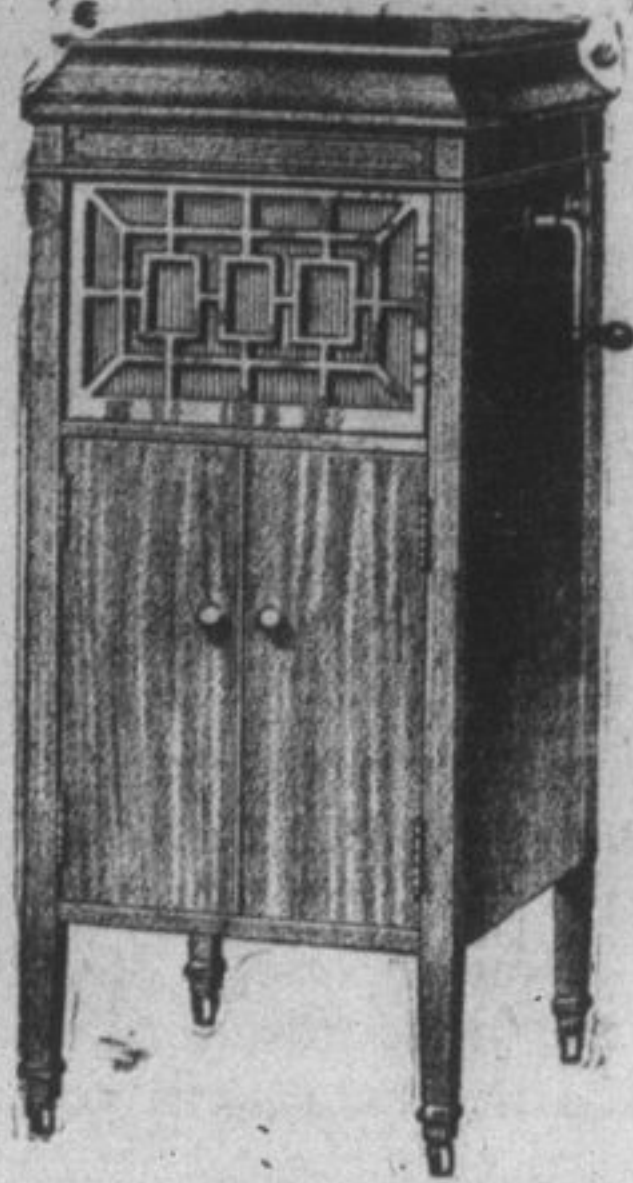


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Sporting Notes

Not one of the ten recruit infielders that the Pittsburgh Club took south last year will be on the spring training trip of 1918. Eight fell by the wayside and two joined the army.

Business Manager Bobby Quinn of the St. Louis Browns, says that he has two more deals under way. Quinn believes that a general shake-up will be a big thing for the Browns.

Rankin Johnson, once with the Boston Red Sox, later with the Federal League and last season one of the pitching stars of the Texas League, is to return to the majors next season, but he cannot figure in any more of those duels with Walter Johnson, as he will be in the National League.

It is predicted by Philadelphia critics that Ping Bodie will be used at first base by Manager Mack. With Strunk gone and all the veteran pitchers missing, it is figured that Bodie would run himself to death trying to cover an outfield position.

Miller Huggins, the Yankees' new pilot, has been keeping the wires hot of late in trying to strengthen his outfit, but so far appears to have met with little success.

Salt Lake City fans are hoping that Joe Gedeon will be sent there from the St. Louis Browns. Joe

started at Salt Lake and starred there.

Want To Know Why.
A supreme court justice has ruled that a boxer who participates as a club to which "members" pay "dues" is guilty of violating the new statute. In his opinion, the justice says:

"If there is no admission fee, no offence is committed. If there is a fee then it is so nearly a part of the exhibition as to render the participants amenable to the penalty prescribed."

Carl Morris and Jack Dempsey indulged in a glove fight at the Queensberry club in Buffalo last Monday night. They were paid for their services and a large crowd of "members" paid "dues" to see the scrap. In view of the latest supreme court ruling, which covers admission fees, New York boxing club promoters are wondering how long the fight game will be permitted to thrive in Buffalo without interference by the authorities.

