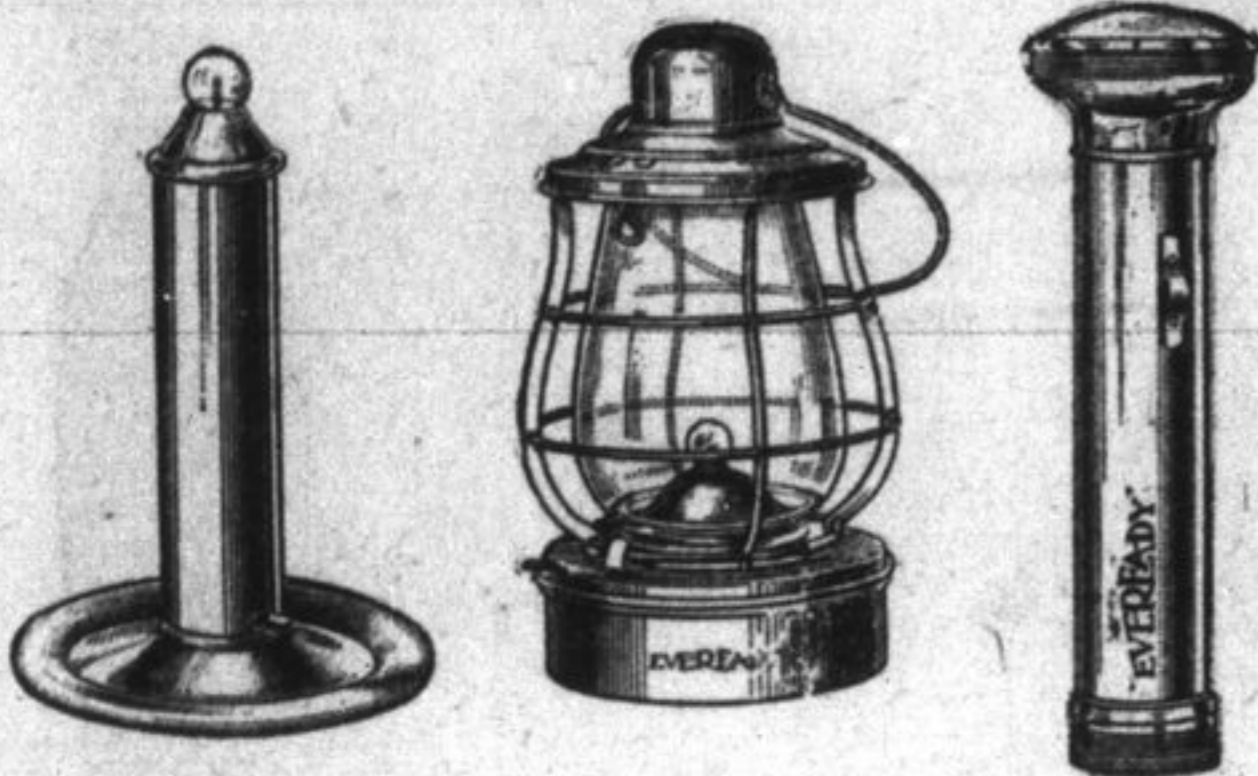
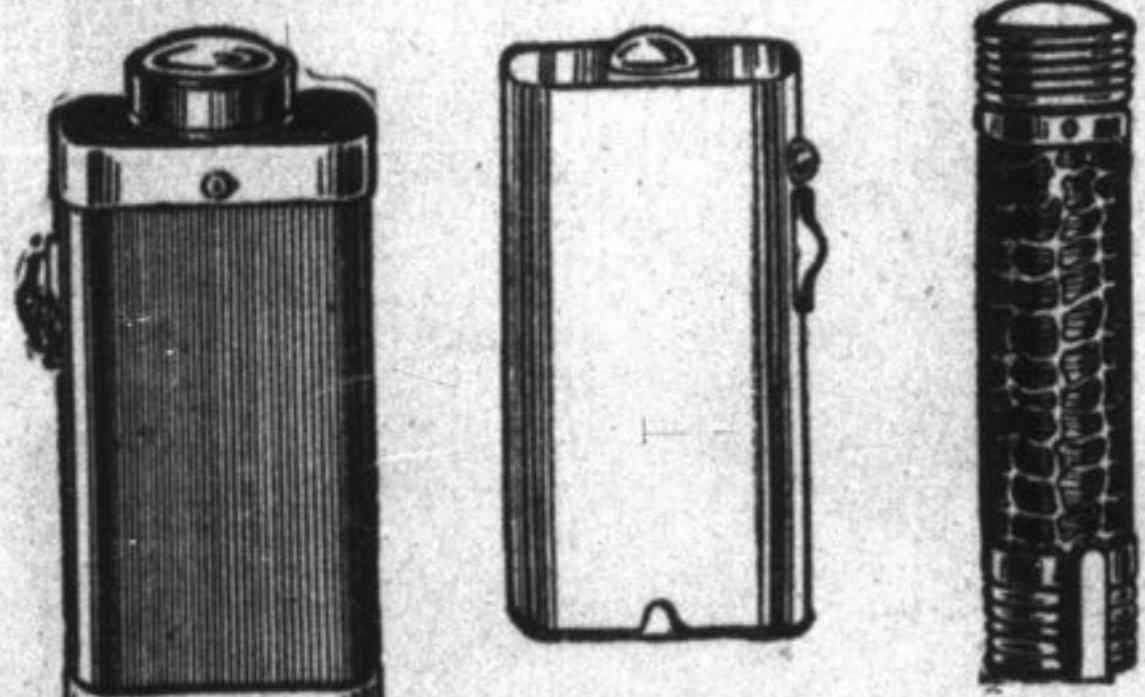


