FIRST THING THE FANS KNOW, REPORTS OF BASEBALL GAMES WILL APPEAR ON THE FINANCIAL PAGE

IT USED TO BE A SPORT, BUT THE MAGNATES AND PLAYERS MADE PLAY INTO PAY AND NOW IT'S A BUSINESS.

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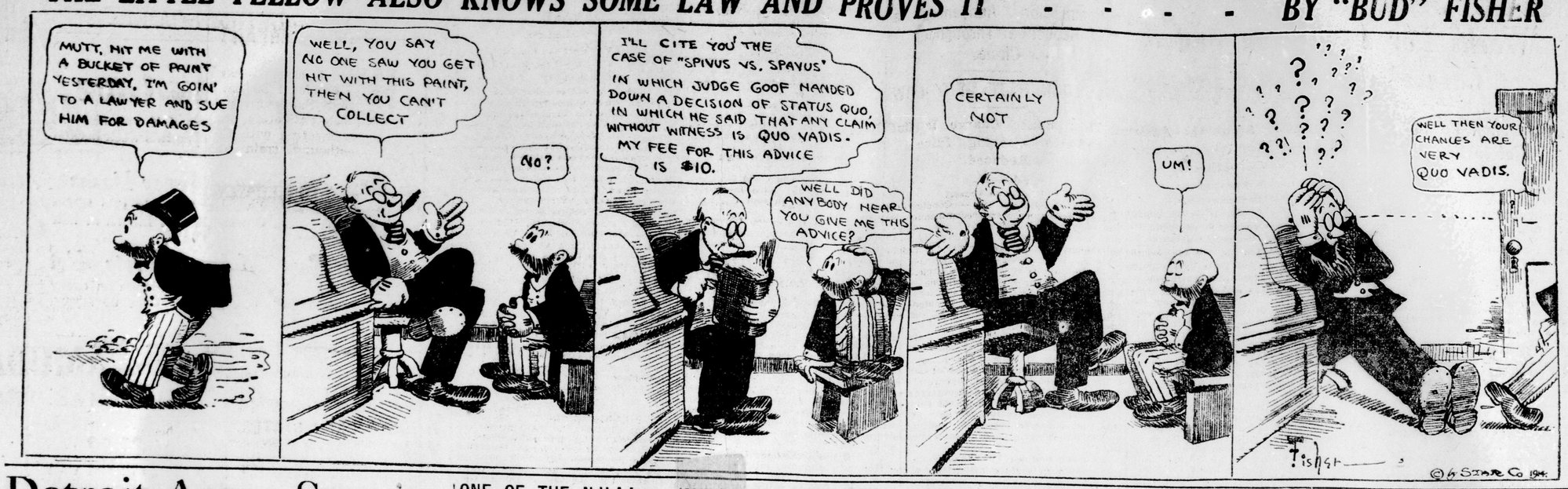

Boston Braves To Have Grounds Like Yale Bowl

One-Story Stands To Hold 45,000 People Will Be Built.

BOSTON, Dec. 16.—One-story stands, capable of seating approximately 45,000 spectators, will be built at the Boston National League club's new baseball park in the Allston district. In making public his plans today President James E. Gaffney said the grounds would be constructed something after the manner of the Yale Bowl. The base of the stands will be placed twelve feet below the street level, making it possible at some future date to add another story and not have it too high above the playing ground. Mr. Gaffney said the time was coming when a double deck stand capable of seating 60,000 persons would be needed. The entire stands, including the bleachers, will be of cement.

Mr. Gaffney had assurances from President J. J. Lannin, of the American League club, that the Braves will be allowed the use of Fenway Park until the new plant is ready.

It is expected that construction will be finished about July 4. The playing field will be larger than that of Fenway Park.

JOCKEY CLUB STEWARD DEAD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—John G. Follansbee, financier and steward of the Jockey Club, is dead at Summit, N.J. He had been in poor health for many months.

