LON JOURDET, PENN COACH, DESERVING OF MIRACLE-MAN TITLE

Quaker Tutor Has Record Seething With Victories During Five-Year Stretch—Win Over Dartmouth Tonight Will Settle Race

BASEBALL FANS!

Just about six weeks from now the baseball season will be breaking in on us and you will be flocking to Shibe Park and Broad and Huntingdon to see what Connie Mack and Gavry Cravath have in the way of new and old baseball talent. Why not get a line on what's what before the season starts? Here's a tip to you:

BOB MAXWELL

Is on his way South to the land of the training camps. In a few days he will start telling you daily through these columns just what to expect in talent this baseball season. His articles will appear daily in the EVENING PUBLIC

FIVE years ago basketball at the University of Pennsylvania was at low ebb. Only fair teams were placed on the circuit and the sport was a financial loss The A. A. was losing money as regularly as the secretary of state is fired and conditions were as pleasing and as soothing as the rent ill. Then a new figure appeared on the well-known horizon and all the scenery was changed.

The team started to win games and grabbed off several championships. The freshman five caught the fever and dashed off victories like Joie Ray tearing off his sprint on the homestretch. The attendance began to pick up, and before they realized what was happening the basketball managers turned in some coin to the A. A. at the end of the season instead of holding up the athletic directors for some more money to pay bills. Of course, all of this wasn't exactly displeasing to the sporting bosses at the University. The other day the Pennsylvanian, the student daily on the Red and Blue

campus, came out with an editorial to the effect that this "figure" was a miracle man, and that just about hit it on the bean or something like that. It wouldn't take a heavy intellect to dope out that the particular figure about which we are writing this yarn is Lon Jourdet, coach of the Penn basketball team for the Jourdet has done marvels with basketball at Penn. He has given the Red

and Blue far more prestige in the sport than it ever had enjoyed. Not even in the days of Artic Kiefaber, Charlie Keinath and the rest of that famous quintet of ten or more years ago were the Quakers feared as much in basketball as they are now. And it's not hard to see the reason why. During the last five years Penn has won two championships, copped first

place in 1918-19, when the championship was not at stake, and finished high in the other seasons. Right now the Red and Blue is out in front in the inter-collegiate race by a wide margin, and one more victory virtually will clinch it. The Quakers take on George Zahn's Dartmouth five tonight and an easy triumph is expected. The Green has an inexperienced tenm and has not done well in the league games. However, the New Englanders are improving. If

Penn wins tonight it will be the seventh consecutive league triumph, and that

means that Yale must win all its remaining games and the Quakers lose theirs for the race to end in a tie. This is very, very unlikely. BESIDES the championship, Penn also will land permanent possession **B** of the Heppe cup, which has been up for competition for ten years, if Dartmouth is beaten tonight. This is just about enough to make the

Jourdet Knows Human Nature

Quakers fight as they never fought before to land the verdict.

THE secret of Jourdet's success is not in his knowledge of the game, although what he doesn't know about basketball isn't worth knowing. His success is not entirely due to his method of coaching, either, although this also plays a large part. A man could know the game thoroughly, possess the ability to teach clearly and yet not be able to reach the heights of consistent winning. The ager of the Pittsburgh National League secret of the victories attained by Jourdet is in his personality.

The Penn coach knows human nature as few are fortunate enough to know it. He makes a study of the individual and plans his methods accordingly. Some men he knows need encouragement in the way of praise, and he gives it to them thick. Some produce the best under the whip, and he rides them hard. Others he lets play their own game, pointing out their errors in a mild manner. Added good material from which to draw, State to this, Jourdet has the indomitable fighting spirit of Bob Folwell, the old fight expects to put a team on the field that that never knows defeat, and this is imbued into the play of the Quakers.

Jourdet jumped into coaching fame shortly after he graduated from the stitution this year.

University. That was in 1913. He was signed as basketball coach in 1914. One of the most and although he didn't break into the championship class immediately, his college, baseball, dropped on to a great extent during the war, and a great extent during the war, and a great comeback ir expected this year. Bezdek has had his battery men working in doors for the last two weeks, and on down to these

DENN is fortunate in having a man like Jourdet. More of his kind would place the Red and Blue on a much higher level in athletics.

