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LINK FORCES AGAINST REDS

Wrangel's Troops and Ukrainians Make Junction

Bolsheviki Are Caught in Trap and Captured—Other Successes Against the Soviet Troops Are Reported.

Constantinople, Oct. 5—(Associated Press)—Forces commanded by General Baron Wrangle, head of the anti-Bolshevik government of South Russia, have oined the armies led by General Kakno, the Ukranian chief, which have been operating against the Soviet troops in the region of Kharkov. The junction was effected at Simelnikova, a village twenty-five miles southeast of Ekaterinoslav, and the Bolsheviki, who have been trapped in that vicinity since the anti-Bolsheviki forces have been approaching each other during the last fortnight, were captured.

General Makno's flying raid on Kharkov, which resulted in the capture of that city, has contributed to the confusion of the Soviet armies in southern Russia, the position of which along the Dniper river has become more critical.

Insurgent bands are reported to be in the rear of the Bolsheviki, and are said to have captured Nikolaiev, near Odessa. It is rumored that cholera has appeared among Soviet troops in Kaharkov.

Barefooted conscripts of the Bolsheviki army continue to surrender in large numbers without resistance, but the Bolsheviki regulars and student regiments continue their retreat.

London, Oct. 5—Continued retirement of the Russians in the region south of Minsk, where the Poles have been rapidly driving eastward, is reported in Monday's Soviet official statement from Moscow, received by wireless today.

FRUIT CASE

Fine in Matter Brought to Court by Board of Health.

A by-law case was instituted in the police court this morning by the Board of Health against William Steeves, Haymarket Square. A charge of exposing for sale unwholesome and unsound fruit. He pleaded not guilty. Dr. William Warwick, district medical health officer, said that decayed fruit would have a bad effect on the public health. T. M. Burns, secretary of the board, said he saw some decayed bananas and lemons, which were alleged to have been obtained from the store of the accused. Mrs. Edmund Flewelling, food inspector, said she went into the store on September 30 and there were several boxes of fruit on the show case presumably exposed for sale. It was in a decayed condition and not fit for human consumption.

The accused said the fruit was the decayed fruit which had been picked out of goods he had for sale. He said that on some days this had to be done three or four times to keep the fruit in good condition. After consideration of the case a fine of $10 was imposed. Kenneth A. Wilson was counsel for the Board of Health.

DOING WELL FOR CAPITAL HOSPITAL

Nurses to Maintain Children's Ward — Offer of Maternity Hospital from One Family.

(Special to Times.)

Fredericton, Oct. 5—The Fredericton Chapter, Graduate Nurses' Association, has offered to furnish and maintain the children's ward of the Fraser Memorial Hospital ;now under construction as part of Victoria Public Hospital. The ward is to be named the Ogilvy Ward for the Misses Ogilvy, the two first nurses to enter the hospital.

It is reported that the members of one family in Fredericton have offered to erect a maternity hospital at a cost of $40,000 if the Victoria Hospital trustees will provide for the interest of the bonds.

Arthur M. Gibson left last night to consult a specialist with regard to his health. His wife and daughter accompanied him.

Dr. Keneth Blair of this city, now taking special training for the mission field in Toronto, has been accepted by the Presbyterian Mission bound for service in Korea.

SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL TO PASS ACCOUNTS

A special meeting of the common council was called at noon today in order to pass departmental accounts for September, as follows:—

Treasury department	$ 838.14
Public safety	4,389.35
Public works	7,038.08
Water and sewerage	2,295.29
Harbor, ferries, &c.	9,515.78
Total	$23,576.64

Mayor Schofield, as commissioner of finance and public affairs, reported payments for the month amounting to $162,879.49.

JAM OF LOGS AT THE MITCHELL BOOM.

Fredericton, Oct. 5—The St. John river here is falling rapidly after the extremely high freshet of the last few days. At the Mitchell boom logs are jammed clear to the bottom of the river.

WEDDING TODAY OF MUCH INTEREST

Miss Rosamond McAvity Is Bride of A. C. Orr — Ceremony in Trinity.

