

Mutt and Jeff

By "Bud" Fisher



NEW MAJOR LEAGUE COMES WITH CHANGES

American Association to Have Draft and Player Privileges Equal to Any

Special to The Telegraph Chicago, Jan. 29.—The American Association has taken another big step—the biggest so far—in its progress toward the high places of baseball, according to President Chivington, having gained from the National Commission the promise that the major leagues' power of draft over it will be given up. In addition, the commission has agreed to grant the association the right to enter certain cities now in the American or National Leagues and will turn over a number of players. But representation on the National Commission and participation in the world's championship series are "steps not yet taken," according to Mr. Chivington. The concession, which was first announced to-day by President McGill, of the Indianapolis club, makes the association a major league, on equal terms with the American and National, so far as the draft is concerned, Chivington said. What other differences it will make in interleague relations will be arranged by the commission, though action is not expected until after a decision in the antitrust suit, he concluded.

"Appeal to Reason" Editor Will Speak Tonight

Fred D. Warren, the militant editor of the Appeal to Reason, a Socialist paper, will tell the story of his fight against alleged corruption in the federal judiciary. After being sent to prison for his attacks on federal judges several years ago Warren was unconditionally pardoned by President Taft without any request by himself or fellow-Socialists.

JOHN K. TENER IS NOW IN FULL CHARGE

Reports at Headquarters and Hands Out Some Interesting Facts

New York, Jan. 29.—John K. Tener, formerly Governor of Pennsylvania, to-day officially took charge of the executive offices of the National League for the first time since he was elected president, almost a year ago. He occupied the main seat in the local offices of the parent baseball organization and from it discoursed on current happenings in the national pastime. Among the points brought out by Mr. Tener were that August Herrmann was certain to be re-elected chairman of the National Commission; that there seemed little possibility that the commission would be increased to four members, which would give the minor leagues a representative on the supreme court of baseball; that the players now are given the benefit of the doubt in all cases brought before the commission; that there is no assurance that minor leagues of AA classification would be exempted from drafts and that a 5 per cent. tax on baseball would be an injustice to a public institution already heavily taxed. Mr. Tener refused to comment upon the action heard in Chicago recently in connection with the Federal League. He said he had perfect confidence in Judge Landis and was certain that the United States judge would give a correct verdict. Asked if a verdict for the Federal League would be correct, Mr. Tener said that he would accept as correct and final any decision given by Judge Landis.

J. HORACE MCFARLAND SPEAKS

J. Horace McFarland, president of the American Civic Association, spoke before the Altoona Chamber of Commerce yesterday on "Play and Prosperity," showing the broad policy needed in civic improvements.

REALTY COMPANY ELECTS STOCKHOLDERS OF THE HARRISBURG REALTY COMPANY AT THE ANNUAL MEETING

At the annual meeting of the Harrisburg Realty Company, held yesterday, B. F. Unberger, president; John P. Melick, vice-president; and Andrew S. Patterson, secretary and treasurer.

LEBANON VALLEY'S NEW CAPTAIN BREAKS INTO BASEBALL IN ONE DAY



JAMES R. LAREW GIVES DICKENS IMPERSONATIONS

The Harrisburg Teachers' Association was addressed last night at the Technical high school by William Sterling Battis on popular characters in Charles Dickens' works. Impersonations in character costumes were given.

Answering Call as an Emergency Man, This Star Shows Real Form and Plays Game Like an Old-Timer

John R. Larew, a Dillsburg boy, who has been elected captain of the baseball nine at Lebanon Valley College, has played on that team for the past four years. He is not only a real star in this line of athletics, but has been a member of the football eleven for four years, acting as the team's captain in his sophomore year. He is one of the most popular men in college and is identified with many of the school's organizations. When Larew started to play ball he was a real novice, not having had any knowledge of the game whatever. He never cared for baseball. One day Lebanon was shy and he was asked to get busy. He picked up the game rapidly and is now a star.

Alumni Members to Help Wharton Team

Members of the alumni of the University of Pennsylvania will support the Wharton School athletic committee. Many of the alumni have signified their intention to attend the game at Cathedral Hall to-morrow night, when the Wharton School five will meet the tossers from the evening school of the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia. The athletic committee of the Wharton school has sent letters to members of the alumni in Harrisburg requesting their aid in all athletic enterprises. The Wharton boys are in sports from an amateur standpoint only. If the athletic committee can break even on expenses the members will be satisfied. The game to-morrow night promises much interest. The line-up: Philadelphia. Wharton. Kitcher, f. Kissick, f. Gotschal, f. Smith, f. Thomas, c. Wolfe, c. Snavely, g. Brandt, g. McCarthy, g. Wells, g.