Skating Championship.
Arrangements have been completed for a world's championship skating meet at Saranac Lake, N.Y., February 7th and 8th, between Edmund Lamy, of Saranac Lake, and Bobby McLean, of Chicago. Lamy is the present holder of the championships, but McLean claims it through his recent victory over Oscar Mathieson. Lamy tried out with the Ottawa hockey team several winters ago, but did not make a favorable impression. He also played baseball with London in the Canadian League.

To Lead Boston Red Sox.
Edward Grant Barrow, the former International League leader, has been appointed to lead the Boston Red Sox at a salary of \$10,000 per year. Barrow, who was practically "fired" from the International League presidency at a salary of \$7,500 per year, will now receive \$2,500 more than he did in his former position. Barrow is recognized as one of the great men of baseball, and is said to be in line for the Presidency of the American League.

New York Racing Dates.
New York racing dates will not be announced until August Belmont, president of the Jockey Club, returns from Europe, where he is engaged in Red Cross work. Although one of the directors of the club was authorized to act as president during Belmont's absence, the selection of the racing dates will be decided later. It is probably that the season will open before May 1st and extend until about October 15th.

He Liked the Quiet.
During the time that Mr. Asquith was Prime Minister of England he never played golf excepting in private. Early in the morning he would journey to his favorite course, make a round of the links and depart without even the local residents knowing that the Prime Minister had been disporting himself on their common. In other words, he liked to foote in peace and quietude.

White Sox Sign Pitcher.
Leo Constantineau, who spent last season dusting the boys off the plate in the Northern Maine-Canada League, has signed a contract with the Chicago White Sox. He is a six-foot one-inch southpaw, a French-Canadian, now living in Lowell, Mass.

Play for Red Cross.
"Mike" Quinn, of Quebec, is trying to arrange a Red Cross game at the Ancient Capital with the ex-Quebec players opposed to the Canadians. He wants Crawford, Marks and Munnery from the Torontos for the game.

She's Here Boy's!
For the first time in the history of the University of California a woman yell leader has been elected. The junior class chose Miss Marion Sutton, fearing that if a man were selected, he might be drafted.

French Take Up Football.
The French Government has ordered 1,000,000 footballs for the army, to be delivered within seven months.

KING'S PLATE RACE ON VICTORIA DAY

The Ontario Jockey Club Gives \$3,000 For Race Without Betting.

Though racing in general has been suspended in Canada since July last, there will be no break in the continuous running of the King's Plate, the oldest fixture on the American continent. That was decided yesterday when the Ontario Jockey Club directors granted the use of Woodbine to the Toronto Hunt for an open-air horse show on May 24th and 25th, and to permit the running of the King's Plate. The purse of \$3,000 in added money and the fifty guineas donated by His Majesty will be given by the Ontario Jockey Club, which will receive no revenue of any kind in return for the disbursement.

No other races than the Plate will be allowed at the show, nor will betting be in any way sanctioned or permitted on the premises.

The number of Province-bred two-year-olds in training last season before the suspension of racing gives practical assurance that there will be a good field for the Guineas. On account of the absence of opportunity at home a number of youngsters were taken across the border last autumn, and would thus be disqualified had not provision been made that all such would retain their eligibility if registered with the Ontario Jockey Club for export under the condition of affairs.

Patrick A Great Player.

Lester Patrick has been the Vancouver and Portland jinx in overtime battles this season. Twice the Seattle pilot, who ranks as probably the best hockey leader in the game to-day, has hopped into the fray with his team behind in the scoring and on both occasions he has been responsible for the pass which brought victory to the league leaders. Against Portland New Year's Day he gave Bernie Morris the pass that netted Seattle the lone goal in eighty minutes of play, and the other night he turned the same trick and Morris' subsequent shot netted the Mets their winning counter in twenty-three minutes, overtime, against Vancouver. Patrick is one of the greatest players in the game to-day and gets action out of the players when others fail.

Curling at Perth.

Last week the Lanark curlers visited Perth to try conclusions with the Perth devotees of the roarin' game in the Lanark County Challenge Cup series, and the players from the village by the Clyde took home the silverware, having won by three points. Perth had the cup for only a few days. Lanark has no rink this year, but are associate members of the Perth club, and they will play all their challenge cup games here. Smith's Falls being their next contestants. The win by the Lanarkites was the most popular win on the Perth rink in some moons. Perth and Smith's Falls have games next Saturday for the Whaffle shield, two rinks going to Smith's Falls and two rinks coming to Perth from that town. Points count.

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