BIG DAY ON BASEBALL FIELDS—FINALS IN PLAY FOR WOMEN'S NATIONAL TENNIS TI

MISS BJURSTEDT DEFENDS CROWN

Meets Miss Goss for Tennis Title at Philadelphia Cricket Club

OTHER MATCHES ON

Schedule of Final Matches at St. Martins

WOMEN'S SINGLES
Miss Molla Bjurstedt vs. Miss Eleanor Goss at 2 p. m.

EASTERN MEN'S DOUBLES
Irvin Wright and W. H. Abbott vs. Percy Osborne and Wallace Rhoades, 3:15.

MIXED DOUBLES
Mrs. George Wightman and Irvin Wright vs. Miss Molla Bjurstedt and Fred Alexander, 4:30.

By PAUL PREP

Tennis history has repeated itself! This afternoon Miss Molla Bjurstedt, erstwhile Belle of Norway, but now of New York, and Miss Eleanor Goss, who also claims the big town as her abode will walk out on George Wooley's classic, beautiful and well-kept tennis courts at the Philadelphia Cricket Club with the same thought uppermost in the minds of each.

The single thought which will remain in the minds of these two young women for an hour and possibly longer is that of winning the women's national singles championship for 1918. This is some task and one well worth occupying the thoughts of Miss Bjustedt and Miss Goss.

Today's meeting marks the fifth within a short space of six months on various tennis courts. Off the courts they no doubt have met several hundred times. But titles aren't at stake in these social gatherings and they haven't been recorded.

Should Investigate

If Miss Molla and Miss Eleanor continue to meet in the final round of many more tournaments for some title or other of the courts then it is possible that the United States Government will be called upon to investigate the conditions to see if they have, in an underhanded manner, formed a partnership to monopolize tennis honors in this country.

If they have then Miss Molla has been treating her partner cruelly. In the four tourneys in which they met to decide some championship the Norse wonder has refused to split 50-50. Instead, she has taken all the honors and has put the crown robes in her wardrobe. Perhaps this afternoon it is Miss Eleanor's turn to win. The title at stake today is worth more than the other quartet combined and a victory for Miss Goss will more than even up the summer's spoils.

Miss Bjurstedt Favorite

If the alleged trust has decided not to use its influence on today's match, then it is the consensus of opinion that Miss Bjurstedt will once more humble her repeated challenger, and, incidentally, retain her hold on the singles championship, which she won two seasons ago.

The spectators who braved the adverse weather conditions yesterday, which were more suitable for football than tennis, had the opportunity of comparing the various styles of play of Miss Bjurstedt and Miss Goss on the championship court. Miss Goss, with Miss Marion Zinderstein, of Boston, played Miss Bjurstedt and Mrs. Johan Rogge, of Norway, in the final round of the women's doubles.

Goss and Partner Win Title

Of course, the main thing connected with this match was the heroic work of each team. Miss Zinderstein and Miss Goss triumphed, and this morning are laboring under the handicap of carrying around with them the title of women's national doubles champions. They deserved it. The secondary issue in this contest was the respective playing of the singles champion and challenger.

Miss Goss took an active part in two matches yesterday and showed an improved form, especially in the earlier matches. If she shows as much improvement in this afternoon's match she has a chance of taking the title away from Molla. Otherwise not. Her service was fine, her backhand and forearm drives were well nigh beyond criticism and her bobbing was fairly good.

Mustn't Boot Easy Chances

But there is one thing she must not do this afternoon. That is fall down on easy shots at the most critical times. This has been the cause of her four defeats from Miss Bjurstedt. At times her play borders on the sensational and difficult chances are made to look easy, but it is the easy ones that she boots. A little more care at these critical moments will make her a dangerous opponent all the time. As for Miss Bjurstedt, she is the same as ever and that means almost unbeatable.

Junior Tourney a Success

Julian S. Myrick, of New York, the vice president of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association, is to be congratulated on the fine showing of the girls' junior tourney. Last winter Myrick conceived the idea that it would be a great thing, for many reasons, to foster the development of tennis among the younger girls.

