AMATEUR BASEBALL—SCHOLASTIC SPORTS—JESS WILLARD'S STORY OF HIS RING CAREER

CRIPPLED ATHLETICS IN BOSTON FOR BATTLE WITH CARRIGAN'S CLUB

Bush, Slated for Opening Game, Out Because of Injury - Wyckoff Against Shore the Probable Pitching Choices.

BOSTON, Mass., April 22. - The pitcherless Athletics arrived here at 7 o'clock this morning, disembarking from their private coach at Back Bay station, in spite of the series of reverses which the Mackmen have met this season, the spirits of the players even at the early hour. of arrival did not appear to be in the least dampened.

Indications are that the athletes from the Quaker City will draw better than their municipal brothers-the Philliesbecause of the improvement in the weather. When the Phillies were here, it was extremely cold and the final game could not be played at all on account

could not be played at all on account of cold, weather and wet grounds.

Today is bright and warm and it is expected that a big delegation of local buss will wander out to Fenway Park to see the dismantled champions.

Mack intended to use Joe Bush here in the opening same against the Red Sox, but Joe was injured in Philadelphia yearerday and will be out for some time. This means that Mack will have to send Wyckoff, the young right-hander in to stem the terrible tide of defeat, McAvoy's showing in his last two games at Shibe stem the terrible tide of defeat. McAvoy's showing in his last two games at Shibe Park Indicate that he will do all the catching here, or in at least three out of the four games. Otherwise Mack will not driate from the line-up he has used for the last two days.

Manager Carrigan is likely to use Shore this afternoon and do the catching him-

MICHIGAN'S STRONG TEAMS EN ROUTE HERE FOR RELAYS

Four-mile Squad and Individuals Have Set High Marks.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., April 22.-Three individual performers will compete for Michigan at the Pennsylvania relay games Saturday in addition to the fourmile relay team. Ferris, the broad jumper, falled to come up to the mark set and Corbin, the hurdler, is laid up with a strained tendon and could not compete in the trisis.

Captain Smith in the dash, Wilson in the pole vault and Cross in the discus and shot will be the Wolverine entries. Wilson's trials were the most impressive. He started in at 10 feet and worked gradually up to the 12-foot 3-inch mark in sensational style, as he cleared each successive height on his first attempt. Cross is good for about 125 feet in the discus, but is not as strong in the shot.

The sprinting trials were between Smith, Robinson and O'Brien. Robinson led three-quarters of the distance, but the Welverine captain forged ahead and won by half a yard in a burst of speed at the finish. Farrell refused to an-neunce the time, as there was a strong wind behind the men, but it is underattood that it was the best the Wolverine dash men have made his year. Carroll, Ufer, Fox, Donneley and Grauman, the relay men, took an easy workout to-day. The squad started on the long journey today.

CUTLER BEATS POGGENBURG

Professional Averages 27 3-11 in Exhibition Match With Amateur. NEW YORK, April 22.—Albert G. Cutler defeated J. Ferdinand Poggenburg in an exhibition game of 18.2 balkline at Daly's billiard room last night by a score of 200 to 124. Cutier averaged 27 3-11, with runs of 70, 62 and 53, against an average of 12 4-10 and runs of 61, 29 and 18 for Pog-

genburg. Cutler will play Hal Coleman tonight. The score: Cutler-0 5 10 70 51 44 4 0 0 63 53, Total, Average, 27 3-11. High runs, 70, 63

Poggenburg 1 0 3 18 1 5 6 64 29 2. Total, IN: Average, 12 4-10. High runs, 64, 29 and 18.

CLEARWATER TO PLAY RALPH

Billiard Match on Between Experts at Luzerne Parlors.

William A. Clearwater and Edward Ralph will meet in the first block of a 20-point pocket billiard match this evehing at the Luzerne Billiard Parlors, 4006 York road.

These two artists will play two blocks of 125 points each, the second of which is acheduled for tomorrow night.

Mr. Clearwater, who was formerly bocket billiard champion of the world, will meet a worthy opponent in Ralph,

billiard player of the United States for

several years.