INTERNATIONAL WILL STICK

President Edward G. Barrow Says Organization Is Stronger Than Ever. Special to The Telegraph New York, Jan. 29.—Edward G. Barrow, president of the International Baseball League, issued this statement last night: "Please deny for me that the International League has any intention of going out of business now or at any other time. The story published in an evening paper to this effect is absolutely untrue and without foundation. The International League is in the field to stay, and it is ridiculous to intimate that men like McCaffery and Solot of Toronto; Chaplin of Rochester; Lichtenheim, of Montreal; Stein and Hart, of Buffalo; Lashin, of Providence, and Ebbets and McKeever of Newark, all having thousands of dollars invested, would lay down after one bad season."

DOOIN SIGNS CONTRACT

Cincinnati Lands Former Philadelphia Manager at a Large Salary. Special to The Telegraph Philadelphia, Jan. 29.—Charley Dooin, former manager of the Phillies, signed the contract offered him by the Cincinnati team yesterday. There was no official announcement regarding the terms of the contract, but it is believed to call for \$2,000 a year for two years. Manager Herzog, of the Reds, came to this city to sign Dooin yesterday and left for his home in Maryland in the afternoon. Manager Pat Moran, of the Phillies, returned yesterday from Durham, N. C., where he held a conference with George Whitted, of the Boston Club, who is wanted by Moran in exchange for Magee. Word was received here Wednesday that Whitted had turned down the Phillies' offer, but Moran said he was still hopeful of getting the player.

Bits of Sports

Ban Johnson has called a meeting of the American League for Wednesday at New York. In the opening games of the P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. duckpin league last night, the Giants won from the Cubs, margin five pins. The Waps defeated the Bisons, margin 49 pins. The Enola Country Club team is ready for baseball games when the season opens. The manager is A. C. Kell, Enola. In the Public Ledger, Philadelphia, to-day William R. Racap, the veteran sport writer, says there is no need for a boxing commission. The Methodist Club last night won from Hersey five, score 25 to 18. William P. McGowan, of Houtzdale, has signed a contract to play with the Chifeds. Lebanon Valley meets New York University tossers to-night. Liberty tossers last night at Middletown won from Wincroft, score 23 to 16. The Car Shops won from Rescue, score 16 to 7. Lincoln girls won from Camp Curtin Girls basketball team yesterday, score 20 to 16. The greatest news-gathering institution in Europe, The London Times is using all its resources for "The London Times History of the War," the one big current illustrated history of the most terrible conflict the world has known.

TWO MORE TOWNS FOR CENTRAL LEAGUE

Attendance Last Season Warrants the Belief That a Larger Circuit Will Show Profit

One baseball league that is not worrying over injunctions these days is the Central Pennsylvania organization. In four towns last summer, Steelton, Highspire, Middletown and New Cumberland, the game was a big success; so much so, that the coming season will find six clubs on the circuit. The decision to take in two more towns was reached at a meeting held last night at Steelton. There are five applicants for admission. The names of the new towns, and those seeking a place in the Central league, will not be made public until February 7, at which time plans for next season will be announced. Lebanon made application, but was turned down. Frank Stees, the president of the league, was authorized to make inquiries and report at the next meeting the names of two towns offering best inducements. Statistics presented by President Stees showed that 23,983 persons paid to see baseball in the Central league last season. The average attendance at the games was 604. The largest crowd attending a game was on July 4 at Highspire when 1,818 persons paid admission. The second largest was at Steelton at the opening of the season when 1,096 persons attended; the average attendance at Middletown was 662.

TECH HIGH TOSSERS EXPECT HARD GAME

Play Second of Series With Middletown Five on Local Floor; to Play Shippensburg

One game on the scholastic schedule to-night offers an interesting attraction. Tech high will meet Middletown high on the Tech gymnasium floor. Additional seats have been provided because of the increase in the crowds, and a record crowd is looked for. Tech has been having hard practice each day. The entire basketball squad turns out and special work is expected because of the desire on the part of the candidates to get a letter at the close of the season. Some new faces will appear in the Tech line-up, while Middletown will have their regulars in the best form possible. Central high team will go to Shippensburg to-morrow for a game with the Normal school five of that place. As Tech has won two games from Shippensburg, Central high tossers are anxious to maintain their record for victories. A number of students will accompany the Central team to Shippensburg.

"Billy" Sunday to Undergo Operation on His Throat

Special to The Telegraph Philadelphia, Jan. 29.—"Billy" Sunday's voice is giving out under the strain of his tabernacle tirades, and his throat is in such condition that it has been found necessary to have re-

course to surgical means to prevent lasting impairment of his vocal chords. The operation will be performed at Sunday's home at 1914 Spring Garden street on February 9 by Dr. Goehring, of Pittsburgh, who has attended the evangelist in previous campaigns in other cities. Under stress of his daily declamations, Sunday's voice began to give out a week or so ago, and lost much of its carrying power, according to Dr. Drew, the evangelist's personal physician. Recently the evangelist has been forcing his voice, and the trouble has become accentuated. Last night, after his two sermons, it was painful for Sunday to talk. "The operation will be only a minor one," declared Dr. Drew, "and Mr. Sunday may not even miss a sermon if things go as we expect."



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