

70

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1921

HORNSBY KING OF NATIONAL LEAGUE

Official Report on the Work of the Batsmen in the 1920 Season.

The leading National League batsman for 1920 is Rogers Hornsby of the St. Louis club. Hornsby engaged in 149 games, six less than his club played, and compiled the splendid batting percentage of .370. Of the fifty-five champion batsmen since the organization of the National League, but nineteen have finished with a higher batting mark than Hornsby. Hugh Duffy turning in the highest percentage when he hit for .439 in 1904.

Hornsby's mark of .370 has been exceeded but four times since 1900, when Hans Wagner hit that year for .380, the following year when Jesse Burkett touched .382; again in 1905 when Cy Seymour had .377, and in 1912 when Henry Zimmerman led with .372.

Hornsby made the most hits, 218, and also leads in two-base hits, with 44. Milton Stock is the leading one-base hitter, with 170 singles; Hy Myers leads in three-base hits, with 22, and Cy Williams occupies home run honors with 15 home runs.

Rogers Hornsby leads the long hitters with 329 total bases, for a percentage of .559.

Two players, Rogers Hornsby of St. Louis and Ross Young of New York, garnered more than 200 hits as their season's portion. On thirteen National League batters have reaped more hits per season than has Hornsby, with Willie Keeler of Baltimore, the leader, with 243 hits during the season of 1891.

George Burns of New York leads the run scorers with 115 runs. Not since 1911, when James Sheppard of Chicago tallied 121 runs, has any player reached this high mark in runs scored.

Max Carey of Pittsburgh leads the runners along the base paths, with 82 stolen bases.

George Cutshaw of Pittsburgh is the leading sacrifice hitter, with 37 sacrifice hits.

Five players engaged in every game which their clubs played, as follows: George Kelly, New York; James Johnston, Brooklyn; and Milton Stock, St. Louis, 155 games each; Louis Duncan, Cincinnati, 154; and Norman Boeckel, Boston, 153 games.

Milton Stock went to bat the most times, 639.

There were forty-nine cases of hitting safely in ten or more consecutive games, with Eddie Roush of Cincinnati the leader. Roush on August 27 began a streak of safe hitting that endured for twenty-seven successive contests and yielded 46 hits in 115 times at bat till September 22, when Charles Adams of Pittsburgh stopped Roush.

David Bancroft of New York was the only player that got six hits in six times at bat in one game. This Bancroft did on June 28, against Philadelphia.

Eleven players garnered five hits in a game, one player, Ross Young of New York, performing the feat twice. Walter Maranville of Boston, Earl Smith, George Burns and Ross Young of New York, Davis Robertson of Chicago, William Southworth of Pittsburgh, and Clinton Heathcote of St. Louis were the other men who made five hits in as many times at bat.

Eight players tallied four runs in one game during the past season, viz.: Fred Williams and Emil Meusel of Philadelphia, Charles Hollocher and George Facker of Chicago, George Cutshaw of Pittsburgh, Hery Groh of Cincinnati, Jacques Fournier of St. Louis and Peter Kilbuck of Brooklyn.

There were one hundred and six shut-outs scored last season, the clubs being shut out as follows: Chicago, six times; Boston, ten times; Brooklyn, St. Louis, New York, thirteen times; Pittsburgh, seventeen times, and Cincinnati, twenty-four times.

St. Louis leads in club batting with a percentage of .289; made the most hits, 1,589; the greatest number of total bases, 2,115; most singles, 1,223; and got the greatest number of two-base hits, 238. Brooklyn made the most three-

base hits, 99, and Philadelphia batted out the greatest number of home runs, 64.

New York leads in scoring, with 682 runs, and Pittsburgh is the leading base stealing club, with 181 stolen bases. Chicago leads in sacrifice hits, with 220.

Two hundred and thirty-seven players were used by the eight National League clubs during the past season.

A GOOD VARIETY AT OPERA HOUSE

New Programme Enjoyed by Capacity Houses—Unique Step Dancing, Classy Singing, Mint of Comedy, and Stellar Bar Act.

Capacity houses greeted the new vaudeville program which was presented in the Opera House yesterday afternoon and evening. Every one of the five acts was evidently thoroughly enjoyed as all the participants were accorded frequent and hearty applause. The new bill is diversified and contains one of the most interesting step dancing offerings ever presented on a local stage, pleasing singing, considerable comedy and a stellar bar act performance.

An episode of "The Veiled Mystery," a motion picture serial featuring Antonio Moreno, was enjoyed after which Louis Stone presented a sensational up-side-down dancing novelty. After entertaining with some clever steps he gave a demonstration of dancing while hanging by his hands to a revolving chandelier. His clever performance was greeted with prolonged applause.

Jason and Harrigan, two young ladies then regaled the audience with class song hit numbers, which were a treat. They are pleasing singers and their duets and solos were very pretty.

Mason and Fletcher were well received in their offering of comedy songs and chatter. The possess good singing voices and their songs were tuneful and pleasing. They also shared in the plaudits.

