

**Will Cable Scores To The Trenches**

**Toronto Baseball Club to Send Results of Leafs' Games**

Toronto, April 1.—Many requests from the trenches have been received by the management of the Toronto baseball team for the scores of the games played by the Leafs this season in the International League and in the Inter-League series with the American Association.

President McCaffery said last night that he was negotiating with certain London newspapers to publish the scores of the games played by the Toronto team. The club has offered to defray the expenses of cabling the results, and looks forward to a favorable reply from the English publications.

Mr. McCaffery says that in the event of the International League following the lead of the American Association and the major leagues and devoting a percentage of the box office receipts to the Red Cross, the Toronto club will play its full part.

The Leaf management has already forwarded baseball goods to France to the value of \$1,000 and is prepared to furnish the lads in khaki with whatever additional paraphernalia they may need.

**New York Giants Are Favorites In National League**

New York, April 1.—Betting on the outcome of the two major league pennant races has already commenced in New York.

Between now and the opening of the season, April 11, thousands of dollars will have been ventured on the favorites in two major leagues, and some real big bets will be posted. But the trend of the betting is not encouraging to ardent followers of the Giants, for one big reason. They point out that low-priced favorites seldom carry off the honor, and about the best that can be gotten on the Giants is 6 to 5. In placing bets on any other team as good as 2 and 3 to 1 can be found. You can almost write your own ticket.

This means that the betting fraternity considers McCraw's club a sure thing for the pennant, and Giants are wondering if such faith isn't going to prove against the McGrawites.

In the American League it is different. There is no favorite there, the Red Sox, White Sox and Yanks and Tigers are all conceded a chance for the flag, and no one is offering any one of the four in preference to the others. All are 2 to 1 shots if you want to name a winner.

**HERZOG AND COBB STAGE FINISH FIGHT**

Dallas, Texas, April 2.—The sequel of the impromptu battle between Ty Cobb and "Buck" Herzog on the ball field on Saturday afternoon came several hours later when the men engaged in a stand-up fight in the Georgian hotel and Herzog took a sound thrashing.

The New York player served notice on Ty at dinner that he would be in his room at 8 o'clock ready to fight it out



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**Big Season Looked for in the United States This Year**

The horse racing season in the east, which begins at the Bowie track in Maryland, to be followed by meets at Havre de Grace and Pikesville, and by seasons at the New York and Canadian tracks in May, promises to be of unusual interest. There are evidences of a general revival of interest in the stakes. Few turf followers realize the tremendous improvements in the speed of race horses in the last century and a half. In the eighteenth century the fastest equines were Flying Childers and Eclipse. The latter was long considered one of the wonders of the world—a veritable marvel of speed and endurance, the very last word in horsemanship. Yesterday the 182nd anniversary of the birth of Eclipse, who was foaled on April 1, 1764, the day of a famous eclipse of the sun, hence his name. He was never beaten, and died in February, 1789, having lived almost a century of a century. He was never touched with whip or spur—a circumstance that upholds the theory of many present day horsemen that a great many of their horses would run truer to form if they never felt the whip. The heart of Eclipse weighed fourteen pounds of the eighteenth century, and twenty-six pounds. He was the fastest horse ever bred in the world up to the time of Eclipse. Flying Childers had great endurance as well as speed, and ran four miles in six minutes and forty-eight seconds, carrying 128 pounds. Great as these animals were, and predecessors, they could now be beaten by an ordinary pacer.

**Braves Are Ahead In Series With New York Yankees**

Florence, S. C., April 2.—The Braves and the Yankees doubled back to this place from Fayetteville to play a game this afternoon. The cancelling of a game at Columbia two months ago upset the straight run northward, and Fayetteville was used to fill in. It proved to be a good town, too, as there was an attendance of nearly 3,000 people at the game played there yesterday.

The series now stands, three to two in favor of the Boston Club, and Stallings wants to win the series so badly that he will work his pitching staff with a view to holding the present margin and adding to it if possible.

The chief is not feeling very well himself, having a rather stubborn attack of grippe, which will not yield to the treatment from which he got such good results in the case of Joe Wilhoit is going to have the time of his life to get back there as a regular.

Manager Bill Donovan is beginning to realize that he has not a very strong hitting club against left-handed pitching. His boys can clout the right handers pretty well. "Wild" Bill has what looks to be a great catcher in young Walters. He reminds one of 'Lou' Criger in the way he handles himself, but he is a much stronger man physically.

Joseph A. McIntosh and Miss Bessie A. DeWolfe, both of West St. John, were very quietly united in marriage last night at St. Jude's church, the pastor, Rev. G. F. Scovill, officiating. Following a short honeymoon trip, Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh will reside at 154 Gernsain street, West St. John.



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