

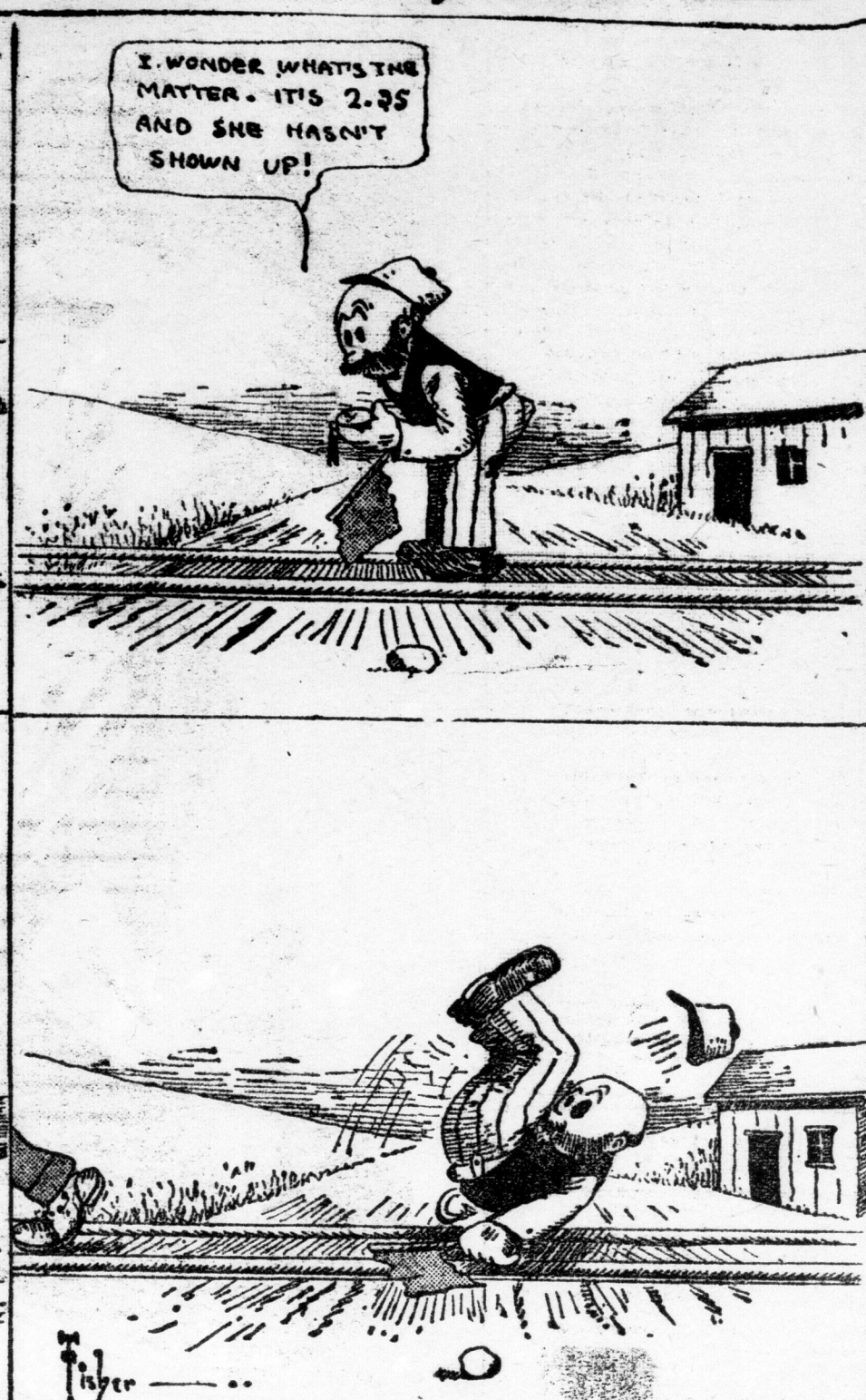
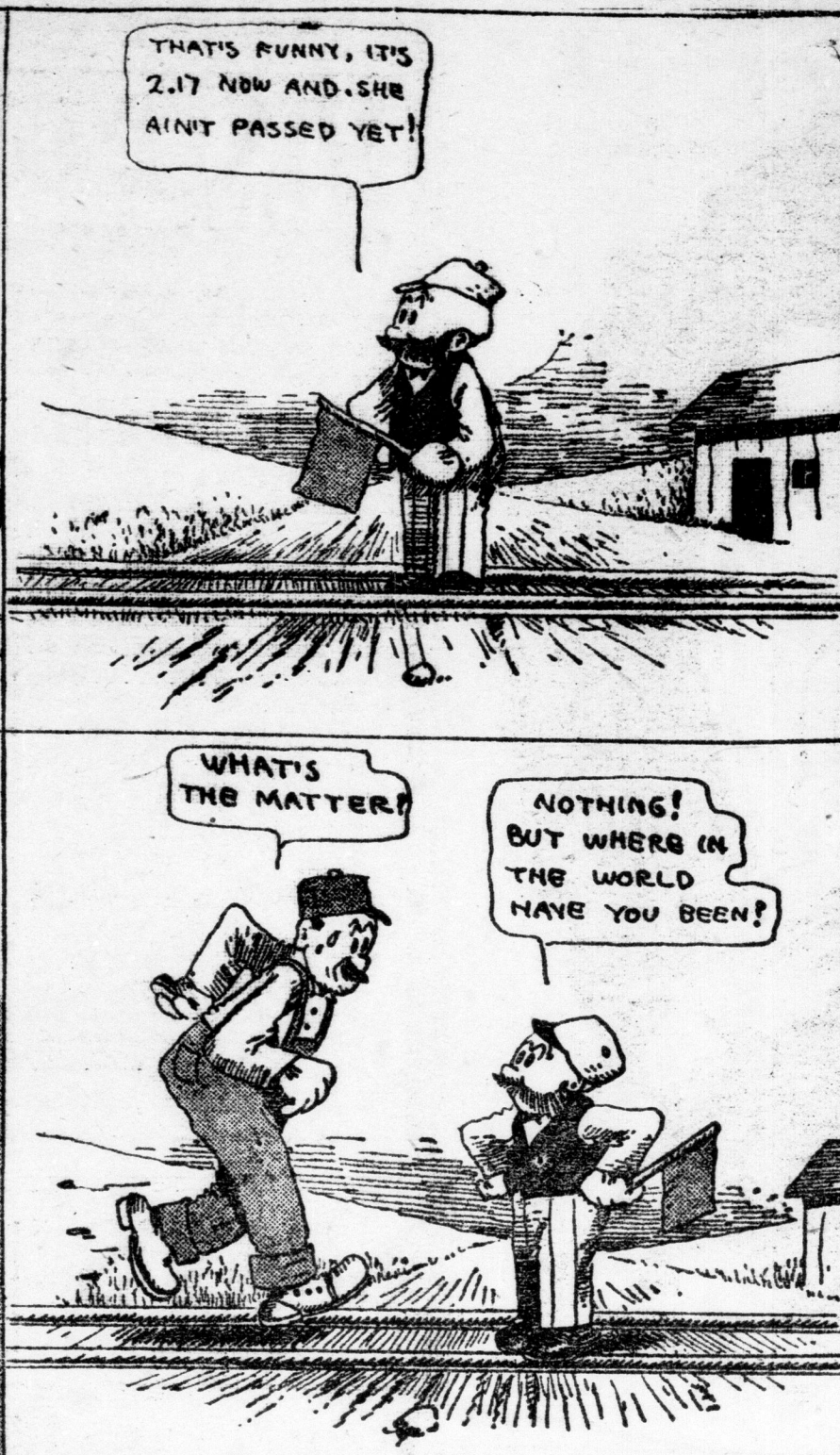
