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JENKINS IS MANAGER OF BATTLE CREEK TEAM.

BATTLE CREEK, Mich., March 18.—Danny Jenkins, former manager of the Adria and Bay City teams in the old Southern Michigan League, and who won the pennant for Adria in 1915, was today selected manager of the Battle Creek team in the Michigan-Ontario League. Jenkins was selected from a list of nine applicants for the work.

As a better Jenkins' record shows he is in the three hundred class, and that he is also a traveler on the bases. The new manager will report for duty the first of next month.

RUBE'S A "CONSTABLE."

Hamilton Spectator: Up to the time of going to press Knotty Lee had not announced the signing of Marty Killian. As Marty is as dear to Lee as Red Fisher, it would not be surprising to see the little chap on the Brantford roster before many days.

While recalling old Canadian League days, does any person know what has become of Rube Deneau? Rube

was the first pennant of the league and managed to be up there battling each year after.

In reply to the whereabouts of Rube Deneau, who has enjoyed the honor of having managed three clubs in the Canadian League, viz.: Berlin, 1911 and 1912; London, 1913, and Brantford, 1914, it might enlighten the fans if they were told that Rube is now a county "constable" with his in Walkerville.

Dave Shean yesterday signed a contract, after having been at odds with the management on salary questions. He is second baseman for the world Champion Boston Americans.

Willie Bradshaw, a spitball pitcher, died of pneumonia on Saturday in Chicago, word was received in London. Bradshaw pitched in the Canadian League in this city in 1912, and was with the Toronto Beavers for a while in 1913.

Danny Jenkins, who won the pennant for Adria in 1915, was yesterday selected to manage the Battle Creek team in the Michigan-Ontario League. He was former manager of the Adria and Bay City teams in the old Southern Michigan League.

Rodger Bresnahan, owner of the Toledo Club, obtained John Middleton after a conference with Manager McGraw. Middleton was a pitcher in the New York National

and will now play in the Toledo Club of the American Association.

IS HE WORTH \$15,000.

Boston, March 19.—"Babe" Ruth, in the signed statement which will be made public here to-day, says that he will not play with the Boston Americans this season unless he is awarded a three-year contract for \$10,000 a year, or a contract for this season at \$15,000. He says Harry Frazee, president of the club, has offered him a one year's contract at \$8,500.

KNOTTY WANTS LEE

A Toronto Report says: "Canon Ball" Ed. Scott of Toronto who pitched Hillerests to the Ontario championship last season, has received an offer from Manager "Knotty" Lee of the Brantford team of the Ontario-Michigan League. Last season Lee attended all the semi-final and final games in the city and Ontario championships last season and spoke well of the Hillerests. He claims that the young speed marvel looks like the best seen around these parts in many seasons, and should with proper coaching develop into one of the best twirlers in the game. Last year was the second season he played in senior company, and he was the sensation of amateur ball. He pitched three games for Hillerests in the Western City League to qualify for the finals, winning all. When the Ramsden Parkers entered the finals, Scott, who was spending his vacation in Fenelon Falls came down to Toronto to do his bit and he did. He pitched seven

crucial championship games and winning them all is his remarkable record. When asked what he intended to do regarding this matter by he said that he would not accept the offer, and that he intended to stay with the amateurs and that will be Hillerests.

The Plate Entries Total Thirty Seven

The King's Plate Line-up

Toronto:—Entries to the King's Plate, which closed on March 4, are thirty-seven in number. Sixty-one entries have been made to the Stanley Produce Stakes, thirty-seven to the Breeders' Stakes and twenty-one to the Maple Leaf Stakes.

The King's Plate this season will have \$7,750 added, the Stanley \$2,500, the Breeders' \$2,000 and the Maple Leaf a similar amount. The Ontario Jockey Club is offering generous financial inducements to Canadian owners and breeders, and plans to conduct its spring meeting on a pre-war basis, despite the fact that no official action has been taken by the Federal Government to raise the suspension placed on racing in Canada by the order in Council which provided that those should be not recognized betting for the duration of the war and six months thereafter.

Thorncliffe's Representatives. The Thorncliffe Stable of this city leads in the number of entries to the King's Plate with seven, while five are entered from Joseph E. Seagram's Waterloo Farm. The Brookdale Stable of Barrie has four aspirants to the King's guineas and Geo. M. Hendrie three. The conditions, entries and weights are as follows:—

The King's Plate (50 guineas, the gift of His Majesty King George V.), with \$7,500 added by the club. The first horse to receive the Guineas, Stakes, and \$5,500; the second horse \$1,000, and the third horse \$500. The breeder of the winner to receive \$500. A sweepstakes of \$5 payable at time of entry, and \$10 additional to start. For three-year-olds and upward, the property of a British subject resident in Ontario, foaled, raised and trained in Ontario, that have never won a race, either on the flat or across country, other than a race exclusively for two-year-olds, have never left Canada, and have never been for a period of more than one month out of this Province. Winners to carry 5 lbs. extra. Death of nomination does not render entry void. One mile and a quarter. A piece of plate will be presented by the club to the winner. The Ontario Jockey Club reserves the right to cancel this race upon pay-

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E.B. Clancy's Latest News, 103, 3, by Charlie Gilbert—Miss Morgan; Master Fox, 124, 4, by Red Fox 11.—Miss Morgan.

