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EDMONTON'S 1910 TEAM IN THE WESTERN CANADA LEAGUE

Reading from left to right the players are: Mills, Shultz, Morse, Willard, Burnstead, Brennan, Groff, Olson, McClair, White (Manager), Samuels, Grady, Baxter, Lussell, well-known player of 1907, is a member of the team, but was not in the group when photographed.

DEACON WON GAME BUT HE'S NOT SO MANY

The Esquimos Do Not Look to Be As Good as William Carney's Huskies—Poor Game Last Night.

Deacon White's ball team defeated Chan's semi-pros by 9 to 2 last evening in an exhibition game played at Victoria park. Without doubt Chan's bunch put up a poor exhibition of springer lot ball, their errors, home bound plays and wild throws being enough to shame even the scorers.

This is not intended to detract in any way from Deacon's ball team. From a game such as was played last evening it is impossible to form much of an opinion of the bunch Deacon has landed. In the first place several of his players are in pretty bad shape and crippled, and his outfielder and second baseman were not on the team.

Deacon has some real ball players at that, viz., Baxter, Morse, Olson and Lussell. They are good enough for any team. On the other hand, comparing the team as a whole with Calgary, it looks as if Carney's bunch had the drop on the Edmonton team by a good margin, and his new men would have to be major league players to put them on a level with the Calgary players.

Of course, the Edmonton last evening's showing, which was poor indeed, is not a fair comparison. In Samuel, Grady, Dell, McClair and Burnstead, Deacon has some good pitching. Samuel, Dell and Barry did the box work, and they show up very strong. Dell has a very fast ball, he carries something of a curve, and more, has good control. When these pitchers get in real shape, they will be the strong part of Deacon's team. One thing Deacon will have the league best in, and that's the length of his pitchers. He is very long on long pitchers. They could be measured by the yards, and then there would be remains enough left over to make another pitcher.

Mills, the local boy, was on the lineup, and Deacon played second himself as a part of the game. Another strong point in the Edmonton team is their hitting abilities. Mills, Baxter, Morse, Olson, Lussell and Willard are all strong hitters. The Deacon also has Burridge, who is there some with the stick.

Deacon's team is in poor shape for the start, being minus an outfielder and second baseman, and with some cripples. Allowances can always be made if a team gets away to a bad start for a few games. It is better to have it that way than the way Dory McGuire did last year. He led the league for a bit, and then slumped in the last run for the rest of the season.

Deacon, however, has the foundations of a good team, and with the proposed strengthening he intends doing, they will be there at the finish. Semi-Pro. A. B. H. P. O. 4. E. Stokas, c. 2 0 1 0 1 0. LeCraw, 2 b. 3 0 1 0 1 0. Steldenbecker, ss. 4 0 0 3 1 2. Chandler, 3b. 2 0 1 2 1 1. Turner, 1b. 3 0 2 7 0 1. Hoar, rf. 3 0 1 2 0 0. Howard, cf. 3 0 1 1 0 0. Gouchee, c. 2 1 1 4 0 0. Crist, p. 3 0 1 1 2 1. Weir, p. 1 0 0 0 1 0. Total. 26 3 7 21 7 5.

Edmonton. A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E. Mills, cf. 5 1 1 1 0 0. Olson, c. 2 2 1 1 0 0. Baxter, 1b. 3 2 2 10 4 0. Morse, ss. 2 2 2 0 4 1. Lussell, rf. 4 0 2 3 0 0. Brennan, 3b. 3 1 0 0 2 0. Willard, c. 4 0 2 8 0 0. White, 2b. 3 0 0 0 0 0. Dell, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0. Samuels, p and H. 3 0 0 1 2 1. Burnstead, p. 0 0 0 0 1 0. Total. 30 9 10 21 10 2.

Edmonton. 311 400 0-3 Semi-Pro. 102 000-3. Two base hits—Morse 2, Lussell, Mills, Chandler, Gouchee, Stolen base—Mills, Olson. Sacrifice hits—Burnstead, LeCraw. Base on balls—off Crist, Olson, Baxter; off Weir, Olson; off Samuels, Steldenbecker, Turner; by Dell, Stokas, Howard, Gouchee, LeCraw; by Burnstead, off Crist, Mills, Willard; by Weir, 6. Hits—off Samuels, 4 in 3 innings; off Dell, 1 in 2 innings; off Crist, 8 in 4 innings; off Weir, 2 in 3 innings. Hit by Crist, Brennan, Weir; by Samuels, Chandler. Umpire—Duggan.

The Gun. All members are reminded that the Calgary Gun club has its official opening tonight. They will be informed at the grounds as to which class they are to shoot in. Members are requested to get down to the grounds as early as possible, so that the shoot can be run off before dark.