He brought the subject up for discussion at the annual meeting of the body, with the result that the delegates thought the same as he did and consequently it was decided to hold a national championship tourney for girls. This first tourney was awarded to the Philadelphia Cricket Club.

Yesterday the final round was played. Play was scheduled to begin at 2:30. Mr. Joseph Jennings, chairman of the tourney, received word that Mr. Myrick was on his way to this city with the intentions of seeing the final round between two members of the Philadelphia Cricket Club, Miss Catherine Porter and Miss Dorothy Walker.

Postponed Starting Time

His train wasn't due to arrive until past the scheduled starting time. Upon the consent of both finalists Mr. Jennings postponed the match until Mr. Myrick arrived. To show their appreciation of his efforts to develop girls' tennis the chairman and players invited Mr. Myrick to referee. He gladly accepted the invitation.

Mr. Myrick was pleased and equally as well surprised at the fine work of both girls. After Miss Porter had demonstrated her superiority in two hotly fought sets, 6-3, 8-6, Mr. Myrick said: "I am more than pleased with the result of the first junior girls' title play. Miss Porter and Miss Walker surely are wonderful players for their age, and if they continue to improve I see titles in store for them. In fact, the entire tourney has been handled splendidly and is a grand success and equals those of other years."

To Honor Dead Horseman

West Philadelphia horsemen plan to honor the memory of Eric Harwood, who was killed in France [illegible]

NATIONAL CHAMPION AND CHALLENGER

Miss Molla Bjurstedt is on the right and Miss Eleanor Goss on the left

WON'T ARREST N. Y. PROMOTER

Court Sides With McClellan in Holding Boxing Contests for Mercy

ISSUES STATEMENT

New York, June 22.

Magistrate McGeehan, in the Yorkville Court yesterday, took a decided stand in favor of Louis S. McClellan and refused to issue a warrant for his arrest because, as manager of the War Hospitals Entertainment Association's benefit show at Madison Square Garden on Thursday night, he had allowed boxing bouts to take place.

Assistant District Attorney Daniel Direnzo made the application for McClellan's arrest in behalf of three members of Inspector Bolan's staff. They charged that in including boxing the War Hospitals Entertainment Association had violated the law prohibiting boxing.

In refusing to issue the warrant Magistrate McGeehan said: "Gentlemen, I was there myself, among good people, and I was glad to be there. It was a very fine tribute to the city, and the affair, which was for so noble a cause, was magnificently patronized. I saw nothing illegal and I will not order an arrest or interfere with the opinion of Supreme Court Justice Guy, who sanctioned by a Court order the entertainment."

The police insisted that the injunction which restrained them from interfering with the show was obtained from the Justice on representation that the affair was to be a patriotic concert.

Magistrate McGeehan did grant a summons to the District Attorney for Mr. McClellan, dated June 24.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Boston, 13; Athletics, 0.
Washington, 3; New York, 2 (12 inns.).
Cleveland, 3; Chicago, 1.
Detroit-St. Louis—Rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Phillies, 10; Boston, 6.
Brooklyn, 11 New York, 0.
Pittsburgh, 3; Chicago, 0.
St. Louis, 12; Cincinnati, 6.

Schedule for Today

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Boston at Philadelphia—Cloudy; 3.
New York at Brook'yn—Rain; 2:30.
Chicago at Pittsburgh—Rain, 3.
Cincinnati at St. Louis—Clear; two games, 2 and 4.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Athletics at Boston—Rain; 3:15.
Washington at New York—Rain; 3.
St. Louis at Detroit—Cloudy; two games, 2 and 4.
Cleveland at Chicago—Clear; 3.

American Association

Toledo	0	3	0
Minneapolis	1	7	3
Columbus	6	10	1
St. Paul	0	2	2
Louisville	7	11	1
Milwaukee	1	6	4
Indianapolis	2	5	0
Kansas City	3	9	0

Southern Association

Mobile	10	16	6
Chattanooga	1	3	1
Birmingham	4	8	1
Little Rock	3	7	2
Atlanta	3	9	5
Memphis	2	4	0
New Orleans	1	2	1
Nashville	0	2	0

Draw at Pennsgrove

Pennsgrove, N. J., June 22.—In the windup at the Pennsgrove Athletic Club last night K. O. Loughlin, of South Bethlehem, and Frank Carbone, of New York, boxed eight rounds to a draw.

