

Sporting News

BASEBALL BREVITIES

Klefer, formerly of the Athletics, now with the rejuvenated Indians, the chap who pitched the 15-innings 1-1 tie on Sunday last, is said by Fohl to give promise of becoming another Morton, and one of the best pitchers in the American League.

Cincinnati has waited 33 years for the Reds to win a pennant in the National League. They haven't won one in Cincinnati in 32 years, and the Phillies only came across after 31 years' failure. Cincinnati, however, looks as tho it is coming out of its Rip Van Winkle sleep. St. Louis has not won a pennant in 32 years.

A remarkable play occurred in a recent game at St. Louis between the Cardinals and Cincinnati. It happened in this way: With one out, Beck had singled and was on first base, when Smith lifted a Texas leaguer to right field. Louden and Griffith ran for it, and the former called for it. He was in an awkward position to make the catch and the ball striking his gloved hand bounced out only to be grabbed by Griffith before it reached the ground, thus completing the catch and retiring the batter. Beck, on first, seeing the ball bounce out of Louden's mitt, started for second, and Griff lined the ball to Chase for a double killing before he could get back to first.

Emilio Palerno is pitching good ball for the Giants, and they say he resembles George Wiltse on the field.

All of which recalls Wiltse's great world's series feat against the Athletics in the 1913 series on Oct. 8th. Plank and Matty stood 0 to 0, and it looked as tho the big master would register the third 3 to 0 victory in his career over the Gettysburg man.

Boyle's wild throw had permitted Strunk and Barry to advance. With not a man retired, Matty steadily showed his great pitching craft. Lapp hit viciously to Wiltse at first, who caught Strunk at the plate. A right-handed first-sacker could not have done it.

Instead of resorting to a pinch-hitter for Plank, for which Mack was roundly criticized, Plank tried desperately to win his game. But he hit directly at Wiltse, who snared it over the bag, threw to McLean and retired Barry. Mathewson then made

Eddie Murphy hit under a fast one. Matty won his own game with a single. He hit to deep left centre. Fletcher also singled, and Shafer's triple brought the Giants their only game. It is just such things as Palerno's likeness to Wiltse that brings out good yarns.

An old controversy has popped up in a new guise. Frank Baker is the storm centre, and Eddie Collins is his accomplice. The subject for debate is: "Resolved that Collins' skillful work on the bases had much to do with fattening Baker's batting average, and that Baker will find himself lost without Eddie's assistance." This is simply a relash of the ancient assertion that Ty Cobb keeps Sam Crawford hitting well. As a matter of fact, Collins might help Baker more than Cobb does the men who follow him, for Eddie is a more conservative ball player than the Peach. Ty does worry the pitchers when he gets on the bases. He will make them waste a lot of balls, and this should help the batter. But he worries his team-mates, too. The Georgian is an individualist. He plays his own game in base running, and very frequently crosses everybody when he goes down. The batters following him of course are very anxious to help him home, and the general situation is one of unrest, with everybody sharing in it. While Ty does help the pitcher in a hole he doesn't aid the hitting of his team-mates by anything like the margin claimed by some folks.

Attractions at The Empire Theatre

The management of the Empire Theatre have booked another powerful photoplay for next Friday and Saturday nights. "The Rosary" as pictured is adapted from the well known play by Edward E. Rose, and tells the story of the many events which crowd the life of Father Kelly. In his early years the struggle between his love of a girl and the call of the church is shown, while late in life he becomes the pivot about which a domestic tragedy revolves. His ward, a young broker, unjustly suspects his wife of being false to him and Father Kelly, who is visiting them when they quarrel, is at last instrumental in uniting them and again bringing happiness into both their lives. Charles Clary makes a beauti-

BY-LAW NO. 58

BEING A BY-LAW TO AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE PORCUPINE TELEPHONE LINES, LIMITED, AND THE TOWN OF TIMMINS.

Whereas the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Timmins deems to be in the interest of the Corporation and of the residents thereof and to be advisable to enter into an Agreement for the construction, operation and maintenance of a Telephone System, within the limits of the said Corporation.