Abe Attell Was Champion Four Years and Six Months WANT you to decide a bet for us," said the spokesman of a committee of

three fistic information seekers in the sports sanctum sanctorum the other "How long was Abe Attell featherweight champion? I have noticed by the papers time and again where Abe was supposed to have been the titleholder for something like twelve years. The party of the second part says that dope is all wet, that Attell was chambion for only four years. Who wins?" All of which brought up a very good and interesting question, the answer

to which will put a lot of fans straight on just how long Attell, known as the star and captain of last year's nine:

fox of the featherweights, really was the titleholder. Delving into statistics Lightner, Killinger and Grubb are all matter of four positions, in all my specified by Tone S. Andrews recognized the really was the titleholder. compiled by Tom S. Andrews, recognized the world over as one of boxing's best authorities, it is pointed out that Attell never defeated any one for the feather-Back in 1901-on November 28, to be exact-Terry McGovern was knocked

out in a bout for the featherweight crown by Young Corbett, the climax of the contest occurring in the second round. The bout was held at Hartford, Conn., and the weight governing the contest was 126 pounds ringside. The same year both Corbett and McGovern entered the lightweight class, and it was early in 1904 that Attell claimed the championship at 122 pounds, the recognized weight Harry Forbes disputed Attell's claim, and just to prove that Abie was right

Harry Forbes disputed Attell's claim, and just to prove that Abie was right the former was stopped on February I. 1904, at St. Louis in four rounds, Previously, that is, from 1901 until 1903, Forbes was recognized as the bantam champ, from the time McGovern had outgrown that division until Harry was put star, will be strong candidates for the straight any longer, so the wrists not away in two rounds by Frankle Neil at San Francisco. Then, here's where the intricacy of Attell's championship comes in. On

October 13, 1904. Abie was given such a severe lacing by Brooklyn Tommy Sul livan that the contest, which was staged in St. Louis, was stopped in the fifth round to save Attell from further punishment, all of which gave the Brooklyn person a technical knockout. Also, this victory entitled Sullivan to the chain-It was on April 30, 1908, at San Francisco, that Attell got a chance to refleen himself against Sallivan, and this time Brooklyn Tommy was knocked

for a gool in four rounds, so that once more Abie was recognized as the featherweight champion From that time until February 22, 1912. Attell defended the championship successfully until Johnny Kilbane was rendered a referce's decision at the finish of twenty rounds at Los Angeles, Calif. . . . TAKEN all in all, Attell was recognized as champion for four years and

six months, including ten months in 1904, from the time he claimed the crown until he was stopped by Kullivan, and from the date in 1908 when he reversed the verdict against Brooklyn Tommy until he was outpointed by Kilbane.

Grand and Glorious Golf-Seeing Voyage

NOW comes the data that a Boston concern is planning something unique, as they say, in the annuls of sport. This company wants to gather a large company of golfers and fans to make a trip abroad to see the British championships, play the English courses, root for the American players, take a peep at the battlefields of France and Belgium and have a holiday in general. The rate will be considerably less than the regular "civilian" tours, and there will be considerable of liberty for the party to do as it pleases, though arrangements will be made to have open to them the privilege of playing the various British courses. It is planned to split the party, which will leave the States about May 22, letting the golfers proper take in the British amateur and open and the rest go

on to France to survey the ruins where the divots taken up were houses and It now appears that Thursday's announcement of the six American women who were going to make an effort to lift the ladles' championship of Great Britain

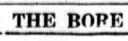
was only a starter, for already rumors begin to float of other women players considering the trip, as well as a number of amateurs and other pros than Jim Barnes and Walter Hagen. Francis Onimet, one of the two leading American amateurs, has not yet

stated definitely whether he will go or not. But his caddy, Eddie Lowry, has no

"Mr. Quimet is going over," announces this personage simply.

Anyhow, it is known that Ouimet was considerably dissatisfied with his showing the last time he went over. He failed to make much of an impression in the British amateur, though he won the French championship. Ouimet is impatient to make a real showing in the land of "Cheery-O." and if business and other things pan out so that he is able to take out the time there are few who doubt that the American star will be breasting the briny waves 'long 'bout

OUIMET went to England last time as twenty-year-old amateur who had beaten Vardon and Ray. His arrival, his every move, the things he ate, the clubs he carried, what he wore, what he said, all these things were spread at some length in all the British papers. When he went to the first tee for his opening salute to a foreign links thousands were packed around. The prodigy of the day proceeded to make the shot which, more than anything else, makes him want to go back this year to show what he can do. This shot was well written up. For the great net Just barely hit his first shot at all, and on the shank of his club.





