Hockey Montreal Teams . Baseball Peace Agreement Said to Be Signed

FLYING FRENCHMEN DO UP THE TORONTO SIX

Winning Opening Hockey Game in Arena by a Score of Two to One.

Professional hockey for the 1915-1916 seeson was ushered in Saturday night when Canadiens and Toronto played the first N.H.A. game at Arena Gardens. The visiting Frenchmen came off the ice with two tailies in their favor, which they got in the last period, while the lo-cal skaters were only credited with one goal, and that they registered in the first

goal, and that they registered in the first period.

There was a good crowd on hand for an opening match. The playing was rather loose all during the contest. Prodgers, the new man on the Canadien line-up, put up some great speed, and was responsible for both the visitors goals, and both were made by long rushes down the ice alone, and within seven minutes. Percy Lesueur, the old reflable in the nets, was Toronto's salvation, for Pitre and Newsy Lalonde rained shot after shot, dead on to the net, but they could not squeeze them thru.

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Both teams were inclined to rough it up some, and the officials handed out il minor and it may be neatles, nine minors going to Toronto and twelve to the Canadiens. Each team got four major penalties. Body checking was indulged in very freely, Canadiens having the advantage in weight pressed Toronto very sorely all thru the contest.

Manager Kennedy did not get a chance to work his proposed new scheme of playing a different team in the second period, as Toronto gave them some run for their money at the opening. The score sent in for Torontos by Corbett Defineny ten milautes after play, together with the number of men chased off the ice was largely responsible.

The Denneny brothers started a fine speedy game, and Corbett Denneny at centre played a very effective game. Ronan on the forward line put up some enappy hockey. Skinner, substituting, got going good as soon as he appeared on the ice, but as for the rest of the players, it is a little early to tell what the real gait will be.

During the first period the game was saways dangerous in the visitors' camp, as the Toronto forward line managed to keep the puck in that quarter very largely. After the goal was shot by Corbett Denneny the local boys played the Frenchmen off their feet, and it is only due to the creditable showing of Vesina that no more scoring was done this period.

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At the beginning of the middle period Toronto came out bubbling over with encouragement, so the Frenchmen started to rough it up some. Pitre hit Ronan deliberately after the whistle had been blown, and he drew the first major penalty. Canadiens began to find seats on the sides continually, and at one time the mixup was so bad that seven Canadiens on the ice at once and commenced play

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PALMERSTON, Dec. 18.—The executive committee of the Northern Hockey Large and showed using this period, but the roughest kind of play. Neither team were strike in or play. Neither team were striking a slower pace and seconated with the Buring this period, but the medial on the last seasion both teams year serving the last seasion both teams are not to the bear the season of the season bear the season of the

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so tight that there was no chance whatever for the local boys to break thru.

Line-up and Summary.

Canadiens (2)—Vezina, goal; H. Mc-Namara, cover; Prougers, point; Pitre. right wing; Lalonde, ceme; Poulin, left wing.
Torontos (1)—Leseur, goal; Cameron.
over; G. McNamara, point; Cor.
Denneny, right wing; Ronan, centre;
Cy. Denneny, left wing.
Canadiens spares—Laviolette, Corbeau,
Fornier, Arbour.
Torontos spares—Keats, Lowrey. Fornier, Arbour.
Torontos spares — Keats, Lowrey.
Skinner, Randali.
Penalties—Minor, Canadiens, Pitre, 1;
Poulin, 3; Prodgers, 3; H. McNamara, 1;
Laviolette, 2; Lalonde, 1; Corbeau, 1.
Major: Pitre, 1; Prodgers, 2; Laviolette,
1. Minor: Toronto, Ronan, 3; Cy.
Denneny, 1; Cameron, 1; G. McNamara,
2; Cor. Denneny, 1; Lowrey, 1. Major:
Randall, 1; Ronan, 1; Cor. Denneny, 1;
Keats, 1.

vSarnia a bye.

—Junior—
Group No. 1—Convener, Stanley Burns of Palmerston, at Palmerston; aHarrison and Palmerston; bOwen Sound.
Group No. 2—Convener, A. Kinder of Preston, at Preston; aWaterloo, Preston and Berlin.
bLondon Ontarios a bye.
Group No. 3—Convener, C. Aberhart of Seaforth, at Seaforth; Mitchell, Seaforth and Clinton.

N.H.A. RECORD. Canadiens 1
Wanderers 1
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Wednesday games—Toronto at Ottawa, Wanderers at Canadiens. Saturday games—Ottawa at Quebec, Wanderers at Toronto. N. H. A.
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THE BALTIMORE PROBLEM HITCH IN BASEBALL PACT

However, Ban Johnson Says It is Sure to Come-Feds Out for Good.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19 .- According to statement made today by a man financially interested in the negotiations, representatives of the Federal, National and American Leagues signed a peace agreement at the New York meeting, ensuring the withdrawal from the field of the Federal League, without the assumption of contract obligations with its players by the older organizations.

