

Sports From Every Corner Of Sportdom

WEEGHMAN'S DEAL FOR CUBS IS OFF; BRESNAHAN TO SUCCEED HANK O'DAY

BASEBALL WAR IS FAR FROM ENDED

Plans Suggested by Federal League Magnate Are Spurned.

NEGOTIATIONS OFF.
Cincinnati, Nov. 19.—All negotiations between Charles Weeghman, president of the Chicago Federal league club, and Charles P. Taft, majority owner of the Chicago National league club, for the purchase of the latter's stock, were broken off abruptly by the latter date yesterday. Weeghman had asked Taft for an extension of time in which to further negotiate for the club and this was refused.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—The Chicago Nationals will remain on the West side, and Charles Weeghman never had an option on any amount of stock in the club, according to a statement made yesterday by Charles W. Murphy.

Murphy, former president of the club, said still to hold as collateral a block of Cub stock approximating one-half of it, returned yesterday from Cincinnati, where he discussed with Charles P. Taft, supposed to be the principal owner, reports that Weeghman would buy the Taft holdings. Murphy declared also that Roger Bresnahan would succeed Henry O'Day as Cub manager next season.

Weeghman, said the former West side needs the latter date yesterday about buying the latter's stock, but never was given anything like an option. Murphy declared he had convinced Taft it would be suicidal to move the Cubs from the West side, where they always have been well supported, and where live two-thirds of Chicago's people.

The Cubs, including players, franchise and plant, are worth \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000, according to Murphy, and the West Side club was one of the few to make a material profit last year.

Peace Plans Spurned.
New York, Nov. 19.—None of the several plans offered by the Federal league for the settlement of the baseball war has met the approval of organized baseball, and unless the Gilmore plan is adopted, the baseball war will continue for another year at a heavier loss than its promoters sustained during the last season, complete dissolution being the only alternative in sight.

Charles Weeghman, president of the Chicago Federal league club, who is acting as the official secretary of the "outlaws" already has submitted two plans to August Herrmann, chairman of the national committee.

Weeghman's first demand involved the recognition of the Federal league as a third major circuit with representation on the national commission. Herrmann, in reply to all the clubs in the National and American leagues, turned this proposition down coldly, saying there was no room for another circuit.

The second scheme set forth by Weeghman proposed the absorption of all the Federal clubs by organized baseball, giving the Chicago, St. Louis and Brooklyn Federals an opportunity to purchase certain major league franchises. Weeghman in this plan selected the Cubs for himself. He picked out the Cardinals for the St. Louis Federal promoters, Ball and Stifel, and made known the desire of the Wards to purchase the New York Yankees. The other Federal clubs, according to Weeghman's plan, were to be taken care of by the International league and the American association, which would be organized so that those circuits could call themselves major leagues.

Yankees Not for Sale.
Herrmann promptly notified Weeghman that the Wards had no intention of buying the Yankees; that the Cubs and Cardinals both would be sold if Weeghman, Ball and Stifel were willing to pay the price.

Regarding the other Federal clubs, Weeghman was told that the International league and American association were not anxious to have the draft abolished and that both circuits would be allowed to look after their own affairs when the time for reorganization arrived.

Weeghman then asked Herrmann to provide the Wards with an opportunity to buy one of the National league's eastern clubs at the same time announcing that he was prepared to open negotiations for the Cubs. Weeghman also told Herrmann that the Federals would insist on the reinstatement of all their players, and that if he and the Wards were able to buy their way into the National league, they would claim the right to keep their best men.

Herrmann promptly transmitted the

Evening Hash

By Ben

Oh, Hellup!
O Fanny, come hop to the front,
Come hopping, come running, come quacking!

We're in a worried and very much sad, very much sad like a poor beaten bloke. Who thought he could corner all votes. This column, you know, must be filled very soon. With a spadeful of junk for to lamp. And so, Fanny, you see, we need of your help. Need the sweet stuff that kicks round in your head; For there's nary a meat in our whole blooming nut.

"By comparative scores the Flicker-tails hoped to win the last battle," said a morning report from Fargo. Of course, we realize that the rules are rather baffling, after a season's experience, we kinda had it doped out that a team used forward passes, end runs, line smashes and several other stunts to win.

"Lesser hunter in quest of deer in north woods," says The Minneapolis Journal. If he sticks at it long enough, he'll be a headless hunter.

"Purchased your new winter coat?" inquired an aspiring clothing salesman of us. "We have," was the reply, "we bought one last fall and have it—yet."

What will the Chicago writers do now? Hank O'Day has been canned, and still they are robbing of their favorite dull-day pastime.

But, then, when the training trip begins they can start canning Bresnahan.

Merke has drafted a female manager. Perchance that will prove another one of those famous merkes.