REVIVAL PLANNED

Hugo Bezdek Has Many Veterans Ready to Battle for Positions This Spring

State College, Pa., Feb. 28.-Hugo Bezdek, for the last two seasons manbaseball team, and now athletic director at Penn State has taken the initial steps in the formation of the college nine will make baseball history for the in-One of the most nonular sports at the

doors for the last two weeks, and on Monday he will issue his call for the

vear, and the only wes with Pitt at Pittsburgh.

outfield veterans who are back in col-lege this year. Bill Mullan, basketball Veteran outfielders. Killinger is also working out as a backstop, and Brumbaugh, former freshman captain, will push him for the job.

All of them look good and are

third sack job.

LEFT ARM FOLLOWS STRAIGHT WITH CLUB

"Bring It Right Through on a Line Toward the Hole," Says Max Marston—Explains His Golf Primer, Which Is His A B C of Links.

By SANDY McNIBLICK



shots out of his own "golf primer."

He has made up his own "A. B. C.'s" of the game and here they are:

remaining positions.

The season will onen with a tilt with Vale at Washington, D. C., the first game on Penn State's annual southern trip. Two eastern trips are planned this beautiful and content of the property of the planned this beautiful and content of the planned this plan mane on Penn State's annual southern trip. Two eastern trips are planned this vear, and the only western game is with Pitt at Pittsburgh.

Bezdek has a great wealth of infield material, with at least two veterans for every position. Speed and heavy-bitting ability are strong points for all controls veterans who are back in column to the bases his game are, therefore, the more surprising.

matter of four positions, in all my shots. When I swing back from the ball my left arm is straight as far back as it will go. That is one position. The second is reached by bending push him for the job.

In the pitching line are Gramley, a veteran of two years' varsity experience. Hunter, Thomas, McCollum and Trap-

"On the forward swing I follow radually working into condition.

Frank Wolfe, Livingston and Knapp have bids in for the first base job, and Mearkle and Cautain Korb are sure to When I have reached the farthest point urally 'break' and I am now in posi-

MARSTON, | tion 4, which is the finish of my follow won more golf through. "This is the A. B. C. of my swing." continued Marston, "and I believe the tournaments than most important part is the follow any other player through. I bring a straight left arm. any other player in the country, after the ball is hit, right through on a and who has for years ranked a line towards the hole. Any going off years ranked a that line will spoil the shot."

"first ten" position, plays all his "golf primer."

his own "A. B. Come this he began playing his left foot with home there are structured by the pright in advance of the right. It is

He has made up his own "A. B. come this he began playing his left foot is of the game and here they are:

A. Backswing slow.
B. Eye on the ball.
C. Follow through straight with the eft arm straight.

"I have brought my whole game to these three fundamental down to these three fundamental wiles," said the national star research, "and if I am going wrong I below to play with the right foot formula, "and if I am going wrong I below to play with the right foot formula, "and vivial are back from last year."

"A. Backswing slow.

Entee. Boyle. Thomas Kennedy. Mc-Call and Jamison. Three of these men. McGovern. Cella and McEntee, have nitched before on the Catholic High team.

The catchers are headed by Cantain Inke Kennedy. Others are Toland, Vivial. George O'Beien. O'Neil, Max-connell, A'dworth and Kerns, Kennedy and Vivial are back from last year.

his irons because the shot is made on the downward swing of the club, while in driving the ball is nearly off his left phia. heel. This is to get it away clearly almost as the club is coming up.

"I believe," explained the New Jersey champion. "that the heart of the punch in a gelf shot is in a slow backswing. If a player comes back fast, he had all level and her straight and the healt but.

not only loses his sight on the ball, but he takes all the life out of his shot. the has got to make another shot from there. He has used up the vigor of his shot before he has made it. The reatest power and speed of the clubcad must be in coming down and it's ot there if it's all used up going back, when it's not needed."

Marston likened his follow through

somewhat to that of a tennis player. He demonstrated, holding his club in his left hand only and going straight through as a left handed tennis player would play a back hand shot.
"I consider the part of the stroke after the ball is hit," he said, "as the most important. Follow through

makes for a good shot or a bad one.

