## OUR ATHLETICS WORK ON THE THEORY THAT IT IS MORE BLESSED TO GIVE THAN TO RECEIVE

## PASSES, ROOT OF ALL BASEBALL EVIL, CAUSE DISASTER TO MACKS

Untimely Bases on Balls Give Athletics Shell-Shock and Yanks Game—Players Lose Battling Spirit by Pitchers' Continued Generosity

#### Robert W. Maxwell in Toledo to See Willard and Dempsey in Training

Robert W. Maxwell, Sports Editor of the EVENING PUBLIC LEDGER. is in Toledo to get a "close-up" on Jess Willard and Jack Dempsey in their training camps just outside the Ohio city. He will tell fistic fans of Phila-delphia just what the big "heavies" are doing, what their real condition is, what chance each has in the coming mix-up, and what each man thinks of his own physical condition and how the principals "dope out" their own

Mr. Maxwell is recognized as one of the foremost boxing authorities in America, besides having the happy faculty of presenting his articles in breezy, humorous way, which adds greatly to their interest without detracting from their technical value.

The first of Mr. Maxwell's series of articles on the Willard-Dempsey fight will appear in this column tomorrow

THE base-on-balls habit is the ruination of more games than any other feature of the pastime. Times innumerable games have been thrown away by unsteady pitching when a little better control would have turned the tide the other way. A base on bulls has about ten times the demoralizing effect on club as a base hit. In both cases the runner reaches first, but when he is given a pass the entire team has a tendency to develop the "give-up" attitude, which is fatal to spirited play. After several passes have been issued the players seem to feel that no matter how brilliantly they perform in the field their pitcher will neutralize their work by tossing away the game by the pass route.

In short, when passes become numerous the players on the defense show vamistakable signs of shell-shock. And they rarely ever get over it that nme. On the contrary, they usually get worse as the game proceeds.

Back in the halcyon days of the Athletics, when pennants were almost as frequent at Shibe Park as won games now, Connie's only trouble was the wildness of a few pitchers. During the seasons of 1913 and 1914, both flag years for the A's, there would have been no race at all if Mack had not had a few pitchers on his staff that couldn't locate the plate, thereby giving the opponents games that they would never have won otherwise,

Byron Houck and Carroll Brown were the chief offenders, and a glance t the records of those years shows that they were responsible for most of the

Even then Connic's bunch of great players would lose their grip on the ifuation when Houck or Brown began passing at the terrific clip for which they were noted. When a club composed of such men as McInnis, Barry... Eddie Collins, Baker, Oldring, Strunk and Murphy went in the air because of bases on balls it is not surprising that the present crop of players at Shibe Park should do the same thing to the nth degree.

WHILE lingering in the past we might mention that Carroll Brown made a world's record in Detroit one hot afternoon when he gave sixteen bases on balls, yet won his game. But that was something that happens only a few times in a century, so it isn't worth worry-

#### Pitchers' Wildness Invariably Starts Something

A GLANCE at the game yesterday on the Shibe lawn shows what bases on balls will do. The Yankees won the game 10 to 7. But they would have ost it by a big majority if Rogers had not lost the moral support of his clubmates by his untimely passes. In the second inning New York scored two ins. The first man up got a pass. In the fifth they counted three times, The first man up walked. In the eighth they scored two runs. The second an up waited and walked. In each of these incidents the man who drew be pass scored.

Identically the same thing happened on Tuesday, when the Macks lost to the Yanks 10 to 9.

It might be argued that errors yesterday contributed largely toward the Athletics' defeat. This is true. But it is also true that the chances are those errors would never have been committed if Rogers had been going along nothly and not disconcerting himself and his teammates by starting these fatal rounds with passes.

There were other events in yesterday's contest which were sad in the witnessing, but there have been so many such examples of what not to do in recently that it is hardly worth while going into detail when a club ores seven runs and then loses.

THE one big joy at Shibe Park yesterday was Bobby Roth's hitting.
The A's captain added two more to his long string of home runs. His circuit drive in the eighth inning went over the wall west of the left field bleachers, and in the ninth he stung another for a round tripper. This went into the bleachers. But that wasn't all. Roth got a double and a single, giving him four hits for a total of eleven bases in five times up. Peck, of the Yanks, slapped the ball into the bleachers in the fifth inning, thereby atoning for a bad boot he made in the fourth which allowed the A's to tie the count.

