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MAKE 11 HOMERS IN TWO GAMES

Heavy Batting by Big Leaguers.

Nova Scotia Baseball Association—Annual Meeting on April 6—McTigue Announced Over Claim of K. O. Loughran—Late News of Sport.

New York, March 23.—The Yankees, having under the eye of Charles Leahy, acting manager, lost yesterday's game against the St. Paul American Association team. Baker slammed out two homers, while Ruth, Murray and McTigue each contributed a circuit smash.

Detroit, Mich., March 23.—The Detroit Americans and Rochester International staged a home-run exhibition for fans at Columbia, S. C., yesterday.

Pittsburg, March 23.—In the first inning game of the training season, the Pittsburg National League regulars, called over the Yankees yesterday at Hot Springs, Ark. in the fifth of the family series, 7 to 4.

Chicago, March 23.—Today was moving day for the Chicago clubs of the American and National leagues. The White Sox were to pack up after the practice game at Seguin, Texas, this afternoon, and go to Austin.

Cleveland, March 23.—The regulars had been unable to solve Gus Rego's pitching. Manager Speaker sent his recruits into yesterday's game with Kansas City, which Cleveland won 10 to 5.

Cincinnati, March 23.—Having closed their training season at Mineral Wells, yesterday, when they suffered defeat at the hands of the Fort Worth, Texas, League, 6 to 2, the Cincinnati Reds drove over to Weatherford today to put on a test-match game for the fans of that little city.

N. S. Meeting. Halifax, N. S., March 23.—The annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Baseball Association, which has opened since 1920, will be held in Halifax on April 6.

Toronto, March 23.—Commenting on last night's Allan Cup result between Granite (O. H. A. champions) and the Regina Victorias (champions of all the west), the Globe says: "The score, 7 to 0, was the worst showing ever made in the blue ribbon event by the western representatives and it gives an indication of the extent the teams were weakened when the majority of the star amateurs in Winnipeg, Regina, Selkirk and other places turned professional."

Joe Jacobs, McTigue's manager, has offered all sorts of inducements for a return match but has had no luck. He has even offered to post a forfeit of \$5,000 that McTigue will knock Loughran out, but the latter declined with thanks. McTigue is working out daily in the hope of landing a match with Wilson.

IN PORT AFTER A HARD FIGHT U. S. Freight Steamer West Caruth was in Distress Off Cherbourg.

Cherbourg, March 23.—The United States Shipping Board freight steamer West Caruth, aided by a pilot boat from Cherbourg, reached here early this afternoon after having been in distress since last night off the northwest coast of France.

The vessel had to sacrifice a large part of her cargo of bamboo, which she was bringing from Dakar, French West Africa.

BIG DEFICIT IN MANITOBA FOR 1922 PREDICTED

Winnipeg, March 23.—(Canadian Press) Candidates of the United Farmers of Manitoba will contest every rural constituency in Manitoba in the coming election, so it was said yesterday by W. H. Woods, secretary of the organization.

Hon. Edward Brown, provincial treasurer, said that there would be a provincial deficit of more than \$1,100,000 for 1922.

The provincial income tax bill, which would have reduced the deficit to some extent, will be dropped.

THE DOLLAR TODAY. New York, March 23.—Sterling exchange heavy. Demand 4.87 1/2, Canadian dollar, 2 1/2 per cent discount.

U. S. Government Will Stand For No Violence In Strike

Last Hour Conference in New York Today to Avert Strike, But Union Leader Does Not See Much Hope of Avoiding Suspension of Work on April 1.

(Canadian Press.) Washington, March 23.—Warning that the federal government would tolerate no use of violence to prevent coal production during the threatened coal strike, was issued today by Attorney-General Daugherty.

STILL STRIVING FOR SETTLEMENT. New York, March 23.—In an 11th hour attempt to avert preparations for a nation-wide strike in the coal industry, the arbitration committee of anthracite miners and operators will meet behind locked doors, today, at the Union League Club.

The committee will be composed of eight men, four miners and four operators. With them will sit two non-voting neutrals, a chairman and a secretary. John L. Lewis, president of the international organization of United Mine Workers will head the delegation.

Upon today's conference will depend whether the 200,000 anthracite workers shall proceed with their 400,000 brethren in the bituminous fields, and prepare to drop their tools April 1, while their nineteen wage demands are given consideration. The miners' representatives will enter today's conference with little expectation of reaching an agreement which will avert the strike.

"Of course, we have hope," said Mr. Lewis, but there is no reasonable doubt that the general strike will be called April 1, as scheduled.

Plans will be devised for the assessment of strike dues in local districts, to augment the \$2,000,000 "war chest" which union leaders estimate is already available.