Now therefore the Municipal Corporation of the Town of Timmins, enacts as follows:—

1. That the proper officers of the said Municipality are hereby empowered and authorized, to execute on behalf of the said Corporation an Agreement in the form hereunder set forth which has been read at the present Meeting between the Porcupine Telephone Lines, Limited, and the Town, and to affix the Corporate Seal of the said Town thereto:—

Memorandum of Agreement made this _____ day of A.D. 1916. Between:— PORCUPINE TELEPHONE LINES, LIMITED,

ful character out of the priest, while Kathryn Williams and Wheeler Oakman portray the young couple in a way which makes their characters appear to really live. From start to finish the film teems with dramatic action and its artistic treatment makes it a production which, once seen, will never be forgotten.

Settlers Will Get Loans This Summer

It has been decided to make effective this summer the scheme to assist settlers in Northern Ontario by a system of Government loans. This policy was outlined by Hon. G. Howard Ferguson in legislation brought before the House at the session recently concluded. The plan was aimed primarily to render assistance after the war in settling the North, and loans up to \$500 are authorized. It has been decided, however, to begin at once, though at first on a somewhat smaller scale than will ultimately be adopted.

hereinafter called the "Company", Of the First Part, and THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF TIMMINS, hereinafter called the "Town", Of the Second Part.

1. Witnesseth: that the Company in consideration of the covenants herein contained is hereby authorized and permitted to exercise its powers by constructing, maintaining or operating its lines of telephone upon, along, across or under any highway, square or other public place, within the limits of the Town, provided, the opening up of such highway, square or other public place, for the erection of poles, or for carrying wires underground, shall be under the direction and supervision of the Town Council, or such Officer or agent as the said Council may appoint, and that the surface of such highway, square or other public place shall in all cases be restored to its former condition and at the expense of the Company.

2. The Company shall indemnify and save harmless, the Town, its Officers and servants, from all manner of loss, damage, injuries, suits, claims and damages, on account of the said Telephone System, either in the erection or operation thereof.

3. The Company shall not remove, cut or trim, any Shade Tree, within the limits of the Town, without the consent of Town Council, and shall be responsible for all damage through such removal, cutting or trimming.

4. The Company shall maintain an all night Telephone service, in connection with its Exchange in the said Town, and shall operate and maintain its system in accordance with such of the provisions of the Ontario Telephone Act and Amendments thereto, as apply to it.

5. This agreement shall extend for a period of Five years from the First day of June, A.D. 1916, and during the said period the Town agrees that it will not give to any person, firm or Company, any license or permission to use any highway, square or public place, within the limits of the Town, for the purpose of placing in or upon, over or under, any of such highway, square or public place, any poles, dials or wires for the purpose of carrying on a Telephone business.

6. That the said Company shall not during the term of the said franchise, charge more than \$25.00 per annum for a residence Telephone, and not more than \$45.00 per annum for a business Telephone for first year, and \$40.00 for remaining four years. The Company further agrees that all calls between the Timmins and Selkumacher Exchanges, shall be free, and that it shall not charge more than Ten cents per call for the first Three minutes and Two cents for each additional minute during the Timmins and South Porcupine Exchanges. These rates shall not apply to Mines Telephones and the Mines Telephones shall be exempt from all tolls originating at Mines between Timmins and South Porcupine. Payment for rental of residence and business Telephones to be payable half yearly in advance, and payment of Toll charges to be paid upon delivery of bill thereof.

7. Notwithstanding anything contained in Section 20 of Geo. V., c. 33. The Company covenants and agrees that it will not, make any application to the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board to increase its rates and rentals as hereinbefore set out during the period of this Franchise.

8. The Company shall during the period of this Agreement maintain its Telephone System in at least as good and efficient condition as it is at the present time and shall make such additions and improvements thereto as the requirements of the Town may demand.

9. Wherever in this Agreement the word "Company" is used, the same shall extend to and include the party of the first part, its successors and assigns, and wherever in this Agreement the word "Town" is used, the same shall mean the party of the second part and shall extend to and include, its successors and assigns.

