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The story is acted most sympathetically and wherever shown, the production created an impression that few motion pictures have done in a long time. The adventures of the four little women, Meg, Jo, Beth and Amy are attractively pictured, the result being a photograph of irresistible charm and beauty. The picture was photographed in the old home of Miss Alcott where the immortal story was written, so that all who have read the story will appreciate the cradle in which their favorite heroines were born and reared to splendid young womanhood.

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Canadian Club Will Open in
Michigan Early in May. American
End of Circuit Will Be Decided by Week-
End.

SAGINAW, Feb. 24.—When the matter of opening dates in the Michigan-Ontario Baseball League was brought up, Mr. Halligan, representing Flint, at yesterday's meeting, stated that he would be in favor of asking the four Canadian clubs to open the 1919 season in the four big opening day attendance, which might not be as attractive in the event that one or two of the American clubs might return home after a 12-game trip in Canada with but two or three wins to their credit.

Victoria Day First Holiday. The American clubs will be Victoria Day attractions in the four Canadian cities in morning and afternoon games, thus enabling Ontario baseball fans to celebrate on the first Dominion holiday.

The four Canadian clubs would then return to Michigan to get the benefit of the morning and afternoon holiday days on May 30, Decoration Day. Another exchange of holidays comes on Dominion Day and July Fourth.

The season's schedule may open earlier than May 15 and close on or about September 11, as the latter date is to be an American national peace celebration. In that event about 120 games will be played.

Boosters in Michigan. Boards of commerce, Rotarians, Keweenaw clubs and merchants and manufacturers' associations throughout Michigan are everywhere in evidence as substantial backers of the promulgation of the scheme of forming a strong minor baseball league with international importance.

Canadians in Limelight. Canada seldom is the forerunner when it comes to the promotion of the Yankee's national pastime, but yesterday's gathering was an eye-opener to the American representatives. As far as several speakers were concerned there was no international border holding that big brotherhood for the purpose of furnishing wholesome amusement for the industrial workers in the great reconstruction that is a going on.

Next Sunday's confab at Flint will determine which of the six clubs are to be granted franchises. It is hardly likely that Lansing could be counted in, since the only site for a ball park is three miles out and would mean building of a stand, bleachers and a fence before it could be entertained. Battle Creek, with its delegates sent by the Merchants' Dinner Club, has an organization and a fine ball park in addition to being a good baseball city.

The health food town is the site of Camp Cater, where upwards of 2,000 Sammie will be stationed throughout the summer making it the logical fourth city on the circuit.

Grand Rapids Attractive. Several of the delegates were undecided whether Grand Rapids would prove better than Bay City or Saginaw, despite the fact that the Furniture City is 90 miles farther west than Flint.

Grand Rapids is larger in population than Hamilton, affording a fine ball park with a seating capacity of 7,000.

Numerous clubs in Michigan have a novel plan in raising funds and the club at Flint secured \$4,000 in a few days by the sale of \$10 books of tickets.

The game is backed by wealthy gentlemen at Bay City, who will see the league through, but it is the hope of the Canadian clubs that such proposals will net visiting clubs more than the usual guarantee.

Meetings will be held during the course of the next two weeks in four of the Canadian cities for the purpose of organizing clubs, etc. and to appoint managers in order to take advantage of next month for the securing of players.

Careful handling of the league this summer will undoubtedly make every franchise in the circuit very valuable.

Matty Matteson, former catcher of London and Lansing, was mentioned as one of the six umpires to handle the campaign.

Brantford Men Pleased. Brantford, Feb. 24.—Messrs. T.J. Nelson and Westbrook returned today from Saginaw, where they were in attendance at the first organizational meeting of the proposed new American-Canadian league.

They expressed themselves as being entirely satisfied with the results of the meeting, although the composition of the circuit was not definitely settled. According to Mr. Nelson is looking like Battle Creek, Grand Rapids, Flint, and either Saginaw or Bay City, all of which were ready to proceed now. Lansing had no grounds, although the promoters there were most anxious to get into the organization. Another meeting will be held next week, when the Michigan end of the circuit will be settled.

