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NEW LEAGUE MEETS TO DRAFT SCHEDULE

Wednesday's New York Con- Also Seven Juniors for the fab Will Straighten Out All the Kinks.

Just what cities will compose the rejuvenated International League will not be known until after the meeting in New York tomorrow. To say that Toronto fans are interested is putting it mildly, but they can rest assured that it will be a compact and interesting league. The men behind are big men willing to take a chance. The "die easy" crowd that howled early and loud that there would be no baseball for International League cities are now home in their small towns and as quiet as lambs. Thank goodness there are a few real men still left in baseball and when the faint-hearted magnates were afraid to go ahead and "carry on" until better days the regular men came thru with a league, and it will be a good one.

Toronto, Rochester, Baltimore and Jersey City are the former International League cities that will have clubs, and the four best cities from the New York State League will be lined up with thm to make up the league.

The class of ball will not suffer, International League players are to be had in abundance and will be only too pleased to land a job for this war year. The magnates are now busy signing them, and we expect to see the same high class of ball that has always characterized this good AA. league.

The schedule will likely call for 126 games, with the season getting under way on May 1. All the details will be threshed out at Wednesday's meeting, and a full report of the proceedings will be ready for the eager fans on Thursday morning.

The Toronto club is one that will so the limit to put a first-class team in the field. Five players were secured from the retiring Montreal club and these, along with the men left from last season, will be the foundation for a smart team.

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Jack Dunn is another to always provide a fast team. The other cities will follow the lead of those two and the fans can rest assured that it will be an AA. league in every sense of the word.

No manager has been secured for the Toronto team as yet. The local club will come thru with a good man and it is expected that President McCaffery will announce his name on his return from New York.

Word was received at Boston yester-day from Little Rock, Ark., that the Boston American League baseball club had traded Pitcher George Foster to the Cincinnati Nationals for Dave Shean, a second baseman, and formerly manager of the Providence club of the International League. It was said that the local club and Foster had been unable to reach an agreement as to salary.

THIRTEEN TEAMS IN THE SENIOR LEAGUE

Toronto and District Soccer League.

delegates was held in Sons of England Hall last night, and was well attended. It was decided to open the league season on April 27. The senior league closed with thirteen teams, and the junior with seven. In order to make the number even in each league any team putting in an application for either league. with seven. In order to make the number even in each league any team putting in an application for either league before Friday, April 5, will be admitted to membership.

A rule which opened up considerable discussion was the eligibility of candidates for directors and officers, and it was decided any who have sat as directors or delegates during the two years previous to the election is eligible, providing he is a member of a club in good standing and is affiliated with the association. A player who is a delegate is also eligible, but cannot play if elected. The application of A. McCullough for reinstatement as a junior was refused.

Owing to the majority of the R.C.D. team having been ordered to Quebec, the game called for Saturday, April 6, with 48th Highlanders, is postponed.

WESTERN CITY LEAGUE **READY FOR BUSINESS**

The Western City Senior Baseball League held a good meeting last night and opened the campaign for the coming season. The four teams comprising the league last season, St. Francis, Moose, Wychwood and Hillcrests, were represented, and all promise to provide strong teams this season. Burr Maxwell will handle the Moose team. Nip Dwan will look after the Hillcrests. Frank Britton is at present looking after the interests of St. Francis, while Bob Wilson, who led the Belmonts to several championships, will manage Wychwood. The league will stage their games again at Willowvale Park. Russell Lee, the star catcher of the Athletics, will turnout with St. Francis. Babe Dye will again be with Hillcrests.

Hogan Smedley is with Wychwoods this year.

JIMMY ARCHER WILL BE POPULAR PIRATE

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Manager Barrow of the Boston American League Club last night confirmed the report that he has traded Pitcher George Foster for Secondbaseman Dave Shean of Cincinnati, Barrow said that reports that Foster had decided to quit the game were untrue. He said that Foster was willing to play this season, but had demanded more money than was offere din the contract tendered him.

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Kingston, April 1.—Captain George T.
Richardson of the 2nd Battalion, who was killed in action two years ago, left five thousand dollars to Queen's Athletic Society for the improvement of the athletic sprounds, and the principal, together with three hundred dollars in, interest, has been handed over to the university authorities. It is likely that the money will be used as a basis on which to establish a stadium, probably on the site of the present athletic field. Captain Richardson in his student days was one of Queen's foremost athletes, and it is likely the stadium will be named after him.

BAN JOHNSON SAYS.

Chicago, April 1.—President Ban Johnson of the American League announced tonight that the organization would not take concerted action on the proposal to start all games at 4 p.m., under the dayilght saving plan. Each club will be permitted to decide the hour for starting its own games, he said.

Linfield F.C. would like to arrange a practice game with any T. & D. junior team any Saturday afternoon. Write E. R. Hollingsworth, secretary, 551 Parliament street, or phone Gerrard 4716. Imment street,

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The Real Champions.

Mitchell loved to tell stories about the old champions of England, stories that had been handed down to him. One of his best was of Dan Mendoza and John Jackson, two of the greatest of the veteran British champions.

Mendoza was a poor, ragged waif living in the miserable Whitechapel district of London when he fought his first fight.

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