

HITTING STREAKS HAVE FEATURED PLAY AMONG THE MAJORS

Fred Luderus and Cy Williams Have Been Hitting Hard for the Last Fortnight—Latter Gains Thirteen Points in the Last Week

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL, Sports Editor of the Evening Public Ledger. Hitting streaks have featured the offensive movements of the major league players during the last fortnight.

During the last week Cy Williams, of our own Philadelphia Athletics, has shown forth with our safe taps each in a single game.

Cy Williams, by the way, gained 13 points in the batting column during the last week. He is now rapping at the rate of .278.

Here is a list of players in the National League who are on unfinished hitting streaks: Charley Halloran and Sherwood, nine games each; Fred Luderus, eight; and Bill McKetchnie, seven.

Joe Judge has had a couple of big days with the stick. Last Sunday he got four hits off the Detroit hurlers, and three days later repeated the performance on Guy Morton and Johnny Enzmann.

Buck Weaver was going at a wonderful clip with the bludgeon until he ran up against Scott Perry. At the time he was stopped by Perry he swatted off fifteen hits in thirty-two times at bat in ten consecutive games.

Championship Game Today. The city of Camden, N. J., U. S. A. has been accused of many things, but today is the first time it has been accused as the scene of a championship ball game.

Eddie Collins to Join U. S. "Teufel Hunden". Edward Troubridge Collins, citizen of Camden, N. J., is going to join the U. S. "Teufel Hunden" in the next few days.

Most Golfers Poorly Taught. Chick Evans believes Pros Try to Teach Too Much to Novices. There are times when I have a very strong feeling that many players are sadly overreaching themselves in their efforts to absorb useless and unnecessary intricate methods of play.

Why Bout Was Called Off. The action of James F. Dougherty in calling off the bout between Billy Miske and Billy Miske, scheduled for August 20, was the only thing that could have been done under the circumstances.

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THE FIRST HUNDRED YEARS ARE THE HARDEST



DODGERS BLANK PHILS IN FIRST

Grimes Outruls Oeschger in Opening Tilt at Ebbets Field. The Dodgers were blanked by the Philadelphia Phillies in their first game at Ebbets Field.

ROBINS MAKE FOUR RUNS. The Robins made four runs in their game against the Athletics.

PHILS LEAD IN SECOND GAME. The Phillies led in their second game against the Dodgers.

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WALTER JOHNSON BLANKS MACKMEN

Schulte Scores Lone Run of First Game on Lavan's Single. Walter Johnson blanked the Athletics in his first game at Ebbets Field.

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SEASON'S RECORD FOR CONSECUTIVE HITTING IS MADE BY WHEAT

Zach Pounded Out Safe Bloats in 26 Games in Row, Total 48. George Sisler Features Week's Batting, Getting Five Hits in Single Contest.

ZACH WHEAT set a new major league record for the present season by hitting safe in twenty-six consecutive games to date. An odd feat but for reasons of his own hitting—all western clubs—during which he got forty-eight hits in 148 tries, for an average of .444.

Table with columns: Player, Club, G, AB, R, H, SB, Avg. Lists batting averages for various players like Fisher, G. A. H., Jackson, etc.

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HONOR POINT BREEZE RIDERS

To Raise Service Flag at Races Tonight. The Philadelphia Cricket Club will raise a service flag at the races.

MRS. HAMMER WINS

Flushing Gopher Beats Miss Cushman at Sheneocott. Mrs. Hammer won the Flushing Gopher tournament.

SARATOGA RESULTS

Joe Phillips Triumphs in Hindin's Lightweight Beats Koons in Cambria Feature. Joe Phillips won the Hindin's Lightweight race.

SHIBI PARK

Baseball Today. Shibi Park will have a baseball game today.

Point Breeze Motordrome

Point Breeze Motordrome. The Point Breeze Motordrome will have a race today.

SUITS \$1.80

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