## Newsy Lalonde Sought For Team

MONTREAL, Oct. 14.—Something unusual can always be expected from "Newsy" Lalonde, and here is a story that the great veteran hockey and lacrosse player has today, that certainly would come under the unusual category. While the National Hockey league club owners are trying to put their house in order, some one else is busy, "Newsy," declares, and they are treading none too lightly on local people's toes.

Lalonde said today that he had been approached by certain interests here w hoput up a proposition to him. They told him they wanted him for nothing less than a manager of a new French Canadian professional hockey club, for a new independent circuit.

The names of the men back of the deal "Newsy" would not divulge, but he said they apparently meant business and that something might develope within the next two weeks.

He stated that he considered all offers made him, and while he felt there was small likelihood of the league developing he could never tell, and he would continue to think things over in the meantime. The "wise old fox" of hockey says he could find some one to look after his Saskatoon interests should he decide to remain here for the winter. It is well known that "Newsy" is getting to the point where travelling all th etime is beginning to get monotonous, and doubtless he would like to find something that would keep him here all the year round.

## Zev Wins At Last

Zev international three-year-old champion who was one of the biggest failures this season, managed to break into the win column Friday at Latonia, Kentucky, leading a field of seven over a six furlong dash, the feature of the programme. Zev was beaten in the same race last year by In Memoriam. Zev extended near the finish, was a winner by nearly a length.

## Big Leaguers Coming To N. B. For Big Game

FREDERICTON, N. B., Oct. 14.—Headed by Eddie Collins, captain of the Chicago White Sox, and called by most experts the greatest second baseman who ever lived, a party of diamond stars of the major leagues will arrive here this week on their way to hunt big game in New Brunswick.

The party are to assemble in Philadelphia tomorrow. They will be in Montreal on Wednesday and will reach Fredericton on Thursday. From here they go to Plaster Rock, whence they will go into the woods to hunt moose on the Tobique and Nepisiquit waters in the hunting territory of Charlie Cremin one of New Brunswick's best known guides, on whose hunting grounds New Brunswick's record moose with antlers spreading 72 inches was shot several years ago.

The members of the party, in addition to Eddie Collins, will be Bob Shawkey, Joe Bush and Herb Pennock, pitchers, and Fred Hofmann, catcher of the New York Yankees, and Bob Boyd, baseball editor of the New York Evening World.

While in Fredericton the baseball stars will be banqueted and otherwise entertained by men prominent in local sporting affairs.

## Victory Too Much For Mrs. Griffith

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Mrs. Clark Griffith, wife of the president of the Senators, collapsed when "Muddy" Ruel crossed the plate with the winning run in the twelfth, that gave Washington its first baseball championship on last Friday.

A doctor was called from the crowd, and it was ten minutes before Mrs. Griffiths revived.

The Griffiths occupied a box seat right behind the President and Mrs Coolidge.

Several other persons received minor injuries in their rush to get on the field to join the celebration.

## Dope Upset In World's Series

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14. —The Senators won their first world's series despite the fact that they were out-batted and outfielded by their New York opponents. The final averages show that the Giants batted .261 and fielded for a mark of .080, while the Senators hung up a hitting average of .246 and a fielding figure of .964.

Bill Terry, Giant first-baseman, was the leading individual hitter, with an average of .429 for five games. Roger Peckinpaugh, crippled hero, complied a mark of .417 for four games and was second on the list, but Joe Judge, playing in all seven games, was the real batting king of the Senators with a .385 mark.

Travis Jackson of the Giants, and "Muddy" Ruel, of the Senators had the poorest hitting records of any of the regulars, each getting but two hits and having marks of .074 and .085 respectively.

"Goose" Goslin, whose record of three home runs tied the mark established by Ruth last season and was the leading slugger with a total of 21 bases on 11 hits. Harris was close behind with 17, including two homers, while Frisch led the Giants with 16 total bases on 10 hits. Frisch had the most two-baggers, four, and he and Terry got the only triplets of the series. Sam Rice was the leading base stealer with two thefts.

### LITTLE WORDS

It's just the little human touch
That makes the game worth while,
The little helpful words of praise,
The small and cheery smile.
Though success crown your efforts and
You're near the higher peak—
The Lord be thanked for kindly words
Men did not fear to speak.

When troubles daunt and sorrows sway,
And all the world is wrong,
When sunshine is obscured by rain
And silent is all song
It's mighty hard to pull ahead
When hope is almost gone.
But little words like these have helped—
"Good work, old man, keep on!"

It does not take much time to say
A word or two of praise,
And yet uncounted worth is there
To help through cheerless days.
And Oh, the hearts that have gained hope
When life was drear and bleak,
From the kindly words, the cheering words
Men did not fear to speak.