A wedding of interest to a great many friends took place this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in Trinity church, when Rev. Canon R. A. Armstrong united in marriage Miss Rosamond Bertha McAvity, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George McAvity of this city, to Alexander Conkey Orr, of Galt, Ontario. His Lordship Bishop Richardson pronounced the benediction and addressed the bride and groom. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore an attractive costume of Brussels net with train and bodice of white satin. The bodice was crystal embroidered with draperies trimmed with white satin roses and orange blossoms. Her veil of rose point thread lace was caught up with a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a sheaf of pale pink roses tied with pearl pendants.

Mrs. Henry O'Brien of Toronto, cousin of the bride, was matron of honor, and was attired in a gown of orchid velvet with silver trimmings and wore a hat of silver lace trimmed with a wreath of sweetheart roses. She carried a bouquet of orchids and roses. Miss Cornelia Adams of Columbus, Ohio, and Miss Orr of Galt, Ont., sister of the groom, were bridesmaids. They were gowned alike in orchid taffeta and wore taffeta and tulle hats with pink roses and carried sheaves of pale pink roses. Miss Jean McAvity, niece of the bride, was flower girl, and wore a pretty pink taffeta gown and bonnet, rose trimmed, and carried a silver basket of sweetheart roses.

Allan Thomas of this city was best man and Hugh McLean, Ralph Hayes and Thomas McAvity of St. John and Arthur Fortier of Galt acted as ushers.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 66 Orange street. The bride received her friends in the drawing room, which was attractively decorated with white pedestals on which rested silver baskets of pink roses and maidenhair fern, with garlands of smilax. Large bowls of pink roses and baskets of ferns were also used in the decoration.

Mr. and Mrs. Orr will reside in Leinster street. Both the young people have a great many friends who will wish them much happiness.

FIRE ROUTS OUT THE WORLD SUNDAY SCHOOL DELEGATES

Tokio, Oct. 5.—A building in which the world's Sunday school convention here was to be held was burned just before the opening of the convention today. It was crowded with delegates, but the door keepers expressed belief that all escaped.

A party of Canadian delegates went to Japan to attend the convention. There also were delegates from the British Isles, Australia, the United States, Europe, China and other parts of the world.

Toronto, Oct. 5—According to information made public today by Rev. H. C. Priest, secretary of the Canadian Forward Missionary movement, Canada sent eighty-five delegates to the eighth world's Sunday school convention in Tokio.

The delegates, he said, left Canada on different occasions, but had arranged to meet in Tokio in time for the convention.

According to his information, which he had previously received from missionary bodies stationed at Tokio, the building where the delegates assembled, and which was burned this morning, was erected specially for this occasion at an estimated cost of 150,000 yen, or $75,000.

The building is close to the Tokio station and the Emperor of Japan's palace.

Among those attending the convention was Rev. Dr. S. D. Chown, head of the Methodist church in Canada.

ESCAPES LASH

Prisoner in Montreal Penitentiary Ill and Not Able to Stand Punishment.

Montreal, Oct. 5—Illness saved Jack, alias Charles, Wilson from reciving five blows with the "cat-o'-nine-tails" at St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary yesterday. Wilson, who was sent to serve a term of several years for rape, was in addition sentenced last June by Judge Desy to receive five blows of the lash on Oct. 4, and five more on April 4, 1921. For several days he has been ill and it was found that the prisoner was too weak to receive the punishment. According to the law, if the prisoner is unable on the day fixed to undergo the punishment, he cannot be punished on any other day, and therefore he escapes the whipping. In the case of Wilson, however, five blows will be inflicted next April.

REGISTER PRIZE HOG AT HOTEL AND GIVE HIM ROOM

Des Moines, Iowa, Oct. 5.—In Iowa nothing is too good for the hog. Baby Hawkeye Giant, an eight months old junior champion porker weighing 350 pounds and valued at $10,000, arrived at a prominent downtown hotel in an expensive automobile yesterday, walked into the hotel lobby on carpets spread especially for his visit, was registered for by W. J. Carmichael, secretary of the National Swine Show, posed for a picture and then snorted his way haughtily into the elevator and rose to a tenth floor, corner front room where he spent the night.

