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SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

BASEBALL.
Change in Ownership.
New York, Jan. 14.—The controlling interests in the New York National League Club held by the estate of John T. Brush, was sold today to Charles A. Stoneham, a broker; Judge Francis X. McQuade, and John J. McGraw. The sum of \$1,000,000 was said to have been paid for the controlling interest.

PROVIDENCE AGAIN.
New York, Jan. 14.—The International League, at its meeting today considered the return of Providence to its circuit. Providence will probably replace Hamilton, Ontario.

IN MONEY TROUBLE.
St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 14.—With a second mortgage of \$80,000 on the St. Louis National League baseball club, exclusive of interest, falling due tomorrow, it is said that no plan was devised to take care of the indebtedness at a meeting of the stockholders today, and there is no doubt that the club will be sold at auction under foreclosure.

RING.
To Legalize Boxing.
Albany, N. Y., Jan. 14.—L. W. H. Gibbs, of Buffalo, announced tonight that he had prepared a bill designed to legalize boxing and that he would introduce it in the legislature in a few days.

THE TURF.
Grand Circuit Remains the Same.
Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 4.—No changes were made today in the membership of the Grand Circuit at the annual meeting of the organization and all light harness meetings of the organization will follow the same sequence as last year. Peoria (Ill.), was

refused a place on the "Big Line," it was stated, as to grant the Peoria application would have disarranged the circuit.

The schedule provides for the opening of the Grand Circuit racing at North Randall in the week of July 7 to 15. The season closes at Atlanta, Georgia, October 13-18.

SKATING.
A Race and a Protest.
An exciting mile skating race was held at the Victoria rink last evening, and was won by John Watts. The other competitor was Mrs. Flewelling. It is understood that he will protest the race claiming only twelve laps were skated for the mile instead of fourteen.

HOCKEY.
National League.
The Arenas defeated the Ottawas, 8 to 2, in Toronto last night in a slow game.

AQUATIC.
Power Boat Officers.
At the annual meeting of the St. John Lower Boat Club last evening the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: J. C. Chesley, commodore; J. G. Sullivan, vice-commodore; Sergeant Lake, rear commodore; W. A. Jamieson, secretary; William Edgett, treasurer; executive committee, S. G. McMillan, H. L. Bell, George Palmer, H. C. Lemon, R. J. Adams; R. S. Carson, fleet captain; Dr. T. E. Bishop, fleet surgeon; Rev. Craig W. Nichols, fleet chaplain.

SCHOOL INSTRUCTION ON THE WORLD WAR
(Montreal Herald.)
A committee of district school superintendents and principals in New York assisted by high school teachers, have prepared a syllabus on the world war for use in the high schools that has won great commendation. It is stated that within one hundred printed pages, profusely illustrated with typewritten pictures, is given a concise statement of war facts in general. The seven chapters on the war include the fundamental causes, the coming of "The Day," the story of the war; German atrocities and violations of international law; why the United States entered the war; the United States in the world war; and American ideals as set forth by President Wilson. It is interesting to note that five lines giving views attributed to ex-President Roosevelt, who died this morning, on neutrality were censored.

It would be a good thing if the idea were followed in Canada, for it is immensely important that the coming generation shall view the causes and issues of the war in their proper perspective.

In New York the syllabus and all such elementary schools have been adopted by the board of superintendents. Superintendent Ettinger in a communication to principals last September advised them that "all the material in chapters I-VII should be taught during the term ending Jan. 31, 1919, in the most efficient and inspiring manner, to all the pupils in your school. Notice will be sent later in reference to the teaching of this subject during subsequent terms."

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IN DEMOCRATIC FULL DRESS

"UNDER SUSPICION"

The Hun Gorilla—How do I look now?—London Evening News.

TACKLING QUESTION OF REPATRIATION RIGHT
(Ottawa Citizen.)
As our soldiers marched away from Canada to fight the battles of liberty on the continent of Europe they were promised in no uncertain terms by cabinet ministers, by public officials and private citizens that their dependents would be cared for and that their return to their return to civil life would be provided for. The long travail of anxiety and stress is over. The principles of liberty and democracy for which our men fought and gave their lives so val-

impossible, but the matter depends upon improved gates.

The Marlebone Cricket Club committee decided not to give a decision at present on the question whether the county championship should be confined to two days matches, as agreed to by a ten to six majority at a recent meeting of the advisory committee.

lantly can now be established permanently on earth.

The peace conference is due to assemble in the near future and as soon as its preliminary deliberations are complete there will be a general disembarkment of our armies. Already our men are arriving back in considerable numbers and the time is not far distant when the main process of demobilization will begin. Promises are easily made, but they seem sometimes hard to fulfil, and if ever there was a promise that the people of Canada, as a nation, must fulfil and fulfil with promptness and completeness, it is the promise to care for our soldiers and their dependents and see that they suffer no hardship by their sacrifices for our cause.

Roughly 400,000 men have been overseas in all and of these about 100,000 are now back in Canada, some in hospitals or vocational training schools, others back in civilian employment awaiting discharge. There are still due to come almost 300,000 men from the various regions in which the Canadian army is located. The great majority of these men are fit and well, and ought to be ready, after a short holiday, to resume the ordinary avocations of civilian life. They will come back at a time when the country is in a very delicate position, in a state of transition from war to peace basis. They will find themselves confronted with the competition of the many munition workers whose employment has temporarily ceased. The problem for the people of Canada is this: to provide opportunities for a life of happiness and comfort for every returned man. There are some whose wounds and sufferings may seem to prevent them from taking any employment; for those there will be provided pensions and special help. There are others whose disability will unfit them for their old trades. They must be educated and trained to find employment, but for the large mass of the returning army, the problem is to find employment at fair and reasonable wages.

There must be a readiness among all classes, by co-operation, and by individ-

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CHARLIE CHAPLIN in "THE WOMAN"

The summer residents of Millidgeville were entertained at dinner by A. M. Rowan at the Union Club last evening. The host president, and after the conclusion of the dinner short addresses were given by several of the guests, and a very happy and social evening was spent.

McGuire Brothers, proprietors of the Union Station, 102 Union street, and of a restaurant, 44 Mill street, have made an arrangement for the benefit of creditors to John A. Barry. Both places of business are closed. The members of the firm are J. Philip McGuire and Daniel J. McGuire.

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MUTT, I WAS JUST READING ABOUT WHAT THE PEACE CONGRESS IS GONNA DO THEY SAY THE COMING PEACE MUST MAKE WAR DIFFICULT, IF NOT IMPOSSIBLE

I KNOW IT!

THINK OF WHAT THAT MEANS! IT MEANS THAT WE'RE GONNA BE LIKE ONE BIG FAMILY AND NO ONE WILL DARE TO KICK UP A FUSS 'ERE'S GONNA HAVE REAL PEACE

GO WAY, I'M READING.

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