Tom Nelson denies that he has anything to do with the Hamilton franchise, save that at Saginaw, he acted on behalf of Hamilton, whose representative was unable to be present.

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The local team have a one-goal lead gained here on Saturday night, but will have to be at the top of their form to emerge victors on the road.

In Group No. 2, St. Patrick's and Kitchener are tied and will play off next Saturday night at the arena.

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First game—Tuesday March 4.

Second game—Saturday, March 8.

Intermediate

Oshawa has one goal lead on Kingston Monday night.

Collingwood beat Hamilton in Collingwood 6 to 3. Return game in Hamilton Monday night.

London was beaten at Seaford by 4 to 2. Return game in London Monday.

Toronto Beaver League a bye.

Junior

Cornwall won from Kingston on the round by 14 to 12.

U.T.S. won from Lindsay by 17 to 9 on the round.

Aura Lee won from Belleville by 13 to 10 on the round.

Woodstock won from Stratford on the round by 9 to 6.

Sudbury won from Barrie on the round by 8 to 7.

Aura Lee and U.T.S. play at the Arena Tuesday and Thursday of next week at 8:30 p.m.

Woodstock and Sudbury will play off in the semi-final and the Toronto winner will meet Cornwall.

Woodstock will play at Sudbury Wednesday Feb. 26; return game at Woodstock Monday March 3.

RESULTS. FIXTURES

O.H.A.

Intermediate

Kingston.....16 Oshawa.....2

Kingston won round by 13 goals.

Collingwood.....8 Hamilton.....1

Collingwood won round by 10 goals.

Seaford.....4 London.....3

Seaford won round by 4 goals.

Northern League

Junior

Galt.....13 London.....1

Durham.....13 Mount Forest.....4

Exhibition

Argincourt.....7 Beaches Seniors.....1

Argos.....4 Newman Hall.....3

Argos played Newman Hall.

Games To-Day

O.H.A. Junior—Aura Lee at University Schools.

LALONDE CANNOT REJOIN HAMILTON

Hamilton Feb. 24.—"Newsy" Lalonde will not be here this week. The Tigers will have to finish the O.H.A. series without the services as coach of the celebrated hockey star. "Newsy" expected to return to Hamilton this morning to coach the Tigers for the final game with Dents to handle them on Wednesday night. But a change in the professional league schedule necessitated his canceling the engagement. In a telegram "Newsy" said:

"Congratulations boys on splendid showing. Sure they will overcome lead. Do not play in Toronto Tuesday. Will hardly be able to go for Wednesday's game. Confident boys will win out. Bugoyne will be in charge of training this week and will handle the team on Wednesday."

Manager Whitney of the Merchants Printing Co., says that considering what his team is up against, a practice is hardly necessary. Nevertheless, for

the sake of appearances, a try-out will take place in the M.P.C. Press-room this evening. The public will hardly expect an issue of the Telegraph on Wednesday as all the fine forms that will be shown by their staff will be completely pried tomorrow night. Besides this, the beans will be entirely spilled and other calamities—but then it's no use rubbing it in. Score 48-0 favor of the M.P.C. There will be no periods tomorrow night, question marks only.

ARTIFICIAL ICE DESIRABLE, BUT—

Stratford, Brantford and Woodstock have been talking in terms of artificial ice for their hockey rinks. Companies for the manufacture of ice for domestic purposes are contemplated in Brantford and Stratford. When the Woodstock arena was built provision was made in the plans for the installation of an ice plant. The Industrial City rink is the largest in the Province with the exception of the Toronto Arena. The ice surface is about the same size, but the seating accommodation is less. Brantford went into the matter of cost and arrived at \$160,000 as the figure. That in itself is almost enough to call a halt in any of the cities above mentioned. Weather conditions this winter have been an argument in favor of artificial ice, but it is an argument that cannot be depended upon.

