

League Baseball Season Opens in the City Today

OPENING BALL GAME WAS POSTPONED

Grounds Were Wet and Managers Decided That Initial Game be Played Today

The weather clerk was not very kind to the Calgary baseball fans yesterday, and consequently the opening of the local baseball season had to be postponed until today.

Providing the weather is favorable the opening will take place this afternoon, and the arrangements will be the same as planned for yesterday. This will include the parade, and those who promised to provide motor cars requested to bear this in mind.

The game will commence at 3:30 p.m. Ed. Deacon will pitch for Calgary. At least in his turn, and the local club artist is working right well in the twisting hero of the day.

Yesterday Manager Bill Carney and Deacon White made a satisfactory agreement whereby Dell Gouche will hereafter be seen in an Edmonton uniform.

The deal was a conditional one, and if Calgary needs him Deacon will have to turn "Pop" back again.

Another pitcher turned up yesterday for Deacon. This makes six with Samuel, Barnstead, Dick, Gray and McClair.

Manager White in conversation with the writer yesterday, stated that his thing is sure, and he is able to pick out a warm bunch from this trio.

Manager White gets another infielder whom he is figuring on, his team will be up to cover the weather man.

Carney's bunch are in fine shape and Tuesday. Now the season has started they would rather play daily and keep in shape.

It is to be hoped the weather man will be kind today, and the fans will have something to rejoice over.

Edmonton always gives Calgary a battle royal in baseball, and today's game will prove no exception to the rule.

Johnny Kling's salary as catcher for the Chicago Cubs will be \$4,500 per season for the next three years.

Kling has received a check for his share of the prize money which the Cubs got for winning the 1908 pennant.

If the Boston Americans offer a motion that "southpaw" pitchers be barred from the American league, it would be seconded by Detroit.

Clark Griffith's Reds looked like the real goods in spring training. The old fog will have to get his club going even-gallop pretty soon if he figures on a first division bunk.

The Detroit American league team is one of the best road teams in either of the big leagues. The Tigers seem to play better away from home than they do at the old homestead.

Four Orioles who won pennants for Baltimore back in the 90's are active in the game as pilots this season. John McGraw leads the Giants; Hugh Jennings is piloting the Tigers; Bill Carr is manager of the Albany Senators and Joe Kelley is at the head of the Toronto club of the Eastern League.

A good team composed of the famous Wagner family could be picked up from nine clubs scattered all over the country. They are Honus Wagner of the Pirates, Al Wagner of Carnegie, Pa.; Otto Wagner of Mobile; Ivor Wagner of Birmingham, Ala.; Charley Wagner of Boston; Law Wagner of Augusta, Ga.; Bill Wagner of Green Bay; Frank Wagner of Oshkosh, and young John Honus of Fremont.

Speaking of baseball at St. Louis, President Taft said: "The game of baseball is a clean, straight game, and it summons to its presence everybody who enjoys clean, strenuous athletics. It furnishes amusement to the thousands and thousands, and I like to go to games for two reasons—first, because I enjoy it myself, and second, because I by the presence of the temporary chief magistrate such a beautiful amusement can be encouraged. I want to encourage it."

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Western Canada League			
Club	Won	Lost	P.C.
Regina	1	1	500
Medicine Hat	2	1	66.7
Calgary	2	1	66.7
Edmonton	2	1	66.7
Winnipeg	2	1	66.7
Wainwright	2	1	66.7
Letbridge	2	1	66.7

American League			
Club	Won	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	12	4	750
Cleveland	11	5	68.8
Detroit	10	6	62.5
Pittsburgh	10	6	62.5
St. Louis	10	6	62.5
Chicago	9	7	56.3
Washington	8	8	50.0
Baltimore	7	9	43.8
St. Louis	3	14	18.8

National League			
Club	Won	Lost	P.C.
Pittsburgh	12	4	750
Philadelphia	10	6	62.5
Chicago	10	6	62.5
Cincinnati	9	7	56.3
Brooklyn	7	9	43.8
St. Louis	7	9	43.8
Boston	6	10	37.5

BIG LEAGUE RESULTS			
Western Canada League			
At Moose Jaw	R H E	000 040 4-3	6
Regina	R H E	000 102 0-3	6
Batteries	Regina, Sage and McNitt; Moose Jaw, Strick and McIntosh. Umpire—Voss.		
At Brandon	R H E	000 000 000-0	9
Winnipeg	R H E	000 000 000-0	9
Batteries	Brandon, Smith and Anderson; Winnipeg, Henrich and Cooper. Umpire—Smith.		

American League			
Club	R	H	E
Detroit	000 000 000-0	4	2
New York	000 000 000-0	4	2
Batteries	Summers and Stango; Ford and Sweeney. Umpires—O'Loughlin and Perrine.		
At Boston	R H E	001 018 0-1	15
St. Louis	R H E	002 004 22-10	14
Batteries	Bailey, Pelly and Kilmer; Smith and Carrigan. Umpires—Egan and Egan.		

