MAJOR LEAGUE OWNERS TO MEET FRIDAY

Kansas City, Nov. 10—War clouds tonight were vanishing from the major league baseball horizon with indications favoring an amicable settlement when the belligerent major leaguers meet in a joint session in Chicago on Friday to effect a peace pact. The National Association of Minor leagues, after listening to both sides, voted to help avoid a war by agreeing to appoint a committee to act with the major leagues in devising a plan for baseball reorganization.

The sixteen club owners of the two warring leagues agreed to meet in the same room in Chicago and attempt to adjust their differences without the aid of any outsiders. It was agreed only the club owners shall attend this meeting and that both President Johnson of the American league and President Heydler of the National, as well as lawyers, stenographers and others who have participated in recent sessions, shall remain away. Major league leaders pointed out that if lawyers are excluded so that no "technical questions" could be raised, the threatened war could be quickly settled.

The agreement to make a desperate last minute attempt to avert a baseball war came at a meeting of the directors of the American league today and was one of the results of conferences between owners of the rival major league factions. The peace news was announced in dramatic fashion in the middle of an address Garry Herrmann, owner of the Cincinnati Nationals, was delivering to the minor league meeting.

Mr. Herrmann, former chairman of the National association, was interrupted by a messenger, who handed him a note which he opened and slowly read. Then he announced that the conference of the club owners had been agreed upon for Friday.

President Johnson of the American league, in commenting on the joint meeting, issued the following statement:

"The American league has been standing for the principle that a reorganization of baseball should be worked out primarily by a committee composed of representatives from the National league, the American league and the National association. It seems now such a committee is to be created to consider and work out a plan for reorganization. There have been certain points of difference between the two major leagues which thus far they have not been able to agree upon. It has now been arranged that an informal conference of major league club owners shall take place—this conference to be limited to club owners and to be purely informal. The purpose of the conference is to see if the two major leagues may not, in some way, iron out their points of difference. It is an attempt to see if there can be found some satisfactory basis on which they can harmonize those differences."

While the National league club owners issued no formal statement, most of them take the stand that what already has been done in the advancement of baseball reorganization cannot be changed at the conference Friday. This was taken to mean that the selection of Federal Judge Landis of Chicago as chairman of the new board of control at a salary of $50,000 a year must be accepted by the American league club owners.

The National league frankly admit they do not want a twelve club league unless it is forced upon them to organize it and that it would be a "joke." Mr. Herrmann stated that it would be ridiculous to form a league with two clubs in three cities. Before leaving for Chicago tonight he declared he was confident the situation could be adjusted to the satisfaction of all.

After Mr. Herrmann addressed the minor leaguers, Charles Ebbets, of the Brooklyn club, and Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh Nationals, were called upon to talk and the keynote of all three speeches was harmony. Mr. Herrmann said the eleven clubs which he represented would be willing to meet with a committee of any size from the minors for reorganizing baseball control. President Sexton of the National Association of Minor leagues will appoint the minor league committee tomorrow.

After hearing the pleas of the National league representatives, the minor leaguers went into executive session and voiced their suspicion of the professed "affection" expressed for them by the two forces involved in the major league fight. They warned their associates from which a committee will be appointed to confer with the major leagues, not to cede any of the rights of the minors in working out a reorganization plan. They took the position that, while they might act as bearers of the olive branch in the threatened baseball war, they would not go so far as to scorch their own wings.

The minor leaguers recommended that President Sexton be placed on a full salary and to devote his full time to league affairs. The resolution carried a proposal for salaries of $5,000 each for president and secretary of the organization, but suggestions were made for an increase to $7,500 or $10,000 a year. The proposal was referred to a committee for decision tomorrow. Establishment of a central headquarters for the association was recommended.

Joining in the crusade against gambling in baseball, the minor leaguers unanimously adopted a resolution urging passage in every state legislature of a bill designed to stamp out the evil which in a large measure brought to a head the necessity of a reorganization of baseball.

