

WITH BURNS, WALKER AND ROTH IN LINEUP, CONNIE HAS TRIO OF REGULAR FENCE BREAKERS

ROTH MAY BE ADDED TO HOME-RUN TWINS

A's Likely to Produce Circuit-Clouting Triplets in Captain Bob, Burns and Walker—Tilly Finds Bleacher Range for First Time

By EDWIN J. POLLOCK

GEORGE BURNS is laboring for C. Mack under a large and grave handicap, and that probably explains why the Titan has gone through seven games without computing the home-run range correctly.

All last season Burns batted down south of Tilly Walker and profited by his examples. When Tilly found the sphere into the left-field bleachers it was almost an even-money bet that George would repeat. It happened so often that they were nicknamed the home-run twins.

Third year, with the insertion of Captain Bobby Roth, Mack has switched his batting order. He hasn't split the home-run twins, but he has Walker slugging at No. 5 with Roth at No. 3 and Burns sandwiched between them. George has lost the benefit of Walker's target.

Up to Roth It's now up to Bobby Roth to get the young Mack first baseman into the home-run mood, and Captain Robert is very likely to turn the trick. He is not reputed as a great home-run slugger, having hit only fourteen circuit clouts in his three and a half years of big league ball, but seven of those drives were made against A's pitchers at Shibe Park.

If Roth comes through Mack will find himself the guardian of home-run triplets instead of twins. Bobby hasn't come through yet, but you can't expect a man to make good before he starts. A few more home runs will be much better time to pass judgment.

Tilly Walker registered his first home run of the season yesterday, but it missed being the initial four-ply wallop four innings. Jim McAvoy snatched the laurels in the fourth inning against Penn and Walker came through in the eighth. Walker's hit, however, went into the bleachers on the fly, while Mc-

DESCHGER TO WORK AGAINST SENATORS

Jacobs and Woodward Also to See Service in Final Southern Game Today

WALTER JOHNSON TO PITCH

PHILADELPHIA. Judge, 15. Callahan, 16. Miller, 16. Baird, 16. Miller, 16. Lofgren, 15. Williams, 16. Adams, 16. Gady, 16. Jacobs, 16. Woodward, 16. Deschger, 16. Umpire—Nick Altrock.

Charlotte, N. C., April 12.—The Phils and Washington got all of the breaks today so far as the weather was concerned and were able to play a ball game. A chilly wind blew across the field, but the sun was shining brightly, the natives turned out to see the contest and that was enough.

The playing field still was rather moist, which furnished a good excuse for slow playing and numerous errors. Jack Coombs decided to use his three very best pitchers, starting with Jacobs and following with Deschger and Woodward. Deschger, Griffith opened with Hovick, once recommended and rejected by the Phils, with Matteson, a former Phil hurler, and Walter Johnson following.

This is getaway day for Coombs and his athletes. They will leave tonight at 9 and hope to arrive in Philadelphia some time tomorrow.

BROWN PREP AT SHORE

Dungan on Mound Against Atlantic City High

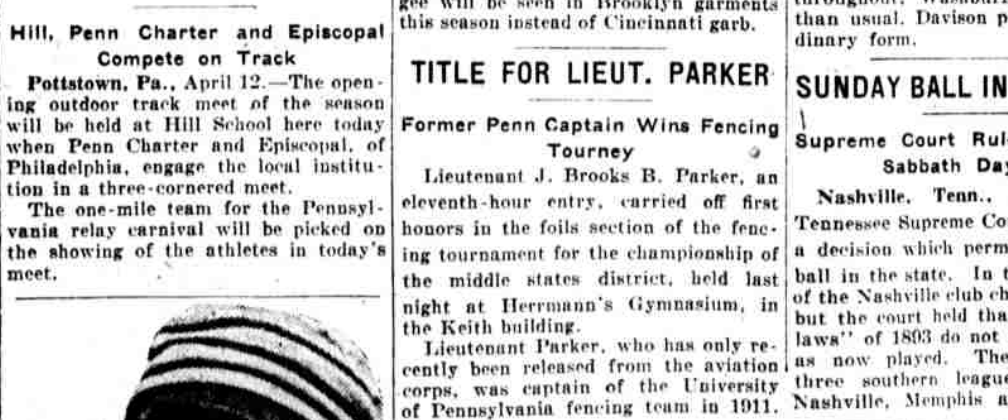
Atlantic City, N. J., April 12.—Brown Prep opposed the Atlantic City High School here this afternoon. It was the opening game of the season for both schools.

Brown put Dungan in against the Shore tossers. Dungan made an excellent record last year and is again pitching good ball this season. Brestett is his battery mate.

MONDAY'S RACING ENTRIES

Table with columns for AT BOWIE and AT HOT SPRINGS, listing race numbers, horse names, and jockeys.

