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In the World of Sport

WANTS TO KNOW WHY CANADA'S SOCCER BODY BARS TEAMS FROM U.S.

New York Herald: It will be news to followers of sport here that we are in the thick of a soccer "war" with Canada. Plans had been perfected for a trip to the dominion by the Bethlehem team, but these had to be cancelled because the Canadians would not have the steel plant outfit. It seems that the soccer officials of England, France, Belgium and Canada decline to have any relations with teams which are friendly with the Germans or Scandinavians. It will be remembered that our soccer went abroad not so many months ago to play Scandinavian teams.

We cannot understand the Canadian attitude as regards Sweden, Norway and Denmark, as we believe that Scandinavians are admitted to compete in the English track and field championships last summer. Canadian and English athletes competed against the Scandinavians in the Olympic games. Why the uproar about the Bethlehem team playing Scandinavian soccer teams?

KEARNS NOW REALIZES GEORGES IS DANGEROUS
"Jack has not yet slipped an inch, and he was not over-trained in his bout with Brennan," said Jack Kearns, who arrived in Chicago and immediately set up a vehement defence for Dempsey, whose manager he is. There have been disquieting tales coming out of the East to the effect that Dempsey appears to have "gone back" and that Knickerbocker and Willard each have a fine chance to dethrone him.

Kearns pooch-poochs this sort of talk. "I suppose if Jack had cut loose in the first round and swung a lot of punches he might have beaten Brennan, but it would be taking chances. If he had failed to knock Brennan out he would have been tired from the exertion and open to almost anything. He is champion and won his bout on careful lines," said Kearns.

"Jack has a good defense. Brennan never had a look-in with his punches. Carpenter has two hands, and anybody with two hands has a chance to hit somebody," which may be taken as an admission that Dempsey expects a battle when he meets the clever Frenchman.

DOES FOOTBALL HURT THE BASEBALL STARS?

Walter McCredie says he likes to take in a college football game now and then, but he shudders every time a couple of players collide in mid-field. "Not that he is pitying the players, especially. He's pitying baseball more. He says football has ruined more good baseball prospects than all the pillow slips in the world. The University of Oregon in Dudley Clarke once had one of the most promising young baseball players I ever saw," said Mac. "He was fast, a good fielder, and he could certainly slam the pillow slips in the world. But Clarke wouldn't come. He had a couple more years of football and wanted to try to apply their full strength and ability in the game—that they will be kept free from mistakes and errors. They pray that they will be able to give their all and state that if in giving their all they give their lives with it they are ready to go. That's the way they pray."

Hockey Notes.
Cully Wilson, who holds a three-year contract with the C.H.A. would like to play somewhere, but St. Pats will not handle him unless he is a free agent. The Saints are ducking all law suits.

St. Patricks open the N.H.L. season in Ottawa on Wednesday night. By that time they expect to have several amateur stars ready for the fray backed up by the regulars. "Charlie" McCarthy, who played goal for Wanderers in 1913, may try out with the Hamilton N.H.L. team. Manager Thompson is a trifle peeved because the other N.H.L. teams are not furnishing him with the assistance promised. He stuck to the N.H.L. in the fall, and expects them to stick to him and deliver the players promised.

Montreal Canadiens, with a game two days away, have no prospect of ice yet for practice. They play Hamilton. Hamilton hasn't much of a team yet, but a week's practice should give them the edge. St. Pats, who open at Ottawa next Wednesday, also have the edge on condition. Ottawa only has had one practice.

Owing to the fact that Galt, Paris and Brantford have dropped out of Group 9, the Waterloo Juniors will play in Group 10.

FAVORITE GENERALLY WINS

In Publicist Battles That Have Taken Place.
In a vast majority of cases the favorite pugilist has won, Willard was the favorite, it is true, over Dempsey, but the betting was negligible. The Kansas was given the "courtesy" which usually is accorded to the champion. When Jim Corbett stopped John L. Sullivan in New Orleans in 1892 some regarded it as a surprise. But to those who knew the weakened condition of Sullivan the victory of his younger and more clever opponent was only the realization of the expected. Corbett's triumph over Charley Mitchell in three rounds in 1894 was looked for, though the quick knockout was something of a sensation.

Fitzsimmons' fourteen-round victory over Corbett in 1897 was more or less expected, as Corbett had been going the pace. Jim Jeffries' knockout over Fitzsimmons in eleven rounds at Coney Island in 1899 was the natural success of a young, but like, stolid and solid heavyweight over a lighter and older opponent with brittle hands. In the Jeffries-Sharkey fight that same year it was six of one and half a dozen of the other—a battle between men of similar styles. In which Jeffries was slightly fortunate to get George Siler's decision. Sharkey probably has good reason to maintain that an erring referee robbed him of the world's championship.

Jeffries' second knockout of Fitzsimmons was almost certain. But ring history came close to recording an upset in 1900, when Jeffries fought Corbett at Coney Island. Jeffries won by a knockout in the twenty-third round, who was opponent apparently the decision well in hand. Corbett, having piled up enough points to win with ease, became careless. Jeffries, on the other hand, stopped trying to box, and following the advice of Billy Brady, waded into Corbett and stopped him.

PRAYING FOOTBALL TEAM

Coach Moran Tells About Centre College Players.
Prayer and football may seem incongruous to some, but not so to Charles Moran, coach of the famous Centre College football eleven, and his players, says the Literary Digest. As the world knows, they prayed before a game on the gridiron against Harvard—and lost. But that did not affect the players' belief in the efficacy of prayer. They played their all to win; but they prayed only that they might be able to give that all, that they might be kept free from injury from mistakes and errors. In an interview with Lawrence Perry, of the New York Evening Post, reprinted in The Central Christian Advocate (Methodist), the renowned football coach and professional athlete explains that prayer is not offered by his stalwarts for victory, because "we don't get to decide what is best for us." At least he says, "that isn't the way we pray at Centre."

"The way the boys pray before a game is this way: They ask first for protection, so that they'll be able to go clean through the game without injury which would put them out of it. Then they ask that they will be permitted to apply their full strength and ability in the game—that they will be kept free from mistakes and errors. They pray that they will be able to give their all and state that if in giving their all they give their lives with it they are ready to go. That's the way they pray."

U. S. Invasion of England.
When professional golfers gather nowadays for a "fanning bee" the main topic of interest is the proposed invasion of Great Britain next year. This, as has already been told, will be made possible through a New York golf publication, which is trying to raise a fund to send a team of about fifteen U. S. golfers abroad to play in the open at St. Andrews. One group of "pros" agreed recently that the best way to pick a team would be to follow the plan of the Professional Golfers' Association of America for their annual championship; that is, to have a qualifying round in the different districts of the country.

After that, it was suggested that in order to get a team to send abroad, the best thirty-two would play off at seventy-two holes medal play; the eastern players who come through to play at two courses in the east, and the western and southern men to play at of courses in the Chicago zone.

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DECIDE AGAINST SHOWING PICTURE OF JOHNSON BOUT

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