Duke of Devonshire Is Ill in Victoria

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 5.—Owing to a severe cold the Duke of Devonshire has been obliged to cancel all his engagements. He will remain in Victoria for a few days.

ROB AGED MUTE OF ROLL OF $650

Hold-Up Men Use Gun — He Had Refused to Put His Savings in Bank.

London, Ont., Oct. 5.—While passing a dark spot in Wyatt street, early yesterday, George Morse, aged 65, deaf and dumb, was held up by two men and robbed of $650.

According to the story two men stepped out. One held him up with a revolver, while the other searched him. As he is unable to hear or speak, he could not let anyone know of his plight until he had reached home. By that time the hold up men had enough time for escape. The old man has been carrying his savings on his person for months despite warnings from friends. The bills were in his hip pocket.

BOTH AIRPLANES ARE ON THE WAY

Left Fredericton About One o'clock This Afternoon for Halifax.

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 5—Unfavorable flying conditions reported from the sea coast this morning delayed the resumption of the Montreal to Halifax flight which Colonel Robert Leckie, D. S. O., and Major Percival Hobbs, D. S. O., started in a Fairey float type seaplane last Wednesday. They did not start until about 1 p. m.

When they finally got away they were quickly followed by the hydroplane which arrived here yesterday in response to a message from Colonel Leckie. The Fairey machine took the air about 1.03 p. m., followed five minutes later by the hydroplane. Colonel Leckie's machine seemed to be working perfectly; Major Schearer, who was in charge of the H. S. 2-L machine which arrived last evening from Halifax, also made a good get-away, but was flying very low as he started in pursuit of the seaplane.

Colonel Leckie's plane, flying at a fairly low altitude, passed over the city this afternoon at 2.15 p. m.

MORE REPRISALS IN IRELAND

Dublin, Oct. 4.—Following upon an unsuccessful Sinn Fein raid on the police barracks at French Park, County Roscommon on Saturday, reprisals were carried out in that neighborhood on Sunday morning by police and military in motor lorries. At Ballingare, two shops and the residence of a farmer were burned by means of bombs and petrol. Crops and much property were destroyed. The house and furniture of a prominent Gaelic leader were also burned. A farmer was stabbed; there was considerable shooting and the townspeople were terrified.

A. O. H. to Premier.

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 5—The Halifax branch of the Ancient Order of Hibernians has despatched a cablegram to Premier Lloyd George "demanding the release of Lord Mayor MacSwiney."

The 54th Day.

London, Oct. 5.—Lord Mayor MacSwiney, who this morning began the 54th day of his hunger strike, passed a fairly good night, according to a bulletin issued this morning by the Irish Self-Determination League. From nine o'clock last night until six o'clock this morning he was very quiet and restful, it is said, but it is impossible to say whether he slept all that time. The bulletin adds that he was much weaker this morning. He himself, said that he felt very weak, but was suffering no pain.

FREEDOM FOR VON SCHACK AND VON BOPP TODAY

Leavenworth, Kas., Oct. 5—Two German consular agents who, during their war time activities, planned to set on foot within the United States a military expedition against Canada and the blowing up of a C. P. R. tunnel in British Columbia, will probably be set at liberty today.

They are Eckhart H. Von Schack and Franz Von Bopp, former counsul general and vice counsul general for the imperial German government at San Francisco.

They were brought to the prison in the summer of 1918 to serve sentences of five years each for violation of the neutrality of the United States. Both are expected to return to Germany.

NEW SCHOOL.

Among the property transfers recorded this week is one covering a lot of land from Joseph Jones to School District No. 8 in the parish of Simonds. It is on this lot that a start has been made in the erection of a new school for East St. John and vicinity. Work is now being carried out on the foundations and water connection has been made with the main which runs to Little River. It is expected that the building will be completed this fall.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said the Times reporter to Mr. Hiram Hornbeam, "is the world really going to the dogs? Is civilization a failure as Anatole France and some other weary Titans of the pen appear to believe?"