### AUSTRALIAN LOSS HEAVY ON GOVERNMENT BOATS

MELBOURNE, Australia, Oct. 7. —An official report just issued shows a loss of £2,227,000 in the operation of government steamships for the 17 months ending December 8, 1923, but a credit balance brought forward from previous operations reduces the loss of £1,144,000. The loss on the commonwealth wooden vessels to June 30 last was £2,345,000.

### TUNNEL UNDER THE MERSEY

LONDON, Oct. 14. —It is understood that the Liverpool Coordination Committee, representing the municipalities of Liverpool, Birkenhead, Wallasey, and Rootle, is to consider an offer by the government to contribute £2,375,000 towards the proposed road tunnel under the Mersey.

This is an increase of £625,000 on the government's original offer, made in the spring, of £1,750,000. The tunnel is estimated to cost £7,250,000.

### The Man Who's Afraid

I've paid close heed to the ways of men,
I've observed what the world calls luck,
I have silently marveled, now and then,
At the potent power of pluck;
And this is a bit of truth I hail,
A sentence that's worth one's heed;
The man who is always afrid he'll fail
Doesn't stand much show to succeed!

Minard's Liniment—Heals Cuts.

## Broad Jumper From Haiti Out To Make Record

(Associated Press)

PARIS, Oct. 14.—To hold the undisputed broad jump championship of the African race is the life's ambition of Sylvio P. Cator of Port-au-Prince, Haiti, who recently shattered the French record with a leap of 7 metres and 30 centimetres, or practically 24 feet.

For this purpose Cator has placed himself under the direction of Trainer Quilgars of the Racing Club of France with the avowed intention of bettering the marks of De Hart Hubbard and Ned Gourdin, the two American negroes who, until Bob Legendre's tremendous jump of 25 feet 6 inches during the Olympic Games, held most of the leaping honors.

Cator came to France last June to represent Haiti in the Olympic Games but, like "Dick" Hyland of California, the American Olympic Rugby player, he decided to enter school in France and incidentally to get the benefit of French training methods to improve his athletic performances as well as his studies.

His best jump during the Olympic competition was seven metres ten. Quilgars says the Haitian is improving every day, and he has hopes that before spring he will negotiate seven metres fifty regularly.

### THE FIRST STENOGRAPHER

Isaac Pitman, contrary to common belief, was not the first stenographer. The first stenographer so far as can be determined by the records unearthed up to the present, was Marcus Tullius Tiro, the scholarly secretary to Marcus Tullius Cicero. Tiro took down a speech delivered by Cato in the year 63, B. C.

### ADMIT WOMEN BARBERS

LONDON, Oct. 13—The widespread popularity of bobbed hair has given women barbers an important place in the British commercial field. So many women now crowd the hair-dressers' shops for "bobbing" and "shingling" that it is felt that the woman barber can no longer be ignored.

### ARITHMETICAL PROBLEM

A country lad went to a neighboring town and applied for a situation advertised in the local paper. One of the questions was: "A man buys an article for $4.09 and sells it for $9.04; does he gain or lose on the transaction?" After pondering the question, the rural youth answered: "He gains on the dollars, but loses on the cents."

## Withdraws Offer For Muscle Shoals

(Special to Guardian)

NEW YORK, Oct. 14. —Henry Ford has withdrawn his bid for Muscle Shoals, and accordnig to an interview with him in the current issue of Colliers Weekly, has assumed a waiting attitude by putting it up to the Government to make next move if he is to take any further action in the matter.

The transaction characterized by Mr. Ford as a "simple affair of business which should have been decided by anyone within a week" has become, he declared, "a complicated political affair." The bid was withdrawn because "production cannot wait on politics."

Mr. Ford said his company had recently made arrangements to generate electrical power at the River Rouge Plant in the coal lands of Kentucky. "We find", he said, "taht we can generate electrical power in these coal lands to any extent that we may need and at a cheaper rate than we could under our bid at Muscle Shoals."

### RIO GRANDE RECTIFICATION

As a result of destructive floods in recent years, it is seriously proposed to undertake extensive alterations in the river channel in the El Paso district. Progressive rise of the river bottom and the water table in and around the city have now reached the point where very moderate flood stages in the stream entail heavy property losses. A scheme is outlined for shortening the channel, by straightening, to such an extent that a materially sharper run-off may be obtained. The necessity for securing he Mexican government's approval and perhaps even cooperation is apparently the chief obstacle, though the engineering difficulties are also such as to call for thought. —Scientific American.