MINNESOTA TEAM DEPARTS TONIGHT

Minneapolis, Nov. 19.—The University of Minnesota football team had a lively scrimmage yesterday, the ground being frozen hard. The men after the first few downs appeared to get used to the unusual conditions and played as strenuously as usual. Tonight the regulars, second string men and first freshmen team will leave for Chicago, the band, scrub players and students following Friday evening by special train. The entire Minnesota delegation will remain over after Saturday's game, returning to Minneapolis Sunday night.

PRESIDENT NOT TO SEE CONTEST

Philadelphia, Nov. 19.—It was announced that President Wilson would not attend the Army-Navy game to be played here November 28. It was intimated that the president's family has accepted but few invitations since the death of Mrs. Wilson.

REFUSE NEBRASKA GAME.

Illinois Officials Unwilling to Waive Conference Rules.

Urbana, Ill., Nov. 19.—There is no prospect of an Illinois-Nebraska post-season contest, and the Nebraska coach's offer in yesterday created little interest. President James does not feel that there is sufficient ground to waive objections to such games unless a great sum could be realized for the Belgians—something like a quarter of a million. Illinois officials refused yesterday to enter into any controversy with Coach Stagg regarding the first Illinois touchdown.

JOE BENZ IS IMPROVED.

Sox Pitcher's Temperature 102 1/2 and Pulse is 78.

Batesville, Ind., Nov. 19.—Joe Benz, white Sox pitcher, who is ill with typhoid fever here, was slightly improved last night. His temperature had decreased to 102 1/2 and his pulse was 78. The doctors, however, are not convinced that he is out of danger.

Why Didn't He Spell It?



Cochran Made Captain of the Wolverine 1915 Football Squad, While Coach Yost Makes Selection of all Time Elevens

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 19.—William Cochran, right tackle on the 1914 Wolverine football team, yesterday was elected captain of the gridiron squad for next year. The election was unanimous, according to Head Coach Fielding H. Yost. The election was held at the time of the taking of the squad picture for 1914. In the formal balloting Cochran received the fifteen votes of his teammates, practically the same vote which had been cast a moment before in the nominating ballot. It is the first time in several years that a Michigan captain has been the unanimous choice of his fellows.

All-Time Teams Picked.
One of the features of the Michigan athletic handbook, issued last night for the second time, are two all-time Michigan football teams, chosen by Fielding H. Yost from among the players who have worked under him since he came to Ann Arbor fourteen years ago. An all-time team was named two years ago by Yost for this same publication, and but one change is made

in this, which is his "first" team. Jimmie Craig, all-American half-back, takes the place formerly held by A. A. Herrstein.

Following are the two teams named:
First Eleven.
C. G. Redden, 1900-1903.....L. E. J. S. Curtis, 1903-1906.....L. T. Dan McGugin, 1901-1902.....L. G. Adolph Schulz, 1904-1908.....R. G. Albert Benbrook, 1903-1910.....R. T. N. W. Snow, 1895-1901.....R. E. H. S. Weeks, 1900-1902.....Q. William Edmonds, 1900-1911.....L. H. E. Tom Hammond, 1903-1905.....F. B. James Craig, 1911-1913.....R. H. B.

Second Eleven.
Harry Hammond, 1904-1907.....L. E. B. Shorts, 1900-1901.....L. T. Dan McGugin, 1901-1902.....L. G. Adolph Schulz, 1904-1908.....R. G. Albert Benbrook, 1903-1910.....R. T. N. W. Snow, 1895-1901.....R. E. H. S. Weeks, 1900-1902.....Q. William Edmonds, 1900-1911.....L. H. E. Tom Hammond, 1903-1905.....F. B. James Craig, 1911-1913.....R. H. B.

LINEUP SAME AS FOR PRINCETON

So Declares Yale Coach—Harvard Backfield Men Leave for New Haven.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 19.—Yale's football team had its last hard workout yesterday in preparation for the game with Harvard on Saturday. There was an hour's signal drill behind closed gates on old Yale field and then the squad had a sharp scrimmage in the bowl in which the varsity scored two touchdowns and the scrubs one.

There will be a signal drill on the old field today. The Harvard kickers will practice in the bowl to get accustomed to the shadows and air currents.

Coach Hinkley said last night the lineup will be the same as in the Princeton game.

FEDS CONSIDER CLEVELAND PLAN

May Invade that City With Team—To Wage War to "Bitter End."

Cleveland, Nov. 19.—After inspecting the proposed site for a Federal league baseball park in Cleveland, President James A. Gilmore of the league, G. B. Ward and V. E. Robertson of the Brooklyn and Buffalo Federal league clubs, respectively, said yesterday that no decision would be announced until the regular meeting of the league in December. The local men interested in the proposition, however, will assure a definite answer at that time.