"Well, sir," said Hiram, "if you made up your mind on what they call partial evidence you might think so. Now you take what's goin' on sometimes or all the time in big cities. Some feller throws a bomb in Noo York. The papers is full of it. But all the time the's millions o' people in Noo York goin' about their bizness. S'pose you hev trouble here in St. John, or up in Moncton where people is crowded together an' mebbe some fellers with crazy notions gits somebody to listen to 'em. Out in the Settlement an' all over the rest o' the provinces the people is goin' about their bizness same as ever. It don't do to jedge from what's goin' on in the crowded places. They say one swaller doesn't make a summer an' one city don't make the hull country. Behind all this here roarin' an' ravin' that you hear from a few places is the solid people o' the country—the folks that owns somethin' an' knows it's their own. They ain't a-gonto let the country or the world go to the dogs. They're the backbone o' civilization. Don't you worry about the world. Per every lunatic the's an army o' people in their right mind—yes sir."

WAS IN DANGER

Man Asleep Near Edge of Roof in Pond Street.

That a man was lying dead near the edge of a roof on a house in Pond street was a report circulated this morning. Two men working at the depot notified Policeman McNamee, a ladder was procured and he went up to investigate. The man was alive but sound asleep and he was quite surprised upon being awakened to find what a narrow escape he had. He said that he gone on the roof for a quiet nap and must have rolled over near the edge.

COMMITTEES OF SYNOD MEET

The quarterly meeting of the committee of the Diocesan Synod of Fredericton was commenced this morning in the Church of England Institute. Bishop Richardson of Fredericton, presided. This morning an ordination candidates council meeting was held at 10 o'clock while at 11 o'clock a theological study meeting was held. At 12 o'clock the matter of church literature was taken up and at 2 o'clock the committee dealing with the question of the clergymen's widows' welfare held a meeting. The standing committee of the synod met at 2.30 and the social service council met at 3.30 and at 8 o'clock this evening the matter of Sunday schools is to be discussed. The session will be continued tomorrow and on Thursday.

The following clergymen were present at the meetings today: Bishop Richardson, Very Rev. Dean Neals of Fredericton, Venerable Archdeacon Newman of St. Stephen, Venerable Archdeacon Forsythe of Chatham, Rev. H. H. Gillies of Lower Jemseg, Rev. W. J. Wilkinson of Chatham, Rev. Canon A. W. Daniel of Rothesay, Rev. Canon Smithers of Fredericton, Rev. T. P. Parker of Central Norton, Rev. Canon R. A. Armstrong, Rev. Canon G. A. Kuhring, Venerable Archdeacon A. H. Crowfoot, Rev. H. A. Cody, Rev. J. H. A. Holmes, Rev. W. P. Dunham and Rev. W. H. Sampson, of St. John.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director of meterological service.

Toronto, Oct. 5—Temperatures:

Stations.	8 a. m.	Yesterday. Highest	Yesterday. Lowest	Night. Lowest during Night
Victoria	50	52	48	
Kamloops	50	..	48	
Calgary	30	72	34	
Edmonton	30	64	34	
Prince Albert	42	72	40	
Winnipeg	46	66	42	
White River	24	58	24	
Sault Ste. Marie	42	56	40	
Toronto	46	73	42	
Kingston	42	64	42	
Ottawa	46	72	42	
Montreal	46	64	44	
Quebec	48	62	46	
St. John, N. B.	52	62	50	
Halifax	52	68	48	
St. John's, Nfld.	..	62	..	
Detroit	52	72	48	
New York	58	74	56	

Synopsis—A well marked area of high pressure which has developed considerably since yesterday morning is now centered in Minnesota. The weather in the dominion has been fair with the exception of a few local showers from the Georgian Bay district to the maritime provinces.

Fair.

Maritime—Fresh west to north winds, a few showers today. Wednesday fresh north to west winds; fair, stationary or a little lower temperature.

