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INTERMEDIATE CLUB HELD FIRST LIMBER

Sleeman, Former Well-known Player, Bill Evans, Twigg and Oothers on Hand.

The Kingston Intermediates held their first workout of the season at the Cricket Field on Monday night but owing to the fact that the team representatives, four in number, went to Gananoque to attend the meeting of the St. Lawrence League, there was not as large a turnout as there would otherwise have been.

The weather was a little too cold for baseball but the players lost no time in getting under way and they sent the ball around the diamond at a lively gait.

BASEBALL SCORES

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Table with columns for International League, R, H, E and rows for Jersey City, Toronto, Buffalo, Reading, Baltimore, Syracuse.

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Wheat Still Up—Old Zach Wheat of the Brooklyn Dodgers has been hitting the agate at a good clip since the start of the season.

We Also Shudder—In a dark corridor of Hades, two shades approached each other. The clank of chains stopped. Said the first.

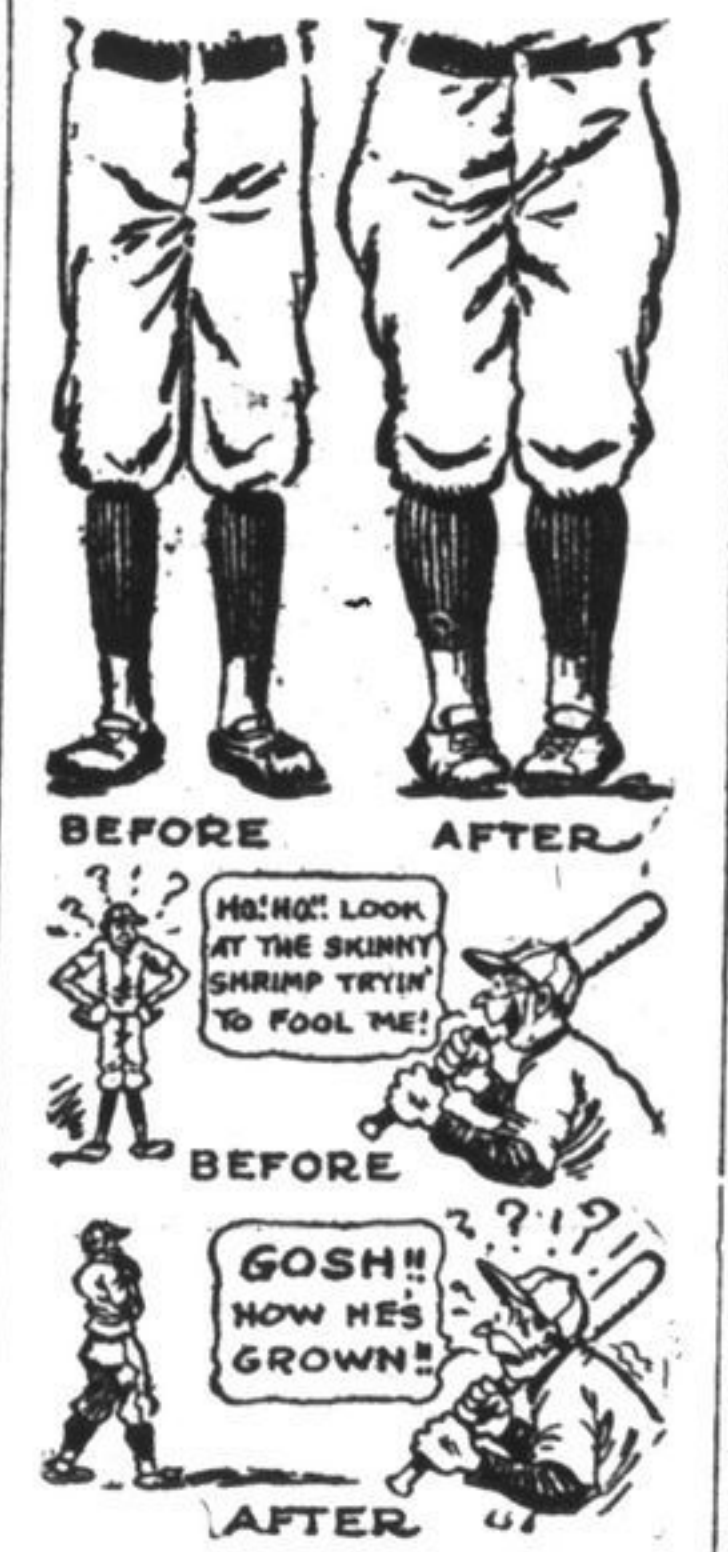
"How did you get here?" "I," answered the second, "looted twenty-four orphan asylums, eighteen old-soldier's homes, and poisoned my own mother, all within nine months. And what did you do?"