President Gilmore confirmed the report from Chicago that war between organized baseball and the Federal league "would be waged to the bitter end." He re-echoed the sentiments expressed in the statement said to have been made today by Charles Weeghman of the Chicago Federals.

MAYVILLE NORMAL QUINTS AT WORK

Mayville, N. D., Nov. 19.—Basketball is on now in earnest and the various teams promise good material. With the prospective addition of two members of last year's team, who have been unable to attend school this fall as yet, the team should be a strong one.

The work by the team so far is merely the preliminary basket shooting and ball passing. Two games between classes are being arranged for the evening of Nov. 20. Such friendly rivalry has proved excellent in the past at this school, particularly in creating a school loyalty and in giving the several boys practice needed.

ANNOUNCES TEAM.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Coach Lightbody today announced the makeup of the University of Chicago team which will compete in the cross country run which will be held at Lafayette next Saturday, the squad including Captain Stout, Campbell, Goodwin, Bacon, Powers and Morris. The Maroons believe chances favor Illinois, Northwestern or Minnesota.

ARMY TICKETS ARE GONE.

Congressmen's Requests are Turned Down by West Point Officials.

West Point, N. Y., Nov. 19.—Lieutenant Charles E. Meyer, secretary of the athletic council, has finished the distribution of the army's allotment of tickets for the Army and Navy football game to be played in Philadelphia Nov. 28. The demand for tickets this year is greater than ever and the Army's share went fast. Many requests from congressmen and others still are being received, but no more seats are available.

CURLERS PREPARE FOR YEAR'S PLAY

Skips Named Yesterday and Make-up of Rinks will be Announced Later.

Grand Forks curlers yesterday began preparations for the opening of the 1914-1915 season which, it is expected, will be held Monday. At a meeting of the Caledonian Curling club, the following skips were appointed: N. B. Black, Dr. H. M. Williamson, J. C. Sheppard, E. Lovejoy, Charles Garvin, Thomas Porte, O. G. Libby, Gordon Gray, F. L. Goodman, F. D. Cameron, Charles Murphy, Scott Rex and "Deke" Hirschberger. The personnel of each rink will be announced the first of the week. The skating rinks will open Monday, according to present plans. The rinks all were flooded early this week and by Monday they are expected to be in excellent condition for skating.



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FINE BOWLING CONTESTS HELD

The Has Beens took two out of three from the Lion Drug team in last night's schedule of the City league. The score:

Lion Drug	167	155	139
Wedwick	137	120	150
Bacon	167	157	148
Montgomery	153	142	190
Sherman	156	184	133
Totals	780	759	760

Straightaway League.
The Strikers defeated the Walkovers three straight games in the schedule of the Brooks Straightaway league. The score:

McHaffie	153	126	130
Umlauf	126	171	104
Welch	171	173	134
Montgomery	137	125	157
Carter	190	161	132
Totals	777	756	657

Walkovers.

Hoff	111	132	124
Brockhoff	145	132	136
Faylor	132	140	147
Thayer	109	157	161
Shaw	129	163	85
Totals	626	714	653

Troy Steam Wins.
The Troy laundry three man team took three straight from the Model in an interesting match on the Brooks alleys. The score:

Model Laundry	123	109	140
Decker	144	104	118
Faylor	132	140	132
Totals	399	353	390

St. Louis Laundry.

Engel	111	125	152
Handlon	180	163	123
Campbell	156	103	139
Totals	446	391	414

AGGIES DEFEATED BY MONTANA TEAM

Fargo, N. D., Nov. 19.—Montana Agricultural college at Bozeman defeated the North Dakota Aggies yesterday 18 to 0. The game was played under wintry weather conditions which made spectacular work or any certainty of play impossible. Two weeks ago, Montana university at Missoula defeated Bozeman by as big a score and only defeated the N. D. A. C. 13 to 0. By comparative scores the Aggies played to win the last battle of the season.

They will be back Friday and a big student reception is being planned for them. They are still state champions in spite of defeats, and the farmers are not done celebrating yet. This affair promises to be quite the most starting of any of the famous A. C. brand.

MERKLE IS MARRIED.

Grand Forks, Minn., Nov. 19.—Fred C. Merkle, first baseman of the New York National league baseball club, was married Tuesday night to Miss Ethel Brownson of Tecumseh, Mich. The announcement of the wedding was made yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Merkle will reside in Toledo, and the ball player's home city.

JAMES WINS GAME.

Sacramento, Cal., Nov. 19.—In a featureless game the All-Nationals defeated the All-American baseball four-lets here yesterday 9 to 4. Bill James was given a welcome by a large delegation of his fellow townsmen from Oroville, Cal.

Score: R. H. E. Americans.....4 12 6 Nationals.....9 11 2 Mitchell and Henry; James and Kilfer.

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