Coronada Stable's Rock Silk, 108, 3, by Rockville, or Inferno—Frou Fro.

C.A. Crew's C.A. Crew, 105, 3, by Nealon—Amberite; Jim Petrie, 105, 3, by Wire in—Cammie Maid.

J.W. Hammond's Dr. Warren, 124, 4, by Harvey—Irene A.

Geo. M. Hendrie's Ammunition, 121, 4, by Charles Edward—Shimmons; Salvo, 110, 3, by Charles Edward—Shop Fly; Sommer, 103, 3, by Charles Edward—Spanish Maid.

F.E. Jones' Galena, 122, 5, by Red Fox 11.—Flying Bess.

M. Le Roy's Hemisphere, 105, 3, by Stanhope 11.—The Globe.

Jas. McMurray's Antiphon, 108, 3, by Ypsilanti 11.—Church Bell.

D.J. McKay's Cema, 119, 4, by Charles Edward—Miss Martin.

Thos. Murphy's Arael, 108, 3, by Inferno—At Once.

Jos. E. Seagram's Hong Kong, 113, 3, by Havoc—Royal China; Galway, 108, 3, by Havoc or Gal-

atine—Irish Lass 11.; Bengore, 108, 3, Rockville—Irish Witch; Doleful, 108, 3, by Ypsilanti 11.—Dolores 111.; Gallant Kitty, 108, 3, by Havoc or Galatine—Kate Kiteberry.

Sunnyside Stable's Uncle John, 108, 3, by Ascanut—Spring Maid. Thorncliffe Stable's Pleasure Bent, 126, 4, by Nealon—Frolie; Bugle March, 105, 3, by Nealon—Mrs. Frank Foster; Mahomet, 105, 3, by Sain—Gracious; Glow Worm, 103, 3, by Nealon or First Sight—Loupans; Golden Bud, 103, 3, by Nealon—Gold Bud; Alice in Wonderland, 103, 3, by First Sight—Rose Lawrence; Fair and Warner, 103, 3, by First Sight—Fair Amie.

Wm. Walker's Corn W., 103, 3, by Stanley Fay—Ethel G.

Westerners are Routed by 14 to 3 Toronto Mar 19—No more farcical exhibition has been staged at the Arena this season than tonight's junior fixture between U.T.S. and Regina Patrias. The latter were made to look foolish by the Blue Shirts and were defeated by 14 to 3. The teams are billed to meet in the final contest for the Canadian Championship on Saturday night under Western rules, and U.T.S. will experience little difficulty in repeating their victory.

The local collegians were always best and scored almost at will. Their systematic play was a treat to watch and it is safe to say that in his respect, they have no superiors in hockey. Frank Carroll has drilled the Blue Shirts into one of the smoothest working aggregations ever seen here and is to be congratulated. There is not a selfish player on the outfit and every one gives everything he has for the benefit of his team. They are worthy champions and a credit to the game.

Duncan Munro was the bright particular star of the contest. The big fellow checked and rushed in thrilling style and made the Western supporters gasp in surprise. Never in his career as he shown to better advantage and, judging by his performance he is ready



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for senior company right. Rowell also turned in a nice game, proved an adept at bodychecking.

"Joe" Sullivan received many a cheer for his sensational work. On several occasions he rushed out, met an incoming forward who had outguessed the defense and blocked in brilliant style. Up on the forward all worked well, but the lion's share of the honors fell to Aggett and Jeffroy. Both these stalwarts went on a scoring rampage, and each notched six counters. Their passing was always accurate and well-timed.

Dutkowski Indifferent Player. Dutkowski, the big left wing player of the Patrias was their best man when ever he tried, but he played in indifferent style and showed only in flashes. He found no difficulty in outfooting the U.T.S. back-checkers, but the Rowell-Munro defense proved equal to the task of stopping him. For all-round consistency little Conrad was the best for the losers. He mixed it with any and everybody and gave his best from start to finish. Brown in goal was woefully weak and unable to handle any shots with speed on them.

Patrias are a greatly overrated team and it was a pity that they came such a long way and at so much expense to be beaten so badly.

U.T.S.—goal, Sullivan; defense, Munro and Rowell; left wing Grey; right wing, Jeffroy; centre Aggett; substitutes Kearns and Gunn.

Patrias—Goal Brown; defense, Wingham and Hookney; left wing, Dutkowski; right wing, Conrad; centre Harding; substitutes Crapper and Mulick.