WHAT MAY HAPPEN IN BASEBALL TODAY

Clubs.	W.	L.,	Pot.	Win	Lose.
Detroit	. 6	2	.750	.778	.667
Cleveland	. 5	3	.625	.667	.556
New York	. 4	3.	.556	.625	.500
Washington	. 4	3	.556	-625	.500
Boston	. 3	3	.500	556	.428
t, Louis	. 3	5	.375	.444	.333
Athletics	. 2	4	.333	.428	.286
Chicago	. 2	6	.250	-333	222

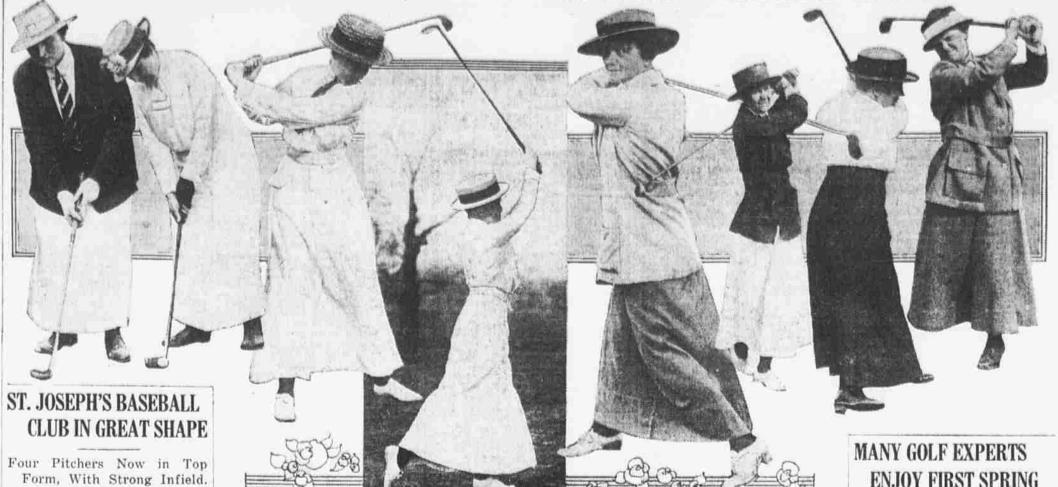
W. L. Pct. Win. Lose.
. 6 0 1.000 1.000 .837
. 6 2 .750 .778 .687
. 4 3 .556 .625 .500
. 4 3 .556 .625 .500
. 3 4 .428 .500 .375 Billies Cincinnati New York 2 Bracktyn 2 St. Louis 2 ,500 .286 .250 .250 .222

FEDERAL LEAGUE W. L. Pct. Win. Lose. 6 3 .667 .700 .600 Glubs. W.
Brooklyn 6
'Chicago 5
Newark 6
'Kansas City 5
'Pittaburgh 6
Berfalo 4
'St. Louis 3
Baittmore 3 .600 .500 .500 .444 .375 .636 ,555 .500 .400 .364 *Not acheduled today.

HOW PHILS FINISHED IN LEAGUE SINCE 1873



WOMEN GOLFERS WHO PLAYED IN THE OPENING EVENTS OF THE LOCAL TOURNEY



From left to right the players are Mrs. G. S. Munson, Merion; Mrs. R. F. Harned, Merchantville; Miss Florence McNeely, Merion; Mrs. A. T. Lowry, Merchantville; Mrs. R. H. Barlow, Merion, Philadelphia champion; Miss Anita Phipps, Merion; Mrs. Joseph Lucas, Merchantville, and Miss M. M. Craig, Merchantville. The pictures were "snapped" on the Merion course.

SCHEDULE FOR TODAY

AMERICAN LEAGUE Washington at New York, clear, St. Louis at Chicago, clear

NATIONAL LEAGUE nedy discovered that he did not have a Boston at Philadelphia, partly cloudy-veteran twirler. However, the work of New York at Brooklyn, clear.

Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, threatening. Chicago at St. Louis, cloudy,

FEDERAL LEAGUE players has been a revelation. Arthur
Mahoney, at third base, is covering the hot corner in even better form than last year when he was considered one of the leading third sackers in local scholastic

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leading third sackers in local scholastic ranks.

Tommy Gallagher is playing his usual fast game at shortstop, while Pat Byrne is cavorting around the keystone base in great style. With Eddle Anderson, veteran first baseman, in good condition and playing the initial sacks as of old, the initial works are well cared for.

Besides continuing his excellent fielding in the centre garden, Captain Johnny Lavin has improved with the stick. He is wielding the willow in fine form, and Coach Kennedy expects the Crimson and Gray leader to prove himself the "Frank Baker" of the aggregation. Thorton and

Final Track Practices.

town High School.