BIG LEAGUE RESULTS

American League			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	7	4	.636
Detroit	5	5	.515
New York	6	4	.600
Cleveland	5	6	.571
Boston	7	7	.500
Chicago	5	5	.500
Washington	5	10	.333
St. Louis	5	8	.385

National League			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	3	2	.600
New York	10	3	.769
Philadelphia	8	4	.666
Cincinnati	5	5	.545
Cleveland	5	6	.455
Boston	4	9	.307
Brooklyn	4	10	.285
St. Louis	4	10	.285

THE CALGARY TEAM LEAVE AT NOON TODAY

The League Season Begins Tomorrow With Calgary Playing at Medicine Hat.

At one o'clock today the Calgary professional team will leave for Medicine Hat to open the league series with Billy Hamilton's bunch tomorrow.

Manager Carney is taking the whole team, including Kolackey, Connors, Duggan, Smith, Gouchee, Talant, Clynnes, Flannagan, Stanley, Standridge, Goehran and Manning.

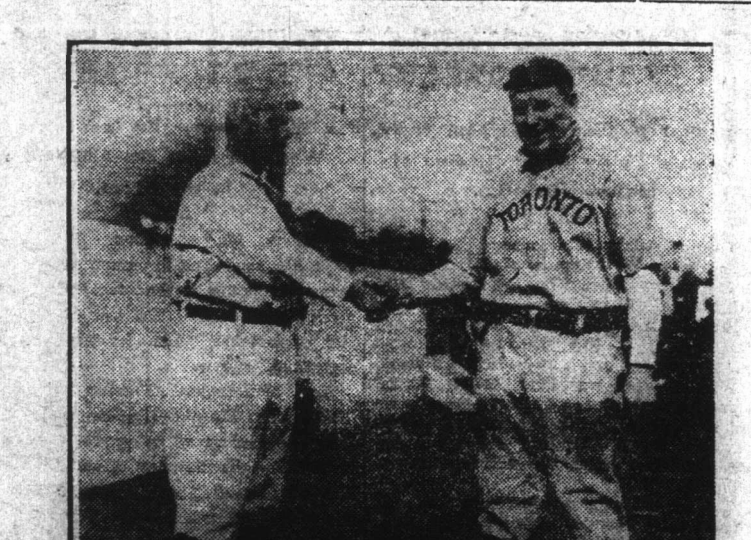
This makes thirteen players in all. The Calgary manager is not superstitious over the big 12, while Pete Standridge and the rest of the boys claim it is a lucky number.

All the players are in first class shape, and can be banked upon to play the real article. Yesterday they had a good workout at the park. Carney was drumming the signs into the team with considerable success. The boys are enthusiastic over their signals and inside team work, and expect through these important factors to pull them through many a game.

Yesterday the bats arrived, some of which were made expressly for the players. A number of fans will be at the depot to wish the boys a successful trip, and a crowd will leave at midnight to take in the first game.

Jeff Said to Be Sick. New York, May 2.—Sporting circles in this city today were full of rumors that James J. Jeffries was ill and that his real condition was being kept from the public. Men of usually good sporting judgment gave credence to reports that had come to them from the coast that the big fighter is in poor physical condition, finding it impossible to do any strenuous work, and being actually in need of medical attention.

"Jeffries is ill and may call the fight off at any moment," is a quotation from the letter of one sporting man to the coast received here. "Jeff is peevish and ill-tempered nearly all the time. He looks heavy and flabby, and has nothing of the old speed. I think that you will find that he will make a definite decision about the middle of May, and that if he finds he doesn't get any better than he is now, he will declare himself out of the match."



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A cabinet minister \$10,000 a year. The salary of one of the railway is about the premier of many fit receive larger salaries and cabinet minister and cabinet directing the business must be more than the calls upon a person, and that a salary greater than that amount.
It is the same in the province cannot the Dominion. The Province of Alberta to set good deputy salary which the the pension system the people of the province that got nothing left is for the sit upon higher ministers.

WHAT THE GOV
The public is very thing some statement supporters of the the questions asked and Great Waters reared with such months ago. The insurance have been evidence of witness government. The scheme have been in the officials or by persons associated with the railway, is not untrue.
In reply to the guarantee was too road could be built the government, and the cost of road, but evidence was only that the road about half of the but that the company Mr. Cornwall, place \$12,000 a mile. It knows the country satisfied with that engineer writes that the right. Dr. Weddell, to the company, the cost of a much that would be built on the estimate of Dr. Cornwall, would get something like deal. But with D conservative estimate would only make \$1, structure.
The government a costing \$25,000 a according to the estimate of the mistake made by the some what enormous.
In answer to the mark, the government were high class lar and would mean road. But Dr. Weddell representative, be ashamed to build to the specifications drawn up.

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