

## BASEBALL NEWS

The report that Jimmy Sheppard will be replaced by some youngster in the Cub outfield was heard with much enjoyment by other clubs in the National League. If there are any bush-ers procurable as good as Sheppard is right now Manager Chance will offer a reward for their arrest and conviction. It will take some one with a strong and accurate brain to beat James out of his job. Sheppard is in his dotage at present—Tommy Rice, in Washington Times.

President Conkley, of the White Sox, does not propose to pay any contractor what he considers the exorbitant sum of \$500,000 for the stands and bleachers in his new park at Thirty-fifth street and Wentworth avenue. He says he has been informed that the price can be cut a couple of hundred thousand without spoiling the appearance and usefulness of the structures. He now is waiting for the contractors to shave their figures. He expects soon to award the contract for the sewerage and drainage systems.

If Manager McGraw decides to strengthen the Giants at first base it is possible that he will try to make a deal with Manager Dahlgren, of the Brooklyn, for Tim Lincecum. McGraw wanted Jordan two years ago, also Lincecum, and offered \$25,000 cash for him. Jordan was anxious to wear a New York uniform, too, but Tim Donovan, then in charge of the Brooklyn team, blocked the deal. President Ebbets is of the impression that Jake Daubert, of the Memphis purchase, will make good at first base for Brooklyn. Daubert, however, has not yet signed. Jesse Tannehill, erstwhile "Big League" with Boston and Washington, has taken out himself, and very shrewdly, a bribe. Miss Mary Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson, of Dayton, Ky., and very wealthy people, Jesse and Miss Anderson were married in Covington, and the next evening they went to Chicago to spend their honeymoon. They will live in Dayton, Ky. Tannehill's home. The fact of their marriage did not come out until Jesse failed to turn up at a banquet and his father-in-law told what had become of him.

The sale on Aug. 23 last of "Bumpus" Jones, a pitcher, by Montreal, to Providence for \$2,000 was considered by the Eastern League at its recent meeting. A protest was filed on the ground that the constitution of the league had been violated. It was held that the rules forbade the clubs from selling or loaning one another of their

players after Aug. 20 of any season, in order to forestall the effort of one club to strengthen another toward the end of the season. President Powers decided that there had been a violation and ordered the return of Jones to Montreal.

President John Dovey, of the Boston National Club is already busy arranging games for the club's spring trip. The club will again train at Augusta, Ga., but an innovation will be made in the trip north. Instead of arranging games in cities of Atlantic seaboard states, the itinerary will include cities like Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, Nashville, Louisville, Dayton, Canton, Indianapolis, Columbus and the better baseball cities of Pennsylvania. President Dovey considers that such an itinerary will give the team better practice and, moreover, will be better as a financial proposition.

Whether Jack Knight, who tore up things around short for the Yankees at the latter part of the season, will be with the Yankees next season is a question being asked by a number of the fans. Knight is a ball player's manager hated to let go, as he is likely to tear up the league at any old time. In 1904 he was the sensation of the Eastern League with the Baltimore club, and players, with others, said they never saw that position played like Knight played it. Down south he was spreading himself about short the way Hal Chase does at first base. Last season with the Yankees he was an in and out, and was not in the best of health. He came back strong at the finish of the season. From here it looks as if his big Jack will sport again at short—New York Press.

Edgar Willett, pitcher for the Detroit baseball team, has begun an action in the circuit court at Detroit for divorce. The bill and all the records pertaining to it were suppressed. It is understood that no other persons are mentioned in connection with the divorce, which seems to be a case of disappointment from the time the knot was tied. Willett was married in Windsor a year ago.

Spaulding Cannon denies most emphatically the story sent out from Wheeling, W. V., to the effect that he is negotiating for the purchase of a franchise in the Central League to bring it to Danville. He said he had not even thought of the matter. Besides Danville has purchased a franchise in the I. L. League, and why should he want to take another club there? The story is too absurd to be even given consideration.

Bill Dinneen isn't particularly stuck on his job of umpiring and probably will not continue on Edin Johnson's arbitrating staff next season. William Henry has saved a lot of cash, and

wants to invest it in a minor league club. He is looking with longing eyes toward the Syracuse team, and the probabilities are that he will buy a controlling interest in it. Dinneen lives in Syracuse and began his professional career there.

The Pacific Coast League has trotted out many good ball players year after year. Next season 13 players will be tried out in the major leagues. One player in particular who has been touted off the boards in California is Ote Johnson, who has been bought by the New York Americans. It is said in the Eastern cities that it was the stockwork of Johnson that the scouts excited. Ote hit up with the best of them, and is a fast infielder.

## GRIDIRON ITEMS

King Clancy played in the "scrim" at Ottawa yesterday. If the King could get into the game featuring the Bob Shillington could be induced to act as referee, with Billy Floran as assistant. Ottawa would have a chance to figure in the Canadian championship.

The leather in Ben Simpson's boots has brought more glory to Hamilton than the leather in the heads of Hamilton's editors.

The Hamilton Alerts, of the Junior Interprovincial, are beginning to wonder if they will play any more this season. They are district winners. The intermediate Tigers, when they line up against Dundas for the deciding game of the Interprovincial series, providing the union orders a saw-off, will have one of the strongest balanced back divisions that has ever represented the yellow and black in the series. McNeilly, the junior, who has been playing fullback, will be carried as spare, and Nils Harrison, two years ago one of the greatest halves in intermediate company, will take his place. This change will greatly improve the chances of the team, as McNeilly, although a game little player, is hardly fast enough to defend a goal against a team like the Valley City fourteen. His fumbles this season have been costly, but he is a Saturday afternoon he let the oval get away from behind his own line, giving Dundas the only try it secured during the game.