Detroit Arena Seven Beat Western 3 to 2

Snappy Contest Marked Opening of Season in Detroit Before 1,500 Fans---Ritchie and Kenny Scored London's Goals.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 16. — Manager Stephens' stalwarts went down to defeat before the Detroit Arena septet here tonight, by a score of 3 to 2. The game marked the official opening of the hockey season and a crowd of 1,500 fans turned out.

It was as snappy a bit of pastiming as has been witnessed since hockey took hold in the City of the Straits, and, while the result went against the Canadians every point gained was stubbornly contested. While the game was featured by many bright plays, the work of Chapman, for the Londoners, stood out distinctively. "Chappy's" record was sixteen stops, against Pelletier's nine.

Westerns' Combination Good.

Detroit's onslaughts as a rule were wild, and they displayed a lack of combination, which offset to some extent their aggressive assaults, but this was more than compensated for by the magnificent forward line work of London. A dozen times during the battle the Canadian machine worked in unison, and there was some splendid team work, which evoked encouraging cheers.

Players Were Numbered.

For the first time here, the players were numbered, each man carrying a large, distinct numeral on the back of his jersey, and this enabled the crowd, as well as the scorers, to make a more keen analysis of the play.

Kenny scored the first goal for the visitors on a nice piece of team play from the wing, with but a minute left for play in the first half. Ritchie counted the other point after fifteen minutes of the second half had elapsed. He took the puck down the ice, unaided, zigzagging through the locals, and shot from near the boards.

The teams:

Detroit—Pelletier, goal; Emery, first defence; Black, second defence; Kennedy (captain), rover; Johnson, centre; Shaw, left wing; Skelly, right wing.

London—Chapman, goal; Hall, first defence; Edwards, second defence; McAvoy, rover; McKay, centre; Ritchie, left wing; Kenney, right wing.

Final score—Detroit, 3; London, 2.

First half—Detroit, 2; London, 1.

Goals — First half, Kennedy, 10 minutes; Shaw, 16 minutes; Kenney, 19 minutes. Second half, Johnson, 4 minutes; Ritchie, 15 minutes.

Stops—First half, Pelletier, 4; Chapman 7. Second half, Pelletier, 5; Chapman, 9.

Penalties—Arthurs, Kennedy, Shaw, Skelly, Emery, McAvoy.

Offsides—First half, London, 4; Detroit, 1. Second half, London, 9; Detroit, 4.

Referee—Meincke, Portage Lake.

Time of periods—20 minutes.

Substitutes—McLean for Hall; Arthurs for McKay.

BONSPIEL AT THISTLE CLUB FOR TURKEYS FRIDAY NIGHT

Entries Will Be Received Up to 7:45 o'Clock—No Telephone Entries Accepted.

Local curlers will get down to business in real earnest on Friday night, when the Thistle Club will hold a bonspiel at the North End rink, starting at 8 o'clock sharp. Entries will be received up to 7:45 o'clock that evening. No telephoned entries will be accepted, however.

Four turkeys have been donated as prizes for the winning rink. The ice at the Thistle rink is in good condition, and should be in fine shape for the bonspiel, providing the temperature hovers around the freezing point. A good solid sheet has been formed in the past two or three days.

BUFFALO SHORTSTOP JUMPS TO THE FEDS

BUFFALO, Dec. 16. — Wilber C. Roach, captain and shortstop of the Buffalo International League team last year, today signed a two-year contract with the Buffalo Federals.

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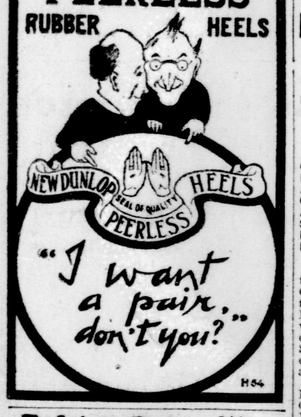

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BRUNSWICK BABIES BEAT OCCIDENTS 2 OUT OF 3

Tommy Maher's Infants Were in Good Form After the First Game.

