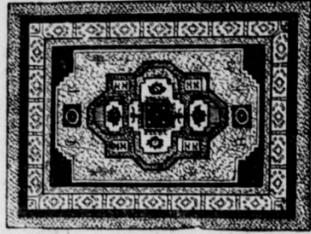


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BIG CUT IN SALARIES IS BASIS OF B. B. PEACE PACT

Present Inflated Contracts Must Go Warring Factions Agree—Players Cop All the Profits—American League to Meet To-morrow

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Peace in baseball does not appear to be far distant. Everything indicates that there is an understanding between the high officials of organized baseball and the Federal promoters. The statement of Owner Weeghman, of the Chiefs, that both sides of the controversy had agreed that the paying of exorbitant salaries to players must cease, shows plainly that the two factions have struck upon the proper basis for coming to an agreement.

The first thing sure to happen when peace is established is a slicing of the salaries. The game cannot exist at the rate players want to be paid for their services.

When the American League magnates assemble at Chicago to-morrow it is expected to prove the most momentous convocation since the Federal entered the field. The gathering, besides considering the special problems of the moment, will take the place of the regular annual meeting, which usually is held in December.

Peace in baseball is believed to be near as the result of Garry Herrmann's mission to Chicago Saturday and Sunday. Herrmann met the Federal officials, it is admitted generally by the knowing ones, to discuss peace between organized baseball and the Federal League, and also as the agent of Charles P. Taft, and in both missions he is said to have been successful.

Under what terms the peace will be effected cannot be said at this time. The problem is difficult and it will require many days to reach an understanding that will be satisfactory to both parties.

Charles Weeghman, president of the Chicago Federal League Club, admitted he had held a conference with Herrmann and that the question of peace was discussed and considerable headway made. Whether he represented the Federal League is not known, but as President Gilmore was not present at the gathering it is thought he did.

Herrmann before leaving for Cincinnati acknowledged he had seen the Chicago Federal owner, and that they had a long talk regarding a truce, and that it looked to him as if all this wrangling in baseball would be stopped for all time. He is said to have departed feeling as if he had solved the problem that would settle the matter.

It is asserted that Weeghman probably will get the Chicago National League team, and that his purpose in talking to Herrmann was in one sense to see what could be done toward getting the Cubs. Weeghman did not deny that the Cincinnati magnate practically was Taft's agent and there was a possibility of his getting the West Side franchise. What the final result of that gathering was could not be learned, but it is said the Chicago Federal League owner will get the Cub team.

Hugh Jennings, manager of the Detroit Americans, is to be disciplined, according to an announcement by B. B. Johnson, the league president.

Jennings violated one of the prime rules of the league, Johnson asserts, when he made public recently the fact that Manager Connie Mack had asked waivers on Plank, Bender and Coombs.

WALKS 100 MILES, UNSHOD
Man Out of Work Readily Substitutes His Sincerity

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Nov. 4.—When John Simpson, of Binghamton, was arrested on the Lehigh Valley railroad in this city yesterday as a vagrant he was able to prove that, although he was barefooted and without means of subsistence, his purposes were good.

Out of work, he had walked the 100 miles from his home town, and, insisting he could obtain employment in Bethlehem, where he has relatives, he convinced the authorities they should allow him to continue the long hike. He was released.

U. S. STEEL TO CUT WAGES JAN. 1
Independents, It Is Said, Will Also Make Reductions

Pittsburgh, Nov. 4.—From an official source it was learned here that the United States Steel Corporation will reduce the wages of its immense army of employes on January 1, 1915. As a prelude to this action the reduction of the dividend a few days ago was made.

It was said also that the independent mills will probably follow in the wake of the Steel Corporation and reduce the pay of all employes who are not protected by working agreements extending beyond January 1.

Chicago to Open Five Dance Halls
Chicago, Nov. 4.—Five municipal dance halls under the direction of the city's Department of Public Welfare will be opened early next month, Mayor Harrison announced yesterday. City Council, at the Mayor's request, recently appropriated \$5,000 for the project.

Golf Ball Acid Blinds Him
Scranton, Pa., Nov. 4.—The explosion of a golf ball which was trying to cut may cause loss of eyesight to George Hill, Boulevard avenue, a boy about 15 years of age. The golf ball was filled with some sort of acid to make it lively.