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# In The World Of Sport

## Sporting Notes

Hockey fans will have plenty of games in Toronto this year, with the N.H.L. team and the O.H.A. senior and junior teams.

Six-man hockey will be in vogue in all leagues, amateur and professional, and the fans can see the benefit of a good penalty rule.

The pro. teams of Montreal are going to hold ten practices and charge a small admission fee to see them work.

Ted Meredith the American quarter and half-miler, is said to be serving at the front as an aviator.

Jess Willard says he will fight if a suitable purse is offered. Suitable is an elastic word, which in Jess' case probably means about half the gold reserve for six rounds.

A war tax of \$6 may be placed on baseball passes, which means that there may be some seats in the stands for those that pay to get into the park.

"We'll play baseball next year regardless of how hard we are hit by the draft," Charlie Weegman of the Cubs is quoted as saying. We shall be interested if the Cubs really play baseball.

Ban Johnson has written a long defence of his recommendations that ball-players be exempted from the draft. Sa'll ritte, Ban. We understand.

Christy Mathewson may pitch again next year. Matty's arm should be all right if it isn't too sore from clipping coupons.

John Evers should trouble himself a lot about losing out in baseball. What's a \$10,000 baseball contract compared to a chance to sell shoes at the present market price?

What has become of the old-fashioned ball-player who couldn't talk on account of the chew of tobacco in his jaw?

A doc says people are left-handed because their hearts carry most of the blood to the left side of the body. We always thought it was all carried to their heads.

The Washington club has bought Bruce Hartford of Des Moines. Hartford has made the trip to and from the bushes so many times that he's not interested in the scenery any more.

With Vezina, Hall, Corbeau, Lacombe, Pitre, and Malone as regulars, and Tommy Smith, Couture, and Laviolette as spares, George Kennedy's Canadiens look like a mighty dangerous aggregation in the pro. league.

## PASSING OF OLD TIME STARS.

Nearly Half Players of Major Leagues of 1915 in Minors.

McGraw called attention to the important fact that nearly half of the players who were in the major leagues in 1915 have passed out of that company. The records show that of 188 men who were in the American League two years ago only ninety-five remained at the end of the recent campaign, while eighty-three out of 171 National League players, who took part in the 1915 pennant race, draw salary to the wind-up in October. A total of 17 players were released to make room for newcomers. Among the best-known players who have left the majors since 1915 are:

