

THE BALL PLAYER

TECUMSEHS AND MAPLE LEAFS ARE BOTH READY FOR OPENER

Manager Bowerman and His Players Are Confident of Winning Opening Game at Tecumseh Park Today-Opening Ceremonies Will Be the Best Ever.

TODAY'S GAMES.

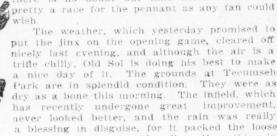
Peterboro at Hamilton. Berlin at Brantford.

Ottawa at St. Thomas. Guelph at London.

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GO SOME

Play Ball! This is the cry that will sound four Ontario cities today, and will usher the Canadian League season of 1912. And ight here let it be said that it is going to be me season. Right from the drop of the hat until the last inning of the last game is played, the fans are going to see real baseball, and here is no doubt but that there will be as



dirt and made the base paths as hard and as level as a sidewalk. Everything is in readiness for the opener. No detail has been overlooked by the local manage. ment in making the occasion one of the most memorable in the history of pro-fessional baseball in London, and this old city has seen some memorable days. The grand stand presents many improvements over last season. The seats have all had backs put on them, and are just as comfortable as an easy chair. Nothing has been overlooked that will cater to the comfort of the fans, and more joys than merely watching the game will await the crowd at Tecumseh Park this season. SOME PARADE-EH, WHAT!

The parade to the grounds will be a monster. The Seventh Regiment Band will dispense music for the occasion, and about fifty automobiles will form the procession the London and Guelph players riding in one of the cars. At the grounds, Mayor Graham will speak briefly and then dish up the first ball to Rev. J. G. Inkster, who will be adorned with glove and mask. Rev. Father McKeon will be at bat, and if the ball ever comes near enough for him

to wallop, it will be a home run sure. Manager Bowerman arrived in town last evening from his home in Rome where he spent Sunday. He was somewhat anxious about the weather, and would have preferred it a little warmer. However, he is pleased over the condition of his players, and is confident of taking the first game, at least, from Guelph. His line-up will be the same as announced in yesterday's Advertiser. It is not known whether Frank will play in the game himself or not, but it is likely he will. Powell will be played at first base, while Bierbauer will camp out in right field. The team looks good, and the fans can be assured that there will be no such start

In the other cities of the league where the season opens today, enthusiasm i at fever heat. No brighter outlook could confront a minor league than the one that the Canadlan League is facing this season. From Ottawa in the east to St. Thomas in the west, the Canadian League is attracting attention all over baseball Ontario the organization is twice as strong as last season. Next year it will not only attracting attention in Ontario, but it is also being watched with interes It is a big advertising medium for the cities that compose it are to the United States. Today it makes its initial bow as a Class C organization The day is not far distant when the Canadian League will become a Class B organ zation, and be on a par with the best minor leagues across the line.



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SAM LANGFORD

Chicago Heavyweight No Match for Bos. ton Tar Baby in Fight at Melbourne.

Melbourne, Australia, May 13.-Sam angford, the heavyweight negro boxe f Boston, tonight defeated Jim Barry, he Chicago heavyweight Barry wa

LAW CANNOT PREVENT JOHNSON-FLYNN FIGHT

No Law in New Mexico Which Will Make Prizefighting Illegal.

Las Vegas, N. M., May 13.-That ther erize-fighting, was the opinion rendered today by Attorney-General Frank W. Clancy. The opinion was in reply to a query by District Attorney Charles W. G. Ward, of Las Vegas, relative to the legality of the proposed Johnson-Flynn



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CUBS AND GIANTS BATTLE TO A TIE

Game Was Called at End of Tigers Played Slovenly Ball, Eighth Inning Owing to Darkness.

REDS BEAT THE DODGERS ATHLETICS LOSE AGAIN

Cardinals Make It Three Straight From Boston, by Winning Again Yesterday.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RECORD.

New York at Pittsburg.

Brooklyn at St. Louis. Brooklyn at St. Louis. Philadelphia at Chicago. Boston at Cincinnati.