According to this authority, the agreement provides that the Federal League retain its players until the opening of the 1917 season, paying all salaries called for by contract and reimbursing its backers from the sale of players to clubs in organized baseball.

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from the sale of players to clubs in organized baseball.

According to the authority quoted above, the meeting to be held at Cincinnati Tuesday has only details to consider. Among these items was the disposition of the Baltimore Federal League team, which is reported to desire a place in some recognized organization. Other questions involving the minor leagues would be discussed, it was said.

Of the ball players included in the Federal League roster, seventy, it is said, are under ironclad contracts, extending a year or more. The combined salaries called for by their contracts amount to more than \$300,000 a year.

Some of the Federal League owners, it was said, were inclined to balk after the alleged agreement was signed, but men here representing organized ball said there was no chance that they would start their circuit again. Hope was expressed that the solution at Cincinnati of the Baltimore problem might remove what Hile opposition remained.

Representatives who attended the New York meeting, and who returned here today, declined to discuss the proceedings there, altho President Johnson of the American League said peace was sure to come.

Fed. Owners Want To Keep Johnny Dunn Out of Baltimore Trivial Charges

Even if Bresnahan is traded there will still be left in the catching department Archer and Wilson, two of the strongest backstops to be found in the country. Wilson has proved his worth since he has been with the Whales, and Archer has been the recognized star of the game for several seasons. In the pitching department the new material added to the club's old staff will make the biggest difference of any de-partment of the team.

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Big Season Ahead in Ontario Basketball

Totals 878 922 1026—2821

Last winter was the best year in the history of Ontario Basketball Association in the city, but this season promises to be better. There will be a senior series with West End Y. All Saints, City Playgrounds and probably a team both from Baracas and the soldiers at Exhibition Park. The Intermediate League will consist of City Playgrounds, West End Y. All Saints and Baracas. The Junior League will have Evangelia, West End, City Playgrounds and one or more from the Church Leagues. from the Church Leagues.

Last season West End won the Senior
O.A.B.A., and City Playgrounds won the junior, and played in the final in the In-

O.H.A. INFORMATION

The Seaforth and Sarnia Clubs will have teams in the senior O.H.A., group No. 4, and have arranged the following

Dec. 28-Seaforth at Sarnia. Feb. & Sarnia at Seaforth. Both these clubs are also playing team:

Both these clubs are also playing teams in the intermediate series.

The Alliston Club find that their new rink will be ready for occupation by the first of the year and have made application to the O.H.A. for admission to the intermediate series in the group with Collingwood, 76th Battalion of Barrie and Micland. This will enable Orillia to be put in with Gravenhurst and Bracebridge. Major Rodgers, convener of the district, is endeavoring to straighten out the matter, as Gravenhurst is dissatisfied with the manner in which the group was divided at the schedule meeting. with the manner in which the group was divided at the schedule meeting.

Convener P. S. Pearse of Berlin of senior O.H.A. group No. 3, reports that at he schedule meeting of the clubs, President Russell E. Smith of Hamilton R.C. told the delegates that his club could not play any home games until Jan. 19. The convener quite properly told Mr. Smith that Hamilton would have to play away from home until that date, because he schedule could not be held up on that account.

Club Record and Goals In the Coast League

For the first time this season, the Seattle team of the Pacific Coast League, composed of the Toronto N.H.A. jumpers, was beaten on Friday night, Portland teleling their measure 5 to 2. Each of these teams has won three and lost one, and they are now tied for the leadership. Victoria beat the champion Vancouver team in the other game, 8 to 2. Victoria has won two and lost two, while Vancouver is at the foot of the league with four straight losses, with record and goals as follows:

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Portland 3 1 11 8

Victoria 2 2 20 14

Vancouver 0 4 8 19

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Against Goulding

New York Sun: George P. Mathews, chairman of the registration committee of the Metropolitan Association, yesterday continued his policy of secrecy in the matter of the charges against George H. Goulding, the Canadian walking champion. This in the face of the fact that the charges have assumed such definite shape that they have been submitted to and answered by the world's champion walker. A letter was received from Goulding yesterday by the officials of the Millrose A.A., in which he stated: "I shall be a competitor in your games, providing the A.A.U. clears my name of the present professional charges, a reply to present professional charges, a reply to which I am mailing to Mr. Mathews, chairman of your local registration committee, today." It was learned that the charges against Goulding are trivial.

NORTHERN UNION RUGBY. LONDON, Dec. 19 .- (C.A.P.) -Northern

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ST. NICKS AND STARS TIE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Leach Cross used his ring generalship to such good effect in his fight with Ad Wolgast last night that the referee had to step in and stop the bout in the sixth round to save the former lightweight champion. The fighting dentist had the better of the encounter all the way, and it was only in the first round that Wolgast was able to hold his own. As soon as the men settled down to real fighting, Ad was on the receiving end.