### FOREST HILL SCHOOL

The Honor Roll of Forest Hill school is as follows:—

Grade X.—1, Florence Gillis; 2, Ida McKinnon. Grade VIII. — 1, Bertha McKenzie; 2, Margaret McKinnon; 3, Muriel McDonald. Grade VI.—1, Ethel McKinnon; 2, R. D. McKenzie; 3, Neil Garrett. Grade V.—1, Norman Gillis; 2, Martin Gillis; 3, Samuel Gillis. Grade IV.—1, Roy McKenzie and Douglas McDonald (equal); 2, Urling McLeod. 3, John Morrison. Grade III. — 1, Sadie McKinnon. Grade II. — 1, Margaret McDonald and Jean McKenzie (equal); 2, Femmie Sheppard; 3, John Sheppard. Grade I. —1, Alphonsus Morrison; 2, Sadie Sheppard; 3. Malcolm Gillis.

Ethel L. Brown, teacher.

## Says Walter Has Old-Time Speed

WASHINGTON, October 14.—Tribute was paid to Walter Johnson by Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis, the czar of organized baseball, during a flying visit to the Supreme Court recently.

"Walter Johnson never had a faster ball 20 years ago," Judge Landis said. "He had perfect control and could put it over the plate with in a fraction of a ninch of where he wanted it to go.

"I want to go on record as saying that yesterday's struggle was a perfect game, not only from the viewpoint of the spectators in the stands, but also from an artistic point of view. I never had seen anythin glike it before and probably never will again. I regard it as the greatest game ever played.

"When I got back to my room in the hotel after the intense excitemen tof the three hours' play was over I had a gallon and a half of water wrung out of my undershirt."

### IMPULSIVE "UNCLE BILLY."

Uncle Billy Middlesworth, founder of one of th eleading houses at the stockyards, was much beloved and respected, albeeit in his later years he developed a highly nervous disposition and would occasionally jump to wrong conclusions. Once he got it in his mind that he had got the hot end of a trade with big, double-fisted Mike Sells, always square as a die and one of the most successful dealers at the yards. One morning Uncle Billy met Mike in the big corridor of the exchange and cut loose in his high-pitched, nervous voice. Such a clash of the "big fellows" at once drew a highly interested crowd. Sells listened with a grim scowl until Uncle Billy ran out of breath and bad names. Then he broke into a pleasant grin.

"All right, Uncle Billy, can you let me have a chaw?"

"Yes—you ——,—" replied Uncle Billy, his voice still trembling from his fast-fading rage, as he hauled an enormous "plug" from his hip pocket. "But I want you to understand I'm givin' it to you, not lendin' it. I wouldn't trust you that far, Mike. You—dear old scoundrel!"—by which time they wer eshaking hands and patting each other's backs.—Indianapolis Star.

"I suppose you have a good many doubtful bills on your books?" said the friend.

"I only wishthey were," sighed Dealer Carryall. "There's no question about most of them."

### ITALIAN CROWN PRINCE ENGAGED TO BELGIAN?

ROME, Oct. 14. —Unofficial reports that a marriage engagement had been arranged between Crown Prince Humbert of Italy and Princess Marie Jose, youngest daughter of the Belgian royal family, have caused showers of congratulations to be cabled to the crown prince, now on his way home from his extended trip to South America.

### BLACK AND WHITE

LONDON, Oct. 14. —A theatre wrap of black and white silk fulgurante now on exhibition here, emphasizes once more the continued vogue of black and white. This cape has a long scarf and collar of silver cloth, and its hem has a wide border of white uncurled ostrich.

## Seventy In Ball Party

MONTREAL, Aug. 14.—Led respectively by Hughie Jennings and Johnny Evers, the New York Giants and Chicago White Sox players arrived in Montreal yesterday morning, and are guests at the Mount Royal Hotel where they will remain until their exhibition game here today. Tonight they will leave for Quebec and after two games there will sail Wednesday evening aboard the Canadian Pacific liner Montroyal for Liverpool to start their winter's European tour.

For the Giants, it was a hectic Saturday in New York, jumping directly from a world's series to a world tour. There was a mad rush for passports, packing and other incidentals necessary prior to a long journey. Among the Giants' party are besides the 14 players, Mrs. Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Lobert and the wives of the following players, Groh, Frisch, Stengel, Meusel, Gowdy, Nehf and Henline. With Meusel also is his sister, while with Nehf there are also his three children and his father, Charles T. Nehf. Sam Crane, baseball writer and Mrs. Crane accompanied the party. The party in all totals 70.

John McGraw and Charles A. Comiskey, of the Giants and White Sox respectively, will join the teams today or tomorrow. The players, both Giants and White Sox have gone through a strenuous battle, the Giants in the world series and the Sox in the now famous city series with the Cubs at Chicago. The players generally are on a holiday after a hard season's campaigning and even if they are going to play baseball, yet expect it to be a vacation after their tiring pennant races.