Gulf and North Shore—Winds becoming fresh west to north; a few scattered showers, but mostly fair and cool.

New England—Fair and cooler tonight, probably frost in the interior; Wednesday, fair; moderate to fresh northwest winds.

RACE RIOT AND A STIFF BATTLE

Firemen Aid Police and There Is Serious Time in Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Oct. 5.—Police reserves assisted by city firemen, were called upon to resist a mob of about 1,000 which stormed a police station in the Hill district here last night, in an effort to release four prisoners who had been arrested during a clash between a cowd of white men and negroes.

The authorities say that the trouble started near the police station, when a white man bumped into a negress. Her escort struck the white man they said and within a few minutes a large crowd of whites and negroes were in the fight.

A few policemen rushed into the mob and arrested two negroes and two white men. They took the prisoners to the station house, but the mob followed and tried to release the men. Riot calls were sounded, and firemen were called to help the police. When the reserves arrived the mob was forced from the station by policemen with clubs and revolvers.

A police lieutenant and two patrol men were painfully injured by bricks and milk bottles hurled by members of the mob.

MUST PAY TAX

Pass or Open Door Does Not Exempt from Amusement Toll.

Montreal, Oct. 5—Persons entering places of amusement, even when not purchasing a ticket, but by means of a pass, or through the compliance of a theatre management or employment buy an amusement tax ticket. This was the judgment of Mr. Recorder Semple, in the case of the city of Montreal vs. Joseph Jette, and the same plaintiff against Juanita Brindle yesterday.

Jette is the ticket taker at the "Canada," a moving picture theatre, and the woman is the ticket seller.

He was accused of permitting a person to enter the theatre without paying the amusement tax, and the woman is accused of being a party of this offence.

ENLISTED AT 70

Brockville Man Receives the Mons Star from War Office.

Brockville, Ont., Oct. 5—Terence Glazier, ex-sapper in the 11th battalion, Royal Engineers, aged seventy-six, yesterday received the Mons star from the British war office for his services in the great war. He was seventy years old when he enlisted. He had served in the Fenian raid, the Boer war and the Russo-Japanese war and was sent to England by private subscription, here, after attempts by him to enlist in the C. E. F. in 1914 had failed.

BOY BURNED TO DEATH AS HE WAS NEAR TO RESCUE

Peterboro, Ont., Oct. 5—Edward Corkery, sixteen, was burned to death yesterday, and John Brick and Timothy Crough were severely burned in a fire which destroyed Crough's barn and contents, including fourteen horses, some of them belonging to neighbors who were assisting in filling a silo.

Crough was carrying Corkery from the burning building when one of the horses started kicking, compelling him to drop the boy.

The fire is supposed to have been started by a spark from the engine being used in chopping the ensilage.

JOIN TO MAKE MEXICO PAY UP

Report of Treaty Agreement by Britain, France and United States.

Mexico City, Oct. 5.—Intimations that Great Britain, France and the United States have concluded a treaty against Mexico and contained in Washington despatches to the presidential offices here.

It is believed the treaty may possibly be connected with an agreement relative to the collecting damages of $20,000,000 resulting from revolutions here.

Washington, Oct. 5—The British, French and United States governments have had some correspondence regarding Mexico and the numerous claims of their citizens, but state department officials deny that any treaty against Mexico has been negotiated.

Reports that such a treaty had been entered into originated in Berlin, and were attributed to a high official in the German government.

RECEIVED NICE SUM.

The excellent sum of $40.85 was realized by two little girls, Madeleine Ervine and Wilda McCallum, at 77 Ludlow street last Saturday afternoon, at a bazaar in aid of the Provincial Memorial Home in Wright street. A boudoir cap was won by Mrs. J. H. Harned. A big pumpkin, donated by Mr. Ross, was won by Captain Norwood of the ferry steamer Ludlow. Nobody was successful in guessing the name of a doll donated by Miss Amdur, so lots were drawn and Miss Pauline Wilcox was successful. Its name was Fanny.