The resolution followed the lines of a bill proposed for introduction in the Texas legislature. It sets the punishment of bribery or attempted bribery of "any baseball player, umpire or manager in a baseball game or any other persons connected with baseball" at imprisonment from two to five years. The minors adopted an amendment to broaden the proposed legislation to include the punishment of both owners and officials who are connected in any way with "fixing" games.

In adopting this feature some of the minor leaguers pointed out that the world series scandal was exposed long after officials of the major leagues had knowledge of crookedness of the players and declared that the baseball club owners and officials must place themselves on the same plane with the players and umpires regarding the punishment of wrongdoing to gain the confidence of the public.

The association unanimously condemned the operations of gamblers and gambling pools in connection with baseball, and deplored the increasing tendency of the public to bet on baseball games. The minor leaguers pledged themselves to a never-ending war against all forms of gambling in baseball.

"LOOKS LIKE PEACE" SAID ORIGINATOR OF LASKER PLAN

Chicago, Nov. 10 — "It looks like peace," said A. D. Lasker, originator of the Lasker plan of baseball control, when informed that the National and American league club owners at Kansas City had arranged for a meeting here Friday to discuss reorganization. "There won't be any backing down by the new National league, however," he said. "We have made our proposal and it's up to the five American league clubs to come in or we'll forget all about them and go ahead with the twelve club league."

GIANTS' MANAGER STATED THAT "THERE WILL BE NO WAR"

New Torw, Nov. 10—John J. McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, declared when he returned here today from Chicago that "there'll be no baseball war, as these people"—meaning the five "loyal" American league members—"won't fight."

"They know they have had the losing end of it," he added, "and they don't want any part of a fight. One or two of them are getting ready right now to run away from Johnson."

McGraw, Charles A. Stoneham and Judge Francis X. McQuade, owners of the Giants, all declared that the new twelve club league is "no bluff."

"The men who are backing the new twelve clubs are determined to go through with it," McGraw said, "and they did not offer a yearly salary of $50,000 to Judge Landis to be chairman of the board of control, without first giving the matter some serious consideration."

TO PREVENT SPECULATION OF ARMY-NAVY TICKETS

West Point, N. Y., Nov. 10—Measures to prevent speculation in tickets for the Army-Navy football game are being taken by officials at the United States Military academy, Major Philip Hayes announced tonight. In previous years, Major Hayes said, tickets sent to members of the army athletic association had been later offered for sale but he declared that if investigation this year disclosed any unauthorized sale, the persons found responsible will be dropped from the association.

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EAST HARTFORD INSTEAD OF VOCATIONAL TO PLAY HERE

Owing to a misunderstanding, Vocational school of New London will not meet N. F. A. Saturday of this week on the campus as expected. But the fans have no cause for alarm as Manager Ballou has been fortunate in connecting with the fast East Hartfor High eleven, a much faster team than Vocational, and a close contest is looked for.

Manager Ballou had everything fixed with Vocational for Saturday but Monday the New London manager informed him that he was expecting N. F. A. at New London, a rather wild idea. Ballou haughtily refused and went to work to secure a good team in their stead.

Coach McKay gave his men a thorough workout yesterday afternoon, civing them a little of everything and finishing up with a tough scrimmage lasting about an hour and a half, standard time. The boys continue to play in their best form and it seems very likely that they will go through the rest of the season without a defeat.

East Hartford High is an unknown quantity, therefore it is impossible to give a satisfactory opinion at this time. Rumors have reached our ears telling of their many victories around Hartford but nothing definite has been learned to date. Manager Ballou may go, incognito, to East Hartford today and get some information.

WOODS CLINCHED 2ND PLACE BY DEFEATING FRANKLIN

Chicago, Nov. 10—Arthur Woods, of Minneapolis, clinched second place and earned the right to contest for the national pocket billiard championship today by defeating Walter Franklin of Kansas City, 125 to 87.

Franklin's defeat puts him in fourth place, James Maturo having captured third.

Golf Balls Cheaper.

Chicago, Nov. 10—The price reduction movement today reached golf, a local firm advertising its regular $1 balls for 75 cents in half dozen lots.