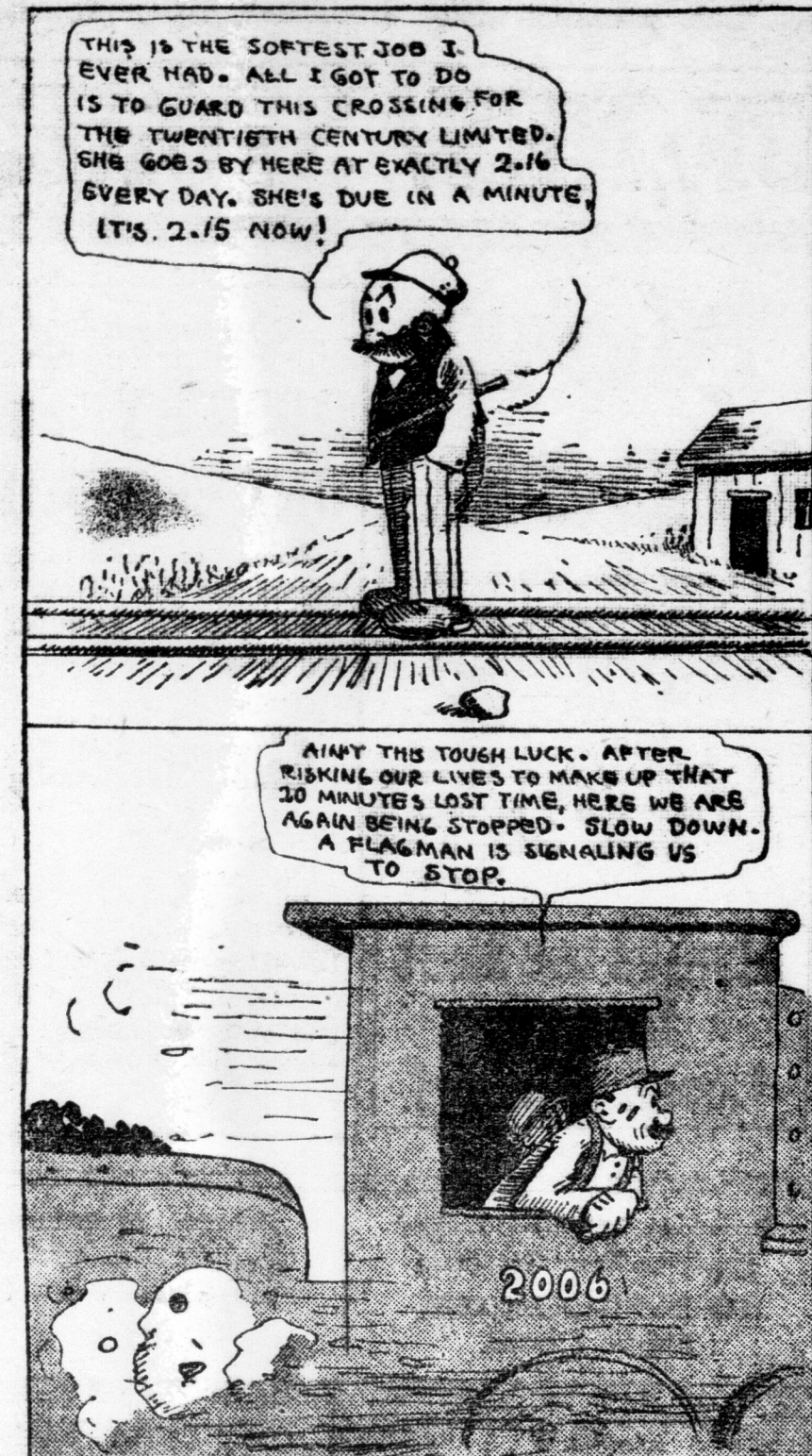
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PERRIN TEAM MOVES
INTO FIRST PLACE