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ITALY RACE BETWEEN POVERTY

Bolshevism Feeds on

PEACE COMMITTEES HURRYING THEIR WORK

PARIS Mar 21.—(By Fred S. Ferguson).—The Race between Peace and Poverty is now on. With the advent of spring, the question of whether peace, stability and reconstruction are to prevail during the coming months, or whether Central Europe will at least be convulsed in a sanguinary struggle, will soon be answered. Bolshevism forces are known to be concentrated on the Rumanian frontier. Others are facing the Poles, and by infiltration striking at the roots of that newly-formed government. The Rumanians say they have definite information that the Bolsheviks intend to strike as soon as the weather becomes favorable.

The Poles are now involved in constant, isolated struggles, and it is believed to be only a matter of time until the fall storm breaks.

Rumania and Poland stand as the only barriers between the Russian Bolsheviks and Central Europe. Owing to the shortage of raw materials and consequent lack of employment it is said to be a question whether the present Czechoslovak government can

Britain Facing Crisis in Labor Conditions

Triple Alliance May Not Accept Concessions

MEET AT SIX O'CLOCK TONIGHT

LONDON, March 21.—(By Arthur E. Mann).—Great Britain is facing the greatest labor crisis in its history. It will culminate to-night when the "Triple Alliance"—miners, railwaymen and transport workers—meet to decide whether a general strike shall be called to-morrow.

While the government has offered some concessions to both railwaymen and miners, labor leaders declare it must yield to every demand of the "Triple Alliance" to avert an international catastrophe.

Both sides refuse to make an official statement but a leader of the railwaymen made the following declaration to the United Press: We are prepared for the worst. If we strike we will win. If we win government will fall and will be replaced by a Labor ministry. The government realizes the seriousness of a general strike. It will mean that thousands of people in the great industrial districts will face starvation, as government would be unable to run enough trains to insure distributing sufficient food.

Many Laborites believe Premier Lloyd George is fully aware of the danger of the situation and personally is inclined to sympathize with the workers but they doubt whether he has the support of the whole government. Meanwhile, committees of miners, railwaymen and transport workers to-day were preparing reports to be submitted to joint conference of the leaders called for six p.m.

An eleventh-hour proposal, made by the government to railwaymen last night includes a forty-eight hour week and overtime pay at rate of time and a quarter for Sundays, time and a half for nightwork and a thirty-six cent. bonus for night. The present wage basis would continue for the balance of the year.

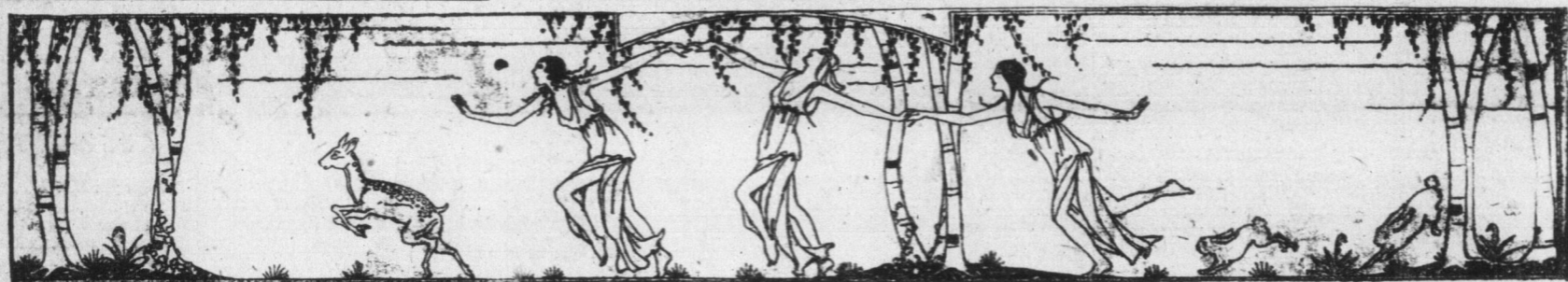
The government pointed out that even these concessions, which are far short of the workers demands, would necessitate a general rate increase. Nationalization of railways was not mentioned in the government's order. "It is a new and modified order but I am unable to predict what the verdict of the railwaymen's delegates will be," said J. S. Thomas, leader of railway employees. "The outlook is still difficult."

The railwaymen held a brief meeting last night but adjourned until to-day, without taking action. The status is uncertain whether they will resolve to continue negotiations on the basis of the government's latest proposition, owing to the fact that they are bound to cooperate with other members of the "Triple Alliance," no matter what individual decision they might reach.

Three reports were submitted yesterday by the special parliamentary committee, which investigated the mining situation. They were made public in the house of commons last night, by Andrew Bonar Law, spokesman of the government.

PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT PROMISED

LONDON, March 21.—Representatives of the miners at the meeting last night discussed the report of the Coal Commission but no decision



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