Today's Scholastic Schedule BASEBALL Frankford High School, at German-

TENNIS

Cheltenham High School at Penn

The rounding into shape of four young

pitchers has encouraged Coach Kennedy.

of St. Joseph's College baseball team,

and prospects for a winning nine now

look brighter than a week ago. When

the call for candidates was made Ken-

Northrop, Martin, Wiegand and Diamond

The exhibition put up by the infield

in the box has been excellent-

Baker" of the aggregation. Thorton and Sommer, in the other two outgarden berths, also are showing up splendidly in the field and at the bat.

Athletes representing local high schools and academies will put on finishing touches to their preparations today for the annual Penn relay games on Frank-lin Field tomorrow and Saturday. Coach O'Brien, of Central High School, feels confident the Crimson and Gold relay team will finish well up in front.

Next Tuesday evening, Temple Unlversity will hold a grand gymnastic at indoor sports exhibition at Lu Lu Temple. The normal department of physical edu-cation will stage the program. Davis, Brown and Walsh, of Penn Char-

ter's track team, have developed into crack high jumpers. Each of the trio is conscientiously practicing in this particular event and the Little Quakers should be well represented in the high jump number in outdoor competition this



Loretta Baseball Club desires a game for April 24 with any first-class home team offering reasonable inducements. Address A. J. Miller, Bell phone, Frank-ford 1512-W.

ford [812-W.

The Aberdeen Athletic Club, of West Philadelphia, will be represented on the diamond this year by a strong team, and would like to hear from all first-class teams. Address Aberdeen Athletic Club, 6273 Jefferson street, West Philadelphia.

The Alpha Field Club, of Frankford, has May 29 and Decoration Day open, and

has May 23 and Decoration Day open, and would like to hear from any first-class semi-pro club having grounds and offering a reasonable guarantee. Address Harry C. Fox, 4526 Griscom street, Frankford, or phone Frankford 1268, between 6 and 8 p. m.

From a large field of candidates who are aspirants for the Atlantic Refining Company's baseball team, Manager Regenbaugh has selected the following players to represent the Oil Men this season: Ritchie, If; W. Landis, cf.; E. Jackson, rf.; E. Milner, ss.; N. Landis, 2b.; Rodenbaugh, ib., and Barol, who performed so well at the hot corner for Southwark Field Club last season, will be seen at third base for the Refiners. Tyse Alien and Harold Rinehart will be on the firing line, with Harp McGrory and Bert Yeabeley, formerly of the Strawbridge & Clother Club, taking care of the receiving end.

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The club will open its season on May 1, with the strong Victrix Club, of West Philadelphia, at Victrix Park, after which they play on their home grounds from May 8 until June 12. The team will travel for the remainder of the season.

First-class home clubs wishing to book this attraction, address L. Rodenbaugh, 214 Passyunk avenue, Philadelphia.

Jasper F. C., of Kensington, would like to hear from semi-pro home clubs offering fair inducements. April 24, May 1, 8 and all of June is still open for any club in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware. Mid-week and Sunday games are desired. Address James Clark, 1859 East Clementine street, or phone Kensington 8100.

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The Court Manayunk F. of A. baseball club would like to hear from teams of 18 to 20 years old offering a fair guarantee. Address Manager Hearman Herbert, 4457 Main street, Manayunk.

The North East Club, a 17-18 year old uniformed team, wishes to arrange games

uniformed team, wishes to arrange games with teams of corresponding ages having grounds, offering a fair guarantee. Whilam Graham 3220 Potter street.

Any first-class team in need of a fast tinisider shid good hitter, phone Diamond: MIL-D after I p. in.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS STANDING OF THE CLUBS

AMERICAN LEAGUE AMERICAN LEAGUE Detrett W. L. P.C. W. L. P.C. Cleveland: 5 3 .625 St. Louis 3 3 .590 New York: 4 3 .571 Athletics 2 4 .333 Washing'n 4 3 .571 Chicago 2 6 .250 New York, 8: Athletics, 6. Washington, II; Hoston, L Detroit, 4; Chicago, 3, Cleveland, 3; St. Louis, 1, NATIONAL LEAGUE NATIONAL LEAGUE Philadelphia, 6; New York, 1.
Brooklyn, 8; Boston, 4.
('incinnat), 1; St. Louis, 6.
(5 innings, rain).
Pittsburgh-Rain. W. L. P.C. W. L. P.C. 6 0 1,000 Plitaburgh, 3 4 429 6 2 .750 New York, 2 5 .286 4 3 .571 Brooklyn, 2 6 .250

Pittsburgh, 5; Kansas City, 4. Newark, 5; Brooklyn, 3. Buffalo, 1; Bultimore, t. St. Louis-Chicago not scheduled.

