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Stage Set for Battle Tonight at the Oliver

Frankie Mason In Town Full of Confidence
Expects to Take Moore into Camp

The stage is set, the final arrangements have been made and one of the principals is in town for the biggest and best boxing card ever pulled off in the city. The carpenters were busy all day Monday at the Oliver theater, the scene of the scrap, arranging the ringside bleachers, and when the curtain goes up at 8:15 o'clock tonight, and the boys start milling, the biggest crowd of fight fans ever witnessing a bout in South Bend is expected to be on hand.

Frankie Mason, the whirlwind who made such a good impression on his last appearance here, arrived last night and when interviewed at the Oliver hotel, expressed a quiet confidence in his ability to take Moore into camp that spoke louder than any amount of blustering boasts. Mason appears to be in the pink of condition, having had three fights in the last two weeks. His manager stated that Frankie had shown more speed and endurance this season than ever before, and that there was not a doubt in his mind but that the boy would give Pal Moore the battle of his life.

Mason is anxious to get the decision in his fight here, as on it may hinge a trip to Europe for him. Some promoters are considering sending him to England to meet Wilde, and if he shows the proper class against Moore, he is certain to go. With this incentive behind him, and Moore's reputation at stake, local fight fans are bound to be treated to a bout that will not be equaled in this part of the country for some time.

The number of tickets sold indicate that the house will be filled to capacity long before time for the first preliminary is started. A large block of tickets was sent to Elkhart Monday and a delegation is expected from there. Also one from Benton Harbor. The fair sex will be represented at the show, as a number of tickets are reported to have been sold to them.

Pal Moore, who is touted by the gobs to take the house by storm, will arrive here this noon. He has completed his training and is just as confident as Mason. He will bring a crowd of followers along with him, who are anxious to see their favorite and Mason get together. He has the reputation of the navy to uphold, and has all of Uncle Sam's robes behind him, and who swear by him. On the other hand Mason has the olive drab pulling for him and backing him to the limit.

A. B. Sworts received a wire Monday from Roy Pearson, sport critic of Chicago, and Ring Lardner, to the effect that they would be present at the bout. Ed. Smith of Chicago will referee the show. A. S. Burkhardt of this city will be the official announcer, and Floyd Fitzsimmons of Benton Harbor will be master of

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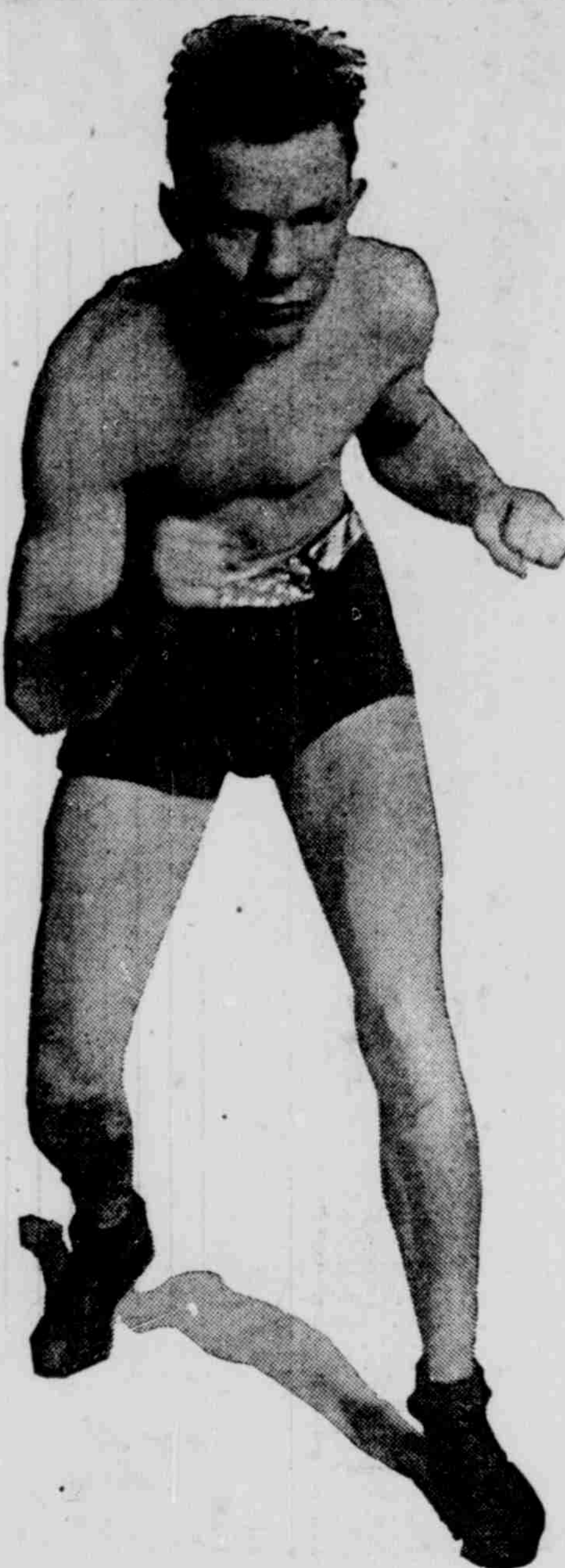
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Pal Moore Who Appears Here Tonight



