

POOR OLD A'S CAN'T SEEM TO DRAW A GOOD HAND NOHOW IN GAMES WITH CARDS

TERRY AND CUTSHAW AROUND SECOND FORM BACKBONE OF PIRATES

Poor Weather Big Handicap to Gibson on Training Trip, but Pittsburgh Shapes Up as Fairly Strong Club With Lots of Good Pitchers

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL, Sports Editor Evening Public Ledger

Hot Springs, Ark., March 20.

THE only thing which interfered with the success of the first two weeks of training indulged in by the Pittsburgh Pirates was the weather.

George Gibson, the most recent manager signed by Barney Dreyfus, couldn't see the joke when asked to speak a few words regarding the future outlook of his most recent job.

"How do I know what those guys can do?" he demanded aggressively. "I take the pitchers and catchers down to West Baden, Indiana, for a week's workout, and what do I find there? A foot of snow on the ground and the temperature ten above zero (can ball players play under such conditions?) They can't."

Judging from those remarks, one would imagine Pittsburgh had an exceedingly bum ball club this year, but such is not the case.

GIBSON'S task should not be hard, as he has the team which was selected and groomed by Bedek and will begin their Ham left off.

May Use Whitted at Third

ALTHOUGH Gibson has thirty-eight players here, the youngsters will have a hard time winning a place in the regular line-up.

Whitted has been playing right field in the practice games, but nobody knows what will happen to him before the season starts.

Funny thing about that first base job in Pittsburgh. For sixteen years, Dreyfus has been seeking a first baseman, but he has never found one.

Bill McKeehan and Walter Barbara are putting on a battle for third, with McKeehan leading at the present writing.

The backbone of the ball club is the combination around second base, and Gibson has nothing to fear out there.

BARNEY KEARNS, a semipro from the coast, is working under a severe handicap, but he assured us he was in no way related to the perfumed manager of Jack Dempsey.

Lots of Good Pitchers

NOW comes the pitching staff, that unnecessary department which does not mean any more than 75 per cent of the strength of a ball club.

Frank Herwig, of Waterloo, Conn., who also was claimed by Connie Mack, is another likely looking prospect.

Gibson is not losing any sleep over his left-handers. His port-sided staff consists of ten young gentlemen named Willie.

Walter Schmidt leads the catchers, but he will have many assistants. Cliff Lee is back again, and Nig Clark, a wise old bird who was with the Phillies last season, is on hand to fill in when necessary.

AS WAS said before, Pittsburgh has a very good ball club this year, and may prove the dark horse in the pennant race.

SCRAPS ABOUT SCRAPPERS

AS SUPPOSEDLY tough guy is coming over from New York to stack up against Lew Tendler, the Terror, at the National Club tonight.

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Phil Glassman has been appointed matchmaker of a club in Harrisburg, Pa.

Pal Moore, of the famous family of Moore boxers, came back in great shape at Miami on Wednesday night.

Eddie Shelvin, Boston welterweight, is being coached at Dartmouth College.

THE GOLFER IN WINTER TIME



PENN PLAYERS OFF FOR WEST TODAY

Grave Unable to Make Trip for First Game Against Chicago Five

Penn's championship basketball players, minus one of their stars, will leave this city this afternoon bound for Chicago, where the first game for the collegiate title of America will be played.

Bill Grave, who played such a splendid game at center all season, is confined to the University Hospital with the measles and will be unable to play in any of the championship games.

Coach Len Jourdet is confident of winning the series, despite the loss of Grave, and all the players are determined to bring home a victory in the opening game.

The Red and Blue has a string of nineteen victories and no defeat this season. Chicago won the Western Conference title, but Coach Stagg's men have dropped two games.

Penn Defeats Columbia With Folds

Penn emerged from a fencing match with Columbia in Westport, N. Y., yesterday afternoon with a defeat and a victory.

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'Go' Long Now, Jess Willard, Doan Call Me No Names.

Lawrence, Kan., March 20. — A warrant for the arrest of Jess Willard, former heavyweight champion, for disturbance of the peace, was sworn out yesterday by Fred Logan, negro policeman.

Willard called him names for not giving up the road and challenged him to fight. Logan refused the challenge, he said, and took the matter to a justice of the peace.

MACKLETS WIN AGAIN

But 'Tis Sad Exhibition of Baseball "as She's Played"

Houston, Tex., March 20. — There does not appear to be anything in the way of a ball team in Texas that can stop the Athletics' youngsters, for yesterday they hung up a 5 to 2 victory on Houston in the first of a three-game series.

It was about the worst game the Macklets have played since they came South and Houston played even worse than they did.

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Silver Foils Handicap Golf

Pinehurst, N. C., March 20. — The first golf fixture to be played on the number four course was played at Pinehurst yesterday, when the Silver Foils held their March handicap match round on the new course.

TENNIS LEAGUES IN SCHEDULE SESSION

Appoint Committees to Prepare Cards for Coming Season at Annual Meetings

The Tri-state Tennis League and the Philadelphia Suburban Tennis League held their annual meetings at the Post-office Building yesterday and both appointed committees to prepare schedules for the coming season.

