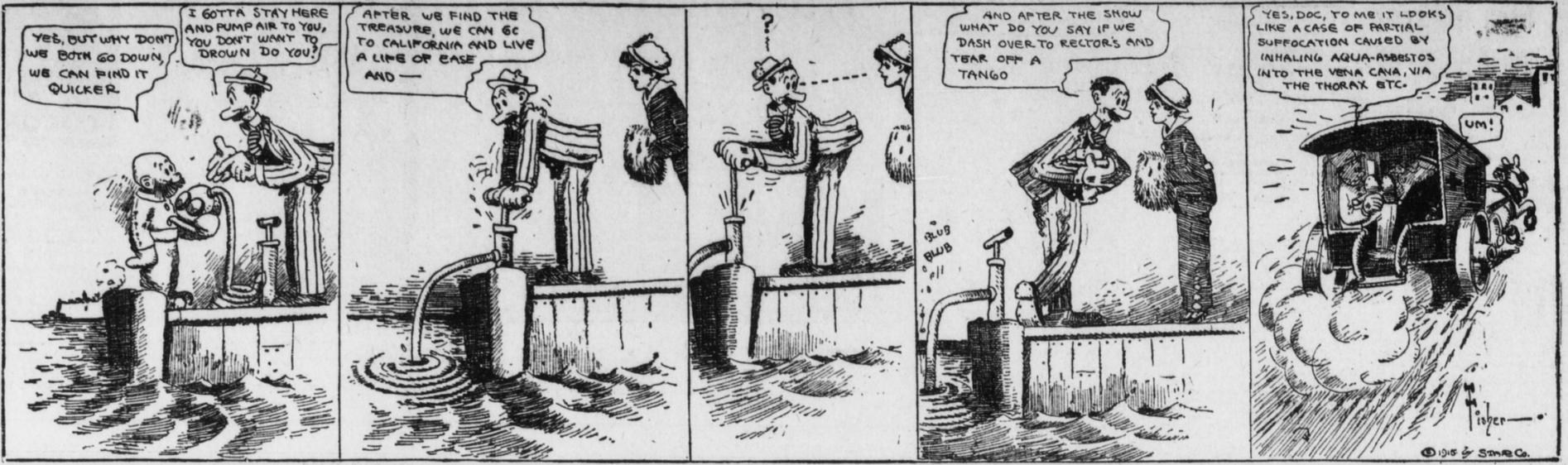


Mutt and Jeff

By "Bud" Fisher



DENIES TRADING A PITCHER FOR A DOG

Organized Baseball Files Additional Affidavits Against Officials of Federal League

Special to The Telegraph Chicago, Jan. 20.—Additional affidavits were filed yesterday in the United States District Court by various officials of organized baseball supporting their contentions that the Federal League was not entitled to the relief asked in its suit for the dissolution of the National Commission and its affiliated clubs as violators of the federal antitrust act. In one of the affidavits, Roger P. Bresnahan, now manager of the Chicago Nationals, denied that while manager of the St. Louis Nationals, he traded Booth Hopper, a pitcher, for a bird dog. His affidavit follows: "I told him that I could not use the dog as I then had five of my own. Just before the opening of the regular season Mr. Kinsella, then manager and owner of the Springfield (Ill.) baseball club, came to St. Louis in search of a pitcher. "I told him we had a young man of the name of Hopper whom we were going to let out, and if he wanted to talk with him and sign him for the Springfield club he could do so. Kinsella told me if Hopper developed and showed any ability at all he would give the St. Louis National League club the

One College Game Is Certain; Gettysburg to Play Bucknell

George Cockill's Bunch in Charge of Arrangements This Season; Important Scholastic Battles

Harrisburg is sure of one college football game next season. Gettysburg will play Bucknell at Gettysburg Saturday, November 13. This announcement was made in Harrisburg and at Gettysburg yesterday. This year Bucknell will have charge of arrangements. Efforts will be made to break all previous records for student representation. Important scholastic games already booked are the annual home games between Central High and Steelton and Tech High and Steelton and the Thanksgiving Day game between Central and Tech. Owing to the fact that both local high schools have booked

POWERS IN BASEBALL GREET PRES. TENER

National League Executives, Managers and Players Stop Off For Inaugural Ceremonies

Baseball magnates, including owners, managers and players were in Harrisburg for a brief period yesterday. They came from the Eastern cities and were enroute to Chicago, where they will testify in the Federal League injunction suit to-day. The big fellows in the national game came to join John K. Tener, president of the National League. The ex-Governor was obliged to leave immediately after the inaugural ceremonies. The magnates stopped off here, took in the parade and the big party left late this afternoon for Chicago. They will reach the Windy City tomorrow morning. John Heydler, the secretary of the National League, came to Harrisburg for a conference with ex-Governor Tener. He brought along affidavits. One of the letters was sworn to by Jim Cusack, who served last season as a Federal League umpire, quotes a code of instructions as well as the constitution of the outlaw circuit, which indicates plainly that the Federal League operates under precisely the same sort of law and government which it decries upon the part of the opposition. In the party were: William F. Baker, president of the Philadelphia Nationals; Joseph G. Lannin, of the Boston Red Sox; James E. Gaffney, owner of the world's champion Braves; C. H. Ebbets, of the Dodgers; and Captain T. L. Huston, of the New York Americans. Harry N. Hempstead, of the Giants, is in Indianapolis, but will double back.