What May Happen in Baseball Today

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	Win	Lose	Split
Boston	36	24	.600	.607	.580	...
New York	31	24	.564	.571	.554	...
Cleveland	32	27	.550	.557	.541	...
Chicago	27	25	.519	.528	.500	...
Washington	30	30	.500	.506	.492	...
St. Louis	25	29	.463	².425	².446	.464
*Detroit	20	30	.400	².452	².385	.404
Athletics	21	34	.382	.393	.375	...

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	Win	Lose	Split
Chicago	26	17	.613	.670	.560	...
New York	25	18	.580	.567	.613	...
Boston	28	22	.560	.560	.491	...
Phillies	24	24	.400	.478	.333	...
*Cincinnati	23	25	.444	².353	².528	.444
Brooklyn	20	25	.444	.434	.415	...
Pittsburgh	20	25	.444	².411	².481	.415
St. Louis	20	26	.435	².411	².481	.415

Baseball Player Gets French War Cros

The name of Lieutenant W. C. Ponder, of Mangan, Mich., which appears in the list of Americans who have received the French War Cross, is probably the first major league baseball player to receive a decoration for bravery. This is none other than Elmer Ponder, the young pitcher from the Birmingham Club, of the Southern Association, who finished last season with the Pittsburgh Pirates, and then enlisted in the service. He was awarded the cross for a daring exploit in the air "Somewhere in France."

PLAN INTERCITY ATHLETIC MEETS

Receipts Will Be Applied to Patriotic Organizations of Country

CARR TO VISIT TENER

Indianapolis, June 22.

Plans for the organization of the International Patriotic Athletic Association, which has been in process of formation for the last year, were divulged here, coincident with the departure for the East, in the interest of the project, of Charles C. Carr, former American Association and Federal League manager and player.

The articles of incorporation for the association set forth that the funds raised through tournaments, which will include all forms of athletics, will be turned over to patriotic objects which will be selected by the board of directors from time to time.

Present plans include, it is said, the holding of four-day tournaments in twenty cities of the East, West and Middle West. Indianapolis, New York, Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Detroit, Cleveland, Baltimore, Washington, St. Louis, Toronto, Brooklyn, Buffalo, Toledo, Louisville, Youngstown, Minneapolis, Cincinnati, Scranton, Reading, and possibly other cities are included.

Besides local men, promoters of the association are said to include James J. Corbett, John J. McGraw, Barney Oldfield, Johnny Kilbane, Harry Hempstead, Garry Herrmann, Jim Thorpe, Grant Hugh Brown and James C. Dunn.

Mr. Carr expects during his trip in the east to interest John K. Tener, president of the National League, and Clark Griffith, of the Washington American club, in the project.

13 NOT LUCKY FOR MACKMEN

Athletics Make but a Single Hit Off Twirler Mays

TRAGEDY IN DETAIL

Boston, Mass., June 22.

The Athletics yesterday were unable to hold their fast pace of their earlier games in the series with the Red Sox. They were shut out, 13-0, making just one little scratch hit against the offerings of Carl Mays, the underhand king. The Red Sox piled up their big total on fifteen bingles, nine singles, four doubles and two three-baggers, which were mixed with some of the weirdest fielding that Connie Mack ever has been sentenced to witness from the confines of the dugout.

The Red Sox walloped Bill Adams for nine hits and eight runs in the first four innings, during which the Macks had only one error of commission, but plenty of omissions, and later, when the youngster Shea undertook the task of holding the score down he was met with a five-hit rally for four more runs in the fifth, during which the Athletics put in four of their remaining six fielding miscues of the game.

Boston, after this start, hit Shea safely only once and would not have scored again, had it not been for a fumble by Meunch. This young man's entry into the Athletics' lineup today really started the trouble. Mack allowed Larry Gardner the day off, so he might go to Vermont, thus bringing Right Fielder Davidson to third base and placing Meunch in the garden. At the very start of the game Meunch misjudged Hooper's long fly that went for a triple and then failed to get under Shean's Texas leaguer. This seemed to unnerve Bill Adams and McInnis and Thomas subsequently got doubles to send the Sox away to a 3 to 0 start.