STATISTICS OF BRAVES AND PHILLIES—SEASON OF 1915

FEDERAL LEAGUE

BRAVES

Player and Position	Bata	Throws	Began playing at	Home town	Years in bareball.	Years with Braves	Ane	Weight	Height	Fielding	Ratting ave. 1914
Geo. T. Stallings, Mgr			Virginia, Mil. Inst	Augusta, Ga	18.	0	46	204	6.02	44.1.1	1000
Richard Rudolph, p	R.	R.	Rutland, Vt	New York city	19	01.02	26	155	5.08	.973	125
George Tyler, p	1	1.	Lowell, Mass	Detry, N. H	16	ž.	26	170	5.10	.935	,202
William L. James, p	R.	H.	Seattle, Wash	Placer City, Cal	4	4	23	190	6.01	.999	256
Paul Strand, p	Lei	1 L. 1	Spokane, Wash	Carbonado, Wash	(0	2	21	180	6.00	1818	.273
Eugene Cocretian, p	R.	R.	San Antonio, Tex	Luling, Tex	5	2	25	187	6.00th	.875	.100
Richard Crutcher, p	R.	B. 1	St. Joseph, Mo	Frankfort, Ky	3	2	24	148	5.19	.981	.145
George A. Davis, Jr., p	R.	H. 1	Williams College	Lancaster, N. Y	- 4	2 1	25	170	6.00	.923	-157
Otto Hess, p	I	Ti.	Kansas City	Berne, Switzerland.	13	4	37	175	6,00	926	1234
Henry Gowdy, c	R.	H.	Lancaster, O	Columbus, O	.7	- 4	25	156	6.00%	968	1243
Fred Mitchell, c	R.	R. 1	Concord, N. H	Alton, Mass	18	3	36	182	7.11	1000	9111
Bert Whaling, c	R.	B.	Cleveland	Los Angeles	5	3	.25	185	6,00	.981	,200
Charles J. Schmidt, 1b	Lec	L. 1	Baltimore	Baltimore	7	0	27	200	6.62	.990	.285
John T. Evers. 2b	14.	R.	Troy, N. Y	Troy, N. Y.	15	2.	32	154	5.08	.976	,279
J. Carlisle Smith, 3b	R.	R.	Nashville, Tenn	Atlanta, Ga	176	2	25	175	5.00	1937	1272
Walter J. Maranville, ss	R.	FL.	New Bedford, Conn.	Springfield, Mass	- 4	4	124	125	5.07	,938	,246
Leslie Mann, If	R.	B.	Buffalo	Lincoln, Neb	5	3	:24	372	5.00	.952	247
Joseph Connolly, outf	L	B.	New Beaford, Conn	Woonsocket, R. L	4	3 .	26	100	in.1967.5	.974	.301
J. Herbert Moran, rr	1	B.	Dubois. Pa	Coatello, Pa	- 2	2	23	152	5.05	1950	.244
Sherwood S. Magee, cf	The same	Ti	Allentown	Clarendon, Pa	12	1	31	195	6.02	.970	13334
Theodore Cather, outf	Th.	H.	fanenster, Passerill	Chester, Pa	- 6	3	26	168	5.10	.5666	1267
Lawrence Gilbert, outf	Le	la la	San Antonio, Tex.	New Orleans	jā.		24	165	5.10	:979	-258
			PHIL	LIES							

