



FOR EASTER
 Our Easter announcement on page two will interest every man in these cities.
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Flint Has Signed Twenty-Four Men

Will Be Given Trout on April 26. The Flint Daily Journal says—Manager Jas "Hump" Pierce of the Flint club of the Michigan-Ontario Baseball League will sever all existing alliances tomorrow, Wednesday and start to draw pay from T.J. Halligan, "Hump" left the Champion Ignition plant flat on its back at noon today, and may be seen in action tomorrow at Athletic park where his first attention will be given to putting the right hump on the jewel. On April 26, the first of the candidates for positions on the Flint team will arrive. Manager Pierce has been busy aligning his forces and will have plenty of material to mould at the start. "Hump" likes Buzz Wetzels' baseball school idea and has picked Toledo as the site for looking over the prospects but Halligan sternly reminded him last night that he is playing manager and no paupered bench. According to the Treaty of London, all managers in the Michigan-Ontario were playing managers. The agreement at the organization meeting here was that either variety could be employed by the clubs of the league but that a playing manager would have to be counted as a player in estimating club's status as to the play.

SPECIAL NOTICE

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limit. This was changed at the meeting on the Canadian side by the Andy Latschaw! The infielders who have signed to appear here at Carl Fisse; Benay Allen of South Bend in the Central and the Flint; Harold Johnson of the Miss Detroit; Schafer of Ft. Huron; Frank A. Fisher who pitched against the Flint last season for the Custer depot brigade and won with a score of 12-0; Carlson of the Flint; Ed. Ziegler of South Bend; and Andy Latschaw, now with Indianapolis in the American Association, the world's greatest minor league home-run hitter—record 38 in a season in the I.M. League—who hit Indianapolis to the pennant in 1917. It is pretty certain that Latschaw will arrive as "Hump" has forwarded him transportation for self, wife and cook stove.

Wolf May Be Back
 Louis Wolf, who played third base for the Flint club in the Michigan league of 1917 and shortstop for Indianapolis until he entered the army in 1918 has indicated that he prefers Flint if he cannot make the grade this year in Class A.A. Outfielders The outfield seems as present likely to be drawn from Arthur Trudy of the Flint Michigan club now awaiting discharge at Camp Zachary Taylor; Wayne Watts of Ft. Wayne Ind.; Elmer Marvin of Owosso and the Flint Factory league of 1918; Richard B. Hudding of Carson City Mich.; Beck of Indiana University and the Logansport club now in a southern camp; Ferner Pitcher Natke of the Imperial Wheels of the Factory league who does not expect that his arm will be in shape for duty on the slab this season; Archie Hill of Capas, who played short for the village team in its series against the Flint last fall; and Ernest Keene of the Blue Grass league.

Catchers.
 Dave Greene of St. Louis, late of the Cotton States league and Powers of Ypsilanti Normal, who has been two years with Halligan here are the catchers signed for tryout.

Pitchers
 The pitchers are Harry Howick of the Flint; Briggs Mfg. and Stroh's Bohemians of Detroit and St.



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Thomas in the Canadian league, not to mention Cole's Crushers; Earl Brooks of Saginaw, twice a home-sick Detroit trout and also a Flint Factory and Westland Ind.; with the Columbus Senators in the A.A. last year; L.C. Harvey a Detroit collegian; L.J. Roden of Ighaca, N.Y., a New York State Leaguer and left-hander and P. Edgren of South Bend, sometime connected with the Central association. Strings are also out for another good left-hander, Carlson and Fisher both take a turn on the rubber and there is also Earl Giffie last season with Buick No. 1. Out of this bunch those reputed to whang the onion most heavily are Latschaw, Fisher, Watts, Allen and Trudy.

W. F. Annual To Be Held Tomorrow

MEETING WILL BE HELD AT STRATFORD Soccer Football is beginning to stir throughout the Western section. The annual meeting of the W.F.A. will be held at Stratford Y.M.C.A. on Friday April 18 at 10:30 a.m. Secretary Chas. Hollins of the W.P.A., announced that several amendments will come before the meeting. Among them is one which the goal-keeper may, in his own penalty area, use his hands to stop the ball but shall not carry it. Also a goal cannot be scored from the following free kicks. The kick-off, a corner kick or a goal kick.

GUELPH SOCCER TEAMS

An enthusiastic meeting of the Guelph Soccer Association was held last evening, when further plans for the coming season were discussed. Many of the men who played in the league previous to the war have returned in good condition and the prospect of a successful season are exceedingly bright.

At the meeting which was presided over by President J.D. McArthur, the constitution was adopted, and three teams entered. They were: Partridge Co., Taylor, Forbes Co., and G.W.V.A. It is more than probable that two more teams at least will enter.

A letter was received from the Western Association asking that a representative be sent to the meeting to be held at Stratford on Good Friday, but no action was taken. The Guelph association has always affiliated with the Ontario Association and will likely do so again. A schedule committee was appointed and the season will open during the second week in May.

