

AT THE PRESENT RATE, BAN JOHNSON WILL LIKELY SELL THOSE YANKEES IN A FEW HUNDRED YEARS

ABOUT ALL THAT HE HAS DONE SO FAR IS TO GET A 100 COLUMNS OF NEWSPAPER SPACE OUT OF IT.

NORTHERN LEAGUE GROUPS DRAWING UP SCHEDULES

Three Senior Groups Have Already Named Dates For Games—Two Groups Have Split Into Two Divisions.

Several Northern League senior districts drew up their schedules last evening. Meetings were held at Palmerston, Harriston and Berlin. The local district schedule meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon in this city. The following were the schedules drawn up last night.

SENIOR GROUP, No. 1.
 January 5—Port Elgin at Southampton.
 January 11—Midway at Port Elgin.
 January 12—Southampton at Walkerton.
 January 13—Port Elgin at Midway.
 January 14—Walkerton at Southampton.
 January 22—Southampton at Port Elgin.
 Jan. 22—Midway at Walkerton.
 January 23—Southampton at Midway.
 Jan. 23—Walkerton at Port Elgin.
 February 2—Port Elgin at Walkerton.
 February 3—Midway at Southampton.
 February 4—Walkerton at Midway.
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Iron-Bound Contract Keeps Jim Thorpe in Big League

McGraw Would Have Released Indian Athlete Long Ago But For Five-Year Contract, That Cannot Be Broken.

It develops that the only reason Jim Thorpe, the Sag and Fox Indian, happens to be in the major leagues is because of his contract. The all-round athlete had uncommonly good advice when McGraw went to Carlisle, Pa., to sign him.

He put his signature to a contract that could not be broken with one of the major league clubs. The contract called for five years of service at a big salary, with the ten-year clause deleted at the end of the first year. Under the terms of the contract, Thorpe could not be released or even traded without the consent of McGraw.

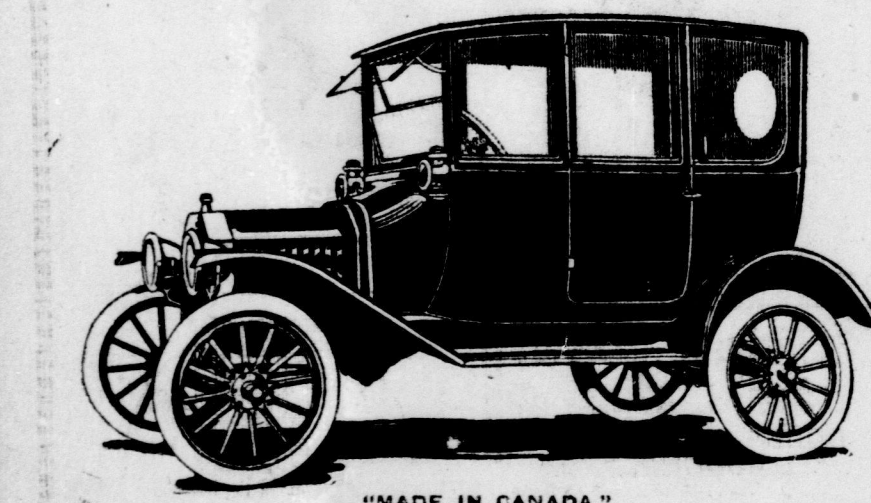
Feds Will Fight to Highest Court For W. Johnson

Weegman Says He Will Play For Chicago Federals Or Not Play At All.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—Charles Weegman, president of the Chicago Federals, today announced that he had to his counsel submitted the case of Walter Johnson, star pitcher, who Saturday signed up with his old team, the Washington Americans, after having recently accepted a contract with the Chicago Federal League club.

GRIF AND COMMY COULD NOT MAKE DEAL

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—Clark Griffith, manager of the Washington Americans, left for the capital today, after a conference with C. A. Comiskey, president of the Chicago Americans. Griffith declared that there was no chance of a trade with Comiskey, and that a conference had resulted in no agreement.



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O'Neil May Split Erie Team and Play in Two Leagues

Local Man, Owner of Canadian League Franchise In Pennsylvania City Has Problem On His Hands—Will Place Central League Team In Erie.

ERIE, Dec. 21.—If baseball events in this week of the woods assume the final shape they now indicate, George O'Neil, last year owner of the Erie baseball club, will be some magnate. He stands to own, in part at least, two ball clubs.

Just how the situation will unravel remains to be seen. The prospect of a new league, the Central League, is being formed, and the Canadian League is being reorganized. In the same breath the Canadians give out that they have had all they want of Erie, that the franchise is to be transferred to Guelph.

There is a particular problem for George O'Neil, for the Canadian League and for Erie. It is the intention of the Canadians to play the game, which would have been assigned to Erie next season, in Guelph and Berlin. That means it will be up to O'Neil to provide a club, and run it, either alone or with assistance from those towns, until he can dispose of his holdings.

On the other hand, O'Neil is just as much tied up here. He has abundant faith in Erie as a baseball town and is willing to go the limit in protecting his holdings here, and to turn out a good team. In case Erie gets into the Central League, O'Neil may be whole or part owner of the local club. Certain it is that the Erie exhibition company, owners of two years ago, are willing to meet O'Neil half way and help in every respect.

