# YOU CAN'T GET CHARLEY-HORSE AT CHESS, BUT THERE'S DANGER OF GETTING "BOARD" STIFF

TWO PHILLIE FLINGERS

## PHILLY REGULARS IN SHAPE TO DO HURLING

Meadows, Smith, Baumgartner and Hubbel Will Take Turns in Opposing Washington Club in Series Which Begins Tomorrow at Gainesville

By SPICK HALL

Gainesville, Fig., March 15. carrying more weight than Doc Miller THE early exhibition games of prescribes for an athlete, exhibited a neat brand of pitching. He didn't use the spring training season it is cushes to do the twirling. The rookies to do the twirling. The possible spring are generally slow to get in graps are generally slow to get in dition and sometimes they are undition and sometimes they are unditioned in spring to turn back the Yans except upon the occasion when Meadows counted. Hubbell, in spite of his avoiriupois, has a clean-cut motion. His footwork in the box is good and he utilizes his strength to the utmost in delivering the ball. Frank Bruggy, the Germantown basketball player, worked at second base for the Yans. He was the life of his team and kept the bleacherites in a constant uproar with his catchy lines. Bruggy hasn't had so much experience as a comedian as Nick Altrock, but he is a master hand at the game just the same. the spring training season it is cusilling to take chances.
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In the game between regulars and irregulars, Lee cut loose for the full five fanings. He tossed for the lesser lights and they held the varsity to a 1-1 tie. Meadows was using his hook about grery third ball and it was extremely effective. His fast one, too, was breaking well and he had the cook, was breaking well and he had the cook, was breaking well and he had the cook, was breaking well and he had the cook was breaking the cook of the cook of

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is a statement made public today.

He declared there would have been no

grand jury examination many important witnesses who were summoned

were excused without testifying.
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"This was explained by the fact that it was deemed wise to uncover only sufficient evidence needed for the indictments without disclosing all the evidence to the defense. Since the election the state's attorney's office has been swamped with criminal cases with the jails full of people awaiting trial. Naturally the state is not as ardently faterested in protecting baseball from gambling as it is in protecting its citients from criminals.

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"For that reason former Judge Charles F. Barrett was retained by the Amer-ican League as special assistant to the prosecution. All that he has asked is time to collaborate, to the end that sufficient new evidence shall be pro-

duced to insure successful prosecution of the indicted men.

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Coaches Donahue and Dougherty Work Out With 60 Candidates for 1921 Nine

Today's Cage Games

Media High at Bryn Athyn. Bristol High at Collingswood High. YESTERDAY'S SCORES Catholio High, 20; Uguer Darby High, 14 Collingswood High, 28; Central High, 24. Darby High, 27; Frankford High, 24. St. Joseph's Prep, 28; F. L. D., 20. Temple Prep forfelted to Brown Prep.

SCHEDULE FOR TONIGHT

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The schedule follows:

April 5. Philadelphia Normal (pending) at La Balle; 8, Chester High at La Balle; 14. Catholio High at La Balle; 15. Cheltenham High at Cheitenham; 18. Gloucester High at Gloucester; 20. Swarthmore Prep at Swarthmore; 22. Villanova; 228 Perklomen School at Perklomen; 26. Willmington Friends at La Salle; 29. Wes Catholic High at La Balle; May 2. St. Luke's; 4t. Temple Prep at La Balle; 6, St. Joseph's at St. Luke's; 4t. Temple Prep at La Balle; 6, St. Joseph's at Bt. Joseph's; 10. Villanova Prep at La Salle; 12. Catholic High at Catholic High; 47. Wilmington High at Wilmington; 20. Hidley Park High at Ridge) Park; 25. Radnor High at Radnor; 27 Willimington Friends at Wilmington; 30. St. Joseph's Prep at La Salle; June 3. West Catholic High at West Catholic.

Football Star Dying

controversy such as caused the postposement of the opening hearing yesterday until Thursday if the cases had
not been bungled when they first came
up before the grand jury. "It would be
a calamity to organized baseball if these
cases resulted in a flasco for lack of
widence." Johnson said, "because it
would embolden other players to take
chances.

