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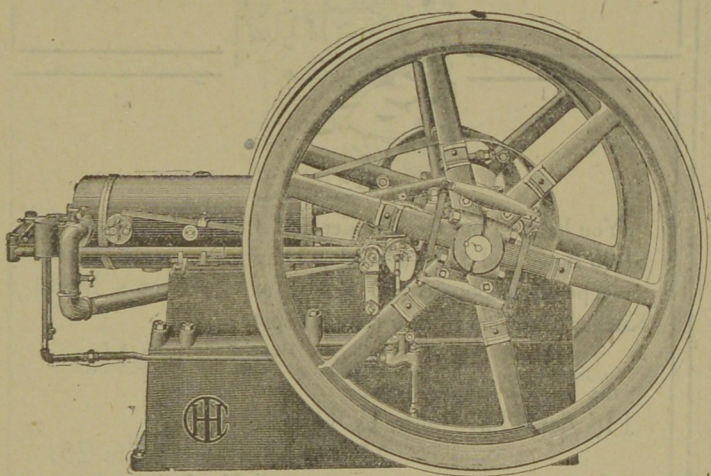
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ENTIRE LEAGUE IS EXPELLED FROM NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

Blue Grass League of Kentucky Broken
Up by Board of Arbitration—
Will Resist

Auburn, N. Y., March 21—Chairman John Farrell of the National Board of Arbitration of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues tonight gave out a special notice to organized baseball, by which, the first time in the history of minor league baseball an entire league is expelled from the National Association Mr. Farrell said:

"The officials of the Blue Grass League having publicly and officially made known their determination to violate the National agreement this league after a fair notification to its league president and a wire notice to its club members has had its membership fee returned and its reserved players declared free agents.

"The National Association must abide by the provisions of Article 5, Section 3 of its contract with the major leagues—The National Agreement."

The Blue Grass League includes Frankfort, Mayesville, Richmond, Lexington, Paris and Mt. Sterling, Ky. An attempt has just been made to add Covington, Ky., to the circuit. As Covington is within five miles of Cincinnati, a club playing there infringes upon the territorial rights of the major league club, and its existence constitutes a violation of the section of the National Agreement specified by Chairman Farrell. The decision declares more than 100 players to be free agents.

LEAGUE WILL RESIST

Lexington Ky., March 21—That the officials of the Blue Grass League will resist the action of Sec. Farrell of the National Association in declaring all of the players of that league free agents was indicated tonight when the officials of the league sent the following telegram to Sec. Farrell:

"The Blue Grass League has neither established nor maintained a club in Covington, Ky., therefore Article 5, Section 2 of the National Agreement positively has not been violated. Hence you exceed your power in declaring Blue Grass League players free agents and we hold you responsible therefor."

CALENDAR OF SPORT

MONDAY

National amateur Class A billiard tournament opens in Philadelphia.

Opening of annual show of Indianapolis Automobile Dealers' Association.

Championship tournament of Wisconsin State Bowling Association opens in Milwaukee.

Jack Britton vs Young Erne, 6 rounds, at Philadelphia.

Patsy Kline vs "Kid" Julian, 10 rounds, at Syracuse.

Sammy Trott vs Eddie Forrest, 10 rounds, at Columbus, O.

Willie Purcell vs Benny McGovern, 10 rounds, at Cincinnati.

Willie Beecher vs Dannt Ridge, 10 rounds, at New York City.

Eddie McGoorty vs Bon Moha, 10 rounds, at Milwaukee.

WEDNESDAY

Opening of annual bench show of the Chicago Kennel Club, Chicago.

Tony Caponi vs Glen Coakley, 10 rounds, at Port Wayne, Ind.

Jack Dillon vs "Buck" Crouse, 6 rounds, at Pittsburgh.

THURSDAY

Rudy Unholz vs Jack Redmond, 8 rounds, at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Championships of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Gymnasts, at Princeton.

FRIDAY

Start of twenty-four-hour professional roller skating race at Milwaukee.

Billy Walters vs "Spike" Kelly, 10 rounds, at Kenosha, Wis.

SATURDAY

End of the winter meeting of the Charleston Racing Association.

Opening of Canadian Motor Boat Show at Montreal.

Opening of first annual Maritime Motor Show at St. John, N.B.

Annual indoor games of Louisville Amateur Athletic Federation, Louisville.

Opening of United North and South open championship golf tournament at Pinehurst.

A stock company in Milwaukee recently revived J. A. Herne's famous play, "Hearts of Oak."

