

IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

Wallace Assured of Long Job With Browns.



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Bobby Wallace, the veteran shortstop of the St. Louis American, is assured of a job with the Browns as long as he wishes to remain in baseball.

Profiting by the great showing of Sweden in the Olympic games, held last year in Stockholm, Germany is going in for the same sort of thing in preparation for the next Olympics.

Debarred Is Reinstated. Smithson is reinstated as an amateur athlete for more than a year.

International Shoot in Ohio. Ireland, Russia, Chile and Canada are the latest countries to signify their intention of sending rifle teams to the United States to participate in the international rifle shooting competition to be held at Camp Perry, O., in September.

Soccer Clubs Invited to South Africa. The South African Football Association has sent an invitation to the two leading soccer clubs in the Scottish Football League, Celtic and Rangers, to visit South Africa during 1913.

Griff Learning New Tongue. Clark Griffith is busily engaged in learning Spanish. Why? Well, he has to know what Jacinto Calvo, his Cuban outfielder, is saying.

Capron to Play With Phillies. The Phillies have purchased the services of Capron, an outfielder, from Pittsburgh. While Capron has been on the reserve list of the Pittsburghers during the past two years he played last year with the N. Paul team of the American Association.

HUMOROUS QUIPS.

The Office Boy Resigns. Bo, it's like dis wit me, I'm 'croug' wit' bein' a slave. I'm done wit workin' hard, see. An' starvin' meself ter save.

Knew the Wind. Dr. John Van Doren Young, secretary of the County Medical Society of New York, was talking at a dinner about the unhealthfulness of brooms and dusters and especially of household pets.

Married. Two or three urchins were running down a long and steep flight of steps when the foremost stumbled and fell.

Good Chance. A yeomanry squad was drilling, and being out of practice, most of them were suffering from bruises caused by the unsteadiness of one another's movements.

No Kick Coming. Jones answered an advertisement and sent a dollar for four pairs of socks. Jones looked them over and then wrote the advertiser.

Conventional. "How is the new telephone operator getting on?" "Oh, she left as soon as I explained the work to her."

Poor Support. Kin Hubbard, the Indiana humorist—one of them, that is to say—once was assigned to cover a performance of "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

All He Knew. An eastern college once conferred a degree upon the late Dr. Robert Collier. The text of the manuscript was written entirely in Latin.

Down to Date. "Why do you ring a bell every time you get a coin in your cup?" "I believe in giving the utmost publicity to all contributions," answered the merchant, with a significant smile.

Pa Knows Why. "Pa, why is it that dentists call their offices dental parlors?" "Because they are drawing rooms for 'em."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

SNAPSHOTS AT CELEBRITIES

Senator F. M. Simmons, Head of Finance Committee.



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Among the busiest of men in the Sixty-third congress will be Senator Furnifold M. Simmons, chairman of the senate committee on finance.

Noted as an Arbitrator. Judge William L. Chambers, chairman of the arbitration board in the wage controversy, but was the locomotive-brother-and-fifty-four-cent railroad, probably has helped to enter the more disputes between capital and labor than any other man in the country.

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coaches, railroad owners, representatives of the firemen, witnesses, stenographers, newspaper men and the members of the arbitration board boarded the train and for a week or more we held the arbitration proceedings right on that train, thus getting our information first hand.

FOR THE CHILDREN

The Council Fire.

Make as many paper slips as there will be boys playing the game. Letter one slip the Fire Maker, and all the rest either Good Wood or Pine Knots.

Weather Signs. There are a great many signs which are well known to the so-called weather prophets.

Hurt No Living Thing. Our food and garments are largely secured at the cost of great cruelty to beautiful and harmless animals and birds.

How Do You Laugh? It is a well known and easily demonstrated scientific fact that different people sound different vowels when laughing.

For Girls on Rainy Days. To make your rainy day bright do the following: Gather all your paper dolls together.

Game of Animals. This is another version of "blind man's bluff." All the players except the blind man station themselves in different parts of the room.

THE DOCTOR IN CAMP

By M. QUAD

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You may wonder how the miners got along without a doctor in camp, and there are indeed times enough when the services of a skillful physician were in demand.

Next to the sweat we had deceptions of herbs, barks and roots.

