

BASEBALL STRIKE IN JANUARY IS AS SERIOUS AS SNOW SHOVELERS' WALK-OUT IN JULY

THREATENED BASEBALL STRIKE SOON WILL BE A BATTLE WHERE BIG BANKROLLS HAVE THE EDGE

Fultz and Players Are Highly Enthusiastic Now, But What Will Happen When the Athletes Miss Their Monthly Pay Checks?

The battle of bankrolls is on. Baseball players throughout the country have thrown down the gauntlet, the magnates have thrown down the gauntlet and the Dear Old Public is patiently waiting on the side lines to see who will first pick it up.

More Fuel for the Hot Stove League

RIGHT now conditions are serious in baseball circles. No contracts are being signed, the players insist that they will continue to have writers' cramp until the difference between the fraternity and the magnates have been settled, and Dave Fultz is confident that the ball tossers will score a wonderful victory.

The Good Old Stuff Will Be Sprung Next

IT IS about time for the Fraternity to pull that "united-we-stand-divided-we-fall" stuff, for without unity and firmness all along the line the strike will go floppy. While the snow is on the ground and the hot stoves are burning merrily all of the ball players are patriotic and loyal to the cause.

Players Have Power to Tie Up Big Games

IT IS not the object of the EVENING LEDGER to favor one side or the other. This is simply a statement of facts and the reader can draw his own conclusions. We admit that the players can throw a wrench into the baseball machine and cause tremendous losses to the magnates all along the line.

Up to Fultz to Make the Next Move

DAVE FULTZ has made the first move in the game and the magnates have not run for cover. They were close observers, and aside from spilling some hot nothing was done. Now it is up to Fultz to make the next move, to show his "nose in the hole," as it were.

Furious Fred Fulton Makes Another Bid for Title

FRED FULTON, the Perinicus Plasterer, walked into a ring in New York, flattened Tom Cowler in less than a round and departed amid the plaudits of the multitude. He was in action less than two minutes, but the scribes devoted two hours in explaining how well he looked, how good he could fight and how he would give Jess Willard a terrible battle for the championship.

Fulton Has Class, But It Looks Like Steerage

THOSE who have seen Fulton in action do not get excited or sing the "Star Spangled Banner" every time his name is mentioned. He is big, displacing six feet five and a half inches of atmosphere, the half being taken up entirely by his forehead.

Now That the Golf Votes Are Counted

ALL kinds of upheavals are threatened as the result of the vote in which the amateur golf law as framed last year was upheld by delegates to the annual meeting of the United States Golf Association.

Columbia Has Lost Its Grip

IT DOES not take long to tear apart a system of play in any form of athletics, and it also does not take long for a college, long recognized as the leader in a certain sport, to drop to the bottom.

SCHOOLS ON EDGE FOR LEAGUE TILTS

Central High and South Philadelphia in Big Cage Game Tomorrow

BUNNIN IS TOP SCORER

Bunjin has the ace for the basketball championship with a closely contested game between South Philadelphia High School and Central High School.

South Philadelphia disposed of Northeast with unexpected ease last Friday. The contest victory was not an surprise, but the margin was a record for the school.

South Philadelphia vs. Central High, Germantown High vs. Trades School, Northeast High vs. Frankford High.

Other contests will bring into action a number of first-class teams. Villanova Preparatory's athletic club will play Central High at Camden.

Bunjin Leads for S. H. S. Bunjin replaced Trautman as top scorer in the individual league standing of the high school age athletes.

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Table with 4 columns: Player, Position, Team. Lists players for four Penn soccer men.

PENN IS COLLEGIATE 1916 SOCCER CHAMPION

Freshman Players Barred From Competition on Varsity Teams in the Future

Penn officially has been awarded the 1916 Intercollegiate soccer championship. This was decided at a meeting of the Intercollegiate Soccer League in New York.

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Bowling News

President Bortram Frazier and Secretary E. R. Hoffman of the United States Bowling Congress have sent out invitations to tennis enthusiasts of this city and vicinity to attend the meeting.

The Windham team was the first-round runner-up in the Quaker City League by winning the second game, the only victory it needed to make good its championship bid.

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WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND



THE NEW OFFICE BOY

Four Penn Soccer Men on All-American Team

Moore fails to dent Volk's jaw

Murphy comes back

Amateur Cage Notes

HEAVYWEIGHT SITUATION NEEDS TIGHTENING UP WITH SWAPPING OF A FEW VIGOROUS PUNCHES

For Sixteen Years There Have Only Been a Couple of Fights Between the Big Fellows Worth Going Across Street to See

Old Songs Resung

The Heavyweight Outlook

Jack Barry faces one tough assignment as manager this coming season.

Scraps about scrappers

EMPIRE Refinement of design characterizes the "High Powered Four" as being among the leaders of its class.

J.G. JUNCTION COMPANY Largest Distributors of Philadelphia Storage Battery Company's Thin Plate Diamond Grid Starting, Lighting and Ignition Batteries