Above is a likeness to Pal Moore, the battling gub who has fought his way to prominence, and who will meet the fighting soldier, Frankie Mason, here at the Oliver theatre tonight. Moore is regarded by the critics as one of the fastest, smartest and cleverest fighters of his class, in the country today.

BOWLING SCORES

WATCH CO. LEAGUE.

FINISHING—

Kepler	105	138	115	358
Kennedy	124	123	100	347
Larson	110	118	111	339
W. Scott	135	129	148	412
Heyde	193	157	162	512
Handicap	203	203	207	613

PLAT STEEL—

Landick	133	143	145	421
C. Kochindefer	119	164	155	438
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Dauphine	150	117	120	385
Hyatt	213	148	146	507
Handicap	195	195	195	585

MOTION—

Peterson	154	153	105	412
Sheetz	151	150	133	434
Holland	133	171	134	438
Zimmerman	162	166	119	447
Levey	116	106	179	401
Handicap	240	240	240	720

ADJUSTERS—

Harlin	154	159	193	506
Reis	160	123	163	446
Glick	127	156	146	429
Renner	117	151	130	398
Stene	107	161	159	427
Handicap	152	152	152	456

JEWELING—

Jensen	143	178	141	462
Ziebart	132	147	179	458
Hyatt	132	182	122	436
Renson	84	144	130	358
Garten	135	153	127	415
Handicap	253	253	253	759

JOBBERS—

Warner	131	113	168	412
Slim	128	108	177	413
Low Score	174	201	174	549
Low Score	147	201	173	521
Sackman	172	161	167	491
Handicap	154	154	154	462

GEO. CUTTER CO. LEAGUE.

Swanson	188	194	161	543
Pifer	113	120	100	333
Milkken	119	154	113	386
Low Score	143	151	162	456
Wicker	137	165	167	469
Handicap	198	198	198	594

POUNDRY—

Dacey	98	145	118	361
McHenry	163	165	160	488
Kroll	118	109	124	351

RAINBOW DIVISION TO SAIL.

Washington	113	109	124	346
Pershing	121	135	168	424
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BRITISH ARMY IS WAR WEARY

Military Authorities Say They Will Have No Difficulty in Raising Quota.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—(Correspondence).—Thousands of the British army who recently became so war weary that they openly threatened mutiny unless they were soon discharged, have turned about face and are volunteering for the new army, according to military authorities, who assert that they are satisfied that there will be little difficulty in securing the 500,000 men who will do Great Britain's share in safeguarding the peace the allies have won.

The causes said to have sent the men flocking back to the colors are the unexpected war bonus offered the men who "take on" and the acute industrial situation. The first factor has been of prime importance in the case of boys from 18 to 21 who have been two or more years already in the army and who have no trade to fall back upon in civilian life. In the new army they will be fed, clothed and sheltered and draw a minimum of about \$5 a week as pocket money. They have quickly awakened to the realization that there is no such prospect awaiting them on a return to "civies."

The industrial upheaval plays the main part in the decision of the older men. In the first rush for demobilization no man was permitted to go who had not a definite offer of employment. The government did all in its power to make certain that such offers were bona fide but in spite of every precaution thousands of men got their release on bogus papers. These men soon found themselves in an unenviable position. They could not get work and they faced some very uncomfortable inquiries if they applied for the out-of-work pay provided for those who are idle through no fault of their own. The recruiting sergeant was the easy road out of their troubles, and that astute individual, who draws a bonus for each recruit, was not blind to his opportunities.

A third factor of minor but real importance is the fact that numbers of men who have been home on furlough leave since the armistice was signed, have discovered that they are not nearly so happy out of khaki as they imagined they would be. They frankly admit that they miss the companionship of the army, the lack of responsibility and the easy hours. Now that the war is over the army is resting on its laurels and in the great camps around England "work" is confined to one hour's parade a day, with football games, paper chases and other sports to fill in the remainder of the time. That is a considerable contrast to eight or nine hours of monotonous toil in a shop or factory.

The army authorities have not so far made public any figures on recruiting but some indication is offered by the experience of two battalions in one of the largest camps in the south of England. In one unit, where all the men had seen service overseas, more than 200 reenlisted in less than two weeks. In the other, an "A4" battalion made up of boys under military age, more than 300 took the oath in the same period, a large number for the regulation period of 12 years.

