad. To hell with the people!

Billy Tunncliffe landed like a ton of bricks on the stockholders of the First American Bank and Trust Company. He has just entered damage suits against twenty-one of them.

This flying trip across the continent of an Eastern heiress pursued by an alleged lover, or something of the sort, sounds to us like somebody's business, or else a mighty good publicity stunt.

Some wanted the Kellogg peace pact ratified first while others insisted that the big navy bill be passed the night of the Congress adjourned. It is possible that some other will after the holidays.

"Right fit with citrus fruit" should be in a sort of slogan call that over a million persons are uttering. If this just happens to be a slogan, it is getting a national price for their production.

The Children's Home in Jacksonville, Orange County, is interested in the state's citrus industry. The home has a citrus orchard and is interested in the citrus industry. The home has a citrus orchard and is interested in the citrus industry.

Botanic Gardens

With interest in this state becoming ever greater in botanic gardens, and while efforts are being made to have the government establish a national arboretum here, it is interesting to note what an eminent author on horticultural subjects considers as the greatest benefits to be derived from the existence of botanic gardens. One of the most important, L. H. Bailey, author of "The Garden Lover," believes, is to "supply an adjunct to the schools."

According to Mr. Bailey the eight main purposes of the botanic garden are: "to popularize plant knowledge directly, to conserve the natural life of the region; to preserve historic plants and species and varieties; to provide a test ground for plants adapted to its territory; to introduce new species to cultivation; to supply an adjunct to the schools; to maintain research; to publish and to co-operate with other similar institutions and agencies for the extension of botanical and horticultural knowledge."

In speaking of the possibilities for educational work in a botanic garden Mr. Bailey states, "a botanic garden may furnish material for class use in schools, provide lectures and lantern slides and specimens."

"The Brooklyn Botanic Garden may be cited as an illustration. It co-operates extensively with the public and private schools and receives appropriation for this and other reasons from the Borough of Brooklyn."

"In addition to its scientific staff it maintains officers for the special work of instruction to visiting classes from schools as well as to regular botanic garden classes. It has a green-house devoted to pupils (both children and adults), where they may study the propagation of plants."

Fighting The "Flu"

Although Sanford thus far has been fortunate in the small number of influenza cases that have been reported with the scourge spreading rapidly over the country, the danger is still imminent. For this reason it is highly important that we exercise the greatest precautions in attempting to prevent a recurrence of the epidemic that took such a heavy toll in 1918. The advice of physicians should be heeded with the greatest care, and every person should strive to protect not only himself but also his neighbor.

A recent report, published by the Chicago Medical Society has come to the attention of The Herald and we pass it on to our readers in the hope that it will help to stress the seriousness of the question. It is as follows:

Ten years have passed since an epidemic occurred which made the word influenza a dread to all people. In some sections of the country the disease is again prevalent. Reports show that influenza follows no particular direction except it naturally follows trade routes as carried by people. Climate has no bearing on it for it has been prevalent in moist England, dry Egypt, sunny France, and in Labrador within the arctic circle, in fact all around the world. It has taken its toll of lives among the coolies in India and in the army camps of America. No one is immune to it, and one attack does not protect a person from a second.

The onset of influenza is sudden. There is severe prostration out of all proportion to usual symptoms and the amount of fever. Headache, backache, pains general over the body are also present. There may be slight soreness of the throat or a cough, but these are not severe. The mild cases the fever lasts from three to five days, then disappears, and all symptoms go except prostration. The convalescence is exceptionally and surprisingly slow. Persons who have had influenza are particularly liable to attacks of respiratory and heart diseases.

"Influenza is probably most generally spread through the contact of well persons with those who have a light case of the disease and who do not realize that they are broadcasting infection. Anyone suffering from what may be believed only a "common cold," should consult a physician. Very often this cold is the early manifestation of influenza or pneumonia and only prompt and intelligent treatment can assure uncomplicated and speedy recovery.

"As fresh air is the deadliest foe of most diseases, it is the most important measure in preventing or in curing influenza. To be on the safe side in avoiding the disease, breathe plenty of fresh, pure air, and get out of doors daily, but avoid becoming chilled; eat slowly three meals a day, bathe frequently; drink plenty of water; use no alcohol or other stimulants; avoid wet feet; dress in warm light clothing and dress in a warm room, especially after taking a cold bath; wash your hands always before eating.

"Beware of self-drugging and self-diagnosing in any case."

RHODES SCHOLARS
TAMPA TIMES

It is recalled by the New York Times that establishing the Rhodes fellowships at Oxford Cecil Rhodes cherished the conviction that he was founding a training school of which would come great leaders of statescraft in the English speaking countries. And Rhodes even dreamed that out of this environment would come "an English-speaking imperial leader of unprecedented equipment and training," as the Times puts it.

After 20 years operation of the plan it must be said that no commanding leaders in governmental life have emerged from among the Rhodes scholars. But it should be remembered that 20 years is a short time in the life of an educational foundation. Father more the Rhodes fellows have achieved distinction in letters, in the law and in other professions.

THOSE WHO WOULD FLY
MIAMI NEWS

Up to October 15 of this year, 15,000 applications for pilot licenses were received by the aeronautics branch of the department of commerce—five times as many as were made in 1927. More than 90 per cent of the applications were made by student fliers. The bureau has several license classifications—transport, industrial, limited commercial, private, and student—and the would-be flier must take up plans of all these various kinds. They plan divisions of courses in all sorts of flying.