R. C. H. BASEBALL

Nineteen Batterymen Begin Indoor Practice in Gym at Broad | operate. and Vine Streets

Answering a call issued by Coach William Ferguson, nineteen batterymen of Roman Catholic High School re-ported for practice in the auditorium. This is the largest sound that ever turned out for any Catholic High School

Twelve of this big squad are asnirants for nitching jobs, while the remainders are catchers. The nitching candidates are Butrus, O'Connor, Retter, Crawley, Laughlin, McGovern, Cella, McEntee, Bayle, Thomas Kennedy, Mc-

and Vivial are back from last year,

The bayeball schedule follows:
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Salle away: 6th. Germanton High home:
14th reserved 15th. 8: Joseph's Praawa: 16th. Southern High home: 20th.
Vilatova Prep. away: 23c West Philadelphia High, home: 27th. West Philadelphia Cathile High, home: 30th. Frankford High Cath id High, home: 5th La Satte away May 4 Norteast High, home: 5th La Satte home: 7th, Germantown High, away: 11th Central High, away: 12th, St. Joseph', Prep. home: 18th Vilatiova Prep., home 11st. West Philadelphia High away: 25th West Catholic High, away: 26th, reserved West Catholic High, away: 26th, reserved

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IT'S HIGH TIME MACK

INTRODUCED NEW TURN

Sport Never Offered More Startling Upheaval Than

Connie's Record of Five Good Teams and Five

Very Bad Ones During Last Ten Years

By GRANTLAND RICE

A ND in the spring the young recruit's fancy lightly turns to beating the veteran out of a job.

You might also add that in the spring a livelier batting eye comes upon the burnished athlete before the pitcher has the justly celebrated Hop to His Fast One fully adjusted.

The Lucky 400

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The lightly turns to beating the present general tendency to speak as though our second-rate group of wrestlers today could compare with Gotch. Within the last twenty years there have been three champions who have stood far shead of the field of champions—Ty Cobb in batting, Willie Hoppe in billiards and Gotch in wreating. These men have shown a class that lifted their championships above doubt.

A TRIFLE more than 400 major league ball players, including quite a few who won't be major leaguers very many weeks, will be on their way to Dixie within the next twenty-four hours.

There was a day when each manager expected to find at least two or three promising candidates in his list of youngsters, but this season the number doubt.

I saw Frank Gotch in all of his principal matches, and I am convinced that after he reached bis top form and gained the champiouship that no man on the face of the earth could throw him in 100 years' trying. Both Hackenstein the present crop of wrestern than the present crop of wrestern than the present crop of wrestern. youngsters, but this season the number of recruits who will break through the barrier will be far below the average. There seems to be a case of Stand Pat all through both leagues, largely for the reason that new talent has become extremely scarce, much after the manner of everything else except strikes and rent

Which reminds us how lucky these 400 arc. Think what it would mean to a nation if every citizen could take the month of March off to get in fine physical shape for the big drive ahead. C. Mack's Amazing Record

Such debates as this can never be proved, but I would like no easier thing than a chance to bet that Gotch could throw any five of the present day con-WHERE will 1920 land the amazing Mr. Mack, of Philadelphia? This query arises from his amazing record of the last ten years.

Sport has never offered such a startling upheaval as this accounting:

1910—American League pennant;

world championship. testants in one evening and never even be in danger. It seems to me a pitfful partime to try to detract from the few really great champions there have ever been.

W. W. D.

1911-American League pennant; world championship. 1912-Strong contender for American League pennant

1913-American League pennant; 1914-American League pennant. 1915—Bad last. 1916—Bad last. 1917—Bad last. 1918—Bad last. 1918—Bad last.

Having divided the ten years into equal portions of success and failure, it is now high time that Mr. Mack was introducing a new turn. Championship ball clubs are not built in a day, but a capable, experienced manager should be able to finish a point or two above last place with five years in which to operate.

DEAR SIR—I was very glad to read your paragraph on Frank Gotch. I have been much annoyed by

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 28.— "Rill" Roper, who last full coached the Tiger eleven that tied Harvard

10 to 10 and defeated Yale 13 to 6

in the bowl at New Haven, has

signed a two-year contract to coach the 1920 and 1921 Princeton

elevens. The official announcement of Roner's retention as the Orange

and Black mentor was made today

after a meeting of the Board of

Roper at present is living in Phil-

adelphia, where he recently was

elected a member of the City Coun-

It was also announced that

"Red" Gennert, center on the 1917

team and coach of last autumn's un-

defeated freshman team, will return

to Princeton this fall as coach of

Rolled on Keystone Alleys February 27

MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE

on Costa's Alleys February 27:

the 1924 freshman eleven.

