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Delegates Revise Baseball Schedule

Eastern Division Interscholastic Baseball Season from April 15 to June 18—Norwich and Willimantic Umpires—Academy Eleven Makes McCormick Captain—National League Meeting Today.

The season's plan of play for 1910 was outlined Monday afternoon by a meeting of the Eastern division of the Interscholastic Baseball league, held at 3 o'clock at the Crocker house in New London. Manager O. Eugene O'Neill for Bulkeley, Harrison C. Noyes for the Norwich Free Academy, Guy N. Richmond for Windham High and Henry M. Clark for Westerly High attended the meeting. Manager D. Parks of Morgan school was absent. The meeting was conducted informally. The question of umpires occasioned a long discussion. New London proposed McGuire, but he was turned down because of his unsatisfactory way of keeping his dates last year. Westerly proposed Doyle and O'Donovan, but they were not satisfactory. Hull, the old Clinton umpire, was also proposed by Westerly, but the managers couldn't agree on him. Finally they settled on Nichols of Willimantic, whose name was handed in by Richmond of Windham High, and John J. Stone of this city, whom Noyes of the Academy nominated. Manager Noyes was delegated to notify Mr. Stone of the appointment.

The pay of umpires was fixed at \$2.50 per game and expenses. Having selected their umpires, the managers proceeded to make up their schedule. As decided upon this opens the league season on April 15th with the Westerly game at Clinton and closes it at Norwich on June 18, when Bulkeley plays the Academy.

The following was the schedule adopted, with the umpires assigned to each game: April 15—Westerly at Clinton, Stone. April 16—Clinton at Windham, Stone. April 23—Norwich at Windham, Stone. April 23—Clinton at Bulkeley, Nichols. April 29—Bulkeley at Westerly, Stone. April 30—Windham at Norwich, Nichols.

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Taftville Going to Jewett City. The Jewett City basketball game played a return game in Putnam Saturday evening with the Hammon and Knowlton team, defeating them in a fast contest, 9 to 6. Manager League

of Jewett City has secured the Taftville team to come to the borough for a game Thursday evening, which will, without doubt, be one of the star contests of the season. The two teams will be selected from the following: Jewett City—Marion, Robertson, L'Heureux, Bothwell, Popham, Ginnings, Wakefield, Jarvis. Taftville—Morrisette, Engling, Desjardins, Caron, E. Fontaine, J. Fontaine, V. Fontaine, Aberg.

CHANGES OPENING DATE. Nutmeg League to Begin April 29—Schedule Committee Fixes Holiday Dates.

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 13.—That April 29 will be the opening day of the 1910 season of the Connecticut Baseball league, instead of April 30, was announced by a schedule committee of the league at the conclusion of their meeting here today. The opening games will be as follows: April 29—Hartford at Northampton; Bridgeport at New Haven; Springfield at Hartford; Northampton at Holyoke; New Britain at Bridgeport; Springfield at Waterbury.

The following are the holiday games: May 30—Hartford and Northampton; Waterbury and New Britain; Springfield and Holyoke; New Haven and Bridgeport.

July 4—Hartford and New Britain; Waterbury and Bridgeport; Springfield and New Haven; Holyoke and Northampton. Labor day—Hartford and Springfield; New Haven and Waterbury; New Britain and Bridgeport; Holyoke and Northampton.

WARD'S ELECTION MEANS WAR. American League President Says It Will End Friendly Relations.

New York, Dec. 13.—The American league simply will not stand John M. Ward's being elected president of the National league to succeed John A. Heydler, according to Ban Johnson, president of the American league, who arrived in New York today. If he is elected, says Johnson, it means war.

As outlining his position in the matter on the eve of the National league meeting, Johnson made public a letter which he has sent to August Herrmann, chairman of the national commission, who was instrumental in ending the differences between the American and National leagues in 1907.

Johnson refers to the litigation between the two leagues over player George Davis, in which Mr. Ward was attorney for Mr. Davis. It was all plainly a conspiracy, he says, and a wanton violation of the national commission's American league interests must be considered and weighed in the construction of the National commission, each year.

Johnson says far from our purpose to say, or even suggest, who the National league should elect as its president, but common sense, and the interests of other parties to the agreement, should be considered if the present cordial relations are to continue.

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ON BASEBALL BRIBERY. Johnson Will Push the Case—Important Meeting of National League Today.

New York, Dec. 13.—Ban Johnson, president of the American league, announced tonight that he was unalterably opposed to Charles W. Murphy—Ward's chief backer—becoming a dictator in the baseball world. "His politics are far from being in line with the ideal of the game," Johnson said in working for the development of baseball, "and will be ruinous to baseball if allowed to continue."

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

TRADING STAGNANT. Fairly Comprehensive Showing of Strength, Despite Dullness.

New York, Dec. 13.—Beyond the mere chronicle of the fact of a desultory advance in prices of stocks today there was little of interest in the market. The trading fell into absolute stagnation at times in the afternoon. The intense dullness was ascribed in part to the interruption of wire service by the bad weather. Wall street is not sufficiently dependent on the news of the month of the domestic market for this fact to account adequately for the total suspension of activity at times today. The lethargy was the more remarkable on account of its effect on prices. For the most part the general demand was there was a fairly comprehensive show of strength by stocks. This was largely accomplished by the sympathetic effect of disproportionate advances in a number of special stocks. The most conspicuous of these was Rock Island, which rose to 45 1/4, the highest of the present year, and, in fact, in a period of several years. Transactions in the stock were on a large scale, but the indications of the strength did not get beyond the stage of rumor. The recent entry into the Lehigh directorate of the dominant figures in the Rock Island property of course came into the news discussion in connection with the movement. The allegation that Wabash was to be concerned in the linking of the two properties also played a part in the day's discussion, as it has on former occasions. A new suggestion was that the Rock Island preferred stock might be retired in exchange for a bond issue and the property put into the hands of the common stockholders. It is a peculiarity of the Rock Island organization that the preferred stock, which is but little more than half the volume of the common stock, elects a majority of the directors of the company, besides having prior claim to dividends. This priority of claim will rise to 5 per cent. in 1910 and 6 per cent. in 1916. The Rock Island company is a holding company which owns the stock of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad, which in turn issues collateral bonds against the stock held by the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railway, and until recently, of the St. Louis and San Francisco railway. The enormous control thus exercised by the Rock Island preferred stock, itself a minority of the total stock of the company, constituted a striking example of the capability of this device for widespread ownership through the outlay of a minimum of capital. So striking was the example, in fact, that difficulty has been experienced in making a wide market for the common shares, which can elect but a minority of the directors of the company. A reorganization of the company form has been talked of at different times on account of that. The operation of the St. Louis and San Francisco was avowedly prompted by the likelihood of an inquiry by the government authorities into the status of the company as then constituted. The reversion of control of the property to the common stockholders would rectify the excessive centralization of the present control of the company. The violent advance in Western Maryland securities pointed to another field for "deal" rumors which were left in the rumor stage, without actual confirmation. A hardening of discount rates in London and Berlin, the securing by the continent of the London gold supply and its sustenance, and the foreign exchange rates here modified the effect of the New York weekly bank statement to some extent. For the same reason, opinions on a probable further reduction in the rate in the Bank of England discount rates were mixed. The rise in United States Steel to above 92 again was a strong sustaining factor for the whole market. Call money touched 5 per cent. Bonds were steady. Total sales, par value, \$2,778,000. United States two advanced 3-8 and the threes 1-8 per cent. in the bid price on call.

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