Harry White amused the audience with his humorous chatter and comic songs. His version of how to beat the high cost of living evoked hearty laughter.

The Smillette Brothers held undivided interest in their comedy bar act. Their performance was brilliant although they did not have the knack of "putting over" the comedy. Some of their feats were exceptionally good and have never been equalled on a local stage. They received well merited applause. This performance will be repeated tonight and on Thursday afternoon and evening.

GENERAL CURRIE'S GOOD WORDS FOR THE Y. M. C. A.

Montreal, Jan. 5.—A sincere appreciation of the work of the Y. M. C. A. at the front was given last night by General Sir Arthur Currie at a dinner of the boys attending the various educational classes in connection with the central Y. M. C. A. at headquarters here. "The Y. M. C. A.," he said, "made our men better soldiers. I think so much of the Y. M. C. A. that if ever I had to go to another war I don't think I would go without such an organization as the Y. M. C. A."

DELEGATES TO EMPIRE CONFERENCE OF MEN WHO FOUGHT IN WAR

Montreal, Jan. 5.—The Army and Navy Veterans' Association, Montreal unit, last night nominated Major Taylor, dominion president, of Winnipeg, and Captain Colebourne of Montreal, dominion second vice-president, to attend an empire conference of ex-service men's associations in Cape Town, South Africa, on February 23. Field Marshal Earl Haig will preside.

The local unit expressed the wish that General Sir Arthur Currie should allow himself to be nominated, but he was unable to spare the time.

HE CAN NOW EAT PORK AND BEANS

J. Murphy, Aged 76, Says He Knows From Experience Tanlac is Good For Old Folks, Too.

"You can tell them that Tanlac is the right medicine for old folks, too, for I have tried it and it has done me more good than anything else I ever took combined," was the statement made by John Murphy, of 46 Charlotte street, Halifax, while at Kinley's drug store, recently. Mr. Murphy is now seventy-six years of age and a life long resident of Halifax. He is employed as night watchman by the Halifax Tram Co.

"For a long time I have been troubled with indigestion and took a great deal of medicine. Everything I would eat distressed me. Food felt like a lump in the pit of my stomach and caused me to blow all up with gas, and I felt sick at my stomach nearly all the time. I had no appetite and the more nourishing foods, like beans, fat meat and things cooked in grease, I could not eat at all.

"I also suffered with severe pains in the small of my back. I had frequent headaches and was terribly nervous all the time, and could never sleep well. Last August a friend of mine told me of the fine results he had gotten from Tanlac, so I started taking it, too, and it has done me a world of good.

"It gave me a great appetite and fixed my stomach up so I can eat three good meals a day, including pork and beans, and fatty foods that I would not dare eat before. I am no longer troubled with the pain in my back and I sleep better. I have taken the Laxative Tablets along with the Tanlac and have been helped wonderfully in every way. I am still taking a dose or two a day and it keeps me in good trim. Tanlac will always get a good word from me."

Tanlac is sold in St. John by the Ross Drug Company and F. W. Munro; by G. W. McKay, Beaver Harbor; C. V. Parsons, Highland; John F. Meagher, Debec; O. D. Hanson, Lepreau; E. L. Conley, Leonardville; N. H. Johnston, Clarendon Station, and by the leading druggists in every town.—(Advt.)

WANTS MEETING OF ALLIES ON MATTER OF GERMAN DISARMAMENT

Paris, Jan. 4.—The French government proposes a meeting with the heads of the British, Italian and Belgian governments soon, presumably to discuss German disarmament.

MOTHER!

"California Syrup of Figs" Child's Best Laxative



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package; then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its fruity taste. Full directions on each bottle. You must say "California."

GENUINE DISCOUNTS

HUNT'S

Pre-Stock-Taking Sale

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

Begins Friday, January 9th, and will continue until Saturday, January 22nd. Our stock is high and must be reduced before Stock-Taking, February 1st. All Winter Wearing Apparel will be sacrificed during this Sale. Note some of the Bargains listed below, and see our windows for others.

<p>Entire Stock of MEN'S RAINCOATS At 33 1-3 Per Cent. Discount.</p>	<p>BOYS' OVERCOATS AND MACKINAWs At 30 Per Cent. Discount.</p>	<p>Entire Stock of Men's and Boys' Sweaters At 25 Per Cent. Discount.</p>	<p>Entire Stock of LADIES' SWEATERS At 33 1-3 Per Cent. Discount.</p>
---	---	--	--

MEN'S WINTER OVERCOATS
All the Styles desired. All Good Warm Coats, and Special Values.

Regular \$30.00 values for... \$22.50
Regular 40.00 values for... 28.50
Regular 50.00 values for... 35.00

Big Discounts will be given on all Coats not mentioned.

MEN'S SUITS
Form Fitting and Staple Models. Tweeds and Worsteds.

Regular \$25.00 values for... \$18.50
Regular 30.00 values for... 25.00
Regular 40.00 values for... 30.00

MEN'S MACKINAWs
Extra heavy—Brown, Grey and Red Plaids. Good Warm Coats.