STUDEBAKER AND WILSON BROTHERS TEAMS CLASH

The Studebaker school indoor baseball team will meet the Wilson Brothers team at the Studebaker school tonight. The game will start at 7:30 o'clock. The Wilson team will be accompanied by a large delegation of rooters. Swinehart and Sausely will be on the pivots for the Studebaker nine.

NOTED PUGILIST WEDS



HARRY GREB

One of the most brilliant weddings recorded at the Church of the Epiphany, in Pittsburg, Pa., was that of Henry Edward Greb, the well known middleweight boxer, and Miss Mildred Kathleen Kelly, which took place in the presence of nearly a thousand spectators, a general invitation having been given by Harry to all his admirers to witness the ceremony. The Rev. Father Lawrence O'Connell was the officiating clergyman. After the wedding breakfast was served at the Fort Pitt Hotel to about one hundred specially invited friends of Greb and his bride, many prominent men of the city being present.

NILES, MICH.

NILES, March 11.—The Niles building committee, appointed by Mayor Bonine to consider the matter of making arrangements for housing the newcomers expected in Niles with the establishment of the Michigan Central terminal, held a conference in Detroit with the Dodge Brothers, who will lend the city up to \$1,000,000 to assist with the house building program. The committee presented a plan for handling the finances. The money will either be handled through a merger of the two local building and loan associations or by organizing a new corporation. W. N. Burns, R. C. Atkinson, C. E. White and Mayor Bonine comprise the committee.

Word was received on Sunday of the death in Chicago of Fred Kemp, a former resident of this city, who for eight years was employed in a local factory as a tool maker. His death followed a week's illness with grip which developed into pneumonia. He was about 32 years old. He is survived by a widow who was formerly Miss Marie Ehrlich of Niles. The latter's mother, Mrs. Henry Ehrlich of Niles, and her brothers, William and George Ehrlich of South Bend, will go to Chicago to attend the funeral services Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Plym and son have returned from California where they spent two months.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Scofield have returned from San Antonio, Texas, where they spent two months.

Gallen and Buchanan lodges of Rebekahs were guests of New Century Rebekah lodge in this city this evening, about 100 guests being entertained. The Gallen team put on the initiatory degree.

Clarence Walters, a Pokagon boy of 15 years, is dead after a brief illness with measles. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Walters, and by two sisters and a brother. He was the oldest of the family of children. The funeral services will be held in Niles on Tuesday.

A sailor passed through Niles today shackled to an officer, enroute to the Great Lakes training station, to be tried for manslaughter. It seems that the sailor, who was serving his country overseas, was driven into a frenzy by another sailor among his mates, and that he picked up a chair and struck his tormentor and killed him.

Francis Champion has received his release from naval service at the Great Lakes training station and has returned home.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICH.

Mar. 11, 1919.
Walter Shults was a business visitor in South Bend and Niles Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kephart visited their son, George Kephart Jr., in South Bend Thursday.

Mrs. John Johnson has received word of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Mattie Leeds, in Oklahoma.

Mrs. George Perkins went Friday to Niles, where she has employment. Mrs. Charles A. Chase of Niles visited friends here Friday. She was on her way home from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Hattie Stahl. Mrs. Stahl is the home of Mrs. Dana Hyde at King's Landing, on a two weeks' visit, and is slowly improving in health.

George Halback returned Thursday from a two months' visit with relatives in Chicago.

A number of the members of Kilpatrick post were in Benton Harbor Sunday to attend the funeral service of Conrad C. H. Godfrey. Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Skinner were called to Toledo, Ohio, Friday, by the illness of the latter's uncle.

Major Murdoch circle will meet Thursday afternoon, Mar. 13 in the G. A. R. hall. The business session and initiation of candidates will be followed by the annual Washington tea party, which was postponed from the last meeting.

Hez. McCombs of Berrien Center and well known in this village died at his home in Berrien Center early Friday morning. The funeral service was held at the East Union church Sunday afternoon. The L. O. O. F. lodge of Berrien Center, which Mr. McCombs was a member, were in attendance at the service.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Lohr of St. Louis, Dr. McCombs, his daughter, Ruth, and Miss Jennie McCombs of Pittsburgh, were also present.

G. O. McOmber has returned from Grand Rapids, where he has been under treatment at the sanatorium.

A. W. Croft has gone to Rochester, Minn., for treatment at the Mayo hospital.

The Aid society of the Methodist church met Tuesday afternoon in the church parlors.

Sunday morning at the Baptist church Mr. Arthur Heman of Benton Harbor spoke, taking for his subject, "The Victory Campaign." In the evening a prelude, showing pictures our boys have sent from France, was given followed by an address on "Our Savior's Second Coming."

Jesse Fitch and family of Niles, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Fitch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newton, Sunday.