Hits by Shean and Ruth, with Thomas's sacrifice boost, added a point for Boston in the third, and in the fourth, after hits by Mays and on either side of Hooper's pass, while Mays was forced at the plate was only momentary, as Ruth walloped out a base-cleaning triple to right field and counted himself while Meunch was messing up Burns's relay home, Burns having taken the pasture after Muench's poor beginning.

The eighth-inning run was negotiated on Ruth's pass, Meunch's fumble of McInnis's bounder, on which "Babe" Ruth took third, scoring at once on an infield double play. The Athletics' lone hit, that made by Meunch in the fifth, was a dinky bounder, the "English" of which spun the ball just out of Carl Mays's reach when the latter got set for an easy play. Three other Mackmen reached first during the game, but only one got to second, this being McAvoy in the second inning on Thomas's low throw past McInnis.

Bingles and Bungles

George Stallings says Irish Meusel is the best-looking young outfielder he has seen in the league in years.

Eddie Burns ran back to the grandstand and caught Herzog's foul in the second.

We are beginning to feel the effects of the herrers of war. Because of the increase in railroad rates Umpires Byron and O'Day are likely to remain here another week.

Gavvy Cravath's homer hit the top of the right-field wall, bounced a couple of times and then fell into Broad street.

Fred Luderus is improving in his hitting and fielding every day. In the seventh he killed a batting rally by making a beautiful stop on Wickland's wicked grounder and getting Herzog on his way to the plate.

Main broke all altitude records in the ninth. He hit one, passed three and was about to walk another when Joe Oeschger was called from the bull pen and rushed to his rescue.

Every member of the Phils' infield has hit a home run this season with the exception of Bancroft.

Cap Neal, formerly scout for the Philadelphia Club, persuaded Erskine Mayer, pitcher traded to the Pirates by the Phils for Elmer Jacobs, to go to Pittsburgh for a conference with President Barney Dreyfuss. They left last night.

Muddy Ruel, one of the Yankees' promising young catchers, has been called in the draft, and yesterday left for St. Louis, and will leave for camp on June 27. Danny Vance, a pitcher who was with the Yankees a couple of seasons ago, reported for duty yesterday.

There was a reason for allowing Upham to remain in the game Saturday. George Stallings learned that Philadelphia was the home of Joe Giard, the human shock absorber, and wanted to prove that Boston could produce a guy who could take a terrible shelling. George was right.

The umpire invariably misses a couple of good strikes, gets the hurler in a hole and the batter usually walks.

Byron has his bad days only when he umpires.

There should be plenty of action at the ball yard today. With Boston and the Phils tied with two games each, the boys will fight hard to annex the deciding conflict. Fillingim will twirl against Bradley Hogg.

Elmer Jacobs looks like Mule Watson from the shoulders down.

The relative standing of the New York Giants and the Chicago Cubs was unchanged by yesterday's play. The Giants lost to Brooklyn and the Cubs fell before Pittsburgh. This leaves the Cubs still at the top in the race by half a game.

At last the Phillies are in the first division. Incidentally, they are only two games behind the Boston Braves. A little sprint and our Phils will be right up there again.

There were three shutouts in the seven major league games. Two of the games were won by a margin of one run.

Rube Marquard turned on his old pals, the Giants, and beat them one to zero. The Great Zim and Hoike were the only men to get hits; each got one.

Mike Doolan is doing some good second basing for the Dodgers, but he is still popping 'em up to the infield.

The Reds and St. Louis outscored the Phillies and Braves. The Cards had the better of the argument, a dozen to a half that class. Lee Magee did his part for the Reds, smashing out three hits.

Fred Mollwitz won the game for Pittsburgh over the Chicago Cubs. He drove in all the runs, two with singles and the other with a sacrifice fly.

