

DELAWARE COUNTY CIRCUIT IS LISTED AS A MINOR, BUT HAS BIG LEAGUE PRESS AGENT IDEA

WHITE SOX WIN BALL GAME EARLY SO THEY CAN KEEP COOL AND REST UP FOR THE DOUBLE-HEADER TODAY

Three Runs in First Inning Put Combat on Ice and League Leaders Enjoy Themselves While Cleveland Trims Boston; Scott Pitches Well

THE perspiring, pennant-aspiring White Sox pulled something new on the home town boys yesterday and got away with a ball game without the least bit of trouble.

But be that as it may, the pallid hose are extremely happy and joyous today. They have a three-game lead over Pawtucket and feel that they will widen the gap ere the golden sun hides its face behind the mountains at Port Indian, Pa.

It is hard to judge the White Sox on a day like yesterday, for there really was no opposition. At times they looked good, but at others very sad.

WHILE Cleveland is annoying Boston, the Sox believe they can creep ahead in this series, but you never can tell what will happen these days.

Secretary Baker Hits Athletic Nail on Head "BUT there is one great criticism of college athletics. The wrong men are trained, for the big, strong, husky men are the ones who are taken and they make specialized athletes, while the anemic and the studious and the unathletically inclined are left to fill the bleachers.

In these words Secretary Baker hits at the weakness of college athletics. The great number of young men in the draft list who have been turned down because of physical disability shows very clearly that the system of athletic training fails to reach those who most need its benefits.

And it is not until the call goes out for young men to send to France that we realize that the chaps who should get the benefit of college athletics do not get it because they are not varsity material.

AND that is what we need in our colleges, or rather it should be part of the school education before the boys reach the college age.

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WHEN A FELLOW NEEDS A MILLION FRIENDS



TWO GREATEST RUN MAKERS IN BASEBALL TODAY ARE TY COBB AND DONIE BUSH, OF TIGERLAND

Shortstop Is Hitting Ball Harder Than Ever, While Ty Is Still Greatest Run Getter of His Day

By GRANTLAND RICE the Goat-Getter The side hill putt, but two feet long, is neither tall nor thick nor strong; yet it has made more millions curse than crime or poverty or worse.

IF YOU care for the intimate details as to why Detroit isn't up around the top the main answer can be found attached to Harry Coveleski.

The Runmakers THE two best run makers in baseball are secluded or sequestered upon one club. They are Ty Cobb and Donie Bush.

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REAL BALL STARS SLOW IN STARTING

Collins and Killefer Did Not Make Big Hit Early in Careers

JACKSON DROPPED BY A'S

Fans have the wrong idea of what is expected of a recruit just breaking into the big show. They expect him to start off like a cyclone and if he doesn't make good want him shunted back to the minors.

Take, for instance, Walter Cruise, of the St. Louis Cardinals, at present at the top of the National League. He made three trips up to the majors before he stuck.

Eddie Collins batted 170 his first season, playing in half a dozen games. The next year he hit about 100, but Connie Mack refused to lose faith in him.

Killefer Dropped by Browns E.H. Killefer, of the Phillies, was with the St. Louis Browns in 1916. He hit just 124 in 74 games and was turned loose.

Cole Was a Flash There are many more examples of the slow-starting stars and just as many of the youngsters who break in like world-beaters and soon flounder.

GALENA, COP. TO RUN FROM PHILA. TO ATLANTIC CITY Charles Galeña, member of the mounted squad of the Thirty-fifth district, Branch 10, will run from City Hall here to the City Hall, Atlantic City, tomorrow, against time.

PHILA. CRICKET AND WHITEMARSH VALLEY CALL OFF ST. MARTIN'S AND GEIST CUP GOLF TOURNEYS Whitemarsh Women Will Hold Tournament, With Valuable Belle Steelman Bumm Memorial Trophy as Chief Prize

decided by the women of the club some time next week. The general object is to have it as a strictly perpetual cup, with a replica for the winner each year.

TEN LEADING BASE-STEALERS Players Clubs G. R. Ave. Cobb, Detroit, 29 19 3 151 82 507 Veach, Detroit, 21 7 7 168 59 459 Chapman, Cleveland, 19 12 1 120 52 324

TEN LEADING RUN-GETTERS Players Clubs G. R. Ave. Burns, Philadelphia, 28 19 3 151 82 507 Hornsby, St. Louis, 27 18 3 148 81 497 Crutcher, St. Louis, 26 17 3 145 80 492

AMATEUR BASEBALL NOTES Perko Prof kept up his winning streak by defeating the Kaywood Juniors by the score 10-0.

North 8500, a semi-professional team from North America, will play for will be

TYRUS COBB STILL IS EASY MASTER IN AMERICAN, WHILE EDDIE ROUSH HOLDS PREMIERSHIP IN NATIONAL

Gavy and Stuffu Continue as Home Teams' Leading Exponents of Pounding Art—Phils and A's Both Third in Team Clouting

VIRTUALLY no change is to be noted in the relative standing of the leading individual and team hitters during the week past. Ty Cobb is moving along with the van of American swatsmen, taking it easy with a margin so formidable that he can go so steady that no interest longer attaches to personal hitting leadership in this league.

In the National League the fight still is waxing merrily with Eddie Roush, the Cincinnati pounder, leading the way by a narrow margin over Walton Crum, the sensational wallpaper of the Cards.

The averages listed below include games played up to Wednesday. Inclusive of the scores for Thursday and Friday, the leaders in American are: Cobb, .355; Roush, .345; Hornsby, .325; Knott, .311, and Fisher, .312.

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