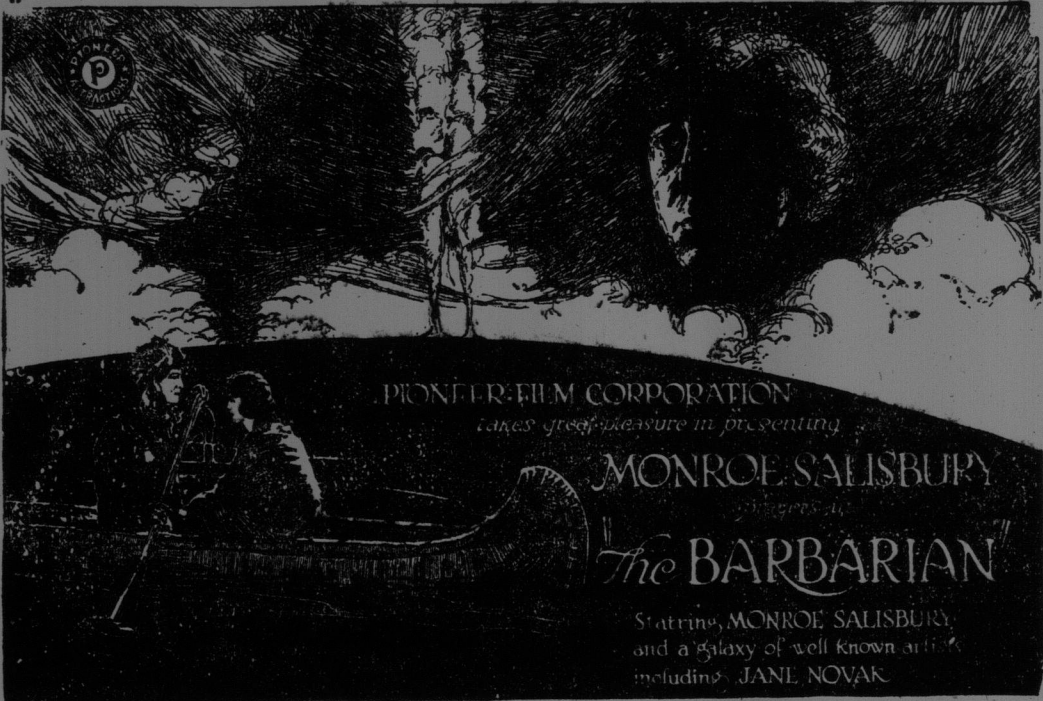


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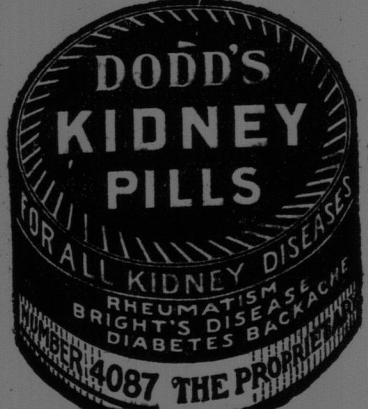
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**CANADIANS MUST
PLAY IN EUROPE**

New York, April 26.—The Canadian tennis team which will endeavor to win the Davis Cup for the Dominion will have to go to Europe to play the opening round. This was the decision of the Davis Cup committee of the United States Lawn Tennis Association at a recent private meeting, the details of which have been just disclosed.

Canada was drawn against France for the opening round. The French tennis committee suggested that the match be played in Paris on June 17. Canada entered an objection to this, owing to the great distance to be covered and France referred the matter to the United States as the holder of the cup. The United States committee overruled Canada's objection and the initial match of the dominion players must therefore be played in Paris.



**IMPORTANT CHANGE
IN THE FOUL RULE**

At the eighth annual meeting of the Joint New York basketball committee, a change was made in the foul rule which will eliminate fully a third of the present scoring from foul and should, in the opinion of the committee, materially improve the game. At the preliminary session it seemed unlikely that any alteration in the foul rule would be made, but when the matter came up for debate sentiment was found to be overwhelmingly in favor of a change.

The new rule, which is the adoption of one of the suggestions of the sub-committee headed by Dr. Raymond of Princeton, provides a penalty hitherto never used in basketball—namely, the giving of the ball into the possession of the opponents. This penalty, however, is inflicted after technical fouls only, personal fouls being penalized under a second new rule.

The reading of the rule regarding technical fouls follows:

"When the technical foul is made the ball is awarded to the opponents at the point where the foul is committed, with the right to put the ball into play with an unguarded pass. They shall not be permitted to dribble, or shoot for goal."

This rule does away entirely with the free throw as a penalty for technical fouls.

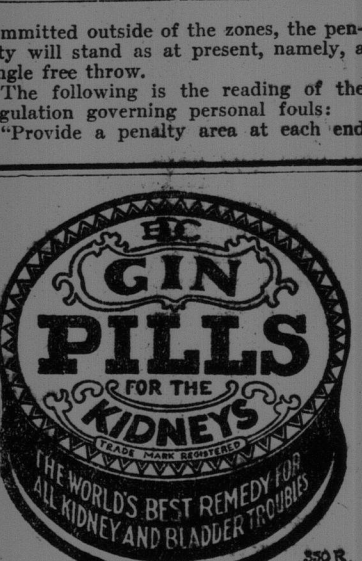
The penalty for personal fouls differs according to the point on the court where the foul is committed. If the personal foul is committed within a certain area, hereafter to be called the penalty area, at either end of the court, the penalty will be greater than if the foul be committed outside that space. The penalty area is a zone formed by the extension of the present free throw line to either side of the court.

The present free throw line is 15 feet in front of the basket, or 17 feet within the court, so that the penalty zone, which will be formed by a line 17 feet from the end line of the court, parallel to the back line, will be as wide as the court. And for personal fouls committed within this zone, the price paid will be two free throws. For a personal foul

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of the court comprising the space between the end line and a line passing through the free throw line or a line passing tangent to the free throw circles as may be decided. All personal fouls committed by a team when the opponents are in possession of the ball in the penalty area under their own goal shall be penalized by the award of two free throws. All other personal fouls committed elsewhere on the court or in either penalty area when the ball is in possession of the defending team shall be penalized by the award of one free throw.

In addition to the change in the foul rule, the meeting made a considerable number of minor changes throughout the rule book, all of them to do with further clarification of the existing regulations. Legislation against "stalling" which was one of the subjects of a questionnaire, was voted down, on the ground that it was for the opposing team to break up attempts at "stalling" by aggressive playing. The "time out" rule was changed to give a little more latitude to captains and reads:

"A captain may request time out

Winnipeg, April 27.—The suggestion of J. P. Fitzgerald, of the Ontario A. C., to form a dominion body to control boxing and wrestling meets with the approval of James Morin, chairman of the Manitoba Boxing Commission, he stated here last night.

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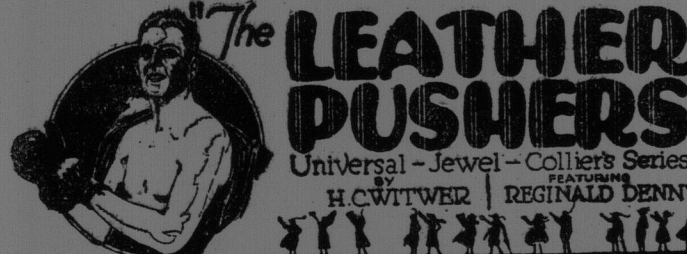
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