NEW GLASGOW CUBS BEAT TECUMSEHS 5 TO 3

Mike Murphy Scored One Goal for Cubs--Boston Despatch Knocks Brand of Hockey Shown by the Two Teams--Game Was Rough and Penalties Heavy

Boston, Mass., March 23—The first game between the professional teams of New Glasgow of the Maritime Province Hockey League and the Tecumsehs of Toronto, a member of the National Hockey Association, was won by the former, 5 to 3, at the Arena Saturday night. There was nothing wonderful in the brand of hockey played, in fact, a number of amateur contests seen in this city far excelled that which was witnessed last night, except for roughness.

The game was marred by the continual wranglings between the officials and the players. At one time the New Glasgow team only had three men on the ice, the other three having been removed for roughness and the game was stopped as Gregory refused to play unless the men were allowed to return to the contest. Captain Nicholson of the Tecumsehs, consented to these suspended players returning, and the game was resumed.

Ras Murphy of New Glasgow, was the most conspicuous player on the ice. He did the bulk of the offensive work for the lower province team and was very strong on the defence. Ras showed lots of speed and his stick handling compared favorably with any ever seen here. Captain Gregory played well as did Twaddle and Wilkie.

The line-up:
New Glasgow
Right Wing
M. Murphy I. W. Vair (Cook)
Centre
Gregory C. C. Wilson (Louthier)
Left Wing
Wilkie R. W. Davidson (Louthier) (H. McNamara)
Coverpoint
R. Murphy H. McNamara (Cook) (Davidson)
Point
A. Wilson G. McNamara (Twaddle) (Corbeau)
Goal

Morrison Nicholson
Score: New Glasgow 5, Tecumsehs 3

Goals:
G. McNamara, 3 min. 25 sec.
Wilkie, 8 min., 55 sec.

G. McNamara, 11 min., 51 sec.
Gregory, 12 min., 1 sec.

Gregory, 55 sec.
Corbeau, 41 sec.

M. Murphy, 6 min., 5 sec.
A. Wilson, 43 min.

Penalties:
Vair, 2 min., cross-check.
R. Murphy, 25, trip.

A. Wilson, 2 min., trip.
C. Wilson, 2 min., check.

H. McNamara, 2 min., rough.
H. McNamara, 1 min., trip.

M. Murphy, 1 min., hook.
Gregory, 2 min., trip.

A. Wilson, 2 min., rough.

NINETEEN THOUSAND IN GRAND RAPIDS STAKES

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 22—Nineteen thousand dollars will be offered in the early closing events of the Grand Circuit race meeting beginning here July 28, it was announced today. The early events include the \$10,000 furniture manufacturers' stake, the \$5,000 Comstock stake and the \$2,000 Grand Rapids Railway stake and the \$2,000 Giffline stake.

The entry blanks for these events will be sent out at once. Other events of \$1,000 each will be announced at the proper time to make up the program for the meeting. A new grandstand will be erected at a cost of \$30,000 to replace the one burned last year.

PIRATES TIED RED SOX

Hot Springs, Ark., March 22—Tied in the series, each with a game to their credit, the Pittsburgh Nationals and the Boston Americans struggled to a 3 to 3 tie in the third game of the scheduled series of nine games here today.

Boston, with two scores, held Pittsburg safe until the fourth inning, when hits were bunched on Leonard for three tallies. The fifth netted Boston a run, tying the game. In the succeeding innings Foster pitched for Boston and Adams for Pittsburg replaced Hendrix. No runner there after advanced beyond second base.

Score by innings:
Boston.....200010000—3 10 1
Pittsburg.....000300000—3 8 0
Batteries—Leonard, Foster and Thomas and Carrigan; Hendrix, Adams and Kelly.

DAVIDSON WITH ORIOLES

Medford, March 21—Alfred R. Davidson, who enabled the Medford High School baseball team to win its fourth successive Suburban League championship last year by his contract to play with the Baltimore wonderful pitching, has signed a club of the International League, Davidson reported to Baltimore several days ago, with George Twombly, the old Medford High third baseman, who played with Reading in the Tri-State League last year.

MCCARTY-FLYNN BOUT

Philadelphia, March 22—Announcement was made tonight that Luther McCarty and Jim Flynn have signed to box six rounds before the Olympia A. C. in this city on April 14. The men met in Los Angeles last December McCarty winning in the sixteenth round.

GEORGE WINTER COACH AT VERMONT UNIVERSITY

Burlington, Vt., March 23—With Coach George Winter, the old Boston American pitcher, five of last year's players and 35 new men in the squad the baseball prospects for the University of Vermont looks very bright.

Although but five men of the team as it played through most of last season are back, Coach Winter is greatly pleased with the material he has to build up the team with. The veterans are Malcolm and Winkler, pitchers, Mayforth and Barry, catchers and Captain Flaherty outfielder. Maiden and Swett have had experience, the former showing up well in the second Dartmouth and Williams games. These men are expected to fill up holes in the infield and with 33 other candidates there should be no difficulty in picking out a strong team to represent Vermont this year.