#### Quarrel Over Sicking Black Eye to Game

DROFESSIONAL sport is at least 50 per cent commercialism, but as has often been pointed out the public does not want to be told, either dietly or by inference that it is commercialism. A case in point was inplved in the argument between John McGraw and William F. Baker in w York yesterday. It will not benefit baseball in general and the National League in particular. We are not conversant with the merits of McGraw's ntention that he only loaned Sicking to the Philadelphia club. - But we ow that McGraw's statement that he sent the infielder to the Phillies only a short time to help Jack Coombs will emphasize the commercial of baseball most unpleasantly and give some folks the impression that the National League is some sort of a syndicate.

This proposition of loaning players does not sound right, and it should not countenanced. At this time the Giants are fighting hard for the pennant, and at the same time giving one of the enemies assistance and comfort. It gives the average fan a bad impression of the pennant race, and certainly, from New York standpoint, it is not only damaging but poor business. The fans of New York do not want McGraw to act the good Samaritan to any other ub in the league, no matter how poorly it may shape up. That is the lookof the owners of the club. The loaning of players should be permitted

in extreme emergencies. A case similar to the Sicking affair developed last year, and in that the Giants were the plaintiffs. George Smith was sent to Cincinnati, and er he had pitched a few good games and the Giants needed flingers, McGraw word to Garry Herrmann that he wanted his pitcher back. Herrmann d that he did not understand that Smith had been borrowedhe knew Smith had been released outright by New York. But McGraw was mant and Cincinnati sent Smith back. It is said that the pitcher later was loaned to Brooklyn. Jim Thorpe once was loaned to Cincinnati, too.

IT IS about time that the league put a stop to the practice, and put

Jack Lapp Helping Philadelphians on Diamond ACK LAPP, who at one time was the first-string catcher of Connie Mack's hampion Athletics, is now engaged in raising baseball to a high standard iciency among the amateur players of Philadelphia. While the amateur tyers here have always been good and the leagues and clubs numerous, a presence of the once-celebrated receiver is an impetus to the game among the

nger element of players that could not have been given in any other way.

His long experience at the national pastime has given Lapp a chance to orb about all the baseball knowledge there is, and he has shown in his work the youngsters that he is thoroughly capable of imparting this knowledge Lapp, at his best with the A's, was a demon smasher. He was a hitter for a long while and he had the fortunate faculty of sending his res to remote spots of the field for many extra bases. Although Lapp was oft-handed batsman, he hit left-handed pitchers with the same discon-

frequency that he did the right-handers. position behind the bat Lapp was enabled to become a careful student t pitching and batting, and this has helped him a great deal in his work he amateurs. He is quick to observe defects in the delivery of a young or in the batting position of a batter, and just as quick to suggest the remedy. On the whole, the younger players of Philadalphia are very te in having Lapp with them and the game will be played on a higher e than formerly under his direction.

APP has just reorganized the North Philadelphia Baseball Club. They have a new field and are auxious to meet all comers, having ady played Harry Duris's club and the Garfield Athletic Associations. In these games the North Phillies looked like a real balt, and it was easy to see that they had been laught baseball by a confidence of the majors.

#### WONDER WHAT A STENOG—TAKING DICTATIO N—THINKS ABOUT

HOPE HE DON'T SPRING A LOT OF LETTERS ON ME. BELIEVE ME'I AIN'T GOT NO BUSINESS TO By , DOWN TO WORK TODAY - - ROTTEN HEAD ACHE



I HOPE CLARENCE WILL TAKE ME OUT TONIGHT TO A MOVIE OR SOMETHING - 1 JUST FEEL LIKE GOIN' OUT FOR A BIG NIGHT



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I DO SAY IT MYSELF

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STAY HOME OCCASIONALLY

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STELLA FOR SOME GUM. IM NEARLY FAMISHED



## **64 HITS FOR PHILS** IN LAST FIVE GAMES

Coombs's Cripples Have Averaged Almost 13 Bingles Per Battle

By EDWIN J. POLLOCK

The Phils are on their way to the farthest point west in the parent circuit, and as far as Mr. John J. McGraw and the Giants are concerned they can go to break Norman Tabor's mile record of St. Louis and stay there for life.