But, as I said at the start, sickness because so prevalent and our plain remedies had so little effect that I was finally decided to send up to Sacramento for a doctor.

"You see," said Judge Perdue as we talked the matter over, "we don't want a doctor that we may brag over the other camps. We want one because we are sick in the old-fashioned way."

"We want the old-fashioned sickness that we used to enjoy, so much at home. We want a doctor that will come in and say we are going to die for sure and then turn to and cure us.

A letter was sent to a dealer in the town asking him to forward a doctor, and in about five days along he came.

There were four men in hospital that day, and after a bit the doctor entered to take a look at them.

"Run out your tongue," said the doctor as he bent over the man.

"Your pulse," said the doctor, as he reached over for Jim's great paw.

"Oh, yes, you have. Here it is in your wrist. Keep still for a moment."

"Stranger, what are you drivin' at?" demanded Jim as he sat up in bed.

"In course I have. D'y'e s'pose I'd be lyin' flat on my back here if any thing less'n a ton was holdin' me down?"

The doctor sat and studied the case for a few minutes, and then he came over to the shanty where the committee had assembled and said:

"Gentlemen, the case of Big Jim is a serious one. He needs a change of diet, scenery and air. My advice is that you take him up as well as you can on chicken soup and beef tea and then send him off for a trip to Cuba."

When he was going out he said he would drop in next morning and have a look at the other cases, but he never had the chance.

When the boys found that he had come without even a dose of quinine and they heard him talk about chicken soup and trips to Cuba for a man who hadn't \$5 in his name they waited upon him in a sort of hilarious body and at midnight he went up the trail at the rate of twelve miles an hour with a crowd behind him yelling for his ears as he went.

"I did have some faith in the chap," exclaimed Jim, "jest a little bit, until he axed my symptoms. That sooner me. The idea of sendin' 200 miles to a doctor to walk in on ye and not be able to tell symptoms from the slightest headache a man ever had topped off with chills, sciatica up and down the spine, wall! I'm only sury that you moved the procession on him afore I was able to head 'em."

A Woman's Triumph

The first interview with the famous Chinese statesman, Li Hung Chang, was obtained by a woman journalist, an American, Miss Elizabeth Banks, who has related how she hurried to the Chinese diplomat before she had had her breakfast, as she had been told that her victim was an early riser.

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Another with very high connections made a sort of fight against the tobacco and lived on in England until the end, but he, too, was never forgiven.

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Diplomacy and the Brute. "Listen," said the girl as the woman came in from the party at 3 o'clock in the morning and stood at the head of her bed.

"Well," said the girl when she had come down again, "what did you do threaten him with the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Wives?"

"Not at all," said the woman. "I simply rang his bell and asked him if there was anything I could do for his wife. Wasn't she ill? We could hear her crying beneath in our bedroom, I told him. He thanked me and said there was nothing I could do. But you don't hear any more sobbing, do you?"

Webster's Compliment. "While it is well known that Daniel Webster in speaking of General Taylor's candidacy for the office of president pronounced it 'a nomination not fit to be made,' he never failed to do justice to the general's military abilities and eminent service in the field.

Holmes on Domestic Economy. The laughable and the pathetic are sometimes strangely mingled in little exhibitions of domestic economy—a plate of apples, for instance, with the defective parts cut out for the child.

Wanted the Record. A taxicab caught fire in New York. The flames reached the gasoline tank. The two passengers, who had come a long way, tumbled out. The fire department was summoned. "Play on the meter!" shrieked the distracted driver to the firemen. "Never mind the cab, play on the meter!"—Exchange.

Larger Wants. "Does your wife want the vote?" "No. She wants a larger town house, a villa on the seacoast and a new limousine car every six months. I'd be pleased most to death if she could fix her attention on a small matter like the vote."—Washington Star.

As the Crow Flies. Mandy—Yessah. After de shot was fired mah Rastus dun run seven blocks as de crow flies. Judge—As the crow flies? Mandy—Yessah. All 'ya could see was Jany's one black streak.—Pack.

A Thoughtful Name. Visitor to Facetious Farmer—I'd like to know why on earth you call that white pig link? Facetious Farmer—Because he's always running from the pen.—Town Topics.

He is sufficiently learned that knows how to do well and has power enough to refrain from evil.—Cicero.