Joe Connolly, Joe Schultz, Ken Lehner, Bob Fisher, Cozy Dolan, Owen Wilson, Wade Kilfer, Ham Hyatt, Wheeler Johnson, Bob Bescher, John Evers, Jack Murray, Geo. Davis, Gus Getz, Jimmy Viox, Dick Egan, Arthur Butler, Bluch Schmidt, Beals Becker, Pete Knisely, Jimmy Archer, Charley Dooin, Chief Meyers, John Hummel, Tommy Leach, Bert Whaling, Art Phelan, Fred Snodgrass, Nap Rucker, Bobby Byrne, Eddie Grant, Ted Cather, Roger Bresnahan, Fred Brainerd, Herbie Moran, Fred Von Kilitz, Joe Wagner, Bert Humphries, Geo. Chalmers, Ralph Stroud, Wheeler Dell, Bob Harmon, Babe Adams, Jim Lavender, Hub Purdue, Rube Robinson, Paul Strand, Vean Gregg, Czek Fournier, Jay Kirke, Sam Crawford, Hans Wagner, Paddy Baumann, Ray Collins, Napoleon Lajoie, Jack Lapp, Eddie Plank, Charley Mullen, Terry Turner, Roy Hartzell, Rube Oldring, Alva Williams, Jack Leary, Heinie Wagner, Dan Moeller, Russell Blackburne, Birdie Creek, Benny Brief, George Moriarty, Jean Dubuc, Lute Boone, Bill Carrigan, Olaf Henriksen, Ed. Sweeney, Carroll Browne, Chester Hoff, Ray Keating, Marty McHale, Jack Warhop, Cy Pleh and others.

## THE RICH FUTURITY.

Stake For Two-Year-olds is Worth \$30,000.

Secretary McErlacker, of the Westchester Racing Association, says that the Futurity to be run at Belmont Park, New York, next September will be worth about \$30,000 in gross value. This will be the richest Futurity since Electioneer's victory in 1906, when the value was \$26,880. The high-water mark was \$67,675 in 1890, when Potomac came home in triumph. The victory of His Highness the following year netted \$61,675. Requite won \$53,190 in 1895, while next in value was Domino's Futurity of \$48,855 in 1893. Artful won \$40,830 in 1904; but since then the big event has not reached those figures.

Cully Wilson is a benedict and therefore a free agent as far as the M.S.A. is concerned. He will report to Seattle shortly and will leave Winnipeg on Dec. 15th, unless the Patricks decide not to operate.

## THREE CHALLENGES EXPECTED FOR CUP

The Senior Champions of O.H.A. This Year Will Defend the Trophy.

By a mail vote the affiliated provincial bodies decided to forego the annual meeting of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association this year, and the old officers remain. They are: President, Sheriff Paxton, Whitby; vice-president, W. M. Van Valkenberg, Regina; secretary, W. A. Hewitt, Toronto. The Allan Cup competition will continue as usual. Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Thunder Bay will have military leagues, and three challenges for the cup are expected.

The cup will be defended this year by the club that won the senior championship of the O.H.A. It is now held by the Dental Hockey Club of Toronto.

The 77th Battalion hockey team, who will play in the Saskatchewan League, have designs on the Allan Cup. They have Wilson and Barker of last year's Regina Victorias; Gordon Forbes and George Feath, of Prince Albert; Bill Clark, a Regina City League player, and a number of others.

## WOULD BUY BLACKBURNE.

Player Ambitious to Attempt "Come-back" in 1918.