In Witness Whereof the said parties have hereto and hereunto affixed their respective Corporate Seals and signed under the hands of their respective proper Officers.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered In the Presence of

This By-Law shall take effect on and after the final passing thereof. I hereby certify that above By-Law is a true copy.

H. E. MONTGOMERY, Clerk.
W. H. WILSON, Mayor.

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If I knew you and you knew me.

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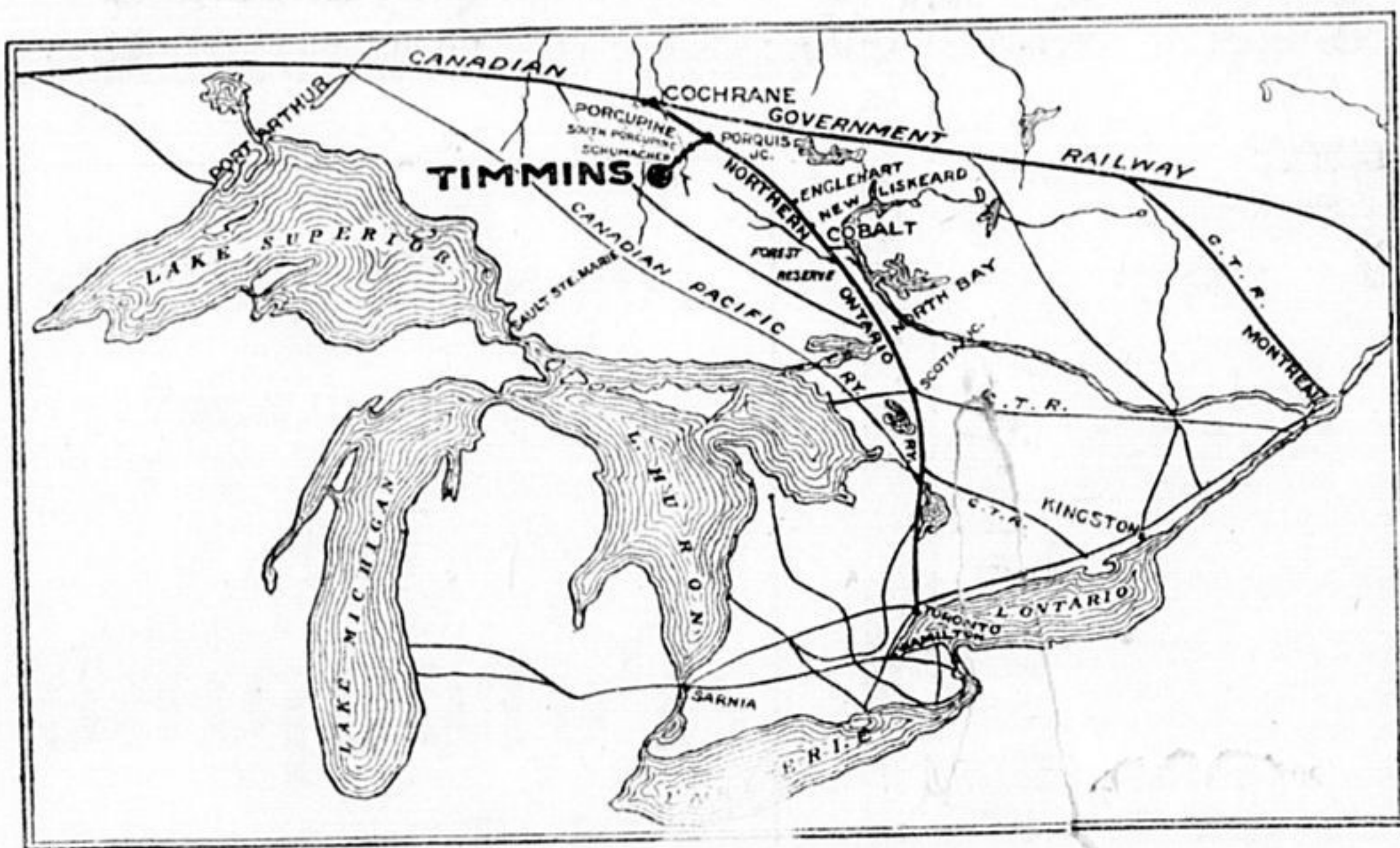
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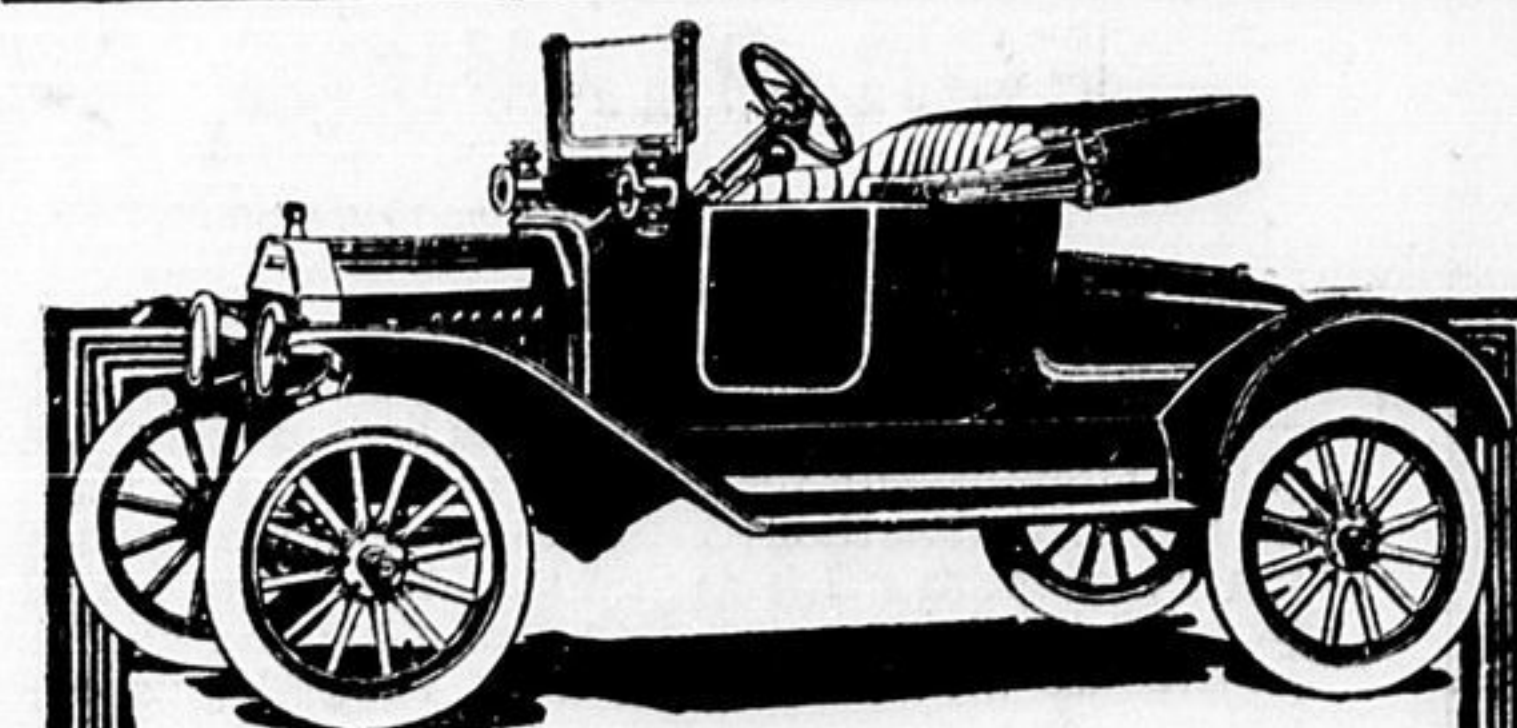


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