With Harrison at full, Harvey at centre half, and Kid Smith and Jack Addison at right and left, respectively, the back division on paper looks like one of the greatest in the country. With the addition of Harrison the Tigers will have three excellent punters on the rear division—Harvey, Smith and Addison. Addison, who has boot when called on to do so, but his boot suit is running.

The senior series of the O. R. F. U. is also down for decision on the coming Saturday, the game taking place at Varsity field. Parkdale, by reason of their win over Peterborough on Saturday, are tied with T. A. C. for the championship. The two teams are about of the same strength, Parkdale having strengthened up their back division for this game. Messrs. Hendry and Griffiths will handle the game.

Word is given out in Hamilton that considerable betting has already been done on the Varsity game, the odds invariably being given in favor of the Varsity supporters. The Hamilton fans have loads of money, and will bet, but they are looking for 10-7 and even money at the worst for their bet. One Hamilton man has advanced \$100 on Saturday, when the probability is that if the Tigers and students meet it will be always an even-money proposition.

In Hamilton and Ottawa the expected to play to 10,000 people Saturday at Rosedale, forgetting that there is also a rugby saw-off the same day on Varsity field between the Toronto team, Parkdale and T. A. C. for O. R. F. U. honors. So important is the last-named game that Dr. Hendry and Harry Griffiths have been asked to officiate, and have accepted.

The Montreal Rugby Club has a deficit of \$600, with the account still open.

"Can Tigers beat Ottawa?" is a question that the Toronto talent generally answer in the affirmative. There's not much difference on the wing line, but whereas Ottawa has only one man of class in the back field, Hamilton has three or four, who are a bit above the average. Of course, Ben Simpson isn't as young as he once was, but he can still punt, and he has his head with him always. Then Tony Smith and Moore, would catch places on most back divisions playing the game. They should easily score more points than the Ottawa line, and after all that's what wins games.

Taking it another way most of the scoring will be done on errors by the back divisions, and of the two, Ottawa will easily make the more errors, probably two to Tigers' one. That should settle it.

The Varsity seniors did not care much for the officials in the McGill game Saturday.

Chaucer Elliott, the M. A. A. coach, picks Tigers to beat Varsity for the Dominion honors.

## HORSE WORLD

H. B. Spellman, Rootstown, O., has sold the trotting mare Alameda, 2:24, to C. Schlessinger, of Vienna, Austria, for export. She was sired by Alaster, son of Almont, Jim, and her dam was Janice Alameda, a producer, by Election. She was foaled in 1902.

Swift Bell, the 3-year-old son of Tony Swift, 2:30, by Adonis, has won a trotting record of 2:27, at the recent meeting at Libertyville, Ill. One of his twin sisters, also, also trotted to a record of 2:25.

Florio, a sister of Jack Leeburn, 2:04, that paced a trial last year in 2:14, and a quarter in 20 seconds, raised a filly by him this year, but it is to be sold to the Illinois State Fair track early in the coming season and made ready to race.

At Lexington, Ky., recently, J. O. McAlister drove the 3-year-old pacing filly, Lillie W., by Simmonson, dam by Happy King, a mile in 2:07, last half in 1:04, and the 2-year-old trotter, Miss The Libretto, a mile in 2:14, last eighth in 1:15 seconds.

Howard B. Phillips, who died at Pottsville, Pa., Oct. 27, at the age of 76 years, was a resident in England, has raced in Europe for several seasons past, will be brought to America to race in 1906 by C. C. Pennock. It includes, among others, Allen Winter, 2:05, and Silvio (3), 2:14.

After making a heavy season in the stud, Major Higginson, by Bingen, 2:04, dam Green Silk, 2:25, by Prodigal, 2:16, owned by Upland Farm, Greenburg, Pa., was started a few times this fall and reduced his record to 2:16, over a half-mile track, and was a close second in 2:14.

Colonel John Murray Moorhead, an old resident of San Jose, Cal., who died in that city Oct. 22, at the age of 76 years,

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## Open Evenings Raphael &amp; Co. 236 Dundas St.

Annex on Michigan avenue to the live stock pavilion at the Union Stockyards. A number of prominent eastern exhibitors of four-in-hand crack teams have signified their intention to enter the event. The fast trotting stallion and proven sire of extreme speed, Early Reaper, 2:04, by Highwood, 2:12, has been purchased from E. Kneil, Carthage, Mo., by August Bole, a well-known lawyer of Indianapolis, Ind., who has for years been interested in the trotting horse, and who at the present time owns a select though small band of brood mares. The price paid was close to \$10,000.

Biggs & Peacock, of Middletown, Del., have purchased the 2-year-old chestnut colt Palo Axworthy, by Axworthy, 2:15, dam Jessica McCurdy, by Palo Alto, 2:08, second dam Jenny Benton, by General Benton. The same gentleman have also received in trade the 16-year-old mare Darvel, 2:00, by Alexander, 2:04, dam Topsy (dam of Whisper, 2:08), etc., by Ethan Allen, and will use her for breeding purposes.

At Readville, Mass., recently, the rail-birds' notice was attracted to a green trotter in James Carpenter's stable that marched off a mile in 2:13, half in 1:08, against a stiff breeze, with the track not at its best by any means. The last quarter and last eighth were at a much faster rate. This trotter is a 5-year-old gelding by Baron Wilkes, one of a daughter of Aberdeen, and is owned by A. C. Hawkins, of Lancaster, Mass.

The gray colt Peter Preston, that was Holmra.

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