

ATLAS HAS NOTHING ON JACK BARRY, FRED MITCHELL OR JOE WOOD IN THIS YEAR OF 19

THREE CASES WHERE SUCCESS OR FAILURE OF BALL CLUB RESTS ON SHOULDERS OF SINGLE INDIVIDUAL

Jack Barry Will Either Make or Break Boston Red Sox—Fate of Chicago Cubs in Hands of Mitchell—What Wood Means to Cleveland

JUST how big a factor in baseball is the individual? For obvious reasons club owners are not willing to concede that the fate of a club can rest on the shoulders of one man, and the managers are ever emphasizing the power of concerted effort, co-operation and teamwork.

Consider, first, the situation in Boston. The class of the Red Sox cannot be denied—they are champions, have been champions for two years, and were carrying again handling the reins, it is reasonable to suppose they would remain champions.

HAS Barry the executive ability to take the hazards safely and keep the Sox on the trail of triumph? It isn't a question of baseball in Boston—Barry knows the game from every angle.

Mitchell Also Has the Baseball Goods—Can He Deliver?

THE situation in Chicago is similar. Few will deny that the Cubs are a great ball team, and their failure year after year has been a sore disappointment to the Windy City fans.

So it has been that a great aggregation of ball players disappointed their followers year after year. The Cubs still have the latent strength. Will Fred Mitchell be able to develop maximum efficiency and get results or will his name be added to the list of "those who failed with the Cubs"?

WILL Mitchell make the mistake of Evers and Bresnahan and try to apply the methods of Stallings, with whom he has worked for years, or will he study the men he is handling and direct them as they should be directed? It is distinctly up to Mitchell, the individual.

The Case of Joe Wood and the Cleveland Indians

THE situation in Cleveland is somewhat different. Wood is a player, not a manager—and SUCH a player WHEN HE IS RIGHT! If Wood is the "Smoky Joe" of yore, what wonderful things he can accomplish for Lee Fohl's tribe!

WILL Wood "come back"? With him in form the Indians must be reckoned with; without him they can hope to accomplish little as they now shape up. It is distinctly up to Wood—the individual.

Champion Herman Sticks to Own Profession

PETER GULATTO, otherwise and better known as Pete Herman, the new bantam champion, is the only present ring champion who has not been lured by the footlights. Furthermore, it is not that the New Orleans lad hasn't had the opportunity to do the "two-a-day" stunt.

WHETHER Herman will be able to live a life of fame without developing a swollen cranium only time will tell.

Basketball Players Slowly Developed

THE promoters of the proposed new basketball league are to be commended if they adhere to their determination to have the various clubs composed of three professionals and two amateurs. One can easily count on their two hands the boys developed in these parts in the last ten years.

Boxers Do Not Jump Into Limelight Right Off Reel

Few boxers ever place themselves before the public as star performers until after several years of active service in the squared circle. A majority of the present-day headliners had to do preliminary work for at least five years before being recognized as stellar scrappers.

Four Trapshooters Make Perfect Scores

ONLY a quartet of gunners out of the many hundreds who line up at the posts of the Trapshooters' League has thus far experienced the "grand and glorious feeling" that follows the satisfactory performance of making a perfect score in a team match.

St. Rita's Five Seeks Basketball Title

ST. RITA'S basketball team is out for the championship of Philadelphia, and intends to give the winner of the Dobson-Hancock contests no rest until a title is out for a series of contests.

THE BIG ORDER



SEVERAL BASKETBALL PENNANTS MAY BE DECIDED AS RESULT OF THE MANY GAMES SCHEDULED TONIGHT

BASKETBALLICALLY speaking tonight is one of the busiest ever recorded in our recollection in these parts. All kinds of important games are down on the schedule for decision.

In the Eastern League two battles are on the cards. At Cooper Battalions Hall the champion Greys tee off with De Neri and over at Camden the Skeeters meet Trenton.

The Workingmen's League landed the honors last year in straight games and the Americans are out to turn the trick this season, and surely no one can hate them for that.

The Peeries Kid-McAndrews and Forbes sets will be a hummer. They were deadlocked prior to Wednesday evening when the latter won and assumed first place.

Grays Meet De Neri There are few basketball fans who have not conceded the second half Eastern League pennant to Greystock, but it must be admitted that mathematically speaking it is not the winner as yet.

Big Fight in State There is a big fight on in the Pennsylvania State League. Carbondale at present is not a member of the organization.

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Eastern League Basketball TONIGHT AT COOPER BATTALIONS HALL

TEN SCHOOLS IN ONE-MILE RELAY

Big Meadowbrook Event May Have to Be Run Off in Heats

JOEY RAY NOT TO RACE

The one-mile high and preparatory school relay race in the Meadowbrook games tomorrow night in Commercial Museum will have to be run in heats.

The teams entered are: Episcopal Academy, Mercersburg Academy, Bethlehem Prep School, Tome Institute, Baltimore Poly Prep, St. Benedict's School, Newark, N. J.; Perkiomen Seminary; Chester High School, Northeast High School and Central High School.

Jasper a Winner The traveling Jasper Jewels returned home from New England last evening and pleased a large crowd of Kensington rosters with a fine display of scientific basketball.

The Bears were minus Johnny Beckman, who is laid up with the grip, and White and O'Donnell were the forwards of the visiting team; Beggs and Morris, guards, and Haggerty, center.

The Interscholastic pennant may be settled tomorrow night when Penn meets Princeton at Weightman Hall.

Statistics of Intercollegiate and Eastern Cage Games

Table with columns for Eastern League and Intercollegiate League, listing teams and scores.

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ALL OUR SPOOFING ABOUT CRICKET IS MISPLACED, SAYS PLAYER; FINE POINTS OF GAME NOT UNDERSTOOD

By GRANTLAND RICE You Know How It Is There are days when you play around par—or below—There are days when you can't play a lick; And the 'lofties you may fuzzle when well, And make your best scores when you're sick.

For there ain't no answer in sight, You never know where you belong; You'll blow when you think you are right, And you'll blow when you know you are wrong.

IS THE old-fashioned art of training camp writing fading out? Not a scribe yet has discovered a pitcher with a new-fangled curve that breaks three ways at the same moment—known as the triple prong or the whirling dip.

Concerning Cricket According to F. C. T., a well-known cricket player, the spoofing, joking or kidding which cricket receives in this country is due to a lack of knowledge of the finer points of the game; just as golf was once a leading denizen of The Spoofery for the same reason.

Another Angle Dear Sir: Several years and as many months ago I came out of the South Kensington Museum at noon.

Overt Acts in Golf 1. When your opponent holes a 30-foot putt. 2. When your opponent's topped shot jumps a trap or bunker.

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