Isle the Coombsmen copped a pair of any factor outside of his condition. games out of a four-set series with the Giants and snared an eighteen-inning feel that he could break the record he they scattered enough base hits around well as in any other walk of life. Coogan's Bluff and Flatbush to gain that way will not lose. he reputation of the greatest hitting Ray Confident club in the lengue.

Team Average .309

big town. Frederick slammed the ball yards in front of him, Ray will have at a .450 clip, getting nine hits out of to shatter a record to win. Any one formance will be of a better caliber and same number of bingles out of twenty- of men will feel that the little machine the record made by Tabor should not two tries for .409, and Adams ripped has a chance up until the race is really stand, but if Ray breaks it they canout six hits out of twice as many over, and it is known that he has failed. chances for an even .500.

There was no chance for the Giant on Ray they should do at least 4:12, the 800-meter and 880-yard records. hurlers to ease up at any time, for even as sixty yards in a mile is worth ten This will be in two races. the pitchers were taking clean cuts at seconds at least, and with it taken off Pearce every regular in the Coombs is worth more. line-up hit .250 or better.

the Phils plastered an 8-2 defeat on the great shape. While he did not do much, yards. McGrawmen yesterday. They slammed Jess Barnes and Pol Perritt for an even dozen hits and seemed to put over runs at will. Elmer Jacobs, despite a slight throughout. They hit him eight times, but with men on he tightened.

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#### MINORS ARRANGE SERIES

International and American Associa tion Champion to Play Games Baltimore, June 5 .- Jack Dunn auhere today that plans had en perfected for a post-season series

the American Association next October. Army Goes "Over the Top" West Point, N. Y., June 5.—Army beat Syracuse in a tight game yeglerday, 4 to 5. The cadets bunched hits in the third and errors helped them to the victory. White-ides pitched well for the Army.

the New International League and

Easy for George School Treaton High falled to score a point the tennis matches with the George Sch athletee on the latter's courts yesterd the Pennsylvania players winning. 5 to 6.

Cricket Title for Penn Charter Haverford, Pa., June 5.— The Penn Char er cricket sieven rolled up a total of 11 ms to the Haverford Juniors' 55 yesterda

## CONFIDENCE SHOULD AID RAY BREAK MARK

Sensational Chicago Runner Has Fine Chance to Break Tabor's Mile Record in Local Meet

ON WAY TO ST. LOUIS TWO SPEEDY PACERS

BY TED MEREDITH

WHEN JOIE RAY goes to the mark on Saturday in his attempt to 4:12 2-5, he will be as confident as any During their stop-off on Manhattan do with Ray's breaking the record as

battle from the Dodgers. The Phils not have a chance. A man does not have to be conceited, but he must may not have impressed Gotham and have a certain amount of confidence in Brooklyn fans as a great ball club, but himself to be a success on the track as man who says that I can win and feels

Fred Luderus, Cy Williams and Jack
Adams were the hitting fiends in the Crawford, of Lafayette, about sixty

Both Speedy Pacers

MAX MARSTON FIFTH

fever, held the McGrawmen safe Merion Star Six Strokes Above the High Jurmp and Javelin Throw Medal Score

Bridgeport, Conn., June 5.—The Bethlehem, Pa., June 5.—Lafayette best that Maxwell Marston, Merion, yesterday defeated Lehigh in a dual could do in the qualifying round of the Metropolitan Club championship was fifth place, six strokes above the gold Walker, Jr., captain of the Columbia University team and last year's Staten Island champion. He made 76-74-

Gardiner White, who won the eastern interscholastic championship in Philadelphia a few years ago, was low on the first round at 73, which proved a new local record, but in the afterno his driving went wild. He ended sec-ond with 73-79-152.

#### PENN NINE DEFEATED

Ninth Inning Rally Gives Columbia Commencement Game

New York, June 5.-Columbia celebeen perfected for a post-season series brated commencement day on South of games between the pennant winners Field with a victory over Pennsylvania, 7-6, that came in the ninth inning with the score tied from the fourth at 6-6. Schnaars proved himself the hero of the hour. He bunted safely and stole second on a wide throw to the plate by Sheffey. He advanced to third on a wild pitch and came home as the catcher hurled a short throw to Sheffey.