THE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Tipperaries	6	0	1000
Marconi Club II	4	2	.667
Hymans	2	1	.667
Brunswick Babies	2	4	.333
Walper's 4 W's	2	4	.333
Prudentials	2	4	.333
Occidents II.	2	4	.333
Electrics	1	2	.333

In the Federal Bowling League last night the Brunswick Babies took two games out of three from the Occident No. 2 team. The Occidents managed to win the first game, but the Babies were too strong for them in the last two, although the third one was pretty close. Smith, of the Babies, was high man, with 486 aggregate score, and 192 individual. The other scores were as follows:

Brunswick Babies.

Kerr	164	145	137	446
Simmons	122	142	146	410
Russel	92	119	151	362
Maher	119	127	148	394
Smith	128	192	166	486
	625	725	748	2098

Occidents No. 2.

J. Tozer	126	135	142	403
J. Moore	149	131	166	446
J. Maudsley	129	116	127	372
F. Hardy	115	133	132	380
F. Ainge	148	128	179	455
	667	643	740	2050

LONDON HOUSE WON TWO GAMES FROM THE ALLIES

Ernie Heard's Team Won First Game But Lost the Last Two.

THE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Occidents	12	3	.800
Marconi Club	12	6	.667
Advertisers	9	9	.500
Cubs	7	8	.467
Allies	8	10	.444
St. Peters	8	10	.444
London House	7	11	.389
Brunswicks	6	12	.333

The London House won two out of three from the Allies in last night's City Bowling game. The Allies won the first, but could not stop the London House in the next two. Ernie Heard was high man, with an aggregate score of 509, and an individual score of 176. Sam Turner was high man for the London House, with 442. The scores were as follows:

Allies.

H. Hildebrand	127	151	144	422
G. Patterson	114	141	130	393
W. Gough	121	137	123	381
G. Nightingale	173	148	149	470
E. Heard	176	163	161	500
	711	740	715	2166

London House.

R. Collins	139	158	147	444
R. Steele	127	137	146	410
G. Finigain	156	137	137	430
S. Turner	140	166	146	452
A. Rodgers	119	152	147	418
	681	750	723	2154

CHARLIE WHITE'S ADMIRERS TO WAGER $10,000 ON HIM

Are Raising Pool of That Amount To Be In Case He Meets Freddie Welsh.

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Chicago admirers of Charlie White are so certain the local lightweight can grab the lightweight title that they were busy today raising a $10,000 pool to be wagered on White if Freddie Welsh accepts a proposal for a 20-round bout at 133 pounds.

ONE OF THE N.H.A.'s BIG DEFENCE PLAYERS

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GEORGE McNAMARA, who will be found again this season holding down a defence position on the Toronto Ontarios, together with his brother Howard. Both McNamara boys have been showing up good in the practices.

O.H.A. JUNIOR GROUP NO. 9 DRAWS UP ITS SCHEDULE

District Is Divided Into Two Divisions, Winners to Play Home and Home Games.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

STRATFORD, Dec. 16. — At the schedule arranging of No. 9 Junior O. H. A. group here this afternoon, the group was split in two, the winners of the sections to play off for group honors. Stratford and Mitchell in one section, and Berlin Union Jacks and Preston in the other.

A Division, Single Schedule.

Jan. 5.—Mitchell at Stratford.
Jan. 15.—Stratford at Mitchell.

B Division, Double Schedule.

Jan. 4.—Preston at Berlin.
Jan. 8.—Berlin at Preston.
Jan. 13.—Berlin at Preston.
Jan. 18.—Preston at Berlin.
Jan. 22.—A Division winners play at B Division winners.
Jan. 25.—B Division winners play at A Division winners.

Goals in first division games to count. Representatives present were: C. E. Martin, Mitchell; Mr. Clayton, Berlin; Frank Baker, Stratford. No representative was present from Preston.

SARNIA BANKERS MEET AND FORM HOCKEY LEAGUE

Six Financial Institutions Have Placed Teams in Organization.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

SARNIA, Dec. 16.—At a meeting of bankers, held here for the purpose of organizing a bank hockey league for the coming season. The banks were grouped as follows: Bank of Toronto, Royal Bank and Bank of Montreal, Industrial Mortgage and Lambton Loan and Investment Company, Bank of Commerce and Merchants Bank.