The Brethren

Now the Brethren had been driven forth into the wilderness because of their manifold sins and transgressions.

They had despoiled the forests and made havoc in the Valley of the Railroad.

Nor did they repent when their guilt was made manifest, nor when they were exhorted to turn aside from their transgressions.

Nor did they make restitution unto those who had been made the victims of their covetousness.

Even in the wilderness they were stiff-necked and perverse, and sought by devious ways to return to the flesh-pots of Fredericton.

They gave ear to false prophets speaking strange doctrines, and their hearts were hardened.

But the people were not minded to be despoiled a second time, and their young men and maidens and their old men and women went about with long ballots in their hands, awaiting the day of battle.

And when it came and the Brethren would have seized unto themselves the wealth of the land a great host rose up against them and smote them hip and thigh.

And the sound of the strife was heard from Grand Harbor to Metapedia, and from St. Leonard's even unto Negnac.

And the people gained a great victory over the Brethren, and again cast them forth into the wilderness, that they might repent and re-create themselves and fulfil that which is written:—He that is out there let him be out there still.

CHICAGO HOTELS CUT THE PRICES

Substantial Reductions in Dining Room Charges by Hotel Association.

Chicago, Oct. 5—(Canadian Press)—The hotel association of Chicago, composed of all the loop hotels, have put into effect a revised menu. The price cut was brought about by a request from the city council high cost of living committee last week to lower their prices to conform with wholesale prices. The price cut ranged all the way from 10 to 60 per cent.

Salads were cut 25 to 50 per cent. Ice creams were reduced 15 to 25 cents a dish. Entrees were cut from 26 to 60 cents. Steaks, chops, roast beef and other meat dishes will be reduced later in the week.

HOPE FAILS

Flynn Thinks Zelenko Clear of Wall Street Explosion.

New York, Oct. 5—William J. Flynn, chief of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice, today expressed the belief that Florian Zelenko, held in Pittsburg, had no connection with the Wall street explosion. Mr. Flynn said he believed none of the real conspirators would have left himself so open to suspicion as had the Pittsburg suspect.

HAIG'S PLAN TO HELP SOLDIERS

Hopes for Empire Organization — Large Number of Men Out of Work.

London, Oct. 5—Field Marshal Haig, speaking in Glasgow, expressed the desire to see a great united empire organization for helping ex-service officers and men, 200,000 of whom are out of work, and their numbers are increasing. Field Marshal Haig mentioned that he would visit Cape Town next spring to assist in forming such an organization.

THE PILOTAGE

G. E. L. Robinson, superintendent-general of pilots, and A. Boyle, chief accountant, are in the city arranging for the handing over of the pilot service to the marine department. It is expected that the transfer will be completed tomorrow. Mr. Robinson is highly pleased with the new pilot boat which was recently purchased by J. C. Chesley, local superintendent of pilots. This boat is now being equipped with power and the accommodations are being rearranged to suit the pilots. When completed, it is said, it will be the best boat of her kind in pilotage service along the Atlantic. The Lynch, which is at present in service, will be sold and a large motor boat purchased for the use of the pilots boarding and leaving ships in the bay. In future the collector of customs will collect all pilotage dues.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, Oct. 5—The local stock market was very dull during the first half hour this morning and very little trading took place.

Breweries remained steady at 64. Brompton went up three quarters of a point to 78¾. Laurentide remained unchanged at 111, as did Spanish River at 113. Riordon continued its upward drive by rising two more points since last night's close. It is now 215. Steamships weakened a half point to 68½, while the preferred was steady at 73. Other issues were quiet.

ALL SET FOR THE OPENING GAME

Marquard and Bagby Likely the Pitchers

Cleveland Rules Slight Favorite to Win the Series But Brooklyn Banking on Good Pitchers.

New York, Oct. 5—All that remained to complete the setting for the first game of the 1920 world's series between the Brooklyn Nationals and Cleveland Americans, at Ebbet's Field today, was the fair weather promised after an unheralded rainstorm last night.

