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ORGANIZED BASEBALL ADOPTS NEW 7-YEAR NATIONAL AGREEMENT

Minor League Demands Are Allowed and Draft is Restored

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—(A. P.)—Organized baseball virtually was brought under control of Federal Judge Landis for at least seven years when the drafting committee of the national association of minor leagues voted approval of the new national agreement, already accepted by the two major league committees.

The minors reported a few weeks ago to be hostile to the new agreement found the majors ready to concede their demands. Expressing themselves as satisfied with Judge Landis, the minors were doubtful as to whether a man agreeable to them would be chosen when his term expired.

The advisory board to settle baseball disputes will contain two minor league representatives, the other two to be presidents of the National and American leagues.

The minors voted to restore the draft, but made reservations to the restoration which does not make it compulsory.

Any league so desiring may remain out of the draft. Leagues which do not take part will not be permitted to draft players from leagues which do go in, but may draft from each other.

Prizes Are Set High. The draft schedule was made from October 15 to October 29 and the draft prices were set as follows:

Class A—\$5000; class A, \$4000; class B, \$2500; class C, \$1500; class D, \$1000.

The minors also established a new scale of player and salary limits as follows:

Class A—No salary limit; 25 players until 30 days after season opens, and then 25.

Class B—Salary limit of \$4250; played limit of 26 for first 30 days and 20 thereafter.

Class C—Salary limit of \$2500 and player limit of 20 for 30 days and 16 thereafter.

Class D—Salary limit of \$2400 and player limit of 18 for 30 days and 14 thereafter.

Fines for Violations. Failure to live up to these limits will result in a fine of \$100 for the first offense, \$200 if the case is not rectified in 10 days and then a fine of \$300 and decision by the national board of control.

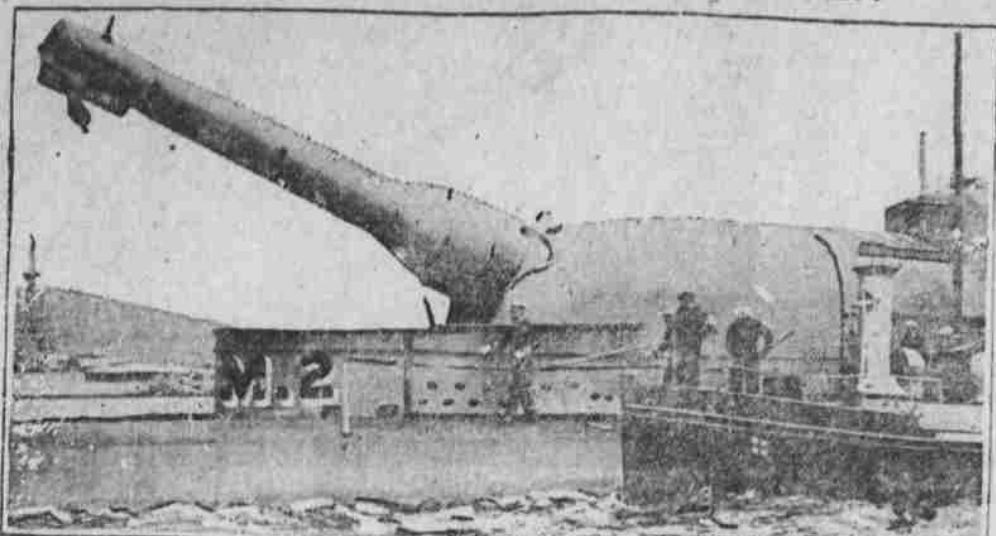
The clubowners decided to classify leagues on the basis of the last federal census, and under the following scale: Leagues with 250,000 to 1,000,000 population.

Classes A and A will remain as at present more than 1,000,000 population.

The annual meeting of the association will be held the first Tuesday in December hereafter and must take place in a city represented in the association.

Besides acting on the new national agreement today and selecting its advisory board members, the association expects to take action concerning five minor league players alleged to have played ball on the Pacific coast this winter with Fred McMullin, Chicago White Sox player indicted for alleged complicity in "throwing" games in the 1919 world series.

BRITISH NAVY'S LATEST DIVER



This picture shows one big reason why Britain is hesitating to build more surface dreadnoughts. Many naval experts say air bombing will make surface ships helpless and that the dreadnought of the future is the huge gun-carrying submarine. The British navy is building such giant divers. This is the latest model.

FIRST GAME OF YEAR, PLAYED BY SAND LOT KIDS, DELAYS JUDGE

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—(A. P.)—The afternoon session of the meeting of the major and minor league committees was delayed a while through the absence of Judge Landis, who had been asked to give his approval to the final draft, which they were drafting.

The judge was paged, but he could not be found. One of the committee members glanced out of the hotel window towards Grand Park, across the street where boys were playing baseball. Back of first base was a tall, slim figure clad in the long black cape.

"There's our missing commissioner and I guess we'll have to send a messenger for him," said the committee member.

"Sorry to have delayed you gentlemen," said the judge, "but that's the first game of the season and I just had to watch it."

Modern Marriages Mostly for Convenience, Day Past When Woman Will Take What Man Throws at Her, Says His Honor.

