

THE PRESENT JAUNT TO LAKE CHARLES WON'T BE THE LAST TRIP SOUTH FOR SOME OF OUR A'S

GET THIS, ANGLERS CATFISH ARE WAKING

It's Early for Them, But They Can Be Caught With Hook and Line, and Neshaminy Creek Affords Good Sport

By W. E. MEEHAN
Superintendent of the Fairmount Park Aquarium.
CATFISH are moving and feeding. This means that anglers may now go after this blood thirsty and bullying race of fresh-water rangers with good chances of catching some with baited hook and line. It also means that the blooded another and a favorite fish has been added to the late winter fisherman's list.

Many Soccer Matches on Card for Today

HOHFELD CHALLENGE CUP
Semi-final Round
Hofffeld vs. Spellenburg, Fourth and Ninth streets, Referee, George Young.
ALLIED AMATEUR CUP
First Round
Walden-Shore vs. Disson Saw, Carlestown, Pa. Referee, J. Walters.

RAYMOND CROSS BACK IN PHILLIES' LINE-UP

Locals Play Trenton at Musical Fund Hall Tonight and Camden Meets Reading in Important Clash on Latter's Court

THE second half of the Eastern League basketball race is tightening up. The Trenton Tigers by their victory over Coatesville last night have advanced to a tie with Reading for first place and the Jerseyans are anxious to score another win over the Phillies when they play tonight at Musical Fund Hall, Eighth and Locust streets.

BUSY DAY AT TRAPS

Target Tests Listed by Clearview, Pace and Quaker City Clubs
Local and nearby marksmen will have another busy time today, although it is an "off-Saturday" so far as big shoots are concerned.

PEARSON BROTHERS MEET AT SQUASH

Clash in Semifinals Today for State Title—Wallace Johnson Plays Harry
The semifinal round of the Pennsylvania state squash racquets championship will be played this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Racquet Club, Sixteenth street below Walnut.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING
W. L. P. C. W. L. P. C.
German 19 3 230 Trenton 4 5 245
Camden 3 3 227 Phila. 1 8 228
Reading 4 3 215 Coatesville 2 10 167

TODAY'S SCHEDULE
Camden at Reading, Trenton at Philadelphia.

Hotel Windsor, at which time President Scheffer will discuss the player question with the managers. Earlier in the week he notified the various leaders that regardless of what has been done earlier in the season regarding the players under contract not appearing, that he intended to enforce the rules in the final month.

ATHLETICS OFF FOR CAMP

Connie Mack Leads Small Party for Lake Charles
Connie Mack and a small party of future greats left North Philadelphia yesterday on the 3:35 train for Lake Charles, La. The crowd expects to reach there on Sunday night and they will go via Atlanta to New Orleans and hence to the training camp.

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PRINCETON FIVE WINS

Brawler's Basket in Extra Period Wins Over Swarthmore
Swarthmore, Pa., Feb. 19.—The Princeton basketball five defeated Swarthmore by the score of 33 to 31. It took an extra five-minute period to decide the victors in the most thrilling contest staged here in many years.

NAVY ATHLETES BUSY TODAY

Annapolis, Feb. 19.—The Naval Academy will entertain a big party of New England athletes here tonight when the power of Boston A. A. team meets Quaker City in a United States Amateur Hockey Association game at the Ice Palace, Boston A. A. has won all four games and needs only one more win to clinch the championship.

HOCKEY GAME TONIGHT

Powerful Boston A. A. Meets Quaker City at Ice Palace
The field goals were scored for Trenton by White, 3; Norman, 4; Grinstead, 4; Kearns, 3; and Barlow, 3. Coatesville had ten baskets to its credit, going to Powell, 2; Fossitt, 2; Delglahn, 3; Brown, 2; and Wassner, 1.

SWARTHMORE SWIMMERS OUTCLASSED BY RUTGERS

New Jersey Mermen Swamp Opponents With 44 Points to 9
New Brunswick, N. J., Feb. 19.—Rutgers' swimmers completely swamped the Swarthmore mermen in a dual swimming meet here. Rutgers piled up a total of 44 points against 9 for the Pennsylvanians.

TIGER WRESTLERS HERE

Princeton Matmen Meet Penn at Weightman Hall This Afternoon
With one regular competing, Penn will meet Princeton in an intercollegiate match in Weightman Hall this afternoon. Captain Ashby, in the 158-pound class and intercollegiate champion, will be the only member of the team that competed against the Navy last week to see action. Ashby will wrestle in the 175-pound class because of the lack of material in that class.

Boots and Saddle

The Shreveport race meeting of thirteen days opens this afternoon in the Louisiana border town. The card consists of six purse races of \$500 value each, there being no claiming events. The size of the fields is limited, because of the narrow track, having been used heretofore as a fair grounds course only.

Gets Continental Franchise

At Lawson, president of the Continental League, today announced that while here will conclude arrangements for the franchise in the 145-pound class last season, will be unable to compete the remainder of the season because of scholastic difficulties. Bishop was counted on this year as a sure place winner in the championships, and his loss will be keenly felt.

Shall Germany or France Pay the War Bill?

If Germany doesn't pay, France must. In effect, this is the reply of a large section of the press of the United States to those economists who insist that the war bill presented to Germany by the Allies—226,000,000,000 gold marks payable in forty-two years, plus a 12 per cent. export tax—is more than that nation can pay.

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