Winkler pitched for the Marathons during last season.

FOR AMATEUR BILLIARD HONORS

Philadelphia, Pa., March 24—Billiard admirers will follow with keen interest the national amateur Class A championship at 132 talkline, which opens tonight at the Union League Club in this city. The tournament is held under the auspices of the National Association of Amateur Billiard Players. It is expected that three weeks will be required to settle the championship honors.

Eight of the most prominent amateur players, classed as "short-stops," have entered. The Pacific Coast is represented in the list by Wilkie C. Dunaway, of the Mulnomah Athletic Club, of Portland, Chicago has sent C. F. Conklin and Percy Collins, while the Eastern participants includes such well known amateurs as Edward W. Gardner, Dr. Walter E. Uffenheimer, Joseph Mayer, Dr. Walter G. Douglas and J. Ferdinand Poggenburg, the present international champion.

WOMEN'S GOLF AT PINEHURST

Pinehurst, N. C., March 22—The annual United North and South Amateur Championship for women began at the Pinehurst Country Club today under conditions that promise one of the most successful tournaments since the event was inaugurated eleven years ago. The entries include many well known women golfers. The tournament will continue until the end of next week and will be followed by the United North and South open championship.

EXPENSE SERIOUS PROBLEM AT PRESENT IN BIG LEAGUES

Many Clubs Are Behind Financially---
Fans Said to be Blameworthy to Large Extent

Under the heading "Is Baseball Top-heavy?" The Brooklyn Eagle has the following:

"Many close observers fear that baseball is becoming top-heavy and the fans are in a measure responsible. They demand the best and then kick because they are asked a price in proportion. How a balance is to be struck is a big question. All of the magnates are not rolling in wealth, as many rooters suppose. The Athletics have spent all they have made at Shibe Park, with two world's championship teams paying back the money spent on that plant. As Locke says, the Phillies have not declared a dividend for twelve years, and have broken several sets of owners. The St. Louis National League Club is in constant difficulties and had to borrow the money to pay the compromise with Roger Bresnahan on his unexpired contract. The career of the Boston Nationals has been even more disastrous than that of the Phillies. The Cleveland Club has never been a mint and spent what it made in building a modern plant for the convenience of its patrons. Ohas. H. Ebberts, after he started on his ambitious scheme for Ebbetts' Field, got into deep water and had to call on the McKee brothers for help. The Detroit Club is beginning to feel the pinch of having a team low down in the race. And so it goes. Yet, if the clubs do not erect handsome steel and concrete modern structures, the owners are derided and the public refuses to go to the games.

DEMAND FOR PLAYERS.

Also, the fans are beginning to adopt drastic measures in the interest of favorite players. Petitions are being circulated in Chicago pledging the signers to keep away from the National League park there unless Charley Murphy agrees to pay Jimmy Archer's demand for a salary of \$7,500. Those behind the movement mean what they say, and if Archer is not signed they will not be among those present at the Cubs' performances. Similar movements, but hardly so systematically carried out, have occurred in other cities, notably St. Louis, and the players are almost invariably the winners. Where will it end? No limit is in sight yet, for salaries are constantly going up and every year more and more star players are following the tactics of Archer in Chicago, and Knott in St. Louis. Should a third major league be formed—and that is almost inconceivable at this time—in ten years it would be up against exactly the same conditions. On the other hand, 75 cents or \$1 is considerable money for fans in moderate circumstances if they want to see more than one game of a series.

◆ N. B. & MAINE LEAGUE MEETING
◆ The New Brunswick & Maine League meeting is expected to be held at McAdam on Thursday or Friday of this week.
◆ Frank Leonard is expected to return before that time with a fair idea of the situation on the proposed circuit. The clubs to be represented at the meeting will be St. Stephen-Calais, Bangor, Me., St. John and Fredericton.

WEEKLY ROLL-OFF

Some high scores were put on at the Queen Hotel Bowling Alleys last week and good rolling is expected at the regular weekly roll-off which will take place tonight. The scores of those eligible are as follows:

G. Skiff Grimmer	108
Keith Brown	105
D. Lee Babbitt	104
E. Peterson	98
H. Steen	98
W. I. Rodgeron	97
L. C. Macnutt	97
C. Downing	96
J. A. Reid	95
H. Gailey	93
R. Robertson	93
O. W. Stinson	92
T. G. Roberts	91

Miss Margaret Carnegie, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, 16 years old, today.

Laurent Olivier David, a member of the Senate of Canada, 73 years old today.