The first shade lowered his head, passed a hand over his eyes, and hastily retreated. "I-I ran a cafeteria in a college town."

The second shade shuddered and passed on. "The second shade shuddered and passed on."

—Michigan Apple Green Oolon.

HE PADDED LEGS BEFORE A GAME TO FRIGHTEN 'EM



By AL DEMAREE (Former Pitcher, N.Y. Giants) Chief Meyers' former Indian catcher and famous slugger with the Giants, was a keen student of human nature.

He claimed, from his own experience as a batter, that the batter subconsciously associated tremendous speed, sharp breaking curves, and the like, with the pitcher's physique.

He applied his psychology to Ferdie Schupp, a young and slender left-hander at that time. He prevailed on Schupp to wear four pairs of stockings to give his legs the necessary heft, and also to wear extra large sliding pads in every game he pitched, to give an outward indication of weight.

How much of Schupp's later success on the mound was due to Meyers' tip is problematic, but in 1916, Ferdie sprang overnight from a mediocre pitcher into a star, and led the league with an unheard of earned run average of 0.90 runs per nine inning game, and in 1917, pitched the Giants to the championship.

MCGRAW'S TEAM HAS MADE GREAT START

Looks as Though They Will Shatter Own Record of Four Straight Flags.

New York, May 12.—The New York Giants, four-time winners of the National League gonfalon, have got away to their characteristic start again this season.

Making a whirlwind beginning has become more or less of a habit with the crafty McGraw. In 1923 his club set a fast pace right from the opening gong. And last season it repeated the same stunt.

McGraw is a great believer in the old theory that games won in April are just as important as those grabbed in September. He wants his team to get off on the right hoof. It not only means an advantage in the chase but it makes for confidence a big asset to any ball club.

Led From Start. In 1923, the Giants set a dizzy clip. They took over the top position right off the reel. And held it until the end of the season. In other words, they were at the head of the field all the way, a rather unusual happening in major league play.

Last year the McGraw clan reached the top of the heap after the first 10 days of the season. And it was never headed. In the last few weeks Pittsburgh and Brooklyn seriously threatened the Giant straggle. But neither could quite make the grade. Those early season victories helped to pull the Gothamites through.

This year the Giants have started out to repeat their conquests of other campaigns. Under the well-known McGraw drive the team has been playing top-notch ball. So much so, in fact, that it already begins to look as if another Giant parade is in order.

The team has been getting plenty of hitting and the work affield has also been of high class. It has likewise been receiving good pitching. Jack Scott, Bentley, McQuillan, especially, having turned in a good brand of hurling.

Play to Hope. In a word, the Giants are living up to predictions made about them before the opening of the season. At least they have thus far. And judging from present indications no let-up appears likely.

When McGraw led his club to its fourth straight flag last year, a new record in major league baseball was set. Now it begins to look as though the Giants will shatter their own mark by chalking up five victories in a row.

Of course, it is a bit early to pick flag winners. For many things can

FROM THE OUTSIDE LOOKING IN

Joe Daley and his gang have lost a lot of time due to bad weather conditions, but with the fine weather setting in, they should make up for lost time. The players will be given plenty of practice work in preparation for their first game against the Petes here on the 20th.

The softballers are scheduled to start out to-night at the Cricket Field in the opening tilts of the schedule, and a good crowd is expected to be on hand for the engagement. It looks like a merry old battle between the Frontenac Regiment and the Hillcrests, the players of both teams being experienced in the sport.