Puts McClarys Down By Shut-
ting Them Out.

LAWSON & JONES' LOSE

McCormick's and Greene-Swifts Were
the Other Two Winning Teams.

League Standing.	W.	L.	T.	P.	Ag.
Perrins	4	1	21	15	
McClarys	4	2	35	23	
Lawson & Jones	3	2	28	27	
Greene-Swifts	4	3	27	33	
Gastes	3	3	27	39	
McCormicks	2	4	27	24	

McCormicks, Greene-Swifts and Perrins were the winners in the Manufacturers' League games at the Westminster rink last night, and as a result the league standing has changed appearance. By winning from McClarys, the Perrin team steps into first position, while McCormicks' defeat of the Lawson & Jones team put a crimp into the printers' chance of stepping into first place for a while yet. The winning teams all managed to score six goals.

The first game was a fast one, Lawson & Jones and McCormicks playing whirlwind hockey all through. The biscuit makers presented a strong lineup, with Edwards, of the Intermediates, and Andrews, of the A. M. C. team, on. The final score was 6 to 1, with the half-time score 4 to 0 in favor of the half-enders. Lawson & Jones intend to protest on the strength of Andrews not being eligible. He was signed up by McCormicks as an outside man, but played as an inside man last night. He is employed at McCormicks, but has only been working there a couple of days, while the league rules say a player must be employed with a firm ten days before being eligible. The stars of the contest were Edwards and Andrews for the winners, and Schumacher and Ross for the losers. The teams were:

McCormicks: Position. L. & J. Watts. Goal. Campbell. Right defence. Ross. Left defence. Myers. Centre. Andrews. Right wing. Schumacher. Left wing. Clarke. Greene-Swifts: Gastes 4.

The second game of the evening resulted in a win for Greene-Swifts by the score of 4 to 4. The contest bordered on the burlesque at times, although both teams tried to make a hockey game out of it. At half time the teams were tied, 2 all, but in the second half the superior conditions of the clothes cutters aided them in scoring 4 goals to the Gastes 2. For the winners, Bryce, Ballantine and Brodison played a star game, while Legg, Thorne and Tracey played a good game for Gastes. The teams were:

Greene-Swifts: Position. Gastes. Osborne. Goal. Tracey. McPhee. Right defence. Tozer. Bryce. Left defence. Ballantine. Centre. Brodison. Right wing. Legg. Walton. Left wing. Thorne. Perrins 6, McClarys 0.

The final game was a fast and exciting one, although the most one-sided of the night. It resulted in a win for Perrins over McClarys by the score of 8 to 0, and was the worst defeat handed the store mounters this season. The McClary team was handicapped by the absence of Chantler. The score at half time was 3 to 0. The winners outclassed their opponents from the start. In the last half the contest developed into a slugging exhibition, and both teams roughed it considerably. McKay and Buchanan were the worst offenders. The former pulled some "stuffs" on the referee that should have resulted in his banishment from the game. Dick Penne handled the contests and gave splendid satisfaction. The teams were:

GRANT BACHUS' RINK
WON SHAW PRIZES

Tossed Up With Willis Cox to
Break Tie Score.

SOME GOOD SCORES MADE

Three Rinks Were Tied for Second
Place With Scores of Plus 5.

Grant Bachus' rink won the London Club hospital and the Shaw prizes at the Thistle curling rink last evening. Bachus and Cox were tied on the final round with plus 6 scores, so a coin was tossed to decide the winner. Bachus won the toss and the prizes. The games were interesting and evenly played. The final standing of the rinks was as follows:

Skip Grant Bachus, plus 8.
Skip Willis Cox, plus 6.
Skip Tillson, plus 5.
Skip McGuffin, plus 5.
Skip Treblecock, plus 5.
Skip Dr. Wright, plus 3.
Skip Cardy, minus 4.
Skip Strong, minus 5.
Skip Allen, minus 5.
Skip Purdon, minus 16.

WELLINGTON AND ASKIN
STREET JUNIORS TIED

Other Winners in Church League Games Were Askin and Adelaide Street Seniors.

Despite the zero weather a fair crowd witnessed three fast games of hockey in the Church League in the Simcoe street rink last night. The winning teams were Askin Street seniors and Adelaide Street seniors. The other game was a tie.

Starting with a rush that threatened to sweep their opponents off their feet, the speedy Wellington juniors started the fireworks in the first game of the evening against the Askin juniors. Play was fast throughout, the first half ending in a score of 1 to 1. In the second spasm "do-or-die" spirit. Alternating scoring resulted in two goals apiece being notched. The bell rang down the curtain with a score of 3 to 3, neither team having gained by the strenuous contest. The game was the fastest seen for some time in the league.

HOW MANY GOALS
DID ALF. HALL SCORE?