ROY HARTZELL SIGNS YANKEE CONTRACT

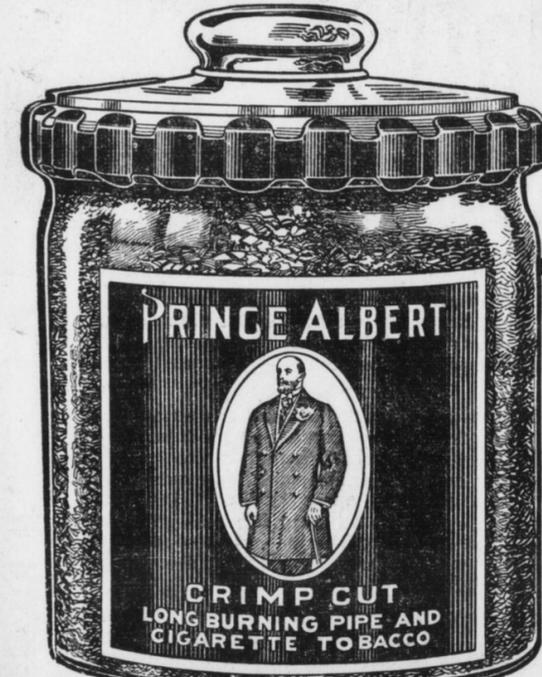


In his mail yesterday Harry Sparrow, business manager of the New York Yankees found the contract of Roy Hartzell, the valuable utility man who fits in well as infielder and an outfielder. Hartzell is now at his home in Denver, Colo. The signing of this player leaves but four New York American League players who are still out of the fold.

PRINCETON TOSSERS WIN OVER QUAKERS

Game Requires an Extra Period; Tigers Are Up to Yale in the Race

Special to The Telegraph Princeton, N. J., Jan. 20.—Penn lost to Princeton last night. Score 24 to 22. It was a "fast and furious" basketball game. The Tigers had a brilliant spurt near the close of the contest. An extra period was played. Princeton and Yale are now tied up for first honors in the intercollegiate series, each having a credit of two victories. Princeton plays Penn at Philadelphia on Saturday and Yale tackles Cornell at Ithaca. In last night's game Captain Seelbach and Williamson were the individual stars for the visitors, while Haas and Paulson were the steadiest performer in the Tiger ranks. To the skill of the latter in caging fouls Princeton probably owes its victory. The game commenced with a rush, but Princeton's teamwork seemed to dazzle the visitors, and the first half closed with the Tigers leading 12 to 6. With a furious return in the second half, Penn came into the running; again, but the fortunes of war varied until the period ended with the score 20 to 20. A field goal by Penn just as the period closed was ruled out because of a Princeton foul. McNichol shot the basket and tied the score. In the extra period two fouls caged by Paulson were balanced by a field goal by Williamson. A moment later McGuire got a beauty from the middle of the floor and the game was over. Line-up: Penn: Evans, f; Williamson, f; Seelbach, c; Wallace, g; McNichol, g. Princeton: Paulson, f; Haas, f; McGuire, c; Trenkman, g; Gill, g. Substitutions: Rahill for Paulson. Field goals—Haas 3, McGuire 2, Williamson 2, Seelbach 2, Wallace, closed—Gill. Fouls—McNichol, 12 out of 16; Paulson, 10 out of 13. Referee—Melick, of Swarthmore, and Thorpe, of Columbia. Time of halves—Twenty minutes. Extra period—Five minutes.



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PAY JUMPERS BIG SALARIES

File More Affidavits to Show How Feds Land Players Chicago, Jan. 20.—According to the affidavits filed so far, the following salaries are alleged to have been offered ball players by the Federal League and either accepted or refused by the players: Bresnahan, now manager of the Chicago Cubs, (refused), \$12,000. Perritt, former St. Louis National pitcher (accepted), \$5,000. Hamilton, St. Louis American pitcher (accepted—reconsidered), \$7,000. Falkenberg, former Cleveland pitcher, (accepted), \$7,000. Levernier, St. Louis American pitcher, (refused), \$6,000. Viox, infielder Pittsburgh Pirates, (refused), \$6,000. Blanding, former Cleveland pitcher, (accepted—reconsidered), \$5,800. Shotton, outfielder St. Louis Americans (refused), \$5,000. Walker, outfielder St. Louis Americans (refused), \$4,500. McQuinnan, pitcher Pittsburgh Pirates (refused), \$4,500. Baumgardner, pitcher St. Louis Americans (refused), \$4,000. Kahler, former Cleveland pitcher (accepted—reconsidered), \$3,350.

TY COBB GIVES ADVICE

Philadelphia, Jan. 20.—Ty Cobb is distributing the following timely advice to ball players: "I think baseball players are beginning to realize that subterfuge has no part in the successful promotion of the national pastime. The game has been injured greatly therefrom in the past season. And, though it is still honest and always will remain so, the vacillating attitude of the many mercenary players has doubtless raised vague suspicions in the public mind in some quarters. No one blames a player for selling his services to the very best advantage. But a contract, written or verbal, is a sacred thing. Evasion through technicality is no sound excuse for dishonor. Let the least corruption creep into the manipulation of the game and the careful work of years will be destroyed. The baseball player has as much at stake in the present fight as any one. The outcome means no less than his future."

Bits of Sports

The Willard club defeated the St. Matthew club last night. Score 23 to 18. The Otterbein Boys' club defeated Reilly Grammar yesterday. Score 18 to 11. Dan Reed and Ray Van Orman, the two football assistants to Albert H. Sharpe in the coaching of Cornell's successful football team last year, have signed contracts to continue their work. The Federal of the P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. League last night bowled a victory over the Bisons, margin 264 pins. The Hassett Tossers defeated the Crescent five last night. Score 29 to 23. The game was played on Cathedral hall floor. The Baker Athletic club will hold its annual meeting Saturday at the home of Fred Evans, 307 Bessemer street, Steelton. Two records were broken in the Casino League last night. The Alphas defeated the Monarchs, margin 117 pins. Buttorf of the Alphas scored 10 straight strikes, and made 289 for

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