RECREATION CENTRES

The Past Week at St. Andrew's, McCormick, Moss Park and East Riverdale.

place last week. It has been turned into a recreation centre for the St. Andrew's Playground girls and boys. The attendance has been good with an average of 45 for the girls and 115 for the boys. Already the work has settled down to an organized hum with basketball teams in the boys' leagues and girls leagues and gymnasium classes in full The City Playgrounds O.A.B.A. teams

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Leper Dearbourne Fagan Sullivan NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The St. Nicholas Club of New York and the Stars of Montreal played a 2-to-2 tie here tonight in the second game of hockey in the series for the Art Ross International Challenge Cup. The St. Nicholas team won the first game at Montreal a week ago. The tie will be decided Monday night.

NOT AD WOLGAST OF OLD.

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Wilkinson ... 8 2 1

Bvery Sa urday evening our gymnasium is crowded for the moving picture performances. At 7 o'clock the boys and its are admitted and after they have seen the pictures they leave and the parents and seniors are given a varied parents are introduced, such at illustrated lectures, singing or playing along with the films.

At the Moss Park Recreation Centre there will be only two weeks more competition is declared, and the boys making strenuous efforts to increase or overcome the advantage held by their cipating denties had the better of the encounter all the way, and it was only in the first round the Wolgast last night round the way and it was only in the first round the Wolgast last night round to save the former lightweight champion. The fighting denties had the better of the encounter all the way, and it was only in the first round the Wolgast last night round to save the former lightweight champion. The fighting denties had the better of the encounter all the way, and it was only in the first round the way and it was only in the first round the wolgast last night round to save the former lightweight champion. The fighting denties are the moving pour rounds at the boys and first are admitted and after they have seen the pictures they leave and the pictures are admitted and after they have seen the pictures are admitt

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PLAYGROUNDS RECORDS

The old St. Andrew's Hall was a busy

St. Andrews
Carlton
The success of the McCormick Recreation Centre business men's class has been phenomenal. Last Wednesday evening enjoyed themselves the centre pushess there case has been phenomenal. Last Wednesday evening thirty-seven men enjoyed themselves. Special interest was taken in the checker tournament, in which the following men

1. J. Boland 926 2. H. Saunders 781 3. H. Harrington 736 4. R. Fowler 634 5. J. Allen 561 6. J. Johnstone 471 The first annual meeting of the East Riverdale Recreation Centre Pigeon Club was held Thursday night. This was the first season for the club, and its success was a matter of congratulation to the large number of members present. Plans are being made for a big season during 1916. The following officers were elected: Honorary president, Mr. S. H. Armstrong; president, J. Woods; vice-president, E. Skeats; recording secretary, W. H. Hodgson; assistant secretary, T. Martin; race secretary, L. Anthony; assistant race secretary, W. Break; race committee, V. Foat, J. G. Hanson, R. Parks, J. Wilkes, B. Leaver. The telegraphy class has got off to a good start with nineteen members on the roll. They are studying hard at the code and will soon be ready for the tickers.

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-Intermediate-

 1. F. Boland
 1097

 2. S. Nugent
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 3. G. Duckworth
 764

 4. B. Isemberg
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 5. J. Jobson
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 N. N. Powles
 222

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-Junior-

1. J. Ayers 951 2. G. Waller 900 3. S. Speares 764 4. H. Bieck 682 5. H. Grey 494 6. G. Redall 366

-Juvenile-

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3. G. Tait
4. W. Snooks
5. J. Zinchlinsky
6. W. Fitzgerald

-Midget-

Jake Gaudaur Wins The Visitors' Prize

The regular weekly shoot of the Balmy Beach Gun Club was held as usual on their grounds. Eastern avenue, on Sat arday. A very large attendance of members and friends was present and some good shooting took place. T. F. Hodgson won the spoon in "B" class. Next Saturday, Christmas morning, the regular turkey shoot will take place at 9 o'clock and all members are requested to be on hand early. Jack Gaudier won the visi-tor's prize with 17 out of 20.

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N. Barnard...
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tendance was not so large as usual. A great number of members were at the shoot in Oakville. Messrs, Tomlin and Sherwood each made a straight of 15 and 10 respectively. The following are a few of the best scores: Shot at. Broke. Burnham

Sherwood Sockett Sheppard ALLEN HIGH MAN.

At the Brunswick Bowling Club of Saturday night, Norman Allen of the Vermonts rolled 171, 185 and 213, and with a 75-pin handicap, has high score of 644 for the Central League turkey. Chas. Adams, jr., rolled 181, 201 and 223 for a 607 count, for the bird open to all members without a handicap. Wanderers Beat Quebec

Before Very Small Crowd MONTREAL, Dec. 19.-Wanderers defeated Quebec by 8 to 5 on Saturday, in the opening game of the National Hockey Association in the Arena here. The Quebec players were not in as good condition as the Wanderers. The crowd of specas the Wanderers. The crowd of spectators was one of the smallest ever at a hockey game in the Arena. The line-up Wanderers (8):

Quebec (5).

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