The White Sox pulled off some dumb baserunning and the Indians won, 6 to 1. [illegible]

HERALDED RACER IN DROME EVENT

French Champion's Dignity Saved by Impromptu Interpreter

ADMITS HIS ABILITY

In his efforts to give his patrons the best that can be obtained in the sport, Jack Roden, manager of the Point Breeze Motordrome, has signed the BEST motorcycle rider and the BEST motorpace rider in the world to compete on the local wooden way each week. Roden nominated this newcomer the world's best rider, it was seconded by Leon Prevost, one of the pacemakers at Point Breeze, and lastly the stranger admitted the fact himself. That is, the interpreter said he did.

When the writer entered the motordrome last Thursday evening he was grabbed by the buttonhole by Roden, and offering no resistance was rushed to a vacant spot where the mosquitoes were having a battle royal, with Jack and the writer the main victims.

"Gee, I've got a swell story for you," said Jack. "I've just signed the best motorcycle rider in the country. No, change that! Make it the best in the world. And he's going to ride Saturday night. There he is, over in front of the grand stand. Ward Bean is about to introduce him to the clubmen."

Under the Spotlight

Over in front of the grand stand the said Mr. Bean was doing his best to introduce the stranger. "Ladies and gentlemen!" yelled he, "I take great pleasure in presenting Rody Lehman, the greatest rider in the world. He will compete here Saturday night in the Hibernian sweepstakes. [Loud cheers from the clubmen.]

"Take off your hat!" piped a youngster on the back row. The cry was taken up by others and he kicked a field goal by not removing his hay piece. The cry was repeated several times, but still no answer by Lehman. By this time Roden was covering the distance between Lehman and he in rapid strides.

"See here, Lehman, why don't you do what they tell you?" asked the greatly excited Jack. "Take off your hat and bow to the clubmen and their wives."

Lehman looked at Roden with a questioning expression on his face and his hat still on his head. "Je ne pas parler Anglaise," he replied.

"What's that?" asked Roden.

Just then Prevost, who was ambling by, stopped short and explained to Roden. "He says he can't speak or understand English. What do you want him to do?"

"Take off his hat and bow to the people in the stands," replied the greatly perplexed manager of motordromes.

Prevost whispered gently to the stranger. And, complying, he bowed as gracefully as a six-year-old boy at a Sunday school concert.

In Which We Also Fall

Desirous of obtaining some information about this new star, we also opened fire on the unsuspecting Lehman.

"Where were you born?" was the first question.

"Je ne pas parler Anglaise."

"Where did you ever ride?" came next.

"Je ne pas parler Anglaise."

"What is your best record?" was then asked.

"Je ne pas parler Anglaise."

As this was all we wanted under such conditions, we turned to Prevost, as a matter of course and necessity, for elucidation.

"He says that he is the world's best motorcycle rider and that last summer he won every motorcycle race on the Paris Des Princes track, at Paris, France. He also said that he holds the world's record for 110 kilometers and that he is sure that with a first-class machine he can defeat Hunter, Anderson and Vanderbery next Saturday night."

Perhaps he will, but he will have to show Hunter and the bunch all his speed and then some. He gets his chance tonight. The bike riders will be Percy Lawrence, George Wiley, Clarence Carman and Mendus Bedell.

McFarland Aids Fund

Bethlehem, Pa., June 22.—Packey McFarland was the attraction last night at the "Yo Eddie" block party here. The "Yo Eddies" are an organization that looks after some 3000 local men from this district at the front.

Tonight McFarland, as the guest of J. H. Ward, C. M. Schwab's private secretary, came here to assist at the affair, boxing Eddie Moy, of Allentown, the former lightweight champion of Australia.

McFarland gave his services free and several thousand dollars was raised for the soldiers' tobacco fund.

Mack Releases Pitcher Fahey

Boston, June 22.—Connie Mack, has given Frank Fahey, a pitcher, his unconditional release. Fahey has been with the Mackmen since the beginning of the season. He was obtained by Mack from the Catholic University at Washington.