Rev. A. V. Vondersmidt of Detroit, is expected here Tuesday to assist with the revival services now in progress at the U. B. church.

Mrs. Cora Storick of South Bend was week end visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Sattler.

MANY FRENCH STUDENTS KILLED IN WORLD WAR

PARIS, Feb. 15.—(Correspondence).—That French intellectual classes have paid in lives to a fearful extent in the war was disclosed in the casualty lists now being analyzed according to professions, is stated in the Paris Journal Intransigeant. The records show that 4,227 Frenchmen prominently en-

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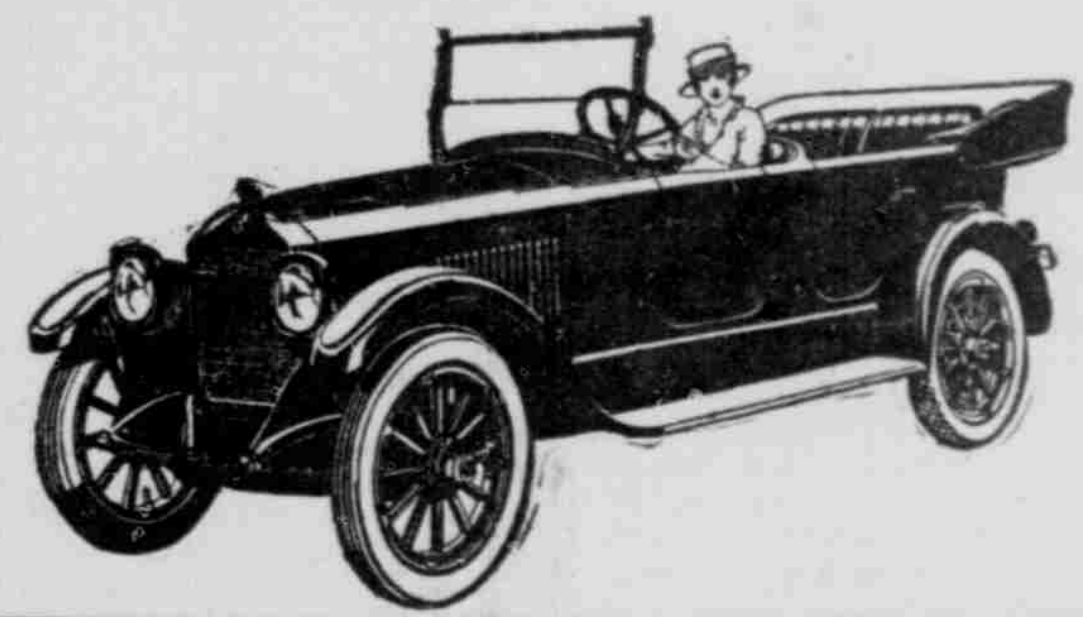
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gaged in educational pursuits have been killed on the battle field.

Paris alone, the paper adds, has lost 2,378 students of different universities and colleges, besides 350 journalists and men of letters. The figures for provincial France are not yet available, but they are said to be very large.

Since Aug. 2, 1914, most of France's great educational institutions have been practically closed down, only a few elderly professors and a limited number of young men, physically unfit for military service, remaining to keep the lamp of knowledge burning.

To repopulate universities and colleges without delay, is in the view of the authorities, imperative if France is to remain in the forefront of intellectual life. M. Laffere, minister of public instruction, promises special facilities for students "as soon as they are demobilized," but the machinery by which men are returned to civilian life is working very slowly.

L'Eclair, another Paris daily paper in an editorial demands quicker methods. It says that French culture is in danger of losing its leading position if the process of putting the teaching elements back into their proper spheres of activity is not at once accelerated. High cost of living, and the very human desire on the part of demobilized professional men to secure the best possible livelihood, it says, is rapidly leading to an acute crisis in the teaching world. The paper advocates a scheme by which the still mobilized professors and students should be enabled to resume their lectures and studies at once at the universities and colleges of Lille, Nancy, Strasbourg and other centers of learning in the northern and northeastern parts of France and in Alsace Lorraine, if the cannot be sent back to their homes.

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FARM Auction Sale

The farm of the late Hattie N. Williams, five miles northeast of Goshen, on the Goshen and Middlebury road, just south of Pleasant Ridge church, will be held at public auction between 12 and 1 o'clock on Friday, March 14. The farm contains 43 7/8-100 acres, loam soil, nearly level, buildings and fences in good shape. Seven acres apple orchard, five acres alfalfa; farm all under cultivation. Nine-room house, bank barn 36x56, silo, three-section poultry house, hog house, new garage and corn crib; all buildings lighted by electricity. One-fourth mile to church and school on main traveled road. On same day 4 horses, 15 cattle, eight hogs, poultry, hay and grain, farm tools and household goods will be sold; also one Ford, 5-passenger touring car. For further particulars see our write

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