National League			
Club	R	H	E
Chicago	000 100 002-4	9	2
New York	001 011 002-3	8	1
Batteries	Marquard and Myers. Umpires—Johnstone and Moran.		
At St. Louis—St. Louis-Boston game postponed. Rain.			
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh-Brooklyn game postponed. Rain.			
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati-Philadelphia game postponed. Rain.			

Eastern League			
Club	R	H	E
Baltimore	000 102 000-0	3	7
Toronto	000 200 009-1	4	1
Batteries	Ribbel and Byers; McKinley and Vandergrift. Umpires—Fineran and Halligan.		
At Rochester	R H E	100 010 100-3	7
Newark	R H E	000 203 002-4	7
Batteries	Parkins, Brady and Crisp; Hagan and Blair. Umpire—Kelly.		

Northwestern League			
Club	R	H	E
Spokane	000 000 000-0	2	8
Portland	000 010 100-5	8	1
Batteries	Holm, Hickey and Brooks; Thompson and Shea.		
At Tacoma	R H E	2 8 4	
Vancouver	R H E	2 8 4	
Batteries	Paddock and Lewis; Anlis and Ellis.		



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POLO SEASON TO OPEN ON SATURDAY

Major C. G. Ross, the Veteran Polo Player of the West, Not in the Game This Year.

The polo season will open on Saturday, when the Fish Creek club will have a practice game on the club grounds, situated about three miles from Calgary on the Macleod trail.

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HORSEMAN'S ASSOCIATION FORMED LAST NIGHT

Held Successful Banquet and Elected Their Officers

The Atlantic Horseman's association, a society for the promoting of social interests among several Calgary horsemen, was formed last night, the inaugural taking place with a banquet held at 711 Fourth street, east.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Charles Wheeler; vice-president, Jack Sise; secretary, Robert Faulkner; treasurer, Percy McKillop.

The banquet was a decided success, and the association commenced its career under good auspices. The following were among those present:

Frank Casey, David Greener, Joe Corrigan, Roy Spector, James Meade, Harry Ross, Roy Pearson, Geo. Lealand, Joe McMillan, Jack Corrigan, F. McLane, Robert Patterson, Joe Bannerman, McAllister, M. Bray and Tom Rinsold.

ONTARIO JOCKEY CLUB POSTPONES MEETING

King's Plate Will Be Run On Tuesday, May 24, in Toronto.

Toronto, May 11.—At a meeting of the Ontario Jockey club this afternoon it was decided to postpone the opening of the spring meeting on account of the death of King Edward, and the funeral being held on the 20th.

The opening of the spring meeting will be on Tuesday, May 24, in Toronto. A special horse train of six cars arrived from Pimlico track this evening with about 80 of the best horses that have been running all winter in the south.

At least as many more will arrive before the end of the week. The sprinter, John Griffin II, Nothing startling was done by the trainers at the track today, their charges being merely here for a work out tomorrow.

No More Racing in Louisiana

New Orleans, La., May 11.—Racing will no longer be held in Louisiana at this session of the legislature. Governor Sanders announced this afternoon that he would veto any measure which would legalize horse racing, the cause of the race promoters, is practically hopeless.

Wm. Foran III at Ottawa. Ottawa, Ont., May 11.—Wm. Foran, of the Capital Lacrosse club and secretary of the Civil Service commission, was removed to the Water Street hospital tonight, where he will tomorrow morning undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. Foran became ill on Saturday last and has been in bed since Monday. Today his physicians pronounced it appendicitis.

Football Fixtures

The next game in the Senior City League will be played on Saturday, May 14, at the home of the team.

The men are being well cared for at the home of "Old" Boston, a farmer, near Center, Ky.

PASSING OF TENNEY REMOVES LANDMARK

Foot Trouble Responsible For Cutting Off Career of Baseball Player

New York, May 10.—The passing of Fred Tenney, another old landmark out of the arena of big league baseball, was reported in Southern Illinois at Waverly, Ill., the drag rope touching the tree tops. Ballast was thrown out at North Prairie, and the balloon ascended to an altitude of 2,000 feet, and then slowly settled.

MUSCULAR AND MENTAL FATIGUE

Broken Sleep and Bad Dreams Cured by a Simple Remedy

"My sickness had so many curious symptoms that I think I shall try and describe them," writes Mr. A. M. Perry. "Muscular fatigue seemed to follow even slight exertion. I would soon feel the weakness of the muscles of the back, limbs and arms. Even the freed position of light sewing would result in tiredness. In a little while, if I picked up a book, the letters would look blurred, and if I didn't drop it, headache would result. My thoughts would not flow freely—it was irritable, irrational, and insomnia seemed at last to be setting down upon me. First I saw I had to give up trying to do things, and began taking raw eggs and milk, whether I had appetite or not. I also took Ferronine, and now I did this. Ferronine gave me an appetite and aided digestion of my food. I could soon see how my blood was being renewed, and my nerves redressed. My mood improved my nerves also improved, and with persistence with Ferronine, lots of food and rest, I recovered perfectly from the load of worries and anxieties that made my life so miserable. I urge every ailing, weak or worried woman to use Ferronine, one or two tablets with meals."