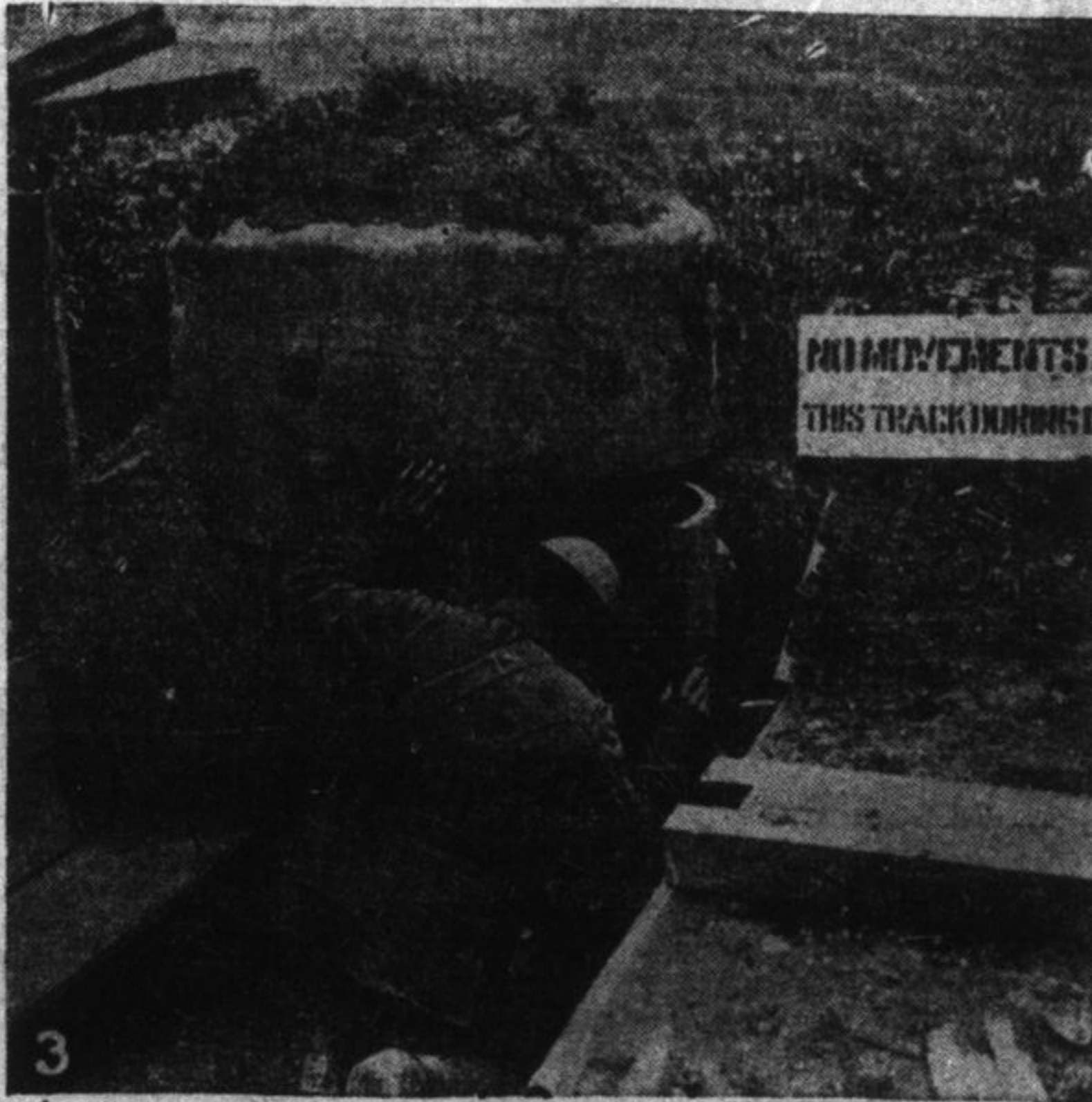
Larry Lajoie is not the only player likely to be lost by the Toronto club. According to President McCaffery, these major league clubs have made offers for the release of Russell ("Lens") Blackburne.

In the event of the suspension of the league there is no doubt that both Blackburne and Lajoie will be sold, but should the International decide to continue under war conditions and with a reorganized circuit one or the other will certainly be retained, preferably Lajoie. The Toronto management might decide to retain the services of both players.

Lajoie would like to re-enter the majors in a managerial capacity, and has repeatedly said so. Blackburne does not want such a position. He could have been manager of the Toronto team last season had he so desired. "Lens" is ambitious to get back to one of the big rings, and hopes that he will be sold.

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Art Ross thinks Cecil Spriggings, long before the record half of the the Laval defence player, will make good in the professional ranks. President Paxton, of the O.H.A., Spriggings is fast and aggressive, and has had experience. He needs only coaching, and will get that with Wanderers. Leo O'Grady hardly has the speed for professional company, though he is a bear among the amateurs.

It is a safe bet that the Wanderers this season will be as popular as Pacific Coast League, to whom he belongs.

Dick Irvin, who lives in Winnipeg, is reported as going to play in the Military League there and not to join the Portland club of the Pacific Coast League, to whom he belongs.