> Western A. A. Wants Game Western A. A. of West Philadelphi due to a misunderstanding is without game for this Saturday. First-class tean desired. Phone Woodland S417R betwee 6:30 and 7 p. m. H. E. Genn. 4819 Ced

Forty-eight American Stars Sail for France

New York, June 5.-Like Jason and his Argonauts sailing for the Golden Fleece that hung from the oak tree in the grove of Mars, fortyeight stalwart Yankee athletes sailed on the Great Northern yesterday in quest of the laurel wreaths of victory that will be awarded the victors in the big interallied athletic meet in the Pershing Stadium, Joinville le-Pont, near Paris, next month.

Included among the Great North ern's passengers were thirty-four track men, seven swimmers, two wrestlers, two boxers and three tennis players. The wrestlers, boxers and tennis players came very near being left at home, for yesterday morning a cablegram was received from General Pershing informing Colonel Johnson, who is in charge of the soldier team, that there was no need of sending any one except track men and swimmers. They were taken along, however.

Cripples have whaled the ball at the a good day and the right amount of Ray's race will be different from the

Ray will race his field, and the per-Williams collected the knowing the way Joie goes after a field really a race. Many have held that not kick.

Penn will try to break two records during the week. Davis, Landers, Smith Both of the men that are picked to and Haymond will be the team that The hitting was not confined to any do the major part of the pacing are Lawson Robertson will send after the particular group in the batting order. 4:22 milers, and with sixty yards' start 400-meter and 440-yard records and

The tape will be put up at both dis the ball. With the exception of Harry of the distance that they have to run, it tances in both races, there being but a few yards' difference between the 800 Ray worked out yesterday afternoon meters and 880 yards and a less differ-As a farewell to the ambitious Giants, on Franklin Field and looked to be in ence between the 400 meters and 440

#### TWO NEW RECORDS

Marks Bettered at Lehigh

track meet by a score of 841/2 to 271/2. Herrington broke the Lehigh high jump record, making six feet flat, and McWilliams, of Lafayette, broke medal score, which went to A. L. javelin record of that college and also made a new Middle Atlantic states intercollegiate mark when he threw the javelin 146 feet 6 inches.

#### FORDHAM WINS TENTH

Continues Winning Streak at Expense of Lafayette

Easton, Pa., June 5.—Lafayette lost the most exciting game of the year to Fordham on March Field yesterday afternoon by the score of 15 to 14, The Fordham team had scored nine straight victories when they came on March Field and Lafayette gave them the hardest fight of the series to round

Titular Tennis June 9 Hartford, June 5.—Play for the tennis championship of New England will begin at the Hartford Golf Club on June 9. Fifteen clay courts will be used.

Cornell Wallops Rochester Ithaca. N. Y. June 5.—Cornell beat Rochester at baseball yesterday afternoon by the score of 12 to 3. the same being called at the end of the eighth inning when rain threatened.

Shibe Park Today ATHLETICS vs. CLEVELAND Out,

# SHIPYARDS PLAN

Nearly Thirty Events Arranged for Track and Field Day on July 12

The Delaware River Shipyards Athetic Association has arranged the program and appointed committees for the big shipyard and track and field meet to be staged July 12. The location of the field will be determined at another meeting to be held tonight at the Hotel Adelphia.

Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded contestants finishing in first, each event except the relay race, tug of Scott Perry, and try another start. of winning teams. A pennant will be will break the record, and I believe he week, I could see that he had plenty win the greatest number of points will. Everything points to his having of running in reserve.

an average of almost thirteen hits per game, and they have scored a grand total of thirty-six runs, averaging a fraction over seven tallies per contest.

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The names, dates of employment and employment numbers of all contestants representing a shipyard in any contest shall be filed with Mr. G. C. Gourdeau, chairman of the subcommittee on eligi-bility, together with their entrance fee for each event in which they expect to participate not later than ten days prior to the meet.

#### TYSON BEST ATHLETE

Wins Annual Pentathlon Champion ship of Lower Merion School George Tyson proved himself to be the best all-round athlete of the Lower

Merion High School, and Lester Haws was a close second, when the annual pentathlon championships were held at Ardmore yesterday afternoon before a large crowd of students. Third place resulted in a tie between Purring and Migeot, who were also in the running for the title.

### THYE THROWS MILLER

Aspirants for Middleweight Honors Wrestle More Than Two Hours Portland, Ore., June 5 .- Walter Mil ler, of Los Angeles, claimant of the world's middleweight wrestling championship, was defeated last night by Ted Thye, of Spokane, Wash., after two hours and ten minutes of wrestling.