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PASSION PLAY SEASON IN BAVARIAN VILLAGE

Parfected Performance Will Take Place Next Monday

Oberammergau, Upper Bavaria, May 11.—The Passion play season opened today with a public rehearsal. The perfected performance will be given next Monday.

Today the picturesque little village sloping to the right bank of the River Ammer was sprinkled with snow, while the surrounding mountains were completely veiled in white. To the normal population of 1,000 had been added thousands of strangers, and it is quite likely that the sacred scenes will be witnessed by a greater throng than ever before.

BAND CONTEST TO SETTLE RIVALRY

Suggested That Two Calgary Bands Hold Competition to Decide Which is the Best

A band concert to settle once and for all which of the local musical organizations can turn out the sweetest strains of melody is suggested by Capt. George D. Bagley, director of the Citizens' band. The question as to which band is the best was raised again at the council meeting last night, when it approved the recommendation of the commissioners that \$1,000 be paid this summer for the concerts of the Citizens' band; \$800 for the concerts of the Calgary Rifles' band, and \$250 for the Fibers.

Aid. Mitchell said he thought the Citizens' band was entitled to more than \$200 more than the Calgary Rifles' band, because it is a tried and trusted company of players, and also the pioneer in that line of entertainment. Aid. George Wood, however, said he thought military bands should be encouraged, as Calgary is yearly in need of music, particularly in the parks in the summer time.

Captain Bagley's Suggestion. "It is because of this situation and evident jealousy and rivalry between the bands that Capt. Bagley last night suggested the competition idea.

"Our band would be willing to pay our share toward bringing a capable band here from Winnipeg or Toronto, for that matter, to judge which band is the best," he said. "One band could play one night and one another band could play the next night, and the whole range of selections from ragtime and light opera to the heavy classics. The contest could be held in public, and a meeting of judges would be held to decide the winner, whether or not the judges brought in a fair verdict. Our band is the oldest in the city. It comprises 38 pieces and would be pleased to have an opportunity to contest with anybody."

INJURED BALLOONISTS TELL HOW IT HAPPENED

Had an Erratic Trip From the Start and Got Beyond Control

Glasgow, Ky., May 11.—A. Holland Forbes and J. C. Yates of New York, who were injured yesterday in the fall of their balloon, the Viking, recovered consciousness about noon today, and Forbes was able to state briefly his adventures of yesterday.

Mr. Yates is in so critical a condition that the physicians will not permit him to talk.

Mr. Forbes says he lost control of the balloon during the afternoon, and seeing a favorable position, pulled the trip cord to effect a landing. He gave it too much of a tug, it appears, the entire tip of the balloon was ripped open, and the big bag descended with too great rapidity.

The men are being well cared for at the home of "Old" Boston, a farmer, near Center, Ky.

REVENGEFUL ITALIAN MAKES GUN PLAY

Threatened to Shoot a Countryman Who Neglected to Pay Board Bill

But for the interference of Frank Walker, an infuriated and revengeful Italian would have bored a countryman full of holes with lead pills from a large sized gun, and the city police would have had a murder case on their hands.

At 9 o'clock last night word was phoned into the police station that there was a fight going on in the Italian quarter. Officer McDonald responded and took one Sam Amedeo in charge. Amedeo runs a large Italian boarding house at 617 Sixth avenue east, and at one time Dominico Ceconi was a star boarder, but he left, and according to Amedeo, neglected to settle a \$50 board bill.

Last night the men met and Amedeo asked Ceconi for the money. Ceconi refused to loosen up and Amedeo pulled the gun, showing it under Ceconi's nose, and threatened in very choice Italian to blow his head off unless he paid.

Frank Walker was passing at the time of the gun play and jumped on Amedeo, taking the gun from him. When placed under arrest Amedeo denied that he ever had a gun in his possession, but he will have to explain that to the magistrate this morning.

This same house, 617 Sixth avenue east, is well known to the police, and frequenters of the joint have been in trouble several times.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED BY THE DISCHARGE OF GUN

Catholic Priest Met With Sudden Death While Cleaning Gun

Halifax, N. S., May 11.—The sudden death of Rev. Father J. B. Rust, of Salmon River, Digby, occurred here today. He was cleaning his gun just after dinner when it was accidentally discharged and the shot passed through his body about an inch below the heart, breaking a rib and coming out at his back. Medical assistance was promptly summoned, but he passed through his body about an inch below the heart, breaking a rib and coming out at his back. Medical assistance was promptly summoned, but he passed through his body about an inch below the heart, breaking a rib and coming out at his back.

MINER KILLED BY LIVE WIRE

Gloucester, N. S., May 11.—John Ross was killed today by a shock while standing near a live wire at Dominion No. 2 colliery. Ross was not working today, and while on his way home from the post office with a companion he caught hold of a wire near the company's store, thinking it a telephone wire. He received a severe shock, causing him to cry out. He was taken to the hospital, and a physician was summoned. He recovered consciousness for a few minutes, but died soon after the accident.

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