The following officers were elected: Secretary-Treasurer, M. M. McCormick; executime committee, J. G. Spence, D. Stewart, H. A. Nixon.

HANK O'DAY CONFERS WITH FEDERAL LEAGUE OFFICIALS

Deposed Manager of Cubs May Become Umpire In Outlaws Next Season.

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Hank O'Day, veteran National League umpire, recently deposed as manager of the Cubs, was in conference with Federal League officials here today, and it was expected that he would be added to the Federal list of arbitrators before night. President Gilmore confirmed the report that he has signed Umpire Jim Johnstone, formerly with the National League, but recently with the American association; Louis Fife, Western League umpire, and Harry Howell, from the Texas League.

BAN JOHNSON LEAVES TO INTERVIEW RUPPERT

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 16.—President Johnson of the American League leaves tonight for French Lick, where he is expected to meet Jacob Ruppert and Capt. L. L. Huston tomorrow and make final arrangements under which they will take over the control of the New York Americans.

WESTERN HOPES TO BEAT DETROIT IN GAME TONIGHT

Dr. Stephens Well Pleased With Showing of the Local Aggregation in Last Night's Game.

Western University will play the Detroit Arena seven again this evening, and the Londoners are confident of reversing last night's decision. A telegram received from Dr. H. J. Stephens states that he is well pleased with the showing of the boys so far, and that the team will be after the Detroit aggregation strong tonight. In last night's game Ritchie, Kenny, McLean, Arthurs and McAvoy looked the best together, with Chapman in goal, who played a strong game. An all-Western University team was used in the second half, the teams each scoring a goal in this period.

COMMITTEE ON RULES INCREASED TO SEVEN

Three Representatives From Each Major League, and One From National Association.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 16.—Section 1, article III., of the national baseball agreement has been amended by the concurrent vote of each major league and of the National Association, by increasing the membership of the chief joint committee on playing rules to seven members, according to a National Commission notice issued today. As amended and effective from today, on this section and article will read as follows:

"Whenever the committee certifies to the president of each major league and to the secretary of the National Association that in its judgment the playing rules require amendment, a joint committee of three representatives from each major league and one representative of the National Association shall meet on or before October 15 of the year in which such notice is served, and atopt a code of rules for the ensuing season."

MONDAY IS LAST DAY TO ENTER CHURCH TEAMS

Interdenominational League Extends Time for Entries of Teams To Be Received.

The Interdenominational Athletic Association met in the Y. M. C. A. parlors last night, and decided to extend the time for making entries to the hockey league until 5 o'clock on the evening of Monday, Dec. 21. There will be two leagues, junior and intermediate, the age limit for the juniors being under 18 at the time the season opens. The games will be played in the Simcoe street rink on Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights between the hours of 7:30 and 9:30 o'clock. The opening game will be played on Monday, Jan. 4. Churches wishing to enter teams are requested to notify Secretary H. S. Settigue, 319 Wortley road, or 'phone 2285. Dr. Detwiler was last night elected second vice-president of the association.

BIG LEAGUE SCHEDULES COMMITTEE MEETS TODAY

Barney Dreyfuss, President Tener and Ban Johnson Gather at French Lick Springs.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 16.—Barney Dreyfuss, president of the Pittsburg baseball club, and chairman of the schedule committee, announced today that the committee would meet tomorrow afternoon at French Lick Springs, Ind., to formulate the schedule for the National and American leages for the season of 1915. Mr. Dreyfuss will represent President Tener of the National League and President Ban B. Johnson will be there for the American League.

The meeting this year will be held three weeks earlier than usual.

FAMOUS ENGLISH ROWING SHELL BUILDER IS DEAD

Frederick Rough, Who Made Boats Used in All Big Races, Passes.

OXFORD, Dec. 16.—The death is announced here of Frederick Rough, the most famous English builder of rowing shells. He was 56 years old. He had been in failing health ever since his boat-house was burned by suffragettes three years ago. The shock of that occurrence completely unnerved him.