DAVIS THEATRE
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
Continuous Performance Saturday 2 to 10:30 P. M.
WALLACE REID
In the Syncopated Romance
"THE DANCIN' FOOL"
With Bebe Daniels and Tully Marshall
JACK DEMPSEY
In the Million Dollar Serial
"DAREDEVIL JACK"
Second Episode
TRAILING THE LEOPARD
Educational
—TODAY—
Dorothy Dalton in "The Dark Mirror"
Wm. Russell in The Valley of Tomorrow
FOUR SHOWS TODAY—1:45, 4:15, 6:45 and 8:30

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TODAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
CHILDREN OF DESTINY WITH EDITH HALLOR
A Powerful Story Perfectly Told
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MORANTI COMEDY—BRAY COMIC
TODAY—MATINEE CHILDREN 11c
Coming—"MOON RIDERS"—Wed. and Thurs.

AT THE PALACE.

Red Sox.

Bolton	112	99	94—	305
Johnson	82	102	102—	286
Mot	99	118	83—	300
Jacobson	110	86	104—	300
Murphy	93	119	146—	358
	496	524	529	1549

Yannigans.

A. Aldi	103	103	85—	291
Martin	96	105	123—	324
Vuono	123	128	127—	378
D. Delession	116	129	108—	353
Simcox	111	106	141—	358
	549	601	584	1734

BRIEF STATE NEWS

Norfolk.—Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Post and family have returned to New York after spending the summer at Llangollen, on Greenwoods road east.

Waterbury.—"Every store in the city" is the slogan adopted by the clerks in the Permanent League of Uniform Closing in the new drive against night work in Waterbury stores which has been inaugurated to celebrate the first anniversary of the organization.

Meriden.—Joseph Niemoda, a saloon-keeper of Meriden, was sentenced to three months in jail and fined $200 and costs for violation of the state liquor laws. This was one of several cases followed up by the W. C. T. U.

Stamford.—Dr. Louis Kilgoff, formerly a dentist, now a wholesale grocer of Dorchester, Mass., was arrested in Stamford and found to have 10 cases of whiskey in his car. He said the girl with him was his fiancee and the whiskey was for the wedding party.

East Hampton.—The Victory medals have arrived and will be presented today, Armistice day, at the ceremonies to be held at Carrier's casino.

Danbury.—Services of dedication of St. John's Greek Orthodox church and St. Platon's cemetery in Great Plain district were held Sunday.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

MARKET FLUCTUATED.

New York, Nov. 10.—The stock market was firm at the active opening of today's session, becoming acutely weak at midday and rallying vigorously in the later dealings when confident buying of rails, oils and equipments caused urgent short covering and effected pronounced readjustment of quoted values.

Sentimental reasons for the sharp reversal at noon were provided by the publication of the U. S. Steel October tonnage report showing a very large decrease in unfilled orders from the preceding month and announcement of suspension of the extra dividend on American Sugar.

These incidents gave the bears an excuse for resuming aggressive operations. Leaders in the industrial and special groups reacted one to six points to new low records for the year while U. S. Steel fell another fraction to 82 7-8, another new low record for three years.

Another factor in the late rebound was the easing of money rates, call loans falling back to 9 per cent. after attaining to their usual maximum of 10 per cent. Time money ruled at 8 per cent. on prime collateral, with freer offerings.

Foreign exchange was another encouraging feature, the rate on London making a further recovery to almost 7 cents over the low of last Monday, with variable rallies in remittances to the continent, although French exchange lagged.

Individual stocks most affected by today's temporary setback included Mexican Petroleum, Crucible Steel, Shippings, Sugars and Tobaccos, but in a majority of instances losses were replaced by substantial gains at the close. Sales amounted to 1,550,000 shares.

Bonds moved uncertainly during the greater part of the day, but came forward with the stock list towards the finish, most Liberty issues scoring net advances. Total sales (par value) aggregated $15,875,000. Old U. S. bonds were unchanged on call.

STOCKS.