THE A'S SAGE AND A FEW OF HIS PUPILS



RAY BATES Hard-hitting third baseman who notified Connie Mack that he will report in a few days. Bates was service in France and has just been discharged from the army.

GERMANTOWN HIGH TAKES FIRST PLACE

Interscholastic League Tie Broken When Clivedens Defeat West Philadelphia and Central Downs Frankford.

QUAKERS IN THE LEAD

By PAUL PREP GERMANTOWN High School and Penn Charter are leading the Interscholastic and Interacademic Leagues respectively as a result of the games played during yesterday's rain.

The tie for first place in the interscholastic league between Germantown and Frankford was broken when the Clivedens won their third straight league victory by downing the champion West Philadelphia nine, while Central High was heading Frankford its first official defeat.

Penn Charter and Episcopal were docked for first place in the Interacademic League previous to yesterday's game. The Quakers, inspired by the splendid twirling of Breslin, waded into the slants of Williams for ten hits and eleven runs. Episcopal's eight errors proved very costly.

Penn Charter lost the services of Reed, their star right fielder, for part of the season when he sprained his ankle sliding into second base in the second inning.

Poor support, however, cost him the game. The Speedboys made six misplays. Gibson gave but two hits, two singles by Smith.

Frankford's defeat at the hands of Central was quite a surprise, as the suburban lads had been playing fine ball and won two games. Central had lost two games. The Crimson and Gold players, however, seemed suddenly to find their battling eyes and hit Grand's delivery for fourteen hits. Russell and Graves each had three. In addition the Frankford players gave their pitcher erratic support.

Girard Tennis Plans Following the Central High School match the Girard team will meet Northeast High May 3. Next comes a match with George School May 3. The 10th and 17th of May are still open to any of the local high schools, but on May 24 a meet will be held between Girard and Swarthmore Prep at the latter's courts. May 31 is also open. On June 7 a match with Frankford High has been arranged followed by one on June 14 with Williamson Trade School. Both of these last meets are held at Girard.

SHIPYARD SOCCER TEAMS IN FINAL GAME TODAY

Shipyard League New York vs. Meohant B. at Third street and Lehigh avenue. Referee, George Young.

Recreation Championship Westmoreland Team B vs. Westmoreland Team C. at Fifth and Westmoreland streets. Referee, Hugh Kerr.

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COLLIE SHOW TODAY

Large Entry for Annual Interstate Club Exhibition The Interstate Collie Club will hold its annual show today at the Continental Hotel.

A large number of entries have been received from various collie fanciers from this and neighboring states. The rating will be on a five-point basis and all the leading circuit winners will be on exhibition. The first, second and third in all the classes will receive money prizes as well as the customary ribbons, in addition to money awarded for special classes.

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TODAYS SCHOLASTIC GAMES AND YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Table listing baseball games and results between various schools like Brown Prep at Atlantic City High, Haverford School at West Philadelphia High, etc.

STANDING OF TEAMS

Table showing standings for the Interscholastic League and Interacademic League.

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TORRESDALE CLUB TO ADD NINE HOLES

Donald Ross Plans to Carry Out Changes in Present Links

WILL START THIS YEAR

By PETER PUTTER The Torresdale Golf Club is the latest of the nine-hole courses to increase the links to eighteen holes, and following the action of Gulph Mills, Whitetown, Riverton and other clubs, Donald Ross will come here not only to plan the new nine holes, but to make changes in the present course.

Three of the new holes will be built this fall and the rest probably will be constructed next year, although the club may decide to build the entire nine before next spring. This was decided on at the annual meeting of the club held a few days ago.

The reports of the treasurer and other officials showed that the club is in splendid financial condition and, with the addition of the new nine holes, the club will have one of the most interesting golf courses in the Philadelphia district.

There are sixty-three acres in the present property and a subdivide made up of members of the club have bought the adjoining property of fifty-eight acres. The creek running through the present course is used as a hazard on several holes, and another creek on the new property will be used so that it will guard several greens and trap three of the holes.

There are 101 active members, and while the club has not mixed up in the interclub matches it is now in a position to do so and next year will make application to the Golf Association of Philadelphia to play in the suburban cup matches.

Thomas E. Coale is the president; William H. Whitshire, the secretary; and C. Wilford Middleton the treasurer. Mr. Middleton is chairman of the green committee and A. D. Acheson the chairman of the house committee. The club professional is J. W. Sawyer.

COURSE CONVENIENT

The course is bounded by the Bristol pike and Grant avenue and is about a ten-minute walk from the station. I am under the impression that George Sawyer, the professional at the Merion Cricket Club, laid out the present course. It is only a few years old and most of the members on joining had not played golf before. At present the greatest interest is shown in the ancient game.

The transformation of the Torresdale Golf Club into an 18-hole course materially cuts down the number of 9-hole courses in the Philadelphia district. Frankford, Overbrook and Lu Lu Temple are other courses which shortly will add another 9 to the present links.