Mr. Rough's factory at Oxford has turned out most of the boats used by Oxford and Cambridge in their races for a score of years.

AMERICAN LEAGUE'S NEXT YEAR WILL BE BETTER THAN THE LAST

The American League will present a more formidable front next season than ever before. The change of ownership in New York and the increase interest which will be created in the White Sox because of the acquisition of Eddie Collins, not to speak of the new team which Connie Mack will have representing Philadelphia, will all tend to arouse interest in the American League race.

Baseball is not apt to suffer from demoralization, as it did last year owing to the advent of the Feds. The players will be less affected by the outlaws' offers. There is no doubt that last season the game was held far below its standard because of conditions.

Hockey

Gordon Bricker and "Dug" Addison will both be available for St. Michael's this season. The position of net guardian will be well taken care of with these two stars in line.

Hunt, the Kingston lad who was with the Ontarios last season, reported yesterday, and will make a big bid for the team. He was going fast for the first time out.

Torontos will be in excellent shape for the charity game on Saturday night. Jack Marshall has received a peak crest from Montreal, which will be worn on the sleeves of the jerseys of the members who were with last year's team. It is on a blue background with white letters reading world's champions, 1915.

St. Michael's College are going to make Upper Canada College and St. Andrew's hustle this season. Broderick and Doyle, of last year's septette, are still available, while several new candidates are going along in good style.

If Walter Munnery, the new man secured by Quebec, is as huge as his brother the rest of the teams in the N. H. A. will have a hard time getting the puck anywhere near the goal.

Don't overlook the Argonauts this winter. While the double blue aggregation have not the reputation of the other clubs, they are liable to make things decidedly interesting for some of the star outfits.

Sidley and Reynolds will make a pretty fair looking defence for the Toronto Rowing Club, and they also have a couple of good forwards in "Toad" Farr and Jack Birrell.

Ottawa are fortunate in securing the signature of Jack Darragh, who was one of the best goal getters in the N. H. A. last year. He won many a game for the Senators last year.

The famous McNamara brothers, better known as the "dynamite twins," are pretty nearly sure of landing the defence positions on the Ontarios. They are going along in great style at the morning practices.

The Wanderers of Montreal must be going a lot faster than they did on several occasions last winter if Lavigne, of Midland, cannot make the team.

N.H.A. PRESIDENT CALLS A MEETING FOR FRIDAY

Art Ross, Case Will Be One of the Matters To Come Up For Discussion.

MONTREAL, Dec. 16.—President T. Emmett Quinn, of the National Hockey Association, has issued notices calling a special meeting of the association to be held at the Windsor Hotel Friday night at 8 o'clock. At this meeting the reinstatement of Art Ross, who was expelled from organized hockey, will be dealt with. The management of the Torontos, Ottawas, Quebec and Ontarios were notified by wire today, and the local club verbally notified of the meeting.

SCHEDULE ADOPTED FOR INTERMEDIATE GROUP 6

BERLIN, Dec. 16.—Delegates met tonight and drafted group six of the Intermediate series. The schedule is as follows:

Jan. 4—Berlin at Waterloo.
Jan. 5—Elmira at Preston.
Jan. 8—Elmira at Berlin.
Jan. 8—Waterloo at Preston.
Jan. 11—Elmira at Waterloo.
Jan. 12—Berlin at Preston.
Jan. 15—Preston at Waterloo.
Jan. 15—Berlin at Elmira.
Jan. 19—Waterloo at Elmira.
Jan. 20—Preston at Berlin.
Jan. 25—Waterloo at Berlin.
Jan. 27—Preston at Elmira.

FED LEAGUE OWNERS GATHERING IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 16.—Federal League representatives gathered here this afternoon for the meeting tomorrow at which it is rumored newly-signed players will be distributed with a view to equalizing the added strength. The meeting was to have been held today, but a hearing in the Marsans case at St. Louis required the presence of President Gilmore and it was postponed.

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London Club Has Chance To Get G. Dunlap Back

Former London Shortstop, Now With Omaha, May Return Here.