Amateur Notes

THE 312th Field Artillery, of Camp Meade, is anxious to invade some of the local ball grounds and give the fans a chance to see a real bunch of Sammees in action. The team is composed of stars who have made their reputation on the local lots, composing an all-Philadelphia aggregation, and a clean, fast article of ball is guaranteed. Besides giving the boys a chance to have some recreation, it will also afford them an opportunity to see their beloved ones at home. Managers of first-class home teams desirous of arranging games with these boys, who are faithfully serving your and my country, can notify J. J. Maguire, the business manager, 5099 Reno street, this city.

Darby Professionals has June 29 and a few Saturdays during July open for strictly first-class semi-professional teams having home grounds and offering a reasonable guarantee. Would like to hear from teams as I. C. B. U., of Ardmore; Melrose A. C., Disston, Stetson, Palmyra-Riverton and other teams of that class. E. H. Smith, manager, 106 South Sixth street, Darby, or phone Darby 427, about 8 p. m.

Radnor A. A., a strong fifteen and sixteen year old team, has several dates during July and August and also Labor Day (a. m. and p. m.) open for traveling or home teams of that class. W. E. Sommer, manager, 4218 Girard avenue.

Sun Ship Reserves has June 29, July 4 (a. m. and p. m.), 6, 13 and 20 open for first class teams having home grounds and offering a suitable attraction. Would like to hear from clubs in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware. Michael J. Devine, manager, 3201 Dauphin street.

Northeast Professionals wishes games with strictly first class teams having home grounds offering a suitable attraction. Fred Smith, manager, 3261 North Joyce street.

Jefferson A. C. would like to arrange games with any fifteen and sixteen year old teams having home grounds and paying a suitable guarantee. George Stanback, manager, 1201 North Jessup street.

Shamrock A. A., an eighteen-year-old uniformed team, has open dates for Saturday and Sunday games with traveling teams of that class. William Van Horn, manager, 2714 Manton street.

A first baseman, formerly of the Twentieth Century Club, would like to hear from a first class team desiring his services. Schmitt, 957 East Ontario street, or phone Lombard 4380, between 2 p. m. and 4 p. m.

P. R. T. A. C. would like to hear from best class team [illegible] a suitable guarantee. [illegible] Phone [illegible]

JUNIOR VICTOR AND RUNNER-UP

PLATT VICTOR IN GOLF TILT

North Hills Player Beats Newton, of Frankford, in Final Round

WINS BY THREE AND TWO

J. Wood Platt, of the North Hills Country Club, who, in winning the Lu Lu Temple Country Club tournament last year, beat some of the best players in the city, won the junior tournament at St. David's yesterday, beating young Herbert L. Newton, of the Frankford Country Club, by 3 up and 2 to play. Unfortunately there was no title at stake this year and Phil Corson will hold the title for at least another year.

Platt played some very excellent golf throughout the tournament and among others who fell victims to his play was the junior champion. He is, without doubt, the longest of the junior players from the tee and he has an iron shot that at times is marvelous. On the sixth hole yesterday afternoon after a good drive he ironed on the green and won the hole with a 3 which is an eagle.

Perfect Golf Form

He has one fault and that is the same fault that has hurt Norman H. Maxwell very much in getting results. He allows poor shots to worry him. He fights himself too much, but this is a fault that can be overcome. Watching him make his shots you get the impression of perfect golf form. There is not a prettier form on the course in the Philadelphia district. He plays all his shots well and, as has been said, his own real trouble is his temperament.

Herb Newton, Sr., would have given a lot if his son had come through. The younger Newton shows all the attributes of his father and he is an excellent fighter. He plays carefully and thinks out his shots. His great trouble yesterday was that he was missing his tee shots, but his approaches to the green were generally excellent.

Newton's Fine Approach Shots

Time and time again when Platt apparently had the hole won Newton would lay his approach dead to the hole. But his driving at times was very poor and at other times he was crashing out long tee shots straight down the course. He is young and he has the making of an excellent golfer.

The high wind got both of them into trouble on their tee shots, both morning and afternoon, but they usually got out of the long rough like professionals. They had one satisfaction and that was that a larger gallery followed them than was the case when Cameron B. Buxton and Fred Knight met in the finals of the local amateur last year at Whitemarsh.