HAMILTON'S NEW ARENA

Work on the erection of Hamilton's new arena on the site of the present one will commence about May 15. It is expected to be completed by September 1. Hamilton's new ice palace will have an ice space of 200 feet in length and 80 feet in width, and will have a seating capacity of 4,200. It will be absolutely up to date in every particular and, with its large amount of



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Hits and Runs In The M. O. League

With contracts in his grip from Maxwell of St. Thomas who will be given a try-out in the outfield, and Tyson of New York catcher, Manager Knotty Lee of the Red Sox Brantford left last evening on a trip to the Eastern States for scouting purposes. He hopes to pick up a good left-hand pitcher, a catcher and a first baseman.

He has now eleven men signed up for the locals. The Bay City Times 'Tribune' and now manager Jo-Jo Keenan, of London, comes along with the information that "his team, and not 'Shag' Shaughnessy's Hamilton outfit is to receive the pick of the Toronto International club's cast-offs. According to word from London, Manager Mooney Gibson, of Toronto, a former Londoner, wrote Keenan to that effect, so it must be so. Those Canadians, if anything, like arguments. There have been several so far as to who has signed certain players, and the start of the season is more than a month away.

CANADIANS IN CONSOLATION

The feature of the first match round of the mid-April tournament at Pinehurst was a 20-hole match between Ned Beall, the North and South champion, and E.L. Scofield. The nineteenth hole was halved under par and Beall won at the twentieth with a par 4 after hooking his drive into a rye field. All the Canadian contestants were relegated to the consolation, with the exception of E.D. Thomson of Riverside who defeated L.D. Chipman, another Riverside golfer, by 3 and 1 in the fourth sixteen.

GUELPH GOLFERS TO ISSUE CHALLENGES

The annual meeting of the Guelph Country Club was held yesterday afternoon. The reports for the past year were presented and were found to be of a very satisfactory character. Plans for the coming season were discussed and it was decided to endeavor to arrange a series of home and home games with the golf clubs within motoring distance of Guelph. There are clubs at Galt, Waterloo, Brantford, Stratford, Hamilton and other places. It is the intention to improve the course here this year, and to make it one of the best in Western Ontario.

The finance committee of the Oshawa Town Council has recommended fixing the tax rate for this year at 22 mills. Rev. T. De Courcy Rayner, minister of the First Congregational Church Kingston has accepted a call to the Congregational Church at Watford Ont.

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Points in Premier Lloyd George's Speech

MAJOR GRONNYN MOVES IN HOUSE FOR COMMITTEE Ottawa April 15.—In the Commons this afternoon Major Hume Gronynn of London moved a resolution in regard to scientific research a subject in which he is deeply interested. The resolution which was accepted by the House was as follows: "That in the opinion of this House it is desirable that a special committee be appointed forthwith to consider the matter of the establishment in Canada of a national research institute for research work in the various industries of Canada and the co-ordination therewith of scientific branches of the various departments of the Government forthwith to call for persons, papers and records to examine witnesses under oath and to report from time to time."

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FORTY-FIRST YEAR

AVIATION BRITISH AVIATION

After Setting Out AVIATORS WERE NOT INJURED. (Special To The Record). LONDON, April 19.—Major Wood, flying to Ireland on the leg of a trans-Atlantic attempt yesterday, fell in the Irish sea coast of Anglesey, it was learned. He and his navigator, C.C. C. Wylie, were unhurt. The machine is being towed to Holywood plane, the "Shamrock" carried by another machine, by L. Parker, left Eastchurch, E. for Limerick, at 3.15 yesterday noon. Wood expected to arrive Limerick, which was to be the place for the big "Hop" at 8. No details of the accident has

British Troops Land at Libau (Rus)

SAYS A PARIS MESSAGE. PARIS, April 19.—British troops have landed at Libau (Rus), German troops have overthrown Lithuanian government, according to Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung.

N.Y. Harbor Strike Has been Postponed

MAYOR HYLAN TO CONFINE NEW YORK, N.Y., April 19.—Yorke's third general harbor strike scheduled to start at six a.m. has been postponed another 24 hours while Mayor Hylan, confers with both parties to the dispute.

German Submarines Down in a Storm

WERE ON WAY TO FRANCE. PARIS, April 19.—Seven German submarines, while being towed to Heligoland by France, have been received here today. A great quantity of oil was destroyed. The damage was estimated at more than \$2,000,000.

20,000 Communist Troops in Hun

GENERAL EPPS PROCEEDING TO MEET THEM. COPENHAGEN, April 19.—Communist defending Munich were rejected today to have gathered 20,000 armed troops. General Epps, according to a Berlin dispatch, is marching upon Munich with 30,000 German troops from Stuttgart. The population of that city has protested against the removal of the troops, fearing a Spartacist outbreak. The dispatch added that a bloody Easter is expected in Munich.

Barnes Wheat Direct of the United States

WILL ADMINISTER \$1,000,000 FUND. (Special To The Record). NEW YORK, April 19.—Julius Barnes, president of the Federal Grains Corporation, has been appointed to administer the United States wheat director, upon the recommendation of Herbert Hoover, it was announced today. Barnes called the President's acceptance of the position. In his new office, Barnes will direct the distribution of the 1919 wheat and administer the funds of \$1,000,000 approved for maintaining a price of wheat at \$2.25 a bushel. He will retain the presidency of the corporation.

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