"We have been handicapped by the
change in administration of the state's
attorney's office and by the congestion
of the Criminal Court docket. During
the grand jury examination many im-Lancaster, March 15. — Charles Stumpf, former star quarterback of the All-Lancaster football team, and former sergeant in the Railbow division, is dring at the Lancaster General Hospital. Stumpf was admitted to the institution several days ago suffering from an infection believed to have been caused by an internal injury received during a game. An abscess on the brain formed recently.

Baseball's First Fatality



however, feel confident that this year's aggregation will be much better and will be in the running for the title from the opening gong.

Eight league games are scheduled for La Salle, the first with Catholic High

Shrevepert, La.—Twenty-two of the Yan-ices squad bundled their equipment today and started on a five-day trip through the state, during which they will play Brooklyn and St. Louis Nationals and the Indianapolis American Association teams.

Bogalusa, La.—The St. Louis Browns will get their first major league work-out today when they open a two-game series with Brooklyn here. The Browns-will likely start the season with Bill Gleason, a recruit from

contender also in this race at six furlongs.

Horses in good condition in other
races are: First—Finnacle, Trumpet
Call, Bard of Hope; second—Talent,
Get 'Em, Jim Fogg; fourth—Velie,
Ford, Helen Lucas; fifth—Double Eye,
Sir William Johnson, Hope; sixth—
Jose de Vales, Hocnir, Ava R.

The Cuban Produce Stake, the second government-endowed purse at Havana, which is to be decided next Sunday, having \$10,000 added, is an innovation for Cuban racing in that only Cuban-bred youngsters are gligible. Due to the fact that the Cuban breeding industry is still in its infancy, the stake has attracted only nine nominations, which, however, represent the leading stables in that country. The eligibles are training well for the rich stake and every one of them is expected to start.

## MACKMEN LOSE DYKES AS CARDS COP GAME

Jimmy's Funny Bone Bumps Into One of "Dixie" Walker's Shoots—Perkins Subs at Second—Series Favors Athletics—5 to 3—Pitchers Improve

THE Athletics and Cardinals' series, and the center of enormous wealth but it is not yet a raging metropolis. In their frequent dashes to Orange, the in the American Leaguers' favor, following St. Louis' victory here yesterday in an eleven-inning game, 2 to 1. In addition to the loss of the game, the A's also have lost Second Baseman Dykes for several days, and maybe longer. While at bat in the eighth inning Dykes was hit on the elbow with one of Dixie Walker's inshoots, and it was some time before he recovered sufficiently to be assisted to the clubhouse.

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Yesterday Joe Dugan, who had breakfasted lightly prepared himself for a bountiful meal. He took a table near a window, stretched himself and wasn't afraid to follow his advice. You might think it unbelievable that a rookie catcher would not be eager to learn or have not the perkins, when he first joined the Macks. He knew that Connie himself to take tips from Connie Mack.

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biggest steak you have."
"Very sorry," came the reply, "but you will have to eat the steak with your hands. We have run out of knives and forks." Cy Perkins had to get back into uniform and finish the game at the key-stone sack for the Mackmen, as no other infielders had taken the trip. Louis won the match on rallies ninth and eleventh innings. in the ninth and eleventh was the We'ch's homer in the seventh was the Athletics' only counter, but Hornsby's Athletics' only counter, but Hornsby's ait in the ninth scored Fournier, dead-

locking the score.

An error by Galloway gave the Cards their second and final tally of the game in the eleventh. Roy Moore was the Catchers Now Smaller

Rommel All Baseball

Big Ed Rommel is the life of the Mack Camp. This young man is almost unrestrainable. He lives, eats and sleeps baseball. Rommel should be one of Mack's leading pitchers next season, and the staff, taken as a whole, is far improved over a year ago.

It used to be that nearly all big league catchers were men of bulk and size. This is no longer the case. The big league catcher is smaller and more active.

Ralph Perkins, of the Athletics; Ray Schalk, of the Sox, and Steve O'Neill, of the Indians, represent the best catching in the American League, and they are comparatively small men. Rommel has everything, curves, speed and a change of pace, Moreover, he has and a change of pace, Moreover, he has something which every winning pitcher possesses. It is often called by an in-elegant word, but we will call it here "courage." Rommel is absolutely rat-tie-proof, no error, no bad break, no bad decision unnerves him. He is the kind of pitcher who always has some-thing in reserve for supergraphics.

thing in reserve for emergencies.