The Mercantile meets on Thursday night for the purpose of drawing up the schedule and attending to other business. The Mercantile people are losing no time and expect to make a start just as soon as possible.

A card has been received from Billie Hughes, formerly of Queen's, in which he states that he arrived in the Soo safely after a good run. Billie sends his regards to his friends in Kingston.

Dan Howley wasn't needed on Saturday for the Leafs to win twice over Newark. That's the way a good ball club should be—able to play without the main guy looking at them.

Speaking of baseball fans, one of the most interested followers of the game in Kingston is an eminent specialist, who finds time, even in the big rushes of patients to his office, to take time off for a few baseball games. This doctor's car may often be seen on the road to a County League game during the season also. "Baseball is a good rest for me," he says.

happen in baseball. But from the start the Giants have made in the 1925 chase plus the brand of pastime they are exhibiting, the McGraw crowd once again looms as the outfit to beat in order to cop the gonfalon in the old circuit.

INSIDE GOLF

By Chester Horton Maker of 51 Golf Champions. "Golf's most successful teacher," says "Chick" Evans.

HERE'S A MARK FOR THE LOCAL LADY GOLF EXPERTS.

Philadelphia, May 12.—Thirty years ago this summer the national women's golf tournament was inaugurated. It was staged at the Meadowbrook Golf Club, Reading, Mass.

Among the qualifiers that year was Mrs. Caleb F. Fox, of Philadelphia, an enthusiastic golfing devotee, 36 years of age.

To-day, at 66, and a silver-haired grandmother, Mrs. Caleb F. Fox is still rated among the first 32 women golfers in the country.

Down through the years she has completed in each of the national tournaments and on every occasion has made a good showing.

In her 30 years of competition she has only failed four times to qualify. Once in 1911, again two years later and also in 1923 and 1924. In 1923 she suffered an injury just before the championship was held.

Mrs. Fox has never held the national title. But once she reached the final round only to fall before Miss Ruth Underhill, a sensational Hawkswoman, 2 and 1. That was in 1899. In 1908 and 1909 she got as far as the semi-finals.

Mrs. Fox has won the Philadelphia championships five times—1902, 1908, 1910, 1911 and 1917. Two years ago she started the golfing fraternity by defeating Glenna Collett, then national champion, in a winter tournament at Bellair Heights, Fla.

Despite her 66 years, Mrs. Fox looks considerably younger. She is rather statuesque and robust. Her hair is gleaming white and no tamentation of note is complete without her. She is exceedingly popular. And her advice is eagerly sought by many of the younger players.

Mrs. Fox's record in the golfing pastime is indeed unique. Her consistent play over a 30-year stretch no doubt ranks without parallel in the game. For that's quite a span in the sportive world.

Regular passenger airplane services now are being operated in Sweden.

A REAL RIDER.



An interesting snapshot of a "header" in the Flapping Races at St. Buryan, Cornwall, England. The horse failed to clear a stone hurdle and landed on his snout while his rider was catapulted free. Neither were injured.

Advertisement for Wilson's Bachelor cigarettes, featuring the slogan 'The National Smoke' and 'Still The Most For The Money' for 10 cents.



Earl Sande, America's premier jockey, who was badly smashed up last fall in a race track jam, shows that he has recovered both his physical form and his nerve. You see him coming from behind atop Worthmore to win a race at the Jamaica track by a nose after a very skillful and daring ride.

Advertisement for Diamond Taxi Service, located at phone 32, offering cabs for 25 cents per hour and country driving for \$1.50 per hour.

Large advertisement for Bicycles, featuring the text 'Now is the time to have your Bicycle cleaned and overhauled as they need it once a year.' and listing Treadgold Sporting Goods Co. at 88 Princess St., Kingston, Phone 529.

Advertisement for Bowling, titled 'ELEVEN OF THE FINEST ALLEYS IN CANADA' and 'Special Provision for Ladies', for the Frontenac Bowling and Recreation Academy.