Steel Prices Cut \$2 a Ton
Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 4.—For the first time in several months manufacturers of steel pipe have announced a general cut in the price of their product of \$2 per ton. Lowering of prices is due to declining activity in the trade, in the hope that the new price will stimulate buying.

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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

FORDHAM DEFEATED THE HEAVY GETTYSBURG TEAM

Pennsylvania College's Invasion of Gotham Disastrous, the Maroon Eleven Winning by the Score of 21 to 2

New York, Nov. 4.—Fordham defeated the heavy Gettysburg team on Fordham field yesterday by 21 to 2. Yule, Dunn and Regan, the Maroon back field trio, each scored a touchdown, while the visitors' score came as the result of a safety when Dunn was tackled behind his own goal line.

Although fumbling figured in the first touchdown, it was the marked improvement of the Fordham back field that counted in the result. Displaying a series of double passes that were run off with speed and power, Dunn, Yule and Kane cut off tackle or circled the ends for the gains that spelled victory for Fordham. The locals obtained 23 first downs to 9 for Gettysburg and gained four times as much ground.

Morcaudi ran the team in perfect fashion and unworked forward passes when they could do the most good. Twice with the ball within the Gettysburg 20-yard mark the forward heave was worked successfully and placed the Maroon within the final chalk mark.

Fordham again kicked to Gettysburg, and the visitors leading with a twenty-yard pass started a march down the field. On straight plunging they managed to hammer three first downs but of the locals before they were stopped at the ten-yard mark. Here Regan fell on a fumbled ball. A second pass was made to Dunn on the next play, and Scheffer tackled the Fordham back for a safety behind the goal line.

Taking the ball on their 35-yard mark toward the end of the first half Fordham worked the ball down to the two-yard mark, where an incomplete pass gave the ball to Gettysburg. The first half ended soon afterward.

Fordham's back field showed to even better advantage in the second half. After rushing the ball seventy yards

only to lose it on an intercepted pass, the break again carried their heavier opponents off their feet. With Dunn and Kane working a double pass that never failed to gain, the ball was advanced to the three-yard line. Yule, whose plunging was a feature of the game, hit off tackle for the second touchdown.

Regan made the third touchdown in the final period on an end run from the 15-yard line.

Coach Wymard then sent in a batch of substitutes who played on the "prep" team last year, and the "freshies" were well on their way to another score when the game ended.

The line-up: Fordham (21) Gettysburg (2) Kane L. E. Scheffer Mulehny L. T. Mark Riordan L. G. Webner Wymard C. C. McCullagh Conklin R. C. Faulk May R. T. Baker Corriden R. E. Terabid Moreauldi Q. B. J. Mehauffey Regan L. H. Stoner Dunn J. B. Stratton Yule J. B. Stratton

Referee—Mr. Harwood, of Virginia. Umpire—Mr. Kinsburg, of Washington and Jefferson. Head linesman—Mr. Bamman, of Princeton. Touchdowns—Dunn, Regan, Yule. Goals from touchdowns—Wymard (3). Safety—Dunn. Substitutes—Hoar for J. Mehauffey, Rice for Riordan, E. Mehauffey for Kane, Wymard for Rice, Ryan for Moreauldi, Robbin for Yule, N. Conklin for J. Conklin, Doherty for May. Time of periods—Twelve minutes.

HORTON WINS HIS MATCH

Defeated Rutherford in Third Round in Academy Tourney
Charles Horton, last year's tennis champion, defeated Rutherford in the third round in the Harrisburg Academy tennis tourney in straight sets by the scores of 6-4 and 6-1. One match remains in the third round.

Will Hold Economy Run
An economy run will be held by the Harrisburg Motor Club on Thanksgiving Day, starting in Market square going to York by way of Gettysburg. Silver cups will be awarded the owners having the best scores at the end of the run. J. Clyde Myton, secretary of the club, is listing entries.

MACK SAYS HE IS SERIOUS

Plank, Bender and Coombs Will Not Play for Philadelphia Athletics Again

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Fans who believe that Connie Mack does not want to get rid of Plank, Bender and Coombs, but was merely trying to scare them, so that he could sign them at his own terms, are mistaken.

Mack said yesterday that the three pitchers would never again appear in Athletic uniforms. He didn't tell the reason for his sudden feeling of displeasure toward the three veterans, but he did say that the reasons for his action were different in each case.