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## THREE SUPERSTARS HAVE ROOKIE'S MARK DURING EARLY GAMES

Pfeffer or Causey Have Won More Games Than Alexander, Johnson and Perry Combined, Which Bears Out "You Never Can Tell in Baseball"

#### IN THE SPORTLIGHT—BY GRANTLAND RICE

The Turn of the Game

Little Dreamer, in your eyes
I can see the old, old gleam Where the world of glory lies
Out the Happy Road of Dream;
In your eyes there leaps the flame
Of the future's star-crowned years,
Where the glint and glove of Fame
Lights the shadowed Night of Tears,

Littie Dreamer, you have heard Music in the Faraway; Sweeter than the song of bird Singing where you dream today, Echo of the bugle call— Of the rolling drum and fife Where the troopers storm the walls In the battle-swirl of life.

Little Dreamer, in the white Of the orchard's drifting snow, You have seen a fairer light Than the sun of June can show; And the blue sky overhead With its sweep of azure gleam, Looms all colorless and dead By the vision of your dream.

Little Dreamer, through the haze I remember dreams as succet. Back through many Yesterdays Out the way of weary feet; Just as you I saw the light Of the glory-world of gleam Led the vanguards of the fight Over laureled walls of dream.

Little Dreamer, I, too, knew In the old, old days of Truth, All the dreams that come to you, All the golden dreams of Youth; But today across the years

Looking back from Now and Then, I, within the night of fears, ... Dream that I am back again—

Back beneath the wide, kind sky, In the orchard, half asleep, Where the winds come dancing by, And the summer shadows creep; Just a Little Dreamer there, In my eyes the old, old gleam, As I wander free from care Out the Happy Road of Dream.

LOCATION YET TO BE NAMED THE Giants are bulging along toward another world series-and gosh, how they dread it!

> THE last word in misery-a duffer who, after missing eleven tee shots, I finally hits a good one, only to find his ball in a cuppy lie, where he has to use a niblick just the same.

As for July 1st

But tell me, what would Old King Cole

Ever have done without the Nineteenth Hole? When he came in grouchy and about to drop, And couldn't get a thing but a glass of pop?

second and third places, respectively, in observe the pitching records of Walter Johnson, Grover Alexander and

war, centipede race, horse-marine fight Records are queer contrivances. These three super-stars, altogether, and three-legged race, in which events haven't won as many ball games as either old Jeff Pfeffer or Red Causey, who gold medals will be given all members are not supposed to be wearing any chaplet of apple blossoms as they walk..

Ray says that he is in condition and ill believe he will break the record, and I believe he will. Everything points to his having of running in reserve.

WHILE all these alleged wrestling champions are squawking about the win the greatest number of points upon the scene. Caddock was the champion when he left for France, but most of the wrestlers appear to have taken his trip overseas with the A. E. F. as

AS A further proof of what Old Doc Force of Habit can do for a fellow, there's the case of one T. R. Cobb—

DEMPSEY is a great two-fisted fighter"—but if he can't get by that long, spiral left of—

## AMATEUR BASEBALL NOTES

The Avendale A. C. would like to hear from first-class teams having grounds. M. Nass, 344 Wolf street. The Clearfield A. A. wants Sunday games. James J. Forber. 3415 West Lippincott street. Belmar B. C., an eighteen-year-old fully uniformed traveling team, has the latter part of June and early dates in July open. Manager Parrel, 1526 Bailey atreet.

Ambler B. C., a sixteen-year-old travel-ing nine, would like to look games with teams of that age. F.X. Doris, 1329 North Eightsenth street. Auburn A. C. has June 7 and July 4 open r any first-class home teams offering a arantee. A. Landis, 1037 West Arizona Newton B. C. wants Sunday games, either at home or away. C. W. Johnson, 3716. The Haverford B. C., a fully uniformed seventeen-eighteen-year-old nine, wishes games. E C. Mullen, Haverford, Pa. th suburban teams offering a guarantee Alter, 3714 Brown street.

The Bacharach Giants, of Atlantic City, are desirous of booking the fastest teams in New Jersey and Pennsylvania. Lorrain Meicher, City Hall, Atlantic City, N. J. Farren B. C., a thirteen-fourteen-year-old traveling nine, wants games, Louis Dollarton 1765 North Bodine street.

