

Late Gossip Of The Sporting World At Home And Abroad

PROSECUTE LEAGUE AUTHORITIES

Some time ago President A. L. Gerthwaite, of the Hamilton Canadian league club, announced that members of the Lord's Day alliance in Hamilton had approached him regarding the playing of Sunday ball in Hull, Quebec, where the Ottawa club stages its Sunday games. He was asked to assist the alliance in its attempt to put a stop to the Sunday games, but refused, telling the alliance officials to air their troubles with President J. P. Fitzgerald. This they have done, the latest bulletin from the league headquarters being to the effect that the L. D. A. intends to prosecute.

"Our schedule calls for Sunday games and we intend to adhere to it strictly," said President Fitzgerald, of the Canadian league, when informed of the proposed action of the Toronto Methodist conference to prevent baseball on Sunday. At yesterday's session of the conference attention was called to the fact that games were being played on the Lord's day by teams in the Canadian league. Ottawa was the Sunday town, but strictly speaking, no baseball is played there on the first day of the week, the games being transferred to the Quebec side of the Ottawa river at Hull.

The Rev. David W. Snider, secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, stated yesterday that permission has been granted by the attorney-general's department to prosecute. He said that public sentiment in Quebec supported Sunday sport, and there was danger of its encroaching on Ontario. The alliance, he intimated, would commence a prosecution in the Quebec courts. President Fitzgerald points out that nobody but the attorney-general of Quebec or his department could institute proceedings with the hope of bringing the matter to trial. "I cannot understand why the Canadian league is made the object of the attack," said President Fitzgerald. "The Eastern and International leagues have been

TAKES SIX TO QUELL JACK M'LEAN

John J. McGraw, manager of the New York National League Club, has announced that the career of the catcher Lawrence ("Larry") McLean, with the Giants had ended. The announcement was made as a result of a fight early Thursday morning in the lobby of a St. Louis hotel, in which McGraw, McGraw, "Dick" Kinsella, scout for the Giants, and a dozen other men participated. McGraw was said to have been the aggressor.

"I am done with 'Larry' McLean," McGraw said. "He will never play with New York again." McGraw, according to witnesses, escaped from the fray by jumping into a passing automobile. He could not be found later. McGraw and Kinsella, giving their version of the fight, declared that McGraw came into the lobby with a number of rough companions and accused Kinsella of inducing the New York manager to suspend the catcher for ten days. After a brief interchange of words they said McGraw attacked Kinsella and the fight became general. McGraw said two chairs were broken on McGraw.

"I picked up a chair and broke it over McGraw's head," said Kinsella. "That frightened his gang of ruffians and they fled." McGraw continued to fight until McGraw and I chased him to the street, where he jumped into an auto, mobile filled with women and begged for protection." Patrons of the hotel who saw the scuffle said that six ball players assisted in routing McGraw. The witnesses said that as McGraw entered the hotel Kinsella remarked to McGraw, "I'm going to bed." McGraw, they said, then cried, "Not unless you are carried there."

CALDWELL IS SOME SLUGGER



Ray Caldwell, besides being one of the best pitchers in baseball, is a slugging good hitter, and in a recent game when he was called on to hit in a pinch for the Yankees he cleaned up with a long home run wallop over the fence.

quickly as a cat. Big Ed Sweeney of the Yankees, who draws a yearly salary of \$9,000—perhaps more money than Schalk receives from Comiskey—was as slow as a cart horse in comparison. There is no doubt that Comiskey made a profitable investment when he paid \$50,000 in real money last winter for the release of Eddie Collins from the Athletics. Collins is the king pin in the White Sox infield. He has made Buck Weaver play shortstop better than ever and he also has inspired all of his companions with unlimited confidence. Collins is covering second base with the same old snap and dash with rather poor luck now and then. His appearance in the White Sox uniform has been a big attraction in all the cities he has visited so far, and when the team plays the Athletics in Philadelphia next week the Quaker fans surely will receive him with a temporary show of enthusiasm. Schalk and Collins are not the only high-priced players on Comiskey's team. The Old Roman paid \$7,500 for Backburne, the former Providence infielder, several years ago, while the release of Feisch also cost a pot of money.

BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
New York, 5; Cincinnati, 5.
Cincinnati, June 14.—By steady hitting and taking advantage of Cincinnati's misplays, New York crept up little by little on the home team here today and when darkness ended the game in the tenth inning the score was tied, 5 to 5. The score:
(Called, darkness.)
New York 001002000—5 8 2
Cincinnati 003200000—5 11 0
Batteries: Perritt, Stroud and Meyers; Schneider, Ames, Toney and Clarke.