"The papers have overlooked the fact," observed Connie, "that these men are still great pitchers. Plank always has taken good care of himself. He should be good for two or three years more. Bender is still a young man and should last longer. Why, he was the leading pitcher in the American League last season.

"I haven't the slightest doubt that Coombs will come back and pitch as good ball as he ever did. This may sound funny for a man to say after the action I took, but it is a fact, nevertheless. For reasons which I won't divulge, I am through with them, and that's all there is to it."

Mack, in closing, made a significant remark when he said: "I don't want one man on the team who is not for the club. That goes for the whole bunch."

The gaunt general informed a friend yesterday that he was tired of working for ball players and wasn't going broke toadying to temperamental stars.

DE PALMA WINS FOUR

Only Loses One Race at Brighton Beach Track
New York, Nov. 4.—Ralph De Palma, in his powerful Mercedes car, carried off the honors in the automobile race meet at the Brighton Beach track yesterday afternoon. He won four of the five events and finished third in the other. The event he lost was a handicap affair, and so liberal were the starts allotted to his opponents that despite his great speed, he was unable to get near the leaders.



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EXAMINE THE CHILDREN BEFORE THEY GO TO WORK

Commissioner John Price Jackson Believes They Should Show That They Are Fitted for Their Work by Medical Examination

Commissioner John Price Jackson, of the Department of Labor and Industry, has long been firmly convinced that children going to work between fourteen and sixteen years of age should have careful medical examinations showing that they are fitted for their work. Although his department does not have sufficient force to do this work, he has been endeavoring to obtain the co-operation of other agencies, such as the local departments of health and in this work he has had the hearty support of the Governor of the State.

During the months of June, July and August the children in Philadelphia between the ages of fourteen and sixteen who applied for labor certificates have been given a medical examination. This work has been carried on under the direction of the Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry with the efficient co-operation of the Bureau of Health of Philadelphia, and with necessary financial assistance and other important service given by the Pennsylvania Child Labor association.

The total number of children examined in Philadelphia in the above named work was 3,964. Of these 724 were found without defect, 3,224 with one or more defects. There were 338 certificates temporarily refused because of the need of proper glasses and 75 refused because of bad teeth. These certificates were afterwards granted when the defects were corrected. There were sixteen certificates refused absolutely, because of the following defects: Heart disease, 2; poor nutrition and anemia, 1; refused to wear glasses, 1; phthisis, 2; phthisis with mitral regurgitation, 4; suspicious tuberculosis of the lungs, 1; tuberculosis of hip with mitral regurgitation, 2; rheumatism with mitral regurgitation, 1; and nephritis, 1.

Dr. John C. Price, chief medical inspector of the department, sums up the results of the examinations of these 3,964 children as follows:

"The result of this examination shows the necessity of continuing this work so as to protect the children from being placed at work when they are physically unable to stand the confinement, long hours and other unhealthy conditions surrounding industrial occupation.

It also, I think, demonstrates the need of classification of employments to which children should be eligible, that is, so children who are strong and well developed physically should be allowed to be employed in any industry permissible by law. Then there is a grade of children who are below par and who should only be allowed to be employed in such industries as insure plenty of outdoor life and not too long hours. Then there is still another class of children who should not be permitted to engage in labor at all until after they are sixteen years of age. This classification, in my opinion, should be made by a committee composed of vari-

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SEVER'S ARM TO SAVE HEAD

Boy Then Walks to Tell His Boss of Accident

Pottsville, Pa., Nov. 4.—With his left arm completely severed between the shoulder and the elbow, John Wise, aged 14, of Port Carbon, calmly walked to the Reading Railway yardmaster's office to inform him of the accident. A man walking back of him carried the arm.

Wise was attempting to board a moving railroad train when he slipped and fell under the wheels. To prevent his head being cut off, Wise put out his arm and the train passed over it.

WARNS OTHERS OF OWN PERIL

Driller Is Killed by Weight He Sees Falling

Altoona, Pa., Nov. 4.—While attempting to raise a 20-foot long drill, weighing 1,500 pounds, to lower it into a well at Greenwood, a suburb, yesterday, the rope slipped off the pulley and the drill descended on the head of Sylvester Weekland, aged 55, a driller, killing him instantly.

Weekland saw the rope slip and called to others to look out, thinking the drill would fall another way.

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