Sporting Editor, Advertiser: Dear Sir,—Will you kindly inform me through the sporting columns of your valuable paper the number of goals Alf. Hall, the defence man of the London team, scored during the O. H. A. games London played this season?

Thanking you in advance, I am
A HOCKEY FAN.
Hall scored five goals altogether. Most of these were in the first three or four games.

TINKER HINTS THAT FEDERALS
HAVE BIG SURPRISE TO SPRING

Says They Have Signed Up Many Prominent Baseball Stars Not
Yet Made Known—Evers Case Not Yet Decided.

New York, Feb. 12.—Everything in connection with professional baseball discussed here today, inside and outside the meetings of the National League and National Commission, was overshadowed by the case of Johnny Evers, deposited manager of the Cubs. Late tonight Evers himself had not made up his mind further than to repeat over and over again: "I have made up my mind to one thing, and that is, no matter whether I play with organized baseball or accept an offer made me by the Federal League, I am determined that Charley Murphy, of the Chicago club, shall not reap any benefit through my action."

Evers' lawyer is expected here early tomorrow, and Mr. James B. Gaffney, of the Boston Nationals, has made an appointment to meet Evers and his counsel at 10:30 o'clock. Joe Tinker said he had made no arrangement with Evers, and would not do so unless it was decided Evers was not under contract.

Will Not Touch Evers. "From what I hear," said Tinker, "I believe that Evers is no longer under contract to the Chicago club, and only the reserve clause holds him. If this is so, we are ready to give him more money than he has ever had in organized baseball, but if his contract with Chicago holds good the Federal League will not touch him."

Those who think the Federals are not going to last are mistaken," continued Tinker. "We have got lots of money, and within a week we will surprise the baseball world. We have signed a many prominent players whose names will be made known in due time."

To Avoid White Sox Deals. "Our schedule will be carefully arranged, so that the signing of dates will be avoided as far as possible, particularly in Chicago, so far as the American League schedule is concerned."

The National League held a short session today, during which some unfinished business was disposed of, and the meeting adjourned sine die. The National Commission, with John A. Haydrick acting in place of President Tener, held a long conference, in which the following took part:

President E. G. Barrow, International League; President T. Chivington, American Association; J. H. Farrell, secretary of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, and David Fultz and a committee of three players from the Baseball Players' Fraternity.

After clearing up some matters which were left unfinished at the Cincinnati meeting early last month, it was announced that the franchise had been sold to the Chicago club, and that all players who jumped from organized baseball to the Federal League, and did not report to their clubs before the first game of the championship season, would automatically suspend themselves from membership in the fraternity, and could not get back into organized baseball.

MIDLAND LOST MANY
CHANCES TO SCORE

T. R. and A. A. Beat Them By
3 to 1 in Toronto.

Toronto, Feb. 12.—Midland's O. H. A. senior team lacked two things to-night in their scheduled game with Toronto R. and A. A. at the Arena. The first was three goals with which to beat the champions. The other, which leads up to the above, was the inability to score when the opportunity presented itself. Three to one was the final result and the champions again looked as if they will be one of the finalists for the John Ross Robertson cup.

The outstanding difference in the play of the two teams was the inability of the Midlanders to grasp chances to score, while the locals were just the opposite in this respect. On numerous occasions the Midlanders went down two and three abreast, but when they got close in on the defence they became bewildered and missed their shots.

While the champions won, they did not display anywhere near the form they showed last season. The speed was lacking, and they checked back spasmodically. The teams:

Toronto R. and A. A.—Goal, Smith; defence, Gooch and Heffernan; rover, Stevenson; centre, G. Meeking; forwards, McLean and Brown.

Midland.—Goal, Scott; defence, Nichols and Smith; rover, Lavigne; centre, Stimpell; forwards, Beatty and McDonald.

Referee—O. Bernhardt, of Bradford.

DETROIT CURLERS WON
AND LOST GALT MATCH

Galt, Ont., Feb. 12.—The touring Detroit curlers visited Galt today. At noon they were banqueted at the Galt Club. The Detroiters left for home this evening after a tour of Western Ontario.