Regular \$20 and \$22.50 for... \$15.00

MEN'S PANTS
Special Values in both Dress and Working Pants.

Regular \$4.00 values. Sale Price \$3.39
Regular 5.50 values. Sale Price 4.69
Regular 6.50 values. Sale Price 5.39

Special Sale of Custom Made Suits and Overcoats DURING JANUARY.

\$70 Regular for \$60
65 Regular for 55
60 Regular for 50
50 Regular for 40

Made to your measure in our usual first class way.

BEST OF WORKMANSHIP.
BEST TRIMMINGS.

SHIRTS
Men's Colored Negligee Shirts, soft or stiff cuffs. Regular \$3.00. Sale Price \$1.48

UNDERWEAR
Men's ribbed wool Shirts and Drawers. Regular \$2.25. Sale Price \$1.50
Men's ribbed wool Shirts and Drawers. Regular \$2.75. Sale Price \$1.75

STANFIELD'S UNDERWEAR
Green Label Special Price \$2.25
Red Label Special Price \$2.50
Blue Label Special Price \$3.00

MEN'S HOSIERY
Heavy Winter Socks, grey and brown. Regular 35c. Sale Price 23c.
Heavy Ribbed Socks, heather and black. Regular 75c. Sale Price 48c.
Black Worsted Socks. All wool. Regular \$1.00. Sale Price 69c.
Light Grey Woolen Socks. Special value. Regular \$1.25 Sale Price 75c.
Heavy Scotch Knit Socks. Ribbed. Good weight. All wool. Brown color only. Good value at \$1.50. Sale Price 73c.

GLOVES
Heavy Scotch Knit Wool Gloves—Grey and Heather. Regular \$1.50. Sale Price \$1.10
Men's Tam Cape Lined Winter Gloves. Regular \$2.50. Sale Price \$1.98

BOOTS
Men's Boots—All of our regular boots from \$12.50 to \$16.50; black and tan Sale Price \$10.50
Men's Boots—Regular \$8.00 and \$10.00 Sale Price \$6.85

HUNT'S CLOTHING STORE

17--19 Charlotte Street

St. John's Greatest Fur Sale Started Yesterday

All our high grade quality furs are put on sale at great reductions—prices now quoted show reductions from the former high levels of 40 per cent. and 50 per cent. even 60 per cent.

The weather man has not been kind to us this season but we are determined to clear out everything in stock.

We welcome a comparison of values.

HUDSON SEAL COATS

Self trimmed and trimmed with Skunk, Beaver, Taupe, Squirrel, Australian Opossum, Kolinsky, Mole, etc. Our stock of high-grade garments is on sale at unequalled values—and value counts in furs.

Sale Prices Run From \$295 to \$550
Former Prices Run From \$475 to \$900

A very special Skunk trimmed coat 40" long—6 only.....\$695 for \$395
4 Only Nutria (South American Beaver).....Formerly \$560 and \$495
Now \$325 and \$295

1 Dozen French Seal Coats, plain or trimmed—very stylish models—all lengths up to 45." Regular Prices \$275 to \$400
Now \$135 to \$200

Kolinsky Marmot Coats, trimmed and plain.....Regular \$200 and \$225
Now \$129

Special group of coats at \$95 including Russian Pony, Marmot, French Seal, Muskrat, French Beaver, Natural Coney.....Former Prices From \$200 to \$275
Now—for a Quick Sale \$95

We are also showing coats in Natural Marmot, Brazilian Marten, Muskrat, Raccoon, French Beaver, Russian Pony, and all other popular furs used.

10 only beautiful Russian Pony Coats, trimmed with Taupe Squirrel, Raccoon, Australian Opossum, Australian Lynx, Kolinsky Mink, Taupe Fox, and other handsome furs. Former Prices \$300, \$350 and \$400
Sale Prices \$150, \$175 and \$200

You Cannot See Their Equals in the City for Beauty, Style and Value.

All our muffs and neck pieces are included in this sale and our stock has just been replenished with many new styles freshly made up.

We have room to describe only a few of the handsome articles.

Raccoon Scarf.....\$45.00 for \$27.50
Skunk Scarf.....\$145.00 for \$90.00
Hudson Seal Scarf.....125.00 for 65.00
Beaver Scarf.....175.00 for 100.00
Opossum Scarf.....115.00 for 72.50
Hudson Seal Scarf.....200.00 for 125.00
Squirrel Scarf.....325.00 for 185.00
Skunk Scarf.....325.00 for 175.00
Taupe Squirrel Scarf.....150.00 for 80.00

All Our Other Furs Are Caving the Same Reduction.

\$9.50—A Special Group of Scarfs and Muffs.

H. MONT. JONES, LIMITED

The Only Exclusive Furriers in the Maritime Provinces

92 King Street

"Every Sense will tell You"

"Call for PHILIP MORRIS"

10 for 15 cents