The following is a summary of transactions on the New York Stock Exchange to 2 P. M.:

Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Allied Chem	56	55¾	55
Allis Chalmer	29½	28½	28½
Allis Chalmer cifs	72¾	70¾	72
Am Ag Chem	75	72	74
Am Beet Sugar	64	63	63½
Am Bosch Mag	68	64½	64½
Am Can	37¾	36¾	37¼
Am Cot pr	85	85	85
Am Car & Fdy	130	129	130
Am Car & Fdy pr	108	108	108
Am sCrim Oil	30	29¾	30
Am Hide & Leather	9	8¾	9
Am Hide & Leather pr	57¾	57¾	57½
Am Tel & Tel	100¼	99¾	99¾
Anaconda	49½	48¼	48¾
Am Woolen	64	63¾	64
Anaconda Cop	49½	46¾	48¾
Associated Oil	100	100	100
Atchison T & St F	87¾	86¼	87
Atchison T & S F pr	77½	77¼	77¼
Baltimore & Ohio	44¼	43	44¼
Baltimore & Ohio pr	52	51¾	51¾
Bethlehem Motor	3½	3¼	3½
Bethlehem Steel pr 8 p c	103¾	103¾	103¾
Bethlehem Steel	61	58½	60¾
Bethlehem Steel (B)	64X	63½	63½
Brooklyn Rapid T	13¾	13	13
Brooklyn R T cifs	8½	8¼	8¼
Butte C & Z	6	6	6
Butte & Super	14	13½	14
Canadian Pac	132	130	130½
Central Leather	39¾	38½	38¾
Central Leather pr	93¾	91	91
Chandler Motor	78½	76	78½
Ches & Ohio	66¾	65¾	66½
Chi Gt West	9¾	9¾	9¾
Ch Gt West pr	31	30¾	31
Chi Mil & St P	40¾	39¾	40¼
Ch M & St P pr	40	37¾	39¾
Chi & N West	81	80¾	81
C R I & P	69	67¾	68
Chile Copper	13¾	13¾	13¾
Chino Copper	34¾	33¾	34
Cruden & Co	36	35¾	36
Crucible Steel	106¾	106½	111¾
Crucible Steel pr	90	90	90
Delaware & Hudson	105½	105¼	105
Denver & Rio G	7¾	7½	7½
Denver & Rio G pr	23¾	23¾	23¾
Gulf States Steel	35½	35¼	35¼
Inspiration	36¾	35¾	36
Erie 1st pr	33½	33¼	33¼
Fisher Body	95¼	95	95
Fisher Body pr	98¼	98¼	98¼
General Electric	106¾	105	105¾
General Motor	15¾	14¾	15
Central Motor pr	67¾	66¼	66¼
General Motor Deb 7 p c	74½	73½	74½
Gen Mot Deb	66¾	64¾	64¾
Gt North	87	84½	86¼
Great sOrg	32½	31¾	31¾
Illinois Central	91	91	91
Inspiration Cop	41	39	41
Int Harvester	102½	100¼	101¾
Int Mar Mar	16¾	15	16¼
Int Mer Mar pr	62¾	59½	60¾
Int Mot Truck	36	35¾	35¾
Int Mot Truck 1 pr	60¾	60¼	60¼
Int Paper	59	56¾	58¼
Kennecott	32	31	31¼
Lehigh Valley	52	51½	52
Maxwell Motor	3	3¼	3¼
Maxwell Motor pr	7¾	7¾	7¾
Maxwell Motor cf	3½	3¼	3¼
Median Petrol	60	102¾	108
Miami Copper	28¾	28½	28½
Missouri K & T	4¼	4	4
Missouri Pacific	25¾	25¼	25
Missouri Pac pr	48	46¾	48
Nat Enam & St	32	31½	32½
New York Air B	86	84¾	85½
New York Central	80½	79¾	80¼
N Y, N H & H	30¾	28¾	28¾
Norfolk & West	98½	98	98
Nor & West pr	65¾	65¾	65¾
No American	35¾	33	35¾
No Pacific	88	86¾	86½
Penn R R	42½	41¾	42½
Pierce Oil	3¾	3	3¾
Pierce Oil pr 8 p c	85¾	83¾	83¾
Ray Con	23¾	22¾	23
Reading	86 7	84½	86
Reading 1 pr	57½	56½	56½
Reading 2 pr	57½	56¾	57¼
R Iron & Steel	72	69	70
Sinclair	12¾	12¾	12¾
South Railway	27¾	26¾	27¾
South Ry pr	62¾	61	61
Tenn Copper	9¼	8¾	9
Tobacco Prod	60	59	59¾
Tobacco Prod pr	86	86	86
Union Pac	134¾	132	134¼
Union Pac pr	83¾	83¾	83¾
U S Rubber	68¾	67¼	67¾
U S Steel	83	82¼	82
U S Steel pr	106¾	106	106
West Un Tel	88½	88¼	88¼
Westinghouse Air Br	99½	96	98¼
Willys Overland	9	8¾	8¾
Willys Over pr	37¼	36¼	36¼
Worth Pump	48¼	46½	47½
Worth Pump B	58	58	58

