

EVERYONE AGAINST GIANTS, SAYS STAR

Trade of Magee to Braves Is Taken by Matty to Show Opposition to McGraw.

NEW YORK BID REJECTED

Terms Made Unreasonable, as Usual, Avers Pitcher and He Declares All Managers Want to See Big Town Team Lose.

BY CHRISTY MATHEWSON. The Giants' Famous Pitcher. NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—A little notice appeared in the newspapers recently that conveyed much more to me than it did to most readers.

"Sherwood Magee Traded to Braves." McGraw has been after Magee for some time, because it was generally known that the great outfielder was dissatisfied with Philadelphia and would jump to the Federals rather than play with the Phillies again.

Look at last season! If McGraw could have grabbed a good infielder, fill in at third base, I believe we would have come pretty near to landing the pennant with that lead we had in July.

Stallings' outfield was weak early last season, and he was up against it. I was talking to the "Chief" on one of his first trips to New York when his club was floundering along in last place.

"What's the matter, George?" I asked him. "If I could get some outfielders who could hit," he replied, "I'd have a ball team."

St. Louis gave Cather and Whitted to him for "Hub" Pender, and Stallings tried his great outfield shift which put the hitting strength into the club.

Tende Makes Shift Possible. Without that trade with St. Louis, I don't believe the Braves would ever have won the championship, for, through it, Stallings was permitted to throw in right-handed batters against left-handed pitching and this shifting helped to produce the pennant for him.

In mid-season, Deal, on third base, developed a bad case of "charley-horse" and Stallings got Smith from the Brooklyn club, and Smith had a good deal to do with the winning of that championship with his hard hitting.

Hitting Is Braves' Weakness. Magee, with the Boston, will mean a lot to that club, because the records show that the big weakness of the Braves was the hitting, only one man on a championship team has led in 300 runs, an unusual thing.

McGraw tried hard to get a third baseman last year, but he failed because he had been traded right out of one during his trip around the world.

TWO STARS OF PORTLAND'S PROFESSIONAL HOCKEY TEAM WHO WILL BE SEEN IN ACTION AGAINST VANCOUVER AT HIPPODROME TONIGHT.



CHARLES TOBIN, POINT, AND CAPTAIN ED OATMAN, RIGHT WING.

VANCOUVER TEAM'S DEFEAT PREDICTED

Portland Hockey Players Hope to Get Revenge Tonight on League Leaders.

GREAT CROWD EXPECTED

Cyclone Taylor and Mallen Are Men on Canadian Squad Feared Most by Uncle Sams—McDonald to Block Young MacKaye.

Table with 3 columns: Team, Won, Lost. Rows include Vancouver, Portland, and Victoria.

BY ROSCOE FARWELL. Hockey, while practically a new sport in Portland, is so spectacular and so much like the real sport being pulled on the icebound canals of Belgium, that local spectators have tumbled for it.

"If my men hold their tempers and stay on the ice Portland will win," declared Manager Muldoon after the first game of the match, together with the increasing popularity of the sport, ought to fill the Ice Hippodrome to capacity, and that's about 5000.

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signing with the St. Louis Feds started the sporting world a fortnight ago. "When Patrick finally lured Johnson westward, Lichenheim turned around and got the \$2000 judgment against him.

If you believe Walter McCredie, manager of the several times champion Portland team of the Pacific Coast Baseball League, professional hockey has it all over the diamond sport as a spectacular pastime.

Tonight's game will commence promptly at 8:30 o'clock and there will be no public speaking. Three periods of 20 minutes each will be played and these, with the rests between, will bring the finish up around the 10:30 hour.

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REAL 'HOPE' SOUGHT

Corbett Has Plan to Dig Up Prodigy in Australia.

JIM TO TRAIN DISCOVERY

After Course Given by Old Master Boxer Is to Be Brought Back and Set to Work Making Dents in Crop of Heavyweights.

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ICE HOCKEY! PROFESSIONAL Portland vs. Vancouver, B. C. Tonight, January 5, 8:30 o'Clock AT ICE HIPPODROME Tickets 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50

ON SALE AT Huntley Drug Co., Fourth and Washington Streets Schiller Cigar Store, Eleventh and Washington Streets ICE HIPPODROME, Twenty-first and Marshall Streets

ing rowed against St. John's crew on August 23, 1871. Renforth collapsed and died in Kelley's arms.

GIANTS GET LOBERT

Three Men and Cash Are Given for Great Outfielders.

M'GRAW ANNOUNCES DEAL

Trade Keeps Philadelphia Player From Joining Feds and Leader Thinks It Puts New York in Pennant Race Again.

\$400,000 ESTATE SOUGHT

Cousin of Francis Way Smith Denies His Testamentary Capacity.

NEBRASKA BANKS SOUND

Only Two State Institutions Fall in Ten Years.

CHURCHES TO HIRE IDLE

St. Louis Congregations Will Improve Their Buildings.

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Matthewan Asylum. The circular will be distributed all over the United States, according to agents for Thaw, and later it is proposed to introduce a bill in Congress providing for the return to their homes of criminally insane persons acquitted of crime in their own state.

ALUMNI APPEAL FOR FRANK

Movement of University Men Likely to Become Nation-wide.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 1.—In hope of gaining freedom for Leo M. Frank, a Cornell graduate under sentence of death for the murder of Mary Phagan in Atlanta, Ga., the alumni of Cornell University in Western Pennsylvania have issued petitions to Governor Slaton asking for executive clemency.

PLUMBERS STAND SIEGE

St. Louis School Building Held Three Days by Nonunion Force.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 30.—Three days' forcible occupation of the new Groves Cleveland High School by non-union plumbers, who camped in the building to prevent the plumbing contractors from beginning work there, was brought to an abrupt and positive finish when six non-union employes and one of his men.

SON OF SINGER MARRIES

Paterson Schoolteacher Bride of Henry Schumann Heink.

PATERSON, N. J., Jan. 1.—Henry Schumann Heink, son of Mrs. Ernestine Schumann Heink, the prima donna, and Miss Elsie Straussman, a teacher in the Paterson public schools, were married here recently in the rectory of St. John's Catholic Church.

NEW SON-IN-LAW KILLED

Shot Fired at Supposed Burglar in Smokehouse.

HUGO, Okla., Dec. 31.—Joseph Williams shot and killed his son-in-law, William Nalley, at Proggville, last night, Nalley married Williams' daughter last week.

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