The schedule of games in Europe has not yet been compiled, but it is known that three Saturday games will be played in London and three Sunday games in Paris. Following each contest in London the clubs will cross the Channel to Paris. After that the itinerary will include Dublin, Belfast, Birmingham, Manchester, Glasgow, Edinburgh, Brussels, Nice, Rome, and Berlin. The tour including the time spent on shipboard, will last about six weeks, which will bring the tourists back about Dec. 1.

Jack Scott, the pitcher, was an added starter yesterday, but he will pitch only in Canada, and will not go to Europe. The lineup of the Giants will be: Gowdy and Henline, Philadelphia, catchers; McInnis, Boston, frst base; Frisch second base; Groh, third base; Jackson, shortstop; Meusel, Young and Stengel Boston, outfield; Nehf, Jonnard and Bentley, pitchers.

The White Sox will have the following: Ruel, Washington and Pichinich, Boston, catchers; Clancy, Chicago first base; Wojack, Chicago second base; Morehart and Bancroft shortstop; Kamm, Chicago, third base; Rice, Washington, Falk and Mostil, Chicago, outfield; Faber, Robertson, Lyons and Foreman, Chicago, pitchers.

### LONDON FASCISTI ENTERS ELECTION

LONDON, Oct. 14. —Lord Ernest Hamilton in a manifesto issued on behalf of the British fascisti organization declares that the electors should realize that British fascism is a live force today against the insidious advance of the "reds", whose avowed object is the destruction fo the British empire. Lord Ernest says the fascist movement is already alive in many electoral areas, and is able to help where the independence of the voters is threatened by terrorizing societies.

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## Harry Greb Held Even By Loughron

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 14.—Harry Greb, of Pittsburgh, middleweight champion of the world and Tommy Loughran, of Philadelphia, fought ten rouds tonight to a draw, the decision being given by the Referee after the judge's had disagreed.

Both men tried hard for a knockout, but the yappeared to lack the necessary punching power. Greb's title was not at stake.

## Mike McTigue Will Fight On Friday

The fight for the world's light-heavyweight championship between Mike McTigue and Frankie Carpenter of New York which was scheduled for last Wednesday night, had to be postponed due to a severe cold contracted by Carpenter, and will be held on Friday night. The fight is arousing a lot of interest among local fans. McTigue had hundreds of followers when he fought here some time ago, but Mike's careful way of keeping the title has lost him a lot of supporters. The fans want to know what McTigue will do to Carpenter, who is only a preliminary fighter around New York clubs.

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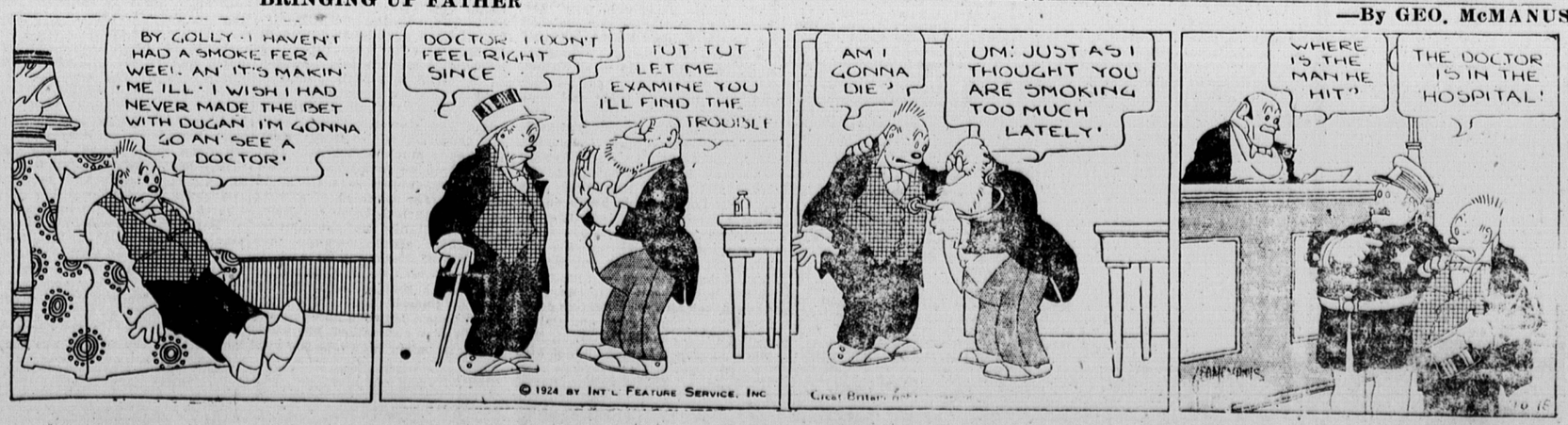
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