Manager Speaker of the Cleveland team, due to arrive here early today, planned to go to their quarters at Ebbet's Field as soon as possible, to get acquainted with the layout of the diamond. The Indians felt that they would be at some disadvantage because of unfamiliarity with the playing field, but hoped to overcome this to some extent before game time. They will have no opportunity for actual practice until they begin warming up, as the diamond has been put in first class shape and it was planned to keep it so until the game started.

There were a great many disappointed fans who could not get tickets to see one or more of the games. The unreserved seats in the field stands and bleachers were put on sale yesterday and when the box office opened there was a large crowd that kept the sellers busy all day. There were a few tickets left at the close of the day and these were on sale this morning with a few reserved seats not called for by applicants. The unsold tickets proved insufficient for the demand.

Some fans expressed determination to wait all night to hold places in the line today, but a cold drizzling rain had a chilling effect and by ten o'clock this morning only "bitter enders" were in line for bleacher seats.

Cleveland Favorite.

Cleveland ruled a slight favorite in what little betting was announced, but Manager Robinson and the Brooklyn players felt that the apparent batting advantage possessed by Cleveland would be offset by the superior pitching of Brooklyn. They argued that the Indians were not called upon during the American League season to face such a staff of uniformly good pitchers.

Today it was announced from both camps that all the men were physically fit and prepared to play their best. The only possibility of an advantage in condition lies in the fact that while the Cleveland players spent last night traveling the Superbas were resting.

Manager Robinson had no worry as to his line-up and the team was prepared to take the field as it has played through the greater part of the season.

With Manager Speaker it was different, since a majority of his regular players are left handed hitters and the Brooklyn leader made no secret of his intention to use a southpaw in the opening game.

Speaker had not definitely decided how he would meet the situation. It was reported early today that he was considering using his right hand hitting crew in the event of Brooklyn starting a left hand pitcher. This would mean Joe Wood and possibly Joe Evans in the outfield with Speaker himself and possibly George Burns on first base in place of Doc Johnston. This combination, however, would not present so strong an offensive aggregation as the season's records show with Jamieson and Smith in the outfield and Johnston on first.

Baseball critics were of the opinion that Speaker would stick to what has been termed the regular line up, at the start, making changes only in the event that the left hand hitters failed to hit the Brooklyn southpaw.

Indications were that the selections would be Marquard for Brooklyn and Bagby for Cleveland. The probable line up is:

Cleveland—Jamieson, l.f.; Wambsgans, 2b.; Speaker, c.f.; Smith, r.f.; Gardner, 3b.; Johnston, 1b.; Sewell, s.s.; O'Neill, c.; Bagby or Coveleskie, p.

Brooklyn—Olsen, s.s.; Johnston, 3b.; Griffith, r.f.; Wheat, l.f.; Myers, c.f.; Konetchy, 1b.; Kilduff, 2b.; Miller, c.; Marquard or Smith, p.

A TRUE BILL

Former Official of David Spencer's, Ltd., Accused of Stealing.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 5—The grand jury yesterday brought in a true bill against Griffith Hughes on an indictment of stealing $38,000 from David Spencers, Ltd.

Hughes was a chartered accountant and for several years had been confidential advisor to Spencers, Ltd., having charge of its banking and financing.

ASK GOVERNMENT OF QUEBEC TO ASSIST McGILL

Montreal, Oct. 5—A delegation, composed of E. W. Beatty, president of the C. P. R.; Sir Charles Gordon, General Sir Arthur Currie, principal of McGill; J. K. L. Ross, and others waited on Hon. Mr. Taschereau, Premier of Quebec yesterday to ask government assistance in the campaign for $5,000,000 about to be launched in aid of McGill University.

Premier Taschereau said the government realized how high an asset McGill was to the province and asked to have a memorandum drawn up showing the university's needs so that he might study it carefully.

EXCHANGE TODAY.

New York, Oct. 5—Sterling exchange firm. Demand 348¾. Cables 349½. Canadian dollars were quoted at 8⅞ discount.