Harry Cody, the Toronto skater, who won the U.S. eastern outdoor skating championship in 1916 and was second in 1917, did not do much this year. His best effort was a fourth in one heat. In his other starts he was outside the money. Lack of good ice on the outdoor rinks in Toronto this winter, has no doubt hampered Cody from getting into the best of condition.

Cleveland is to take up lacrosse again and teams from Canada will be invited to the Ohio city to play in exhibition games. Lacrosse was played in Cleveland several years ago, but when so many members left for the war the game was suspended. Now many of these are returning and along with other players from Canada who have moved to Cleveland within the past few years, a good team can be gathered. The Canadian Club of Cleveland is behind the movement.

George W. Grant, owner of the Boston Nationals announced that he had obtained first baseman, Walter Holke from the Cincinnati club, giving in exchange Jas. Smith, a utility infielder, and a cash consideration. Smith is the former peppy shortstop of the Leafs.

AUTOMOBILE: Annual show of Duluth Automobile Dealers' Association, at Duluth, Minn.

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URGE THAT IT IS A SHEER
NECESSITY

PARIS, Feb. 26.—The home affairs of the United States are none of our business," declared the Paris Temps, in discussing President Wilson's Boston address. We will not try to know if the campaign in the United States against the league of nations is really aimed against the

Germany May Create Set up Workers Soviet

As Solution of Political
and Economic
Situation

SUCH SOVIET WOULD SETTLE
STRIKES.

WEIMAR, Feb. 26. (Frank J. Taylor, Copyright 1919 by United Press) The creation of a national workers soviet as the lower legislative branch of the German government is favored by President Ebert as only solution of political and economic situation. Ebert, believes that the soviet cannot be crushed and that they will not be pacified until they are formally recognized and given governmental responsibilities.

According to his plan, the proposed national soviet would deal with all strikes question but would have no power to vote measures passed by the Reichstag, which would remain the sovereign department of Government. The Bundesrat, which is powerless and virtually useless, might be abolished to make way for a national soviet.

Chancellor Scheidemann and other members of the cabinet have not yet accepted the President's radical schemes. They deny the necessity for recognizing the soviet, hoping these bodies will disappear gradually or be crushed. But many strong leaders in the Reichstag (National Assembly) are inclined to side with Ebert and there are indications today that the issue may shortly be forced to a decision.

While the delegates are tediously haranguing over the details of the constitution, which ignores the existence of thousands of workers' soviets throughout Germany, the political and economic situation is becoming more and more acute, bringing with it the realization that positive steps must be taken soon in one direction or the other.

The matter is carefully avoided in public discussions, but under-currents are revealing the growing split. The Bavarian Reichstag delegates, who left for Munich immediately after the assassination of Premier Eisner, were stopped by Bavarian frontier guards and forced to return to Weimar. Official reports received from Munich today said the soviet had formed a coalition with the socialists there and that affairs were being administered amicably by the factions.

This situation has put the Weimar government in a quandary, for while it has declared it will not recognize a soviet republic in Bavaria, it has gone on record as favoring socialist control. It can be stated, however, that under no circumstances will Prussian troops be sent into Bavaria, owing to the bitter feeling in that country against Prussia.

Radicals and Conservatives, although actuated by different motives are consistently opposing the constitutional questions being advocated by the dominating coalition of Majority Socialists and Democrats. Minister of the Interior Prussien made a lengthy appeal to the delegates to break away from old traditions and pointed out the necessity for the socialization of public utilities, including railways and telegraphs. He encountered considerable opposition, principally from the Bavarians.

War Cabinet Rejects Lord French's Plan

A SERIOUS CRISIS HAS ARISEN.
DUBLIN, Feb. 25.—A serious crisis was believed to have arisen today as the result of the war cabinet's rejection of Lord French's request that the Irish recruiting council undertake the employment of 10,000 soldiers in connection with demobilization in this country.

Chief secretary Macpherson has informed the council that its services are no longer required. The soldiers may be so neglected that they will join the Sinn Feiners said Captain Gwynn, a member of the council. In addition