The score:

Detroit	Galt
J. Craig	13 A. R. Goldie
R. Kerr	16 W. V. McDougall
W. A. McWhinney	21 Dr. Mackintosh
Total	50
Detroit	Granites
R. R. Kay	8 A. S. Taylor
J. Craig	7 C. Turnbull
T. Davies	9 J. G. Turnbull
Total	24
Total	27

JEFF TESREAU SIGNS
A THREE-YEAR CONTRACT

Big Pitcher, of Giants, Comes to
Terms—Jordan Going South With
Giants.

New York, Feb. 12.—John B. Foster, secretary of the New York Nationals, announced that the Giants had signed up Jeff Tesreau for three years, starting next season.

JOHN KLING MAY MANAGE
TEAM IN WESTERN LEAGUE

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 12.—John Kling, the former big league catcher, was today suggested as manager of the team proposed for Kansas City, in the Western League, it was said. Several of the Western League magnates were certain that the Cantillons would be willing to have a Western League team in Minneapolis.

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OTTAWA AND LONDON
AFTER SAME PLAYER

Shortstop Whitcroft, of Vir-
ginia League, Much Sought.

Ottawa, Feb. 12.—Two Canadian League clubs are working on the trail of infielder Whitcroft, of the Norfolk Virginia League club. One is Ottawa and the other London. Whitcroft is a pretty fast man and is expected to advance the next two years. London offered Third Baseman Myers for him, while Ottawa will give the pick of Smajnal or Robertson.

It is probable the Senators will purchase Plicker Strain from the Richmond Virginia League club. Strain won 18 and lost 3 games last season. He has size and speed, and Shag seems to be pretty handy to land him.

Word was received this morning from Joe Lill, who is wintering in St. Louis. Joe says he is willing to report for spring practice and try out again. He believes he has recovered his "arm," which last year was very weak.

CHARLES W. MURPHY SAYS
HE IS NOT GOING TO RETIRE

New York, Feb. 12.—Charles W. Murphy, president of the Cubs, denied that he had any intention of retiring from professional baseball, or that he knew of any move to force him out of the National League. He said: "I am in the game to stay. It has become the national pastime to kick Murphy out of baseball at least four times a year, and I am getting used to it. I am master of my soul—the real and only boss of my ball club—and I am going to run it in the way I see fit."

As for Evers, I did what I thought was best for the club. He is temperamentally unfit to manage a team—outside of that, a very valuable man. Evers and I am not getting along, and one of us had to go. Whether he plays with Boston or not, Sweeney and Perdue are going to play for me."

RUBE WADDELL WILL
NEVER PLAY AGAIN

Famous Eccentric Twirler Is
Just About All In.

[Canadian Press.] Superior, Wis., Feb. 12.—Rube Waddell, the great left-hander, who in his day was one of the best pitchers that ever worked in the major leagues, will never pitch another game. The admission comes from Rube himself, who has returned his unsigned contract to "Kid" Taylor, of Superior, Wis., who is manager of the Virginia, Minn., club in the Northern League. Waddell came to Virginia last year from Minneapolis, and was reserved for this season.

"I am sending back the contract unsigned," wrote Rube from Boerne, Texas. "I would like to play, but never could get in shape. I might as well admit the truth about myself. I am in hopeless shape. I have lost 34 pounds since I was up north, and weigh now only 151. I am very weak, and cannot walk 20 feet. I am writing this in bed."

JOE JACKSON, OF NAPS,
LOSES HIS FATHER

Richmond, Va., Feb. 12.—Joe Jackson, the Cleveland American's star batter, who opened a billiard parlor here yesterday, was today called to his home in Greenville, S. C., by the death of his father.

CLYDE ENGLE SIGNS UP
WITH BOSTON RED SOX

New York, Feb. 12.—Clyde Engle, first baseman of the Boston American League team, who was reported as a possible recruit for the Federal League, signed a contract with his old club today.

ST. THOMAS RINK LOST
AT WINNIPEG BONSPIEL

Winnipeg, Feb. 12.—Ponsford, St. Thomas, was defeated by Sharmon, Winnipeg, Medall, by 11 to 10 this morning in the first round of Tetley tea competition.

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