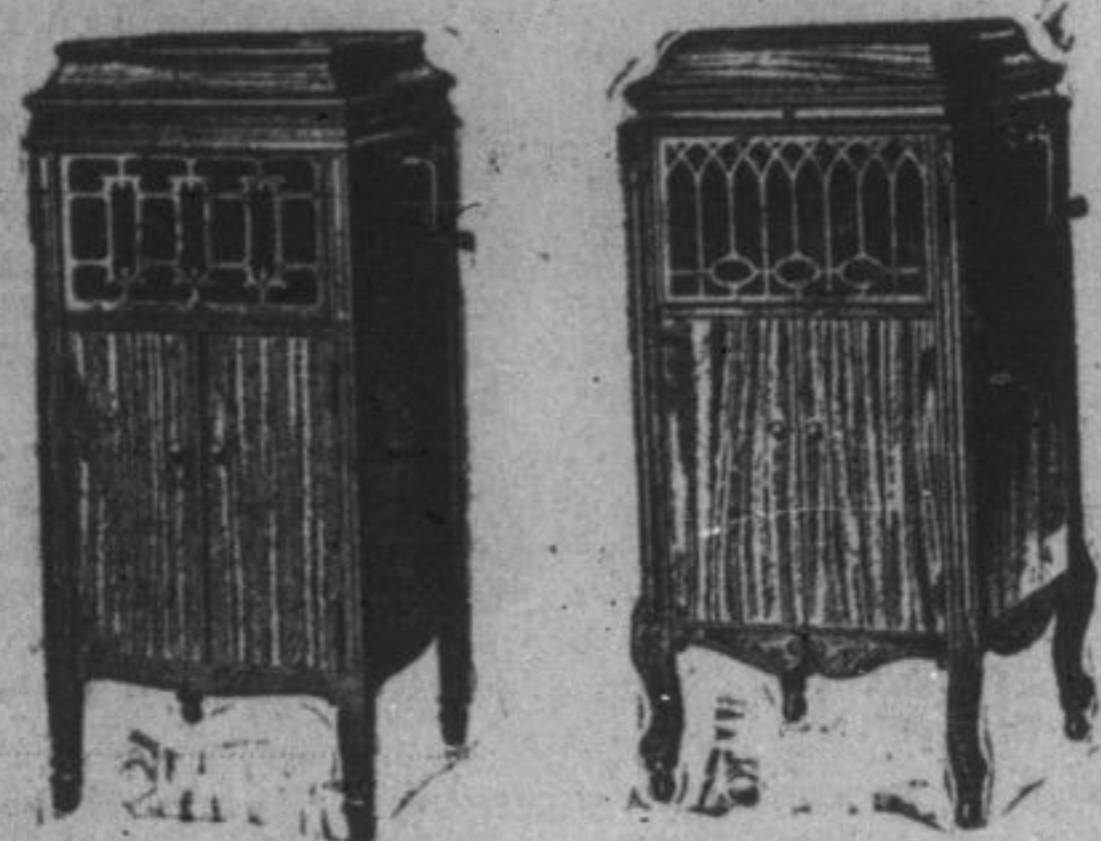


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Gibson For Giants.

George "Mooney" Gibson, of the New York Giants, has received notification that he is on the reserve list of the Giants for the season of 1918, and that a contract will be forwarded to him in a few days. This means that London's star baseball player will be back with

McGraw again. Last season "Mooney" worked pitchers and catchers, and will probably do the same thing this summer.

Marty O'Toole, former major league pitcher, is wintering in Omaha, where he is engaged as a clothing salesman.

MUST BE SOLDIER TO GET MATCHES

England Is Not Concerned With Civilians—Ertle-Wilde Offer Rejected.

Although interest in boxing in the United States at the present time is centered in the heavyweights as a result of Jess Willard's recent publicity campaign, it is well known that several bantamweights are not only anxious to cross the Atlantic ocean to engage Jimmy Wilde, the world's fly-weight champion, but that their managers are seeking to make a match. However, there appears to be but little chance, if any, of an American boxer getting a crack at the little Englishman unless the American goes over as a soldier.