Mr. Lewis announced today that the "united mine workers are still ready and willing to meet the mine owners in any move to decide upon a new wage scale."

He said his organization was in perfect accord with attempts to the administration at Washington to "urge the operators to change their policy of absolute refusal to deal with the unions."

Coal distributors of New York today were distributing circulars urging their customers to buy anthracite now, to prepare for a threatened shortage which a protracted strike would cause.

MONTREAL VIEW OF CONDITIONS. Montreal, March 23.—Commenting on the situation brought about by the strike order of President Lewis of the U. M. W. of A. and on the situation obtaining in the coal mines of the maritime provinces, the Montreal Gazette says in a news column today:

"The declaration of J. L. Lewis, international president of the miners, that the Nova Scotia district has been excluded from the general strike order to become effective on March 31, may have another meaning than that attributed to Mr. Lewis, who said that the eastern Canadian miners were not included in the order because they were disorganised."

After that the problem would be increased should the strike, if undertaken, be prolonged. During the open season the local situation might be relieved by importations of United Kingdom coal.

Inquiries were made yesterday as to the effect of a general strike and in reply it was said that Montreal could get along for some time on present supplies.

At this season there is a falling off in the demand both for anthracite and bituminous coal, banked by the Nova Scotia companies and importing organizations to carry manufacturing concerns through the summer months.

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Special Meeting of Municipal Committee This Afternoon—Counter Proposal of the County Councillors.

A special meeting of the bills committee of the municipal council was called for this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the mayor's office to go into the matter of the proposed bill considered at Fredericton yesterday regarding the taxation of persons resident in the county and working in the city.

The mayor said that the county councillors had proposed amending the original clause in the bill to include in the county assessment only government employees in the customs house and post office and men employed by the C. N. R. and C. P. R.

As consideration of the bill by the legislature committee was deferred until next Wednesday, he said, some action would have to be taken by the municipal authorities before that date.

PREMIER HOME TODAY WITH THE BODY OF BROTHER

Toronto, March 23.—The casket containing the body of Dr. D. MacDougall King, accompanied by his brother, Premier W. L. King, will arrive in Toronto from Denver, Colo., this afternoon.

Advices received from the premier indicated that it was not the intention to hold any funeral services in the city. The ceremony at the grave will be conducted by Rev. John Inkster, a life-long friend of the family and by request of the Prime Minister, will be private.

As Hiram Sees It

"I see," said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam to the Times reporter, "they ain't a-go to allow no more political speeches in the Manitoba legislature for the rest of the session."

"It is so announced," said a reporter, "What'll the poor fellows do?" queried Hiram. "They won't want to go back—will they? What's the use of a man gittin' into the house now an' agin and tell the world that and his party is the only salvation of the country?"

"Just think what it 'ud be like up to Fredrickton if that's all right," said Hiram. "What'll they do for a business? How'd they earn their pay? Why, they'd git through in three or four weeks. I s'pose you newspaper fellers wouldn't care how I'm afeard them western folks that's avus up to some no tricks is goin' to undermine the foundations of our liberties—By Hen!"

"But they say the best Manitoba government is to be made up of farmers," said the reporter.

"That's up to them," said Hiram. "What they hev to say'll be with hearin'—yes, sir."

CONSERVATIVES TALKED MOST

What Hansard Shows on Address Debate—Church of Toronto, Used Most Words and Meighen Second.

(Special to The Times.) Ottawa, March 23.—The columns of Hansard, up to Tuesday night, provide an interesting analysis of the speaking in reply to the address to the throne.

The Conservatives, for instance, occupied 123 columns. The Independents, two of them labor men, took up seventy-seven columns.

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British Submarine Is Lost With all Hands

The H-42 Collides With Destroyer in Manoeuvres in the Mediterranean and is Sunk.

London, March 23.—The British submarine H-42 has been lost with all hands in the Mediterranean, says an Exchange Telegraph message from Gibraltar today.

The British submarines of the H-class were all built under the war emergency programme, most of them in the years 1918-19. They are of the single hull "Holland" type, modified by the admiralty, 164 1-2 to 171 feet long and 15 3-4 feet beam.

They displace from 440 to 500 tons and are equipped with two sets of Diesel engines, giving a speed of thirteen knots on the surface and carrying four torpedo tubes. Their ordinary complement is twenty-two men.

SAYS U. S. CAN DO MORE OUTSIDE NATIONS LEAGUE

Colonel Repington Looks for Advent of Great Statesman to Consolidate Washington, League and Hague.