Player and position.	Bats	Throws	Began playing at	Home town	ears in baseball	cars with Phillies	Age	Weight	Height	Fielding ave. 1914	Batting ave. 1914
Patrick J. Moran, Mgr	R:	R.	Lyons, N. Y	Pitchburg, Mass	18	6	254	195	5.11	1111	100
Grover C. Alexander, p	171.	11.	Galesburg, II	St. Paul Neb	16	- 4	28	190	6.025-	.976	.034
George Chalmers, p	R.	1 R. 1	Scranton, Pa	New York city	6	4	25	185	5.1114	1114	600
Erskine Mayer, p	R.	R.	Atlanta, Ga	Atlanta, Ga	- 6	4	21	150	5.11	.990	.194
Eppa Rixey, Jr., p	Liv	I L. 1	University of Va	Culpepper City, Va.	4.	4	24.	200	6.06	.850	.03%
Albert W. Demaree, p	B	1 B. 1	Columbus, Miss	Quincy, Ill	7	1	18	110	6.00	.968	.132
Benjamin Tincup, p	R.	1. R. 1	Sherman, Tex	Sherman, Tex	2	3	22	175	5.11	.926	.170
George Baumgartner, p	Ti-	l la l	Univ. of Chicago	Chicago	8	2	23	185	6.00	1.000	,663
William Killefer, c	R.	R.	Kalamazoo, Mich	Paw Paw, Mich	8	4	27	179	5.0812	.978	.234
Edward T. Burns, c		Ft.	Sacramento, Cal	San Francisco, Cal.	6	3	28	165	5.08	.947	.259
Jack Adams, c	R.	11.	San Antonio	San Antonio	5 (1.1	24:	167	5.11	.981	.292
Frederick W. Luderus, 1b.	T.	R. I	Grand Forks, N. D.	Milwaukee	17	- L	29	195	6.02	.979	.348
Albert Niehoff, 20	R.	R. 1	Indianapolia	Denver	6	1	26	172	5.10%	.934	.242
Robert Hyrne, 3b	R.	R.	Fort Smith, Ark	St. Louis	12	3	20:	160	5.07	.934	.272
David Bancroft, sa	R.	R,	Waterloo, Ia	Sloux City, Ia	7	1. [26	150	5.06	.948	.277
Oscar Dugey, inf	R.	R.	Waco, Tex	Palestine, Tex	3	1.1	21	160	5.10	.891	.193
George Paskert, outf	R.	B.	Dayton, O	Cleveland, O	31	5	29	165	6,00	958	.264
Clifford Cravath, rf	R,	R.	Los Angeles, Cal	San Diego, Cal	33	3	33	185	5.11	:500	.298
George Whitted, outf	R.	R.	Savannah	Durham, N. C	6	1	24	170	5:00	.557	.315
Beals Becker, If	I.,	1 In 1	Wichita, Kan	Wichita, Kan	9	4	29	172	5.1014	.247	,835

Figures Turn Out for Qualifying Round at Absecon.

ABSECON, N. J., April 22 -- With everything conducive to good scoring, the first annual spring tournament of the Seaview Golf Club got under way here this morning at 9 a. m. when the Bret pair teed off for the 15 holes qualifying round. In the first place, the day was an ideal one for golf, with a light breeze blowing across the course.

had numbered a few more than 90, and as post entries are being received, it is esti-mated that Seavlew's first spring tournsment-the first open to all amateur golfnemt-the first open to all amateur goli-ere-will have an attendance of over 100. It is unfortunate that Francis Onimet was forced to stay away owing to pressure of business, but others there are who will make things interesting. Oswald Kirkby, the Metropolitan and New Jersey amateur champion, who was one of the four golf-ers who conside the Seation with with ers who opened the Seaview club with a bang last January, is here, along with J. C. Parrish, Jr., National Golf Links, who has played grand golf in the South all winter. W. F. Shackelford, the local player who won the mid-winter tournament; Maurice Ristey, Seaview, a consistent South Jersey winner, and many local, Philadelphia and New York golfers

MACK RELEASES 7 RECRUITS

Davis, Harper and McConnell Only Youngsters Retained.

Before departing last night for Boston, where the Athletics will oppose the Red from the club's roster. Those who were turned back for further seasoning are: Sam Crane, shortstop, to Richmond Insam trane, shortstop, to Richmond In-ternational League team; Hank Bostock, Infielder, to Newark Internationals; Pitcher Gardinier, to Newport News; Joe Sherman, outfielder and pitcher, Jersey City Internationals; Pitchers Voltz, Hamilton and Reed, unconditionally

All that remain of the Il youngsters who tried for their varsity letters in the South are: Pitchers Wilhur Davis and Harper and Sam McConnell, infleider, a Philadelphia boy formerly with Girard

Boxers Off to Pacific Coast

NEW YORK, April 22-The advance delegation of the Eastern shuad of boxers who will compete in the Panama-Pacific Exportion amateur championship in San Francisco from May 5 to 8 left yesterday for the Pacific Coast. In the squad are Arthur Sheridan and August Rattner, winners of the national championships in the 15-Jound and heavyweight classes, respectively.

Eddie O'Keefe Beats Kid Wolfe

NEW YORK, April 22.—Eddle O'Keefe, of Philadeiphia, had the better of Kid Wolfe in a ter-round hout at the Federal A. C. tast night. The Philadeiphian was too clever for the Cleveland boxer and earned the honors in nearly every session. At the same club Willie Beacher autfought Young Brown in a fast ten-round bout.