Athletic Control.

"DOWN IN OUR ALLEY"

"Bill" Roper to Coach Tiger Eleven Again

First Hard Workout, for Which They Will Be Fed Well Today. Game Tomorrow

Wladeck Zbyzsko made no pretense of being the equal of his older brother and yet he has been fully able to hold his own with Lewis. Stecher and Caddock. I recall how Stanislaus Zbyzsko went through our list of also rans. I believe that it then took Gotch some six seconds to throw him and perhaps twenty-odd minutes to throw him a second time. In those days wrestlers did not become such weaklings that they

did not become such weaklings that they had to limit a match to a single fall.

Baker's Average

SN'T it true," questions a correspondent, "that Frank Baker has averaged more than .300 for his com-

Not quite. Baker, for his first 1000

Jimmy Co"les averaged more .300, but Jimmy belonged to

ball games up through 1916 averaged exactly .290. We have not figured out his full record since, but it is not sufficiently high to lift him into the .300

another period as he was at his prime twenty years ago. Heinie Zimmerman averaged .302 for

his first 1000 games through 1916, but the Great Zim skidded a trifle later on,

THE next event on the program will

QUARTET SINGS FOR 85c

Lake Charles, La., Feb. 28.-Manager Mack allowed his pitchers to cut loose yesterday for the first time. Bill Grevell gave a great demonstra-tion of his curve ball, which pleased onnie.

Rommell took no part in practice be-cause of a slight attack of tonsi itis. Perry, who has had but little practice, is naturally sore and stiff about the The players are taking advantage of

all diversions offered.

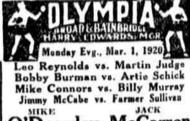
Murphy and Kinney left at noon yesterday on a shooting trip with sev-eral hotel men in quest of quail. If they are lucky, a big quail supper will e served today.
Styles has organized a quartet of sougsters and their first spring training in the lobby of the Majestic Hotel today

resulted in a collection of eighty-five cents, which was taken up by Colonel Colvert, the hotel owner.

Manager Mack has prepared his line-

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New Haven, Conn., Feb. 28.—Yale defeated Dartmouth, 42 to 21, in an intercollegiate League busbetball game here last night.



PENN MUTUAL Misses - Misses - Harris. 88 81 78 Wood'd 121 108 na Heng. 104 98 80 Lipp'tt. 76 90 8ullion. 54 Quinlen. 61 86 77 Totals 428 449 415 BASKET BALL PHILADELPHIA TRUST

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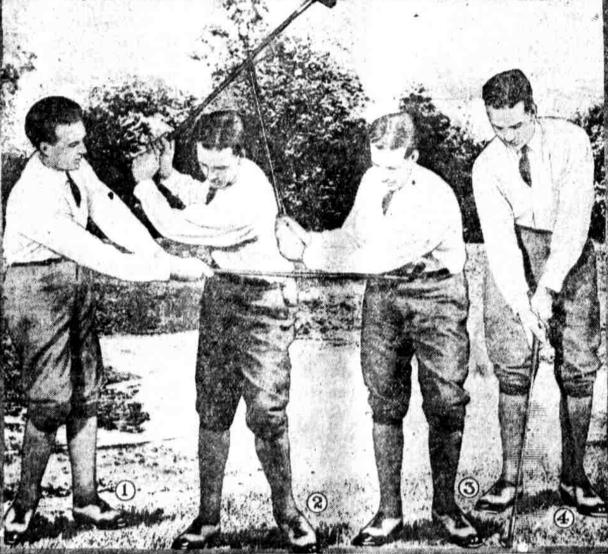
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MAX MARSTON'S MASHIE



New Jersey champion says stroke is matter of four positions of the arms. Fig. 4 is one with straight left arm at stance and impact. Fig. 2 is second when elbows bend with slight waist break and brings player to top of swing. In Fig. 3 he is breaking into forward third polition just before arms and wrists straighten. They then come back to break in follow through, after being straight, which brings to top of follow through in wooden or long iron shot. Fig. 1); finish of mashie, with straight left arm following through