Chicago, March 23.—The United States "is of more service outside of the League of Nations than she will be in, for as a non-member she can refer to the European football game," said Col. Charles Repington, British writer and military expert, in speech yesterday.

He expressed the belief that a great statesman some day would consolidate the treaties of Washington, the League of Nations and the international court of justice at The Hague into one organization.

DOHERTY N BRUSH WITH THE BANKERS

Ontario Minister of Agriculture Defends Policy of Establishing Savings Banks.

Toronto, March 23.—Hon. Manning W. Doherty, minister of agriculture has issued a reply to a circular published recently from the Canadian Bankers Association, criticizing the Ontario government policy of establishing savings banks.

Mr. Doherty says the circular issued by the bankers' association is a political document and its contents "marked by a clear desire to inflame public opinion against this government."

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SAYS C. R. RATES RUINING TRADE

Commons Speaker for Moncton Headquarters.

Putnam of Colchester Urges That Men Familiar With Maritime Province Conditions be in Charge—Debate at Ottawa.

(Canadian Press.) Ottawa, March 23.—Today in the commons debate on the address will be continued. Leon J. Ladner (Conservative, Vancouver South) will be the first speaker. The senate will sit at three p. m.

Yesterday, in the commons, the debate on the address was resumed by John Evans (Progressive, Saskatoon), who said that the tariff of today was the foundation on which the structure of special privileges was built. He declared that in 1916 the United Grain Growers' Company, forced to buy in the U. S. because Canadian manufacturers refused to sell to them for co-operative distribution, had to pay fifty-two per cent in duties on gang plows. He predicted that if the Laurier-Fielding tariff was continued for another four years the Progressives would be returned to parliament in greater numbers after the next election.

J. H. Harris (Conservative, North York) said that immigrants should be required to have a clear conception of British ideals and institutions before being admitted into Canada. It was not enough for them to have a clean bill of health. He said trade in Canada was fast and west if this country was to remain a nation within the empire.

J. E. D'Anjou (Liberal, Rimouski) commended the proposed reduction in militia estimates. He was glad to see more attention to agriculture than its predecessors had.

H. Putnam (Liberal, Colchester) made a strong plea for the removal of the I. C. R. from the Intercolonial Railway to Moncton. Men who were familiar with conditions in the maritime provinces should be appointed to handle this road, he said. The rates on the I. C. R. were ruining maritime trade and driving young men and women across the line into the U. S.

F. G. McBride (Progressive, Carleton Place) protested against admitting orientals into Canada. Orientals would not assimilate, and the white and yellow races should never associate. The influx of Japanese and Chinese tended to lower the moral and laboring standards of the Dominion. He urged the government to see that returned soldiers settled on the land received a square deal.

C. Robitaille (Liberal, Missisquoi) commended the proposed reduction in militia estimates. He was glad to see more attention to agriculture than its predecessors had.

L. J. Ladner (Conservative, Vancouver South) said that all the members from British Columbia, irrespective of party, were in favor of the tariff urged by the Conservative party. Mr. Ladner was speaking when the house rose.

In the Senate Hon. J. D. Reid was introduced. Senator Lesperance moved that committee be appointed to continue the investigation of last session into the division of the western grain trade to American ports. Second reading was given a bill to extend the right of appeal from convictions for indictable offences.

Senate Matters. Ottawa, March 23.—On the request of Sir George E. Foster, the order-in-council appointing P. C. Larkin, Canadian High Commissioner in London was laid on the table in the Senate yesterday.

One clause stated that the policy embodied in the original and amended office of high commissioner had been departed from by placing under the supervision of the high commissioner the London offices of the department of immigration, trade and commerce, soldiers civil re-establishment, pensions commission and also departmental representatives.

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BROADER SCOPE OF GENOA MEET

Include Political Questions, is Italian View.

France Having Trouble Getting Suitable Man to Head Delegation—Alleged Plot to Have Russian Representatives Attacked by Bandits.

Rome, March 23.—The majority opinion in governmental circles favors broadening the scope of the coming international conference at Genoa to include political questions. Italian officials are skeptical over the success of any plan for the economic reconstruction of Europe without first solving the problems of financing of state budgets and disarmament of the sea and land.

Baron Avezzano, in charge of the arrangements, has ordered that the Russian delegates to "urge the operators to change their policy of absolute refusal to deal with the unions."

Paris, March 23.—Premier Poincare is having great difficulty in selecting France's delegates to the Genoa conference. He had had several names under consideration for head of the delegation, but all these men have rejected his offers for various reasons. Among these considered were former Premier Viviani and Doumergue, former Foreign Minister Hanotaux, and M. De Lasteyrie, the minister of finance.

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