In this connection it is interesting to read what an English writer, who signs himself as "Straight Left" has to say:

"Already a couple of American flyweights have come over to this country to try their skill against Jimmy Wilde, but although each has returned home a beaten boy, there are still others over there who want to try to lower the colors of the world's champion.

"Not many days ago we were asked to put before the Manager and Committee of the National Sporting Club a suggestion that Johnny Ertle, who at one time claimed the world's bantam-weight title should come to this country and box Wilde at 116 pounds. The proposition was sympathetically considered, but the committee were of opinion that to bring a man across the Atlantic merely for the purpose of a boxing contest, however interesting it might be from a sporting point of view, would be to commit an offence against good taste while the great war is on. If Ertle were coming over as a soldier of the United States that would make a difference, and, providing that Wilde were willing, there might be something doing.

"The reply by the committee is now on its way to the States. The reply in question turns down Ertle's offer.

Crawford Blames Cobb.

Sam Crawford, Detroit's veteran outfielder, who was allowed to go at the end of last season, is displeased with the treatment accorded him. He believes that he is capable of going through a few more campaigns, and doesn't relish the idea of being dropped. In a recent interview he complained that it was Ty Cobb's fault. Sam insists that Cobb is the real manager of the Tigers.

WOULD KNOCK KAISER OUT

Before He Meets the Big Champion, Georges Carpentier.

French heavyweight pugilist, is too busy at his job of fighting the Kaiser to heed any "challenges" by Jess Willard, world's heavyweight champion, for as small a thing as a mere fight in the squared circle.

"Just as soon as the Kaiser is knocked out," the famous French fighter told the United Press, "I'm willing to take up Willard's challenge. Until that time, I'm going to be too busy fighting him to entertain any other ideas about fighting." Carpentier is now a pilot aviator in the French Flying Corps. He is in Paris on a brief period of leave from the front.

As the French See It.

Baseball having been introduced in France by our soldiers, sailors, and ambulance men, the French sporting writers are making gallant attempts to explain the game to their readers. Following is an excerpt from a French sporting journal:

"The theque is the ancient game of ball to the field, modified and regulated. One can play to ten, but to well play the theque it is necessary to be eighteen players. The dimensions of the ground is illimitable, all the same she ought not to have less than 300 square meters. One traces a polygon of which each side can have from five to ten meters. The bases are indicated by blocks of wood. The first chamber (home plate) or base is ordinarily a square of two meters of side. The post of emplacement of the lancer (pitcher) ought to find itself at four meters from the first base. The lancer ought not to eject the ball, but lance her in such fashion that she arrives between the shoulder and the knee of the batter (batter). The role of batter is of to beat the ball—as soon as she is served—in the direction which he desires (but all the same before his field) and far enough for to permit him of to run at least just to the second base and thus soon again just to the base of return. The play of the opposed field is to send back the ball the most rapidly possible to prevent the batter from to make his run around."

Gibson's Great Record.

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Golf Spirit in War Game.

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Sporting Notes

Steve O'Neill, the Cleveland star catcher, is running a rivet-cutting machine in the Keyser Valley shops of the Lackawanna Railroad this winter.

William Doyle, who discovered Marvin Goodwin and several other star pitchers for the Brewers last season, has been signed as scout by the Philadelphia National League Club.

H. S. Elliott, first baseman, who was purchased by the Detroit Tigers from the St. Paul Club of the American Association, has enlisted in the aviation service.

Rube Ferns, once contender for the welterweight boxing crown, is reported to be a walking delegate for the American Federation of Labor.

Earl Yingling, the Washington pitcher, who was out of the game last season because of suspension, has been reinstated and will be allowed to pitch next season.

Fred Toney, the Cincinnati pitcher, who was recently arrested for evading the military draft in the United States, has been placed in class 1 by a Nashville exemption board.

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