Five years ago there were more 9-hole courses than 18 by a large margin. A year ago the number was about equal. Next year will be thirty-two courses, and there will be 18 and the others will have 9 holes.

The growth of the game has been such that as rapidly as a club can get possession of the extra territory the transformation begins. It is only a question of a few years before the 9-hole course, so far as this city is concerned, will be a thing of a past. The increased cost of golf has been such in the last five years that several of the 9-hole courses are charging as much money for membership as some of the 18-hole ones.

STEAMSHIP NOTICES

CUNARD ANCHOR

Table listing ship schedules for Cunard Anchor, including routes to Liverpool, Southampton, and London.

NEW YORK TO U. K. PORT

Table listing ship schedules for routes to U.K. ports, including Southampton, London, and Liverpool.

NEW YORK TO SOUTHAMPTON

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PHILADELPHIA-BRISTOL

Table listing ship schedules for routes to Bristol, London, and Liverpool.

QUAKERS FAVORITE IN TODAY'S RACES

Although Outweighed, Penn Varsity Crew Expected to Defeat Middies

FRESHMEN ROW FIRST

Annapolis, Md., April 12.—Intercollegiate rowing for the season of 1919 got under way here this afternoon, when crews representing the University of Pennsylvania and the Naval Academy contested in three races.

Admittedly the strongest of the college teams last season and with crews of equal strength and form this year, the event, though so early, is one of the most notable of the whole intercollegiate season. There will be three separate races.

The Navy plebes and Penn freshmen started the program, getting off at 4 o'clock. About twenty minutes later the Navy and Penn second crews will try conclusions, and the way will be cleared for the big event, the representative crews of the two institutions.

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CHARLOTTE BOYLE BETTERS RECORD

New Yorker's Time for 100 Yards, However, Will Not Be Accepted

HAD ONLY TWO TIMERS

New York, April 12.—Miss Charlotte Boyle, of the New York Women's S. A., national 100-yard swimming champion, covered this distance in the world's record time of 1 minute 5 1-5 seconds yesterday in the sixty-foot pool of the newly organized Carroll Club for Girls.

Unfortunately only two watches caught the performance, and a gun start was not used, so the feat will go unchronicled.

The world's straightway pool record is held by Miss Olga Dorfner, of Philadelphia, at 1 minute 6 2-5 seconds, and the standard for a fifty-yard bath is 1 minute 6 second, by Miss Fannie Durack, of Australia.

CAPT. WASHBURN BEATEN

Eliminated in London Covered Court Tennis by Davison London, April 12.—Captain Watson M. Washburn, of the American army, was eliminated in the semi-finals of the covered court tennis championship at the Queen's Club today by P. M. Davison, who is rated as among the best of the English covered court players. The score was: 6-0; 6-3; 4-6; 7-5.

The match was sharply contested throughout. Washburn volleying more than usual. Davison played in extraordinary form.

SUNDAY BALL IN TENNESSEE

Supreme Court Rules in Favor of Sabbath Day Sport Nashville, Tenn., April 12.—The Tennessee Supreme Court today reached a decision which permits Sunday baseball in the state. In the suit, forfeiture of the Nashville club charter was sought, but the court held that so-called "blue laws" of 1803 do not apply to baseball as now played. The decision affects three southern league cities: Nashville, Memphis and Chattanooga.

TITLE FOR LIEUT. PARKER

Former Penn Captain Wins Fencing Tourney Lieutenant J. Brooks B. Parker, an eleven-hour entry, carried off first honors in the foil section of the fencing tournament for the championship of the middle states district, held last night at Herrmann's Gymnasium, in the Keith building.

Lieutenant Parker, who has only recently been released from the aviation corps, was captain of the University of Pennsylvania fencing team in 1911.

SCRAPS ABOUT SCRAPPERS

JACK RUSSO, the always-moving Italian lightweight, will go against George Chaney in the National wind-up this evening. This will be Russo's first start against the slugging Baltimore boy and he hopes to surprise the hard-hitting one with his display of speed.

Two more Chaney's will be on the same card. Young Chaney, the boy who made such a fine showing in the inter-alleied tourney in London. He faces Charley Beecher in the semi-wind-up. Joe Chaney, a brother of George, opens the show against Billy Gannon.

Joe Marks entertains with Lieutenant Short, and Young McFarland engages Willie Hannon in the other bouts.

Frankie Britz hopes to duplicate his performance of a few months ago by regaining another victory over Willie Jackson when they clash in the main bout at the Olympia on Monday night. Acting Manager Lon E. Ralston, of the Olympia, visited the office again this morning to make it clear that JACKSON FORBIDDELY would appear.

Jack Weipstein will be seen in Eddie O'Brien's crowd when the semi-wind-up bouts on April 12. The aggressive pilot of the veteran will help direct a successful campaign.

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