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 12.—(U. P.)—Circuit Judge W. N. Gatens interrupted proceedings in a divorce case here when the defendant was asked a question by one of the attorneys. It wasn't that Gatens objected to the question; but he wanted to answer it himself.

Mrs. A. C. Schmitt, who was being sued for divorce by her husband, a well-known local physician, was asked by her lawyer if she believed marriage to be sacred.

"I can answer that question," interrupted Judge Gatens. "Not one out of 100,000 marriages is sacred. They are mostly marriages of convenience, in which the man wants a housekeeper and mistress and the woman a home. Too much is expected of each other in the marriage relation."

"The day is past in which woman has to take what man wants to throw at her, and the war is largely responsible. It made women more independent. She is not willing to be a slave and raise children and take the mite and man is willing to give her in return. 'Man and wife should be partners in everything, not only love and affection, in the ideal marital relationship. Marriage is sacred only where there is peace and happiness."

Gatens, after hearing all the testimony, concluded the trouble in the Schmitt family was "just a scum to see who's boss," and that both sides were "at fault." He gave the husband the decree, however, but divided the custody of the only child between the two parents.

Clementine Bats Tigers in India Jungle Hunt

CANTON, Central India, Jan. 12.—(A. P.)—The former French premier, Georges Clemenceau, who is a guest of the Maharaja of Sindhia, has bagged two full grown tigers.

GAME TONIGHT IS OFF; VALLEY TRIP ARRANGED

Inability of the Hermiston basketball team to accept a mid-week date to play the Pendleton team led to the calling off yesterday afternoon of the scheduled basketball double header at Pendleton high school tonight. There will be no game on the local floor this evening as a result.

Games have been scheduled for the locals however, with the freshmen quartet of both the state university and agricultural colleges. Coach Hanley will lead his men against the O. A. C. rocks on Jan. 28 at Corvallis and the following night against the U. of O. frosh at Eugene. He will take a squad of six men west for the games.

EXPERT CHINESE GIRL SILK WEAVERS WILL DEMONSTRATE ART HERE

SHANGHAI, Jan. 12.—(A. P.)—Chin Mei, Yin Mei and Mei Ling, Shanghai Chinese girls who are expert silk workers, are going to America this month to show how silk is reeled in Chinese filatures at the International Silk Exposition that is to open in New York early in February.

The girls will accompany a delegation of five headed by Sen. Yu-ming, delegate representing the Peking government. The other delegates are being sent by the Shanghai Silk Filatures and Cocoon Merchant Guild.

The girls are to demonstrate how the silk is unwinded from the cocoon and reeled into skeins.

INAUGURAL BALL TO BE ABANDONED IN 1921 CEREMONY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—(A. P.)—Harding is to take his oath in the senate chamber. All out side ceremonies are to be abandoned. The decision was made today following Harding's request for a simple ceremony. There will be no ball.

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ORGANIZATION TO RULE PROFESSIONAL BOXING IN 16 STATES FORMED

Scale of Weights for Boxers Corresponding to That Now Used in New York State is Agreed Upon for All.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—(A. P.)—The title of National Boxing Association of the United States was adopted Tuesday at the convention of delegates from 16 states to organize a governing body over professional boxing.

Its object was announced as the regulation and supervision of the sport in the interest of public welfare.

Plans to have every state represented on the board of directors are included in a recommendation formally agreed upon.

A scale of weights for boxers corresponding to that used in New York state was adopted by delegation. It was decided that contestants must weigh in six and a half hours before ring time before the club scales in the presence of each other and a club official.

CHICAGO'S EXTENSIVE PARK SYSTEM CIRCLES CITY IN GREAT BELT

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—In its fifth year Chicago's forest preserve, encircling the city in a great outer park belt, numbers 18,028 acres and cost \$7,229,000, Peter Hehnberg, president of the district, reports. In 1920 the preserve entertained over 3,000,000 people.

The park already includes more than half of the 20,000 acres of available wooded land behind Chicago and new tracts are continually being added.

Indian Day held in the preserve last year, commemorating tribes that once lived in these same wooded lands, proved so successful that it will be made an annual event. Descendants of these tribes were brought back for the affair.

\$80,000,000 PASSES IN ST. LOUIS THOROFARE

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 12.—More than \$80,000,000 in gold, silver and currency was handled through the streets of St. Louis without the loss of a cent, while crime here was at its peak last month. It is announced at the federal building.

Daily for nearly a month millions of dollars were carried 15 blocks to the Union Station, as much as \$5,000,000 being in a single trip.

Three men, with arms concealed, guarded each vehicle, and unbroken secrecy was maintained. The money was being sent to the mines at Denver and San Francisco from the United States treasury here, which was suspended by act of congress last May.

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QUALITY SERVICE SANITATION Free Sales Day December 16th was redeeming day in our store. Bring in your sales slips of that day and take away the cash or its equivalent.

TARIFF BILL DECLARED COSTLY TO WEST COAST WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—(U. P.)—Protest that a very great injury will be done the Pacific coast by the emergency tariff bill duties on oriental vegetable oils was laid before the senate finance committee.