Runs—Snodgrass, Murray, Merkie 2. Sheckard, Hofman, Zimmerman 2. Left on bases—New York 6. Chicago 6. Bases on bases—New York 6, Chicago 6, Bases of balls—By Tesrau 2, by Lavender 4. Detroit Struck out—By Tesrau 1, by Lavender 1. Hit by pitcher—By Tesrau 1, Two-base hit—Moore, Three-base hit—Zimmerman, Sacrifice hits—Lennox, Shafer, Stolen bases—Shulte, Sheckard, Merkle, Vaughn Time, two hours. Umpires, Righer and Finneran

REDS WIN THREE STRAIGHT. Cincinnati, O., May 13 .- Brookly oday wound up the series, losing the hird consecutive game to the fastgoing Reds. The visitors' lone run was acquired in the eighth. Score:

Brooklyn .. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0-1 9 0 Cincinnati ..0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 *-2 5 3 Kent and Phelps; Benton and Me

THREE IN A ROW FOR CARDS, St. Louis, May 13 .- The Cardinals White Sox won from the Athletics today again beat Boston today in eleven inings, making it three straight since Kling's Braves came to town. St. Louis . . 10000000021—4 13 2 scston 00001000020—3 9 2 Ewing, Steele and Bliss; Hess, Dick-

son and Kling, Rariden. AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Toledo 2 Columbus 5.
Indianapolis 2, Louisville 3.
St. Paul 5. Minneapolis 2. Kansas City 3, Milwaukee 5,

DETROIT DEFEATED

Making Six Bad Bungles In the Field.

ton Bats Out Victory Against

Cleveland. AMERICAN LEAGUE RECORD.

.. 14 8 .636 Detroit ... 12 11 .522 New York . . 19 11 .476 St. Louis . Games Today. Chicago at Philadelphia

Chicago May 13.—The Giants and Cubs fought a 4-to-4 draw this afternoon in the final and by far the most exciting game of the series. Umpire Rigler callary and away from the Detroiters. The

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Summary—Runs—Bush, Cobb. Delahanty, Moriarty, Zinn 3, Martin 3, Dolar 3, Cree, Hartzell, Simmons, Gardner Vaughn 2, First base on errors—New York 5, Left on bases—Detroit 7, New York 11, Bases on balls—Off Works 2 off Parnell 2, off Covington 3, off Vaughn 2, Struck out—By Works 2, by Covington 1, by Vaughn 2, Three-base bits—Bush , by Vaughn 2. Three-base hits—Bush, Moriarity, Stanage, Dolan, Two-base hits—Zinn, Dolan, Gardner, Sacrifice hit —Martin, Stolen bases—Cobb 2, Craword, Hartzell 2, Simmons, Double plays

-Martin and Simmons, Martin to Gardner to Simmons, Passed ball—Stanage,
Wild pitches—Parnell, Covington, Hit by
pitcher—By Works 2, by Covington 1
Umpires — Westervelt and O'Loughlin

lime-2 hours. ATHLETICS LOSE TO SOX. Philadelphia, May 13. - The Chicago the Chicagoans, but they could not ge their hits to count except in the ninth when one scratch hit and two single scored their only run. Score: R. H. E. Chicago ... 1001000010-38
Philadelphia .00000001-111

Walsh and Kuhn; Brown and Egan. RED SOX BEAT BROWNS. Boston, May 13 .- The Red Sox trimmed St. Louis by 14 to 9 in a free-hitting game today. Hall lasted one inning; Bushelman exploded in the seventh, but

Washington, May 13 .- Four two-bag washington, May 13.—Four two-bag-gers and a home run in the sixth inning gave Washington five tallies, and proved the undoing of Pitcher Blanding, of Cleveland. This rousing batting rally won the game for the Nationals by 9 to won the game for the Rationals by 5 to 6. Score:
Cleveland . . . 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 1 2—6 11 3
Washington . . 0 1 1 0 0 5 1 1 *—9 11 3
Blanding, Baskette and Easterly: E.
Walker and Henry.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE RECORD.

Jersey City. 13 7 659 Newark .
Rochester 12 7 632 Providence
Buñalo 9 7 553 Montreal .
Baltimore 8 9 471 Toronto .
Games Today. Providence at Buffalo.

Providence-Buffalo game postponed wet grounds. Rochester-Newark game postponed old weather Toronto-Baltimore game postponed

Jersey City-Montreal; no game UNITED STATES LEAGUE. At Reading-

New York ..0 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 0-3 7 Reading .. 2 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 *-4 9 - Peterson and Bruggy At Chicago-Called end of eighth, rain. Batterie -Dasher and Bierman; McGuire and

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SMIRLIE LAWSON WILL CAPTAIN ARGOS

Annual Meeting of Scullers Held Toronto Elects Officers For Next Season.