Brooklyn, 2; St. Louis, 1.
St. Louis, June 14.—Three singles and two sacrifice hits in the fourth inning of today's game gave Brooklyn the victory over St. Louis, 2 to 1. The score:
Brooklyn 000200000—2 7 1
St. Louis 010000000—1 4 2
Batteries: Smith and McCarty; Doak, Perdue and Snyder, Gonzales.

Philadelphia, 4; Pittsburgh, 1.
Pittsburgh, June 14.—A pitchers' battle between Alexander and Marnaux ended in the eleventh inning today, when the latter weakened and Philadelphia scored three runs, defeating Pittsburgh, 4 to 1. The score:
Philadelphia 001000000—4 9 0
Pittsburgh 001000000—1 5 0
Batteries: Alexander and Killifer; Marnaux and Gibson.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE.
New York 12; St. Louis 7.
New York, June 14.—The New York Americans went back into the first division today by taking a pair of games from St. Louis here by scores of 12 to 7 and 5 to 4. The score:
First game:
New York 000312001—7 9 2
St. Louis 200001010—12 14 1
Second game:
New York 1000000030—4 19 3
St. Louis 2000010101—5 12 1
Batteries—Wellman and Agnew; Fisher and Sweeney.

Detroit 2; Philadelphia 1.
Philadelphia, June 14.—Batteries and fielding errors gave Detroit a 2 to 1 victory over Philadelphia today. Schanz had his hand hurt by a foul on Kavanagh's bat and gave way to McAvoy. It was the third injury received by Schanz this season. The score:
Detroit 001100000—2 7 1
Philadelphia 000100000—1 3 5
Batteries—Covelskie and Stange; Bush and Schanz, McAvoy.

Washington, 6; Chicago 2.
Washington, June 14.—Chicago bunched hits with bases on balls today and evened up the series with Washington, 6 to 2. The hitting of Fournier and Foster and the fielding of Collins featured. The score:
Chicago 221000201—8 12 0
Washington 000000000—2 6 1
Batteries—Cicotti and Schalk; Shaw, Gallia, Hopper and Henry.

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ANTI-BETTING LAW.

Minneapolis, L. I., June 13.—Justice Jaycox, of the Supreme Court, has refused to grant a writ of certiorari applied for by Charles J. McCarthy, as counsel for who are awaiting action of the Nassau County Grand Jury on a charge of violating the anti-gambling law during the race meeting at Belmont Park. In behalf of the accused men it was contended that no evidence has been submitted to show that their conduct has been such as to place them in the professional class of book-makers. Assistant District Attorney Wood said he desired to test the anti-gambling law.

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DONOVAN FACES PREDICAMENT.

Comiskey paid \$15,000 for the release of Ray Schalk several years ago, and the money was well spent. Schalk who is twenty-two years old and is the smallest catcher in the American league, gave a sterling exhibition of backstopping yesterday. He was a live wire behind the bat, coaching Clente, calling for this and that player to take fly balls and moving about as

BOUITS THIS WEEK.

Tuesday.
Ad Wolzast vs Gilbert Gallant, Howard McRae vs Young Stone, Young Clancy vs Young Brusse and Geo. Alger vs Dave Powers, Atlas A. A. Charley White vs Young Brown and Joe Rivers vs John Harvey, New York.
Wednesday.
Al Reich vs Al Norton, Kansas City. Jack Dillon vs Unknown and Young Saylor vs Ben Leonard, New York.
Friday.
Johnny Danlee vs Leach Cross, Brooklyn.

RECORD HAMMER THROW.

New York, June 14.—Pat Ryan, the giant weight thrower of the Irish-American Athletic Club, made a world's record throw with the 16-pound hammer this afternoon at the Irish-American A. C. games at Celtic Park. He hurled the weight 191 feet 4 1/2 in., but overstepped the circle by about half an inch and thereby lost the mark. The circle was a poor one, and it was the opinion of the officials and experts present that with a proper ring he would not have fouled. He won the event with a throw of 178 ft. 4 in.

Bringing Up Father.

BY GOLLY I'M HUNGRY AN' I'M TOO LAZY TO GO OUT AND GIT A BITE!
I'LL EAT THE FOOD MAGGIE PUT AWAY FER HER TEA PARTY TOMORROW!
AN' PUT HER PET TOOTSIE HERE—SHE'LL THINK HE ATE THE FOOD AN' I'LL NOT BE SUSPECTED!
TOOTSIE—DID YOU EAT ALL THAT FOOD!
OH! MY DARLING TOOTSIE IS GOING TO BE SICK—PUT ON YOUR CLOTHES JIGGS AND GO FOR THE DOCTOR!
HUH!
IF SHE KNEW I DID IT—SHE'D SEND FER A COP—I HATE THAT DOG!

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