In appreciation of O'Neil's gameness in sticking to a bad thing here last season, it is understood the Canadian League likewise is endeavoring to make things easy for the Erie owner. So far as plans can now be made, with the situation in a rather unsteady position, it is intended to split last year's Erie team into two clubs, or parts of two clubs. Some of the men will go to the Canadian League team and some to the

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FOUR-HEAT RACE PLAN TAKEN BY GRAND CIRCUIT

H. D. Sheppard's Suggestion To Get a Try-Out on Tracks Next Spring.

SOME RULES AMENDED

Owner Cannot Enter More Than Two Horses in One Race.

SOME OTHER CHANGES

Four Second Allowance Plan Will Be Continued in 1915 Also.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 21.—Drastic changes in the rules which govern racing on the Grand Circuit were agreed on at a meeting of the stewards held here this afternoon. The recommendations will be presented for confirmation to the meeting of the Grand Circuit at their annual meeting on Dec. 22 at their headquarters at the Hotel Hamilton.

The juniors again showed up prominently while the intermediates also turned out strong. All the University players, with the exception of Joe Chapman, were on hand and Dr. Sheppard was busy signing up certificates.

A strong team will be taken to Sarnia tonight for the game in the Tunnel town. The line-up will be much the same as in the Detroit games.

TECUMSEH CLUB PRACTICES.

Last evening the Tecumseh Club had a hockey practice at the East End rink from 7 to 11 o'clock. The stars were Corey, playing rover, and Robertson, playing goal.

Frankie Fleming Made J. Goodney Quit in Fifth Canadian Featherweight Easily Retained His Claim to Championship.

Montreal, Dec. 21.—Joe Goodney, of New York, failed tonight in his attempt to take the Canadian featherweight boxing championship from Frankie Fleming, of La Prairie, Que. Fleming made the New York boxer quit in the fifth round of their scheduled 10-round bout before the Canadian Athletic Club here. The men fought at 122 pounds.

Goodney struck Fleming low on five occasions, and before Moore wanted to disqualify him in the third round, but let him go on at Fleming's request. In the fourth Fleming pounded the New Yorker easily, sending him down at the bell with a right cross to the jaw. After one minute of the fifth round Goodney left the ring.

Walper's 4 W's took THREE FROM OCCIDENTALS. No City Bowling League Game Last Night, Allies Being Unable to Play.

Walper's 4 W's took three straight games from the Occidental juniors in the Federal Bowling League last evening. The scores were light, Bert Shaw being high man with 381 individual, and 422 aggregate.

There were no games in the City League last night, the Allies being unable to get their team out to play. The latter club has claimed the match by default.

Jim Catalano announces that a box of oranges will be given to the bowlers having the highest individual averages at the end of the season in the City League games.

Last night's scores were as follows: Walper's 4 W's.

A. Ward 111 122 94-238
 B. Shaw 181 122 144-454
 T. Moran 98 122 140-364
 A. Zaitch 108 122 142-378
 W. Walper 105 84 68-257

Totals 603 691 583-1792

Occidental Juniors—
 J. Maureilly 157 129 113-499
 J. Moore 110 55 98-263
 E. O'Rourke 92 116 131-339
 E. Harley 119 158 95-372
 F. Ange 126 143 141-410

Totals 594 641 578-1823

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MANAGER FOUND TO HANDLE YANKS FOR COL. RUPPERT

Sale of Club To Be Completed Today, Says Ban Johnson

—“Wild Bill” Donovan Said To Be the Man.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 22.—A man, who President B. B. Johnson, of the American League, says is “a wonder as a team leader,” has been selected as manager of the New York club, the purchase of which was expected to be completed here today.

The identity of the new leader of the New York club was carefully concealed, but the opinion was expressed by many baseball men that “Wild Bill” Donovan, a former star pitcher, with the Detroit club, was the selection.

Jimmy Callahan, former manager of the Chicago Americans, and “Kin” Mason, coach of the Chicago club, also were reported to be under consideration.

As was Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia club.

HOW IT AFFECTS ONE EMPLOYER. OTTAWA, Dec. 21.—The enforcement of the new workmen's compensation act, as passed by the Ontario Legislature last session, will mean an added expenditure to J. R. Booth, the big lumberman and largest employer of labor in the city of \$22,000. The tax on his payroll, which averages annually \$1,000,000, varies from 1.40 to 2.50 per cent.

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FEDS WILL ENTER TORONTO IN 1916 SAYS GILMORE

Outlaw League President Paid Flying Visit to That City Yesterday.

WAR PREVENTS IT NOW Would Have Entered Queen City Next Season But For War.

GOOD BACKING OFFERED

Federals Are Convinced That Toronto Is Major League City.

TORONTO, Dec. 21.—President James Gilmore, of the Federal League, paid a hurried and mysterious visit to Toronto this afternoon. Before leaving tonight for Chicago, he made the statement that Toronto, which has had several visits from Federal moguls, would be a member of the circuit in 1916. He further stated that the Federals are now busily engaged in preparing for the fight which is it proposed to wage for the services of Walter Johnson, who signed a “Fed” contract and afterward jumped back to the Washington club.

Circuit Not Composed Yet. “I can see that conditions in Toronto are more or less unsettled, owing to the part taken by Canada and the rest of the British Empire in the European war,” said Gilmore. “We think that it would not be advisable to place a team in this city in 1915. Our circuit is not as compact as we would desire, and Toronto offers the solution of the difficulty. Now conditions here, we would assuredly place a team here next season. Ample backing has been offered us here. Our experiences in Baltimore and Buffalo have shown us that at least some of the International League cities are ready for Federal League baseball. There is no question in my mind, that Toronto is a major league city.”

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