Platt—									
Out	5	3	4	4	5	5	4	4	6—40
In	5	5	4	4	4	5	4	6	5—42—82
Newton—									
Out	6	4	3	5	4	4	5	4	5—40
In	5	4	5	4	5	5	4	6	5—43—83
Platt—									
Out	4	3	5	6	4	3	4	6	4—39
In	4	5	5	4	4	5	4		
Newton—									
Out	5	3	4	5	5	5	4	6	5—42
In	4	5	5	5	5	4	4		

STILL WONDERING ABOUT PLACE FOR FULTON FIGHT

Baltimore, June 22.—The place for staging the Dempsey-Fulton fight here on July 4 is still undecided, although the local promoters started to endeavor to get the Fifth Regiment Armory, which will hold 16,000 persons. The Pimlico race track or the Gentlemen's Driving Park will be taken as a last resort. The promoters are hopeful, however, of securing the armory.

Deputy Marshal of Police House said that he has no notion of recommending to the police board a revocation of the permit granted, as he is satisfied the fight will be conducted within the law.

John Mitchell With Hazleton

Hazleton, Pa., June 22.—John Mitchell, of Park View, former catcher of the Chicago Cubs, and later with Trenton, of the Tri-state League, and at the time of his retirement from the game a member of the Allentown team, of the defunct Atlantic League, has been signed by Manager Jack O'Toole, of the Hazleton club. Mitchell is now employed at his old vocation as a miner at the operations of the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal Company.

Leonard to Box Brazzo

Jack Hanlon, matchmaker for the Wildwood (N. J.) Athletic Club, announced last night that he had matched Benny Leonard to box Jack Brazzo at the opening show of the organization on July 4. The men, according to the New Jersey boxing rules, will wear eight-ounce gloves and will be limited to eight rounds.

Jack Dunn May Box Browne

St. Louis, June 22.—It is reported here that Jack Dunn, former owner of the Baltimore club of the International League, is considering a proposal to box Jack Browne, of St. Louis, a [illegible]

SHIP LEAGUE GAME WILL FEATURE SCHEDULE IN MINOR LEAGUE CIRCL

Undefeated Chester Club Plays Harlan-Bethlehem Wilmington—U. G. I. Makes First Appearance as League Nine

CHESTER vs. Harlan-Bethlehem Steel at Wilmington. This is the big game on the schedule in the Delaware River Ship League this afternoon, and the largest crowd that ever witnessed a game in Wilmington is expected to turn out, for according to Manager Gallagher, of Harlan, "this club must win this game or quit the league." The teams are bitter rivals, and therefore more so the rooters. Chester won in a previous encounter with Harlan, and, in fact, has not been subdued at any time since the opening of the season.

The home team's line-up is not known, but it is almost a certainty that Joe Jackson and other big leaguers will appear. The pitching will, no doubt, be up to Jordan, unless "Lefty" Williams draws the assignment at the last minute. Manager Frank Miller, of Upland, says: "I don't care who they play. We are going down to win. Earl Twining is in good shape and that is a big help. I will have several new men in the infield, including White, of Penn, and they can pitch any one they choose. They all only have one arm, and the best is what we want."

Out at the Brill ball park Hog Island tackles Pusey-Jones. The locals now have a really fine team, and "Lefty" Sterling is scheduled to make his first appearance, and either he or Eddie Gerner will pitch. The other games should be close and exciting, as the contestants are well matched. They are Merchants at Traylor and New York Ship at Sun. The latter game will be preceded by a monster wrestling and boxing carnival.

U. G. I. Makes Debut

The newly admitted member of the Manufacturers' League, U. G. I., will play the first game this afternoon. It will oppose Sellers Company on the Lewis grounds at Wheatsheaf lane and Richmond street. The gasmen have a fast aggregation and the general belief is that they will win the pennant. The club enters the league in first position, having taken the place occupied by Butterworth. Either Manager Frank Brennan himself or Williamson will pitch the initial battle. Murphy will be found on the mound for Sellers, and he is considered one of the best in the league. Previous to last Saturday, when he lost in eleven innings, he won three straight by his own hard hitting and clever pitching.