COTTON.

New York, Nov. 10.—Spot cotton quiet; middling 20.05.

MONEY.

New York, Nov. 10, — Call money steady; high 10; low 9; ruling rate 9; closing bid 9; offered at 10; last loan 9. Bank acceptances 6 1-4.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES.

Sterling—		Parity
Demand	3.39	4.866
Cables	3.89¾	4.866
France	5.84	19.3
Guilders	36.75	40.2
Marks, cables	2.38	20.9
Lire	3.45	19.3
Swiss francs	15.13	19.3
Pesetas	22.60	19.3
Belgian francs	6.32	19.3
Sweden	18.90	26.8
Denmark	15.30	26.8
Norway	16.35	26.8

LIBERTY BOND MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.
U S Lib 3½s	95.20	95.00	95.00
U S Lib 2d 4s	87.60	86.90	86.82
do reg	85.80	85.90	85.90
U S Lib 4¼s	89.50	88.82	89.50
U S Lib 2d 4¼s	87.28	86.98	86.94
U S Lib 4¼s	90.00	89.40	89.98
U S Lib 4th 4¼s	87.90	87.70	87.78
do reg	87.80	87.50	87.70
Victory 4¾s	96.20	96.06	96.10
do reg	96.00	96.00	96.00
Victory 3¾s	96.18	96.06	96.08

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Nov. 9.—Swift upturns in the price of wheat today followed word that for the first time in nearly two months Great Britain was buying on this side of the Atlantic. The market was also bullishly affected by announcement that no general calling of rural loans in Kansas was looked for. Prices closed strong 5 3-4 to 9 3-4 higher, with December 186 1-4 to 186 3-4 and March 181 to 181 1-2. Corn gained 5-8 to 1 3-4 cents and oats 5-8 to 1 1-4 cents. In provisions the outcome varied from 35 cents decline to 15 cents advance.

British purchasing of wheat was estimated all the way from 2,500,000 bushels to 5,000,000 bushels and notwithstanding that the greater part of the total was said to be Canadian grown the influence on the market was electric. Bullish sentiment was further stimulated by gossip that Belgium had bought 500,000 bushels of United States wheat at the Gulf of Mexico. From the outset, too, it was evident that traders had given special heed to denials that any radical curtailment of grain credit in Kansas was contemplated. New strength of foreign exchange attracted additional attention and so, likewise, did the fact that country offerings of wheat were meager.

Corn and oats sympathized with the strength of wheat. Shorts covered freely in corn.

Provisions averaged higher, mainly as a reflection of the grain bulge.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT:				
Dec.	174	187	178	186¼
Mar.	177½	181½	174¾	181¼
CORN:				
Dec.	78¾	80	78	79¼
May	83	84¼	82¾	84
July	82¾	83¾	82¾	83
OATS:				
Dec.	49¾	50¼	49¾	50¾
May	55½	56¼	55	56¼

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—IN—
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