This young Baltimore man can do something besides throw the ball something besides throw the ball. He is a ball player on the order of Christy Mathewson and Mordecai Brown.

He fields his position as well as any curver can do. This is a big help to a pitcher. Rommel likes nothing more than a batsman to bunt to him. Neither is he a joke at the bat. In every game he has played down here he has shown strength with the stick.

Therefore when you have a willing

Therefore when you have a willing pitcher with lots of stuff who can also field his position and hit as well you have a most valuable addition to a ball

Rommel will bear watching. Orange, Tex., is a pretty little town



MALIA-BUILT PORCH ENCLOSURES

a window, stretched himself and grabbed the menu.

"I am very hungry, waiter," he explained, "and want you to rush me the plained, "and want you have."

Tookie catcher would not be eager of the catcher would no

He handles the finger-breaking deliver-ies of Mack's giants with as much ease as if a girl was throwing the ball underhanded to him.

Perkins is a big help to the Mack team. He deserves a lot of credit in the rapid development of Mack's staff of flingers. Perkins is a brainy catcher as well as towering above all others mechanically.

Perkins rose to his present fame by hard work and perseverance. When he first joined the Macks, he looked too light to last. The players did not regard him highly, but Ralph soon made them stand around and notice him.

There are minor leaguers who come to the fast who ware advance he

to the fast set who never advance be-

your hands. We have run out of knives and forks."

"How's that?" asked the startled third sacker.

"Well, we are giving a banquet to 100 persons at a nearby clubroom and all the knives and forks are there."

Joe rushed out of the cafe and went to a wagon lunchstand at the corner and ordered a ham sandwich.

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Champ Lewis Admires John Pesek

The heavyweight wrestling championship of the world is going to remain in America for some time, in the opinion of Strangier Lewis, present titleholder. If he is to relinquish his crown, Lewis thinks that John Pesek, the Nebraska Bearcat, will be the one to accomplish that feat, Pesek recently fell a victim to the Strangier's deadlock after a terrific tussile. On Saturday night Pesek will appear in one of three inturnational matches at the National Club. His opponent will be Steve Staslak, the lollah giant, Jim Londos, the Greek, is matched with Giovanni Palmini, of Italy, and Wiedeak Zbysko, of Poland, is paired with the great Finn, John Olin. All of the matches will be catch-as-catch-can to a finish.

Second Game Tonight

The world's ice hockey champions of away to a successful start when the falcons, of Winnipeg, won over the All-Stars at the Ice Palace last night by the count of four goals to three.

The champions will engage the speedy Metropolitans in the second of the three-game series this evening. The All Stars will oppose the Falcons in the final tomorrow evening.

Morrison was the star for the champs, accounting for two goals. The Hendiques brothers and Bierwirth tallied the three All-Star points. Tom Howard, Jr., sensation of that tie game against the Winnipeg sextet, will be in the line-up for the Mets tonight.

Mike Goodman, star of the Falcons, did not play last night as he stopped in Pittalurgh to take part in the amateur speed-skatign championships. Virginia to Resume Grid Relations
Morgantown, W. Va., March 15.—West
Virginia University and West Virginia Wesleyan will probably resume athletic relations
in football at Fairmont, September 24 next,
it was said yesterday by members of the
university athletic board.

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sylvania basketball team left this morn-

ing at 10 o'clock from West Philadel-

phia for Concord, Mass., where they

will remain tonight. Tomorrow morn-ing the party will leave Concord for Hanover where the Red and Blue meets

gave us a great fight here and should be even better on their home floor. We will be in there fighting every minute and if we do not win it will not be be-

cause we have not tried. Coach Zahn has welded a great quintet together, one of the best in the league, but I think

Coach Eddie McNichol did not

breathe as much optimism as his brother Danny, but stated that the team would give its best. "I cannot predict a vic-

give its best. "I cannot predict a vic-tory but you can say for me that Dart-mouth will know that she has been meeting the best team in the league so far. It should be a battle worth going miles to see. I shall start Rosenast and Huntzinger at forwards, Grave at center and Danny and Voegelin at guards."

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