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MAGNATES SOON TO GATHER FOR WINTER TASKS

Majors and Minors Face Problem of Reaching Agreement on New Government.

LANDIS WILL PRESIDE

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NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Baseball men will start arriving here Friday for the big powwow in which the game is to be presented with a brand new form of government.

Judge K. M. Landis, baseball's newly appointed high commissioner, is slated to preside at the meeting of the joint major and minor league committee and is expected to offer some valuable advice to the delegates.

Meinhard club owners of the two major leagues and minor and mixed baseball men will camp on the fringe of the committee meeting and it is not unlikely that some trades and deals, which interest the public far more than the political side of the game, will be effected.

Manager John McGraw of the Giants is hurrying north from Havana to attend the powwow. The Chicks are the field for playing talent, as are several other National League clubs.

The White Sox wrecked by the dropping of the players are ready to buy a number of players and from all indications it looks like an oil winter for the box office.

Selling training plans of a number of clubs are due to be announced here during the coming week. The Yankees, it is noted, will not be among the select New Orleans or Baton Rouge.

President Baker of the Phillies may make the name of a new manager during the coming week. Bill Donovan, who managed Jersey City last season, is the latest man mentioned for the berth.

The two major leagues will hold meetings Tuesday and Wednesday to ratify the new national agreement whenever the joint committee is ready to present it. Later the major leagues may hold a joint meeting looking for the purpose of continuing action looking toward stamping out gambling.

FULTZ CALLS MEETING.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—President Fultz of the new International League has issued a call for the annual meeting of the organization to be held in this city next Monday. Important matters having to do with the reorganization of baseball will be considered, in addition to regular routine business.

SERIES SCANDAL EVIDENCE

Removal Causes Chicago

Judge to Order Seizure

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Chief Justice Charles A. McDonald seized grain jury evidence that copies of papers in the case had been obtained by Mac-Howell, State attorney, shortly before his retirement from office Monday.

All of the original papers are turned over to the judge, who ordered them impounded in the court until the cases of eight White Sox players who were indicted come to trial.

Judge Robert Craman, who succeeded Hoynes as State attorney, ordered an investigation after Hartley Reppich, former assistant State's attorney, who conducted the baseball investigation, failed to appear in court last Friday.

Hoynes later said he had asked for the records simply to have copies made to be put in the cases in his office, for which he was responsible, and that the copies were there now, sealed up.

Federal Judge Landis, baseball commissioner, when informed of the affair by the New York Journal American, American League said that if it was found any of the evidence had been tampered with or was missing, Federal action would be taken against the guilty persons.

"Dempsey is going to be cleared of gamblers and there is no one who will be allowed to interfere," said Judge Landis.

Dempsey last night said he had acted under Hoynes' orders and could not say what use had been made of the papers after they left his hands.

Anderson Quint Scores Victory Over Franklin

FRANKLIN, Ind., Dec. 8.—Anderson High school basket tossers turned the tables on the Franklin fire last night and scored a 44-33 victory, contrary to the rule of former seasons and the rule of thumb.

Last night's game was simply a renewal of an age-old basket war between these two schools and the contest staged by them was a fitting one. They battle it out for the title of the year and competition grows heavier with every contest. Franklin recently has "had it on" Anderson, scoring three victories in their three meetings last season, but the heavy Anderson squad of this year appears to be too much for the Franklin crew.

Anderson held a 26-to-5 advantage at the halfway mark last night and the two were tied at the rest in the contest with the Franklin squad holding strong in the second session and came within an ace of taking the game. The team were three points from a tie when Anderson broke loose with only five minutes to go and hurriedly caged a few baskets.

BASKET-BALL

COLLEGE.

Butler, 31; Dental, 28; Wabash, 30; Emory, 17.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Anderson, 44; Franklin, 33; Crawfordsville, 33; Brazil, 11.

INDEPENDENT.

Mooreville, 64; Jamestown, 24; Chastamores, 19; Greenwood, 17; North Side Vets, 25; Fairbanks-Morse, 14.

Falmouth Fairviews, 18; Rushville, 13.

The Theta Phi Kappa basket tossers won their opening game with the Hoosier A. A. A. and the Indiana State seniority athletes showed plenty of speed and exceptional teamwork for their first appearance. For games address, Garrett Bates, 4217 East New York street, or call Irvington 1536.

Little Giants are out for games with the best team in the junior ranks. For games address, De Pauw, 1000, and for Jake A. meeting of the Little Giants will be held at Ray and Illinois streets Thursday night.

The Christamores defeated the fast Greenwood American Legion team, 19 to 17, in an overtime game on Christamore floor last night. With the score standing 16-16 at the start of the second half the local openers, with a clever passing game and ran up a tie with the visitors just before the regular time ended. Then the Christamores forced a tie, the winning tally in the overtime session. The Christamores play the Heath Memorial team on the east side court Thursday night.

The Saxon quintette, composed of Christamore and Heath Memorial girls, defeated the Broadview girls, 17 to 17, in a well played contest on the Christamore floor. Grace Hartwell, captain of the Saxons, was the shining light of the game.

GANTS DICKER FOR MAISEL.

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 8.—Walter H. McCredie, manager of the Portland baseball team, Tuesday announced that negotiations are under way for the purchase of George Maisel, Portland outfielder, by the New York Giants.

Wonder Five, Speed Five, and Now a Mystery Five for Fans to Puzzle Over

WABASH SHOWS SCORING CLASS

Scarlet Bombs Em-Roe Basket and Rolls Up 39-17 Victory.

Comes now the "mystery five" to puzzle the basket-ball fans of the city and State.

Shrouded in a cloak of rumors and whisperings the gushie outfit is said to be in the making at Technical High School.

The students are puzzled and only a few are made regarding the line-up of this unknown quintette. The name of certain players are known, "is true, but what positions they will play remains a mystery."

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