The London Canadian League club has a chance to get George Dunlap, the former London shortstop who was sold to Cleveland at the end of the 1913 season, back. The Omaha club, who secured Dunlap from Cleveland when he failed to make good there, is now anxious to make a deal with the local club whereby the Connecticut boy comes back to the Canadian League.

Dunny failed to make good in Omaha, his weak hitting being his main fault. He was hurt shortly after arriving there and was unable to get in shape again. Omaha has good shortstop in Thomas and will not have room for Dunlap next season.

STRATFORD AND PRESTON MEET IN PRESTON MONDAY

Classic City Northern Leaguers, Will Play O. H. A. Intermediates Exhibition Game.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

PRESTON, Dec. 16. — The first home hockey match of the season will be played at the arena on Monday night, Dec. 21, between Stratford, Northern League seniors, and the local O. H. A. intermediates. Every local hockey fan is anxious to see the team work out, and pass his opinion as to where it could be improved. Stratford is bringing its best line-up, and the locals will line up in the positions that they expect to fill throughout the season.

PATSY DROUILLARD EASILY BEATEN BY HAL STEWART

Windsor Boy Made Miserable Showing in Bout With Fort Wayne Lightweight.

WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 16.—Patsy Drouillard, the Canadian lightweight, made a poor showing in his fight before the Windsor A. C. here tonight, against Hal Stewart, of Fort Wayne, Ind. In almost every round the Fort Wayne boy hammered Drouillard at will, and the latter was completely outclassed. The contest went the scheduled eight rounds, and Stewart finished under double wraps, while Patsy was groggy.

MEETING OF FEDERALS HAS BEEN DEFERRED

Chicago, Dec. 17.—Formal meeting of the Federal League leaders to discuss distribution of players, has again been deferred, this time indefinitely, it was announced today at the offices here. The meeting, it had been given out, was to have been held today. President Gilmore returned from St. Louis with the announcement that the hearing in the Marsans case had been postponed until about the middle of next month.

WAIVERS ARE ASKED ON EIGHTEEN CUBS

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 17.—Waivers have been asked on eighteen members of the Chicago club of the National League, according to announcement yesterday by Roger Bresnahan, manager of the club. Bresnahan said that seventeen players on the club's reserve list would be retained. He said that some of the men on whom waivers had been asked represented trading material, and that he was prepared to trade six of them for a certain second baseman

PLANK FAST AS EVER

Eddie Plank has not lost his speed or his hitting ability. He stole his annual base last season, and batted for his customary .150

STAR T.R. & A.A. PLAYER NOW WITH THE VICTORIAS

Advertiser Illustrations

GORDON MEEKING, member of senior O.H.A. champions last season, who will be seen with Toronto Victorias in senior O.H.A. this season.

Big Leagues Open Season On April 14

Schedules of 1915 Will Call For 145 Games as in Former Years.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 17.—Play in the American and National Leagues next season will start on April 14, it was said by B. B. Johnson, president of the former organizations, before departing last night for French Lick, Ind., to attend the schedule meetings of the two leagues.

The 1915 schedules, it was said, will call for 145 games, as in former years, and the season will close on about the same date as the last season in order to get the world's series started in good weather. President Johnson said he expected to meet Col. Jacob Ruppert, jun., and Capt. T. L. Huston, of New York, at the Indiana resort today and make final arrangements under which they will assume control of the New York club of the American League. Charles A. Comiskey, owner of the Chicago club; Wm. Harridge, secretary of the league, and Robert McRoy, formerly part owner of the Boston club, accompanied Mr. Johnson.

JIM ESSON BEATEN IN SASKATOON MATCH

Saskatoon, Sask., Dec. 17.—Jack Taylor defeated Jim Esson, holder of Lord Lonsdale's belt, after one hour and forty seconds of fast and rough work. The fall was secured in an unsatisfactory manner by Taylor catching his opponent's foot when the Scot had let go to come to the centre of the mat. When the referee would not allow Esson's complaint on this ground, Esson lay down, and gave up the fall, but the referee let Taylor continue to apply the toe hold until Esson's foot was hurt so badly he refused to go on for the second fall.

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