Two first-division rivals come together at Broad and Bigler, where Stokes & Smith faces Becker, Smith & Page. A win for the wallpaper makers will place them on even terms with their opponents, and in order to gain the decision Manager Brumfield has decided to start Harry Passon. The other games are J. T. Lewis at Monotype and Wheeler at Link Belt. The Lewis nine is well down near the bottom in the standing of the teams, but has dropped all its games by close margins, and if Captain Nevins's boys start to get the breaks some of the leaders are due for a tumble.

Leaders vs. Tailenders

The first-division contestants in the Main Line League are opposed to the second section in this afternoon's layout. Lansdowne plays at Wayne, Autocar is the attraction at Dobson and the leaders, Dun & Co., oppose Warwick. On their previous meeting the first-division nines were victorious in every instance, Dun & Co. winning from Warwick, 6 to 0; Lansdowne defeating Wayne, 5 to 1, and Autocar blanking Dobson, 4 to 0.

Today's Baseball Ga in Minor Le

Delaware River Ship League—Jones at Hog Island, Chester at Bethlehem, New York Ship at chants' at Traylor.

Manufacturers' League — Monotype, Sellers at U. G. I., Smith at Becker, Smith & Page at Link Belt.

Northeast Manufacturers' Abrasive at Quaker City, Super Frankford Arsenal, Blumenthal Plumb at Frankford Laundry.

Philadelphia Manufacturers' Hoopes & Townsend at Standard Steel, Elliott-Lewis at Sun Philadelphia Textile at Geo Philadelphia Roll and Machine at can Pulley.

Montgomery County League—at Ambler, Souderton at Souderton, Doylestown at Fort Washington.

Philadelphia Suburban League—at Olney, Frankford at Lindley, at Fern Rock.

Main Line League—Union at Autocar at Dobson, Dun & Co. wick.

Northeast Church Association—nny at Calvary, Harmony at Olivet-Covenant at Schwenksville, east Memorial at First Dutch.

Other games—Camp Dix at bridge & Clothier, St. Columba A. C., Anchor Giants at Stetson.

If the second divisioners could a couple of surprises it would terest to the first half pen which ends July 4.

All interest as regards the the first half of the Philadelp ban League has ceased since come a runaway for Lupton fans are anxious to see who as runner-up. Olney, at pres ond place, meets the coming this afternoon on their home winless Barretts meet Fern Frankford and Lindley engage tie for fourth place.

The two clubs tie for the Northeast Manufacturers' cir ford Arsenal and Fayette draw as opponents Super Frankford Laundry, respectiv or both of the last-mentione tions are likely to be return rs the brand of ball in the League is about the most anced in any of the city's Frankford Laundry started son with three successive w has lost as many in a row. the winning column for boys is very probable.

Strawbridge & Clothier its attraction Camp Dix, of western college and The team will be accom famous band. Saturday, Meade, having trimmed teams, will endeavor Strawbridge & Clothier.

The Anchor Giants will tion at the Stetson Pa Berks streets. This been a hard nut for the crack, and, therefore, being among the fans good and expects to its fast-growing Edwards will be the colored visitors, who send "Pete" Hartley with "Ed" Rahsing "Jimmy" Cluney, fans, will play the makers and not anything happen.

SCRAPS ABOUT SCR

Jack Sharkey, the New York bantam, and Al Shubert, of New Bedford, will meet in New Bedford Monday night.

The weekly show at the Cambria Club, Frankford avenue and Cambria street, has been postponed until Monday night on account of rain. Larry Hansen, of Denmark, crosses arms with Tommy Carey, of Nicetown, in the final bout. The semifinal brings together Dick Sloan, a newcomer, from Cleveland, and Joe Koons, of this city.

Charlie White, the Chicago heavyweight, again is boxing instructor, but this time he will teach the soldiers at Fort [illegible] near Chicago.

Mickey Dunnolly, of [illegible] is engaged for the Independence Club, of Camden, N. J., [illegible] round [illegible] July [illegible] twenty [illegible] contest.

Benny Giboney, [illegible] welter [illegible] is [illegible] next [illegible]