WHY SOME MEN PREFER THE CLUB

"HOW I WON WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP," TOLD BY WILLARD HIMSELF

Small Pair of Gloves Caused Titleholder to Suffer First Injury. How He Was "Booh'd" in Fight With Rodel.

ARTICLE IN. By JESS WILLARD Hravyweight Champion of the World. Good fortune has followed me in most of my contests. Only once was I seri-ously injured in a battle and that I can



account for the in-This occurred to the sixth fight I had in the ring and brought me a broken knuckle. The injury since heated nicely, and I believe the knuckle is stronger and I believe the knuckle is stronger now than is was be-fore it was hurt. It was caused by having too small gloves; at least, the gloves were too small for my hands.

MANY GOLF EXPERTS

ENJOY FIRST SPRING

TOURNAMENT TODAY

Ouimet Unable to Take
Part, But Other National

Figures Tourn Out for cially made gloves for me, gloves that

It.

The whole trouble with me up to a short time ago was the fact that I never had an experienced fighter to leach me anything. Somehow I never could get the right sort of a man to go with me in my campaigns. Usually this was because I couldn't inford to pay them the price they wanted to charge me for their services. In the main I have had trouble enough getting money together that enough getting money together that would carry me along without hiring another man. It had been a fough grind in the main, but I hope better times are

in the main, but I hope better times are dawning now.

The result of this was that I had to learn most everything I knew myself. Some of if I learned all wrong and had to undo a lot of it after I got good men with me, which was in El Paso when I first started training for the Johnson fight. I had Tex O'Rourke, Jim Sarage, Walter Moran and Jack Hemple as I a better binch of fellows or more willing workers I never have seen in one camp. To them I owe much.

Probably the worst exhibition I ever put up in my entire career was that against George Rodel in Milwaukee, and this, to my great chagrin, came at a time when I wanted to show the Chiago criticis what a really great man I was

That was one time I lost my bead in

the face of a hostile crowd. It happened in a peculiar way. Rodel, while a big-man as the ordinary heavyweight goes, side of nie and before the end of the first round was reached, the crowd, always with the smaller man or "under dog" started to "booh" me all over the

When I got back to my corner at the end of the first round I was bolling

with rage.
"Just for that they'll get a 'booh'
fight," I said to Tom Jones. And that's
what I tried to give them. I was sorry
for it afterwards, but the farther I went the madder I got and everybody that a fighter cannot do anywhere near his best when he is angry.
It is perhaps due to the fact that the fight fans of the big cities did not like

me that I became averse to living in big cities. As a matter of fact I don't care for city life at all and when I am re-tired I surely will pick out some quiet country spot. Late hours seem to be an absolute part of city life and I can't stand late hours at all stand late hours at all.

OPENING FOR CHURCH NINE

Germantown Athletic League Invites Locals Into the Fold.

The Germantown Church Athletic League is entering on its third year, and judging from the outlook of the present season, it will be a banner one for the league.

C. H. Gottsahend, of Market Square Presbyterian Church, has charge of base-ball. The baseball league is composed of eight teams, each team playing two This year the league has an opening

for a good church team from German-town, Mount Airy or Chestnut Hill, and would like any church desiring to enter the league to write to E. R. West Johnson street, Germantown, or phone Germantown 5386-W.

HUGHES WINS GAYETY PRIZE

"Kid" Wins Final in 118-Pound Class Over Kurtz.

The amateur boxing tournaments were continued at the Gavety Theatre last night, the isature being the final in the lili-nound class, in which Kid Hughes defeated Willie Kurtz in four rounds. This was followed by a special bout be-tween twe filverton, N. J., boxers, Harry Stahl and Harry Elliet, the latter quit-ling in the second round. In the 110-pound class, Tommy Dean best Leu Coyne in three rounds; Young Dundee best Johnny Burns in two rounds, Rifs-erse Walter Schlichter stopping the bout to save Burns; K. O. Sweeney and Young

TODAY'S RACING CARD AT HAVRE DE GRACE

to save Burns; K. O. Sweeney and Young

Willie Lucas were chased from the ring

for faking.

Entries for Havre de Grace today are.

First ince, 5-year-olds and up, selling, six furlongs-Carbureter, 100; Lost Furture, 150; summ be; *Brynavia, 104; *Toian, 106; Tarcan, 1c4. Cliff Haven 164; *Russling Brass, 118; Penny Rock, 116; Mercurium, 106; The Busy-body, 115.