Toronto, May 14.-It was regular ugby weather for the annual meeting of the Argonaut Rugby: Club, which was held last night with a large number of members present. It was a common saying last season, that Argos won the championship because they had their committee working together early in the summer rounding up the team, and by getting the players out early for practice, so that they caught the other teams napping on condition in the early games. ear promises to be no exception, as by the time the season arrives the Argos will have everything arranged to take the field.

At the meeting last night were large number of the old players, and several new ones, including Leonard, who played scrimmage for Varsity two years ago. Dr. Smirlie Lawso. was elected captain of the senior team, and Billy Foulds honorary coach. The committee selected were, the officers of the Argonaut Rowing Club, and the following: W. E. G. Murphy, W. D. P. Jarvis, B. R. Gale, W. R. Harris, Capt. Wilson, Wm. Kennedy, Joe Wright and J. W. Spragge.

There are a lot of new players in town who have signified their intention of turning out with the Scullers who were not at the meeting last

OUINN SUSPENDED FOR THROWING GLOVE

New York Pitcher Was Too Hasty in Saturday's Game With Tigers.

New York, May 13.—Pitcher Jack Qulnn, of the New York American League team, was today suspended for an indefinite period by President Bar Johnston for throwing his glove a Umpire O'Loughlin during Saturday game. It was after Quinn was ejected rom the game in the eighth innin that pop bottles were showered at the umpires, and trouble was narrowly averted. The suspension of Quint will badly handicap the Yankee team He had been one of the most depend able men on the pitching staff. -----

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ENGLISH PRINCE AT FRENCH MANOEUVRES

Heir to the Throne Will Witness the Naval Exercises. [Canadian Press.]

Paris, May 14. — The Prince of Wales, who has been staying for some Is there anything in all this world time here with the Marquise de Bretethat is of more importance to you quil, intends to leave for the great than good digestion? Food must be aten to sustain life and must be digested and converted into blood. When Dreadnought Danton, the flagship of

one up the whole digestive apparatus Mediterranean. These are to be carried o a natural and healthy action. For out under the direction of Admiral La

Hamilton, Brantford and St. Thomas Will Celebrate Occasion in Fitting Style-Weather a Trifle Cold But All Games Will Be Played.



HAMILTON, May 13. - If weather purnits the Hamilton team in the Canadian League will open the season with a game will be a procession, headed by a band. At Britannia Park Mayor Lee will throw the first ball, with Controller Allan at the bat and Controller Gardner acting as catcher James J. McCaffery, president of the Toranto Club, and some other baseball men, are expected to be on hand. Teed, who was with Berlin last year, has been selected as pitcher. The line-up will be: Schaefer, 1b; Lee, r. f.; Keenan, 3b; Corns, 1. f.; Killes, 2b.; Farrell, c. f.; Fisher, c.; Martin, s. s.; and Teed, pitcher. SAINTS ARE READY.

St. Thomas, May 13-Although it snowed here all forenoon, the weather tonight has settled, and if it does not rain tomorrow tha opening game with Ottawa will be played, as the grounds are drying up rapidly. The Ottawa Club arrived in the city tonight from their training quarters at Chatham, and Manager Cook stated tonight that his

nen were all in fine shape. Eddie Wright, the St. Thomas third baseman of last season, has come to terms with the local management, and will report in the morning. It is doubtful, however, if he will get in tomorrow's game, Manager Stewart said tonight that he will send Jacobson, the big left-hand pitcher, in against the Senators, as he is very desirous of grabbing the first game from them. Bricher has been assigned to umpire.

BIG DAY AT BRANTFORD. Brantford, May 13.-Final arrangements were made here tonight for the opening of the Canadian League season tomorrow, when the champion Berlia life. At all dealers 25 and 50 cents, or team and the Red Sox clash at Agricultural Park. The game will be preceded The Fig Pill Company, St. Thomas, by a street parade and the usual spring opening ceremony at the park, when Ont, Sold in London by Taylor Drug Mr. Lloyd Harris will groove the first ball, with His Worship Mayor Hartman, at bat. The Berlin team arrived in the city this afternoon, and Manager Deneau announced that his battery would be Gibson or Bramble and Welsh. Manager Kane, of the locals, would not state definitely who would do the twirling for the Sox, but it is likely that Tasker or Barker and Lamond will

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