The much-delayed first and second round matches for the Allied Cup will also be played off today.

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More Than 300 Colleges and Schools Enter Penn Relays

The University of Pennsylvania's annual relay carnival, which this year will be held on April 30 and May 1, promises to eclipse all previous meets in the number of entries.

SOCCER LEAGUES TO RESUME PLAY TODAY

Will Stage Matches Regardless of Weather Conditions Here Today

After having been kept practically idle for the last nine weeks, with the exception of a few games that some clubs were able to squeeze in, due to the conditions of the playing fields from the ice and snow, the various soccer leagues in and around Philadelphia will resume activities this afternoon.

One of the strongest matches from a local standpoint, and one that will cause the local fans to scrutinize closely, is the fourth round of the National Cup between the Wanderers, of this city, and the Bethlehem Steel soccer team, the world's champions.

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51 ENTRIES IN BIG NATIVITY C. C. RUN

Five-Mile Event to Be Held Over Street Course in Kensington Today

The first annual handicap marathon run held under the auspices of the Nativity Catholic Club will take place this afternoon over a five-mile course starting at Belgrade and Madison streets, covering Allegheny avenue, Aramingo avenue, Clearfield and Richmond streets, and running over the course three times.

The run will start at 2:50 p. m. Ken rivalry is promised, inasmuch as the Meadowbrook Club will allow handicaps up to four minutes and forty-five seconds.

Practically the entire Meadowbrook Club team is on the back marks, only one man, Ramsey, of the Legion A. A., being among the last fourteen starters.

The men will start as follows: Harry Garvin, Shanahan C. C. H. H. Simmons, Legion A. A. G. Durkin, Nativity C. C. F. Reubert, Nativity C. C. E. Harter, Nativity C. C. George Bechtel, Mt. Vernon A. W. Deane, Nativity C. C. R. Wheeler, St. Monica's C. C. J. B. Corbin, St. Monica's C. C. E. Corbin, St. Monica's C. C. J. S. Pury, St. Monica's C. C. J. J. Coyle, Shanahan C. C. J. Hauman, Nativity C. C. H. Ward, St. Monica's C. C. A. J. Dougherty, Legion A. A. H. Ward, St. Monica's C. C. W. Deane, St. Monica's C. C. L. A. Martin, St. Monica's C. C. John J. McHenry, St. Monica's C. C. J. Diamond, Nativity C. C. J. A. McLaughlin, St. Monica's C. C. R. T. Yawer, Legion A. A. W. C. Hall, Shanahan C. C. F. J. Yawer, Legion A. A. J. M. Harvey, Meadowbrook Club. Leo J. Lynch, Legion A. A. D. Scrovi, Nativity C. C. C. F. Siegel, Meadowbrook Club. E. Bunting, Legion A. A. J. J. Callie, Legion A. A. F. J. Yawer, Meadowbrook Club. James Berlin, Shanahan C. C. Joseph Taylor, Legion A. A. Thomas Carney, Meadowbrook Club. George Williams, Legion A. A. Richard O'Rourke, Meadowbrook Club. L. H. Hill, Meadowbrook Club. J. E. Williams, Meadowbrook Club. Thomas Patterson, Meadowbrook Club. William Rittler, Jr., Meadowbrook Club. Alfred Turner, Meadowbrook Club. H. P. Siegel, Meadowbrook Club. George Williams, Legion A. A. Harry Kephart, Meadowbrook Club. James Morris, Meadowbrook Club. John G. Gorman, Meadowbrook Club. Herman Ackerman, Meadowbrook Club. Andrew Hiler, Jr., Meadowbrook Club.

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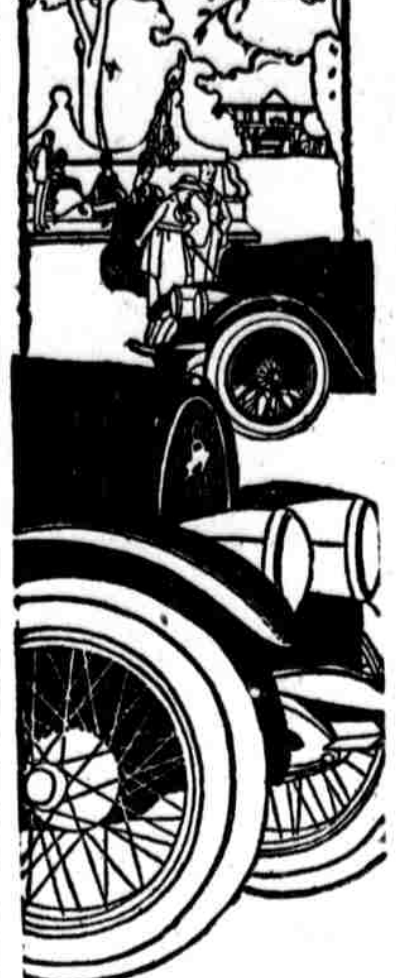
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