Last year about 7500 applicants were interested in student pilots. The number has increased in more than 200 in 1928. There are 1,000 flying fields over the country.

more in prospect, as compared to the 500 airports of 1927. There are concrete indications of our growing air-mindedness. Now, just as the development is hitting its stride, is the time to assure safety for the aerial future. When the automobile came, anybody was allowed to drive one, regardless of his capability. That was a bad start. It has never been rectified. The motorist must have a license for his car, but none is required to certify his qualifications to operate it. There is a connection, however, this practice, and the steadily increasing toll of automobile casualties. Aviation experts tell us that flying is safer than driving. As

This Afternoon
by **JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES II**



There the common sense of most men hold the fretful lands in awe. And the kindly earth shall slumber, lapped in universal law.

After getting off to a bad start Bolivia and Paraguay may meet the larger nations an example in arbitration and in the new international common sense which listens to reason rather than war drama.

The Pensacola Journal wants to know why Jacksonville "should not be for all the first orange crop pickers. In the first place at the present writing orange groves are being sprayed with lime. If it were the plan to spray the orange groves, it would be made. In the third and fifth places, Pensacola is something of a gas city, and it is not a good idea to start the bull in the pen for the justifying.

In Fort Pierce according to the News Tribune, Dr. Mackenzie grapefruit juice and soda prescription for influenza has been amended to include a local doctor who says the prescription is futile without a measure of gin in it. But since the scientific amendment and the Amendment makes the manufacturer's sale of grapefruit juice and soda prescription for influenza a dread to all people.

As the greatest living Florida poet, the greatest living American, No one can say, of course, but the nominations would be interesting indications of the tastes and temperaments of the nominators.

Knowing it was in him and just came out, the poem by Edger Lamberth of the Tampa Tribune which appeared recently in P. E. B. "Gulf Stream" column of that newspaper surprised me as never before and robust as a man as ever betrayed the tender interior of a hard-boiled terror.

Deep in his heart every man has a poet and knows that he is still one of the world of pressure and practical affairs will only give him the occasional breath to know it.

The profound courtesy of Jan. 1928, cooks, delivery boys, etc. is very discouraging just now to those who had planned to maintain an economical Christmas. Even the elevator man seems to be solved to put you off at the right floor or at least not to seek at you if he misses.

Editor Roland Dean of the Sanford Herald is a brave man; but he showed no more courage than we did when the Daughters of the Confederacy got around to him in the matter of substituting "War between the States" for "Civil War." Call it gallantry to the Deans, Rolland—we did! The whole truth of it, however, is that Mr. Dean, like myself, was not clapped but charmed into submission.

And melted into it too. The epic of glory and sacrifice whose merrily the Daughters have nobly served for more than seventy years gives them a mandate over Southern hearts and minds which none of us would ever seriously oppose.

You can tell a deer from another hunter. When you pepper a deer with shot, it never crosses—Portland Express.

more and more planes take to the air in the hands of green pilots that situation will change. It is reassuring to note that the government is taking precautions to keep the irresponsible and the physically unfit on the ground. The potential flier, before receiving his license, must have the means of obtaining the necessary instruction to meet its requirements. This applies to both ground work and actual flying experience. The flying school develops the student to the point where he is ready to take up the big alone. But to get a pilot's license, he must have had a certain number of "solo" flying hours—ranging from 10 to 200 hours for private and transport flying, respectively.

The government has the opportunity to accomplish for the air plane what it overlooked in the case of the automobile—the chance to allow only responsible persons at the controls. No effort should be spared to do this.



SKIPPER'S THE SKIPPER
JACKSONVILLE JOURNAL

John B. Skipper, Republican member of the Florida House of Representatives, is the author of the editorial in the Jacksonville Journal. He is a prominent figure in the Republican party in Florida and has been active in various political campaigns. He is known for his leadership and his commitment to the party's principles.

It is a pleasure to see the Republican party in Florida taking such a firm stand on the issue of the national organization. The party's success depends on its ability to present a united front and to work together for the common good. It is essential that we continue to support our leaders and to work hard to win the next election.

The overthrow of the old Republican organization in Florida in favor of the one which Glenn Skipper represents followed last November by the victory of Republican presidential electors here, and a greatly increased vote for Republican nominees for the state offices—has put an entirely new face on the situation. The meat of numbers and quality has been given the skeleton. This imposes a test and an opportunity for the skeleton. Under a right leadership and a more patriotic and call

ing leaders, the Republican party in Florida will be able to present a strong and united front. It is our duty to support our leaders and to work hard to win the next election. We must continue to work together for the common good and to present a united front to the people of Florida.

Al Branning caught a couple of monsters at the Gulf Ponds Tuesday morning. However, Al had been in the Hall of Fame before and so did not bring in his big fish to the Highlander to be registered as he should have done. Consequently, Al does not appear in the Hall of Fame with the catch. Al deposes and says that one of the Big Fishers weighed eleven pounds, four ounces, and one of them nine pounds, eight ounces. They were dandies. Such is fish in the Big Black Bass Belt, the capital of which is Lake Wales—Lake Wales Highlander.

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