# Mystery Shrouds Starting Period of Georges Carpentier's Training for Bout With Dempsey

## GEORGES' PLANS ON ARRIVAL FOR BATTLE ARE NOT DEFINITE

### *One Report States Carpentier Will Appear in Movies Prior to Championship Bout With Jack Dempsey. Due Here Tomorrow or Monday*

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WHILE Jack Dempsey is entertaining the natives at Atlantic City and preparing to go into active training behind the ticket windows at the Airport, Georges Carpentier is steaming toward our shores. The Frenchman is due to arrive some time tomorrow or Monday, and then will follow some real excitement. No foreign challenger ever has been so widely advertised and no boxer ever had the same social standing in Europe. Every move will be chronicled and it looks as if Georges would grab most of the space in the newspapers.

The location of his training camp still is a secret. A short time ago it was rumored he would select Atlantic City, but now we are not so sure. Another thing is that nobody seems to know when he will start training. Here are two items from the one newspaper which appeared a couple of days ago:

The first from Paris, written on April 29, says: "The European champion looks fine and it will not take long to get in tiptop condition for the big fight. He has another film engagement in the States which will take up a couple of weeks' time after his arrival, so his actual training will start about five weeks prior to the date of the fight."

Over in another column is a dispatch from Paris, dated May 1, and Manager Descamps is quoted as saying: "Immediately upon reaching New York about May 16 Carpentier will go straight to his training quarters at Manhasset. He will remain there until the day of the fight."

After perusing these items we don't know what Carpentier intends to do after he gets here. However, the film engagement sounds reasonable, for the movie magnates are willing to pay the challenger to appear in a scenario before the battle and take a gamble on the picture. If he wins they will make a big profit, and if not, the film will be a money-maker anyway. It also must be remembered that Georges is not coming over here for his health. It is purely a financial proposition, and every little bit helps. And you can't blame Carpentier for that.

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*THEREFORE it would not be at all surprising if the challenger left everybody flat and hied himself to some studio for two weeks or so to strengthen the bankroll. Still, you never can tell. Perhaps some one will tell him that the training camp receipts will net a greater profit. Let's wait until he gets here.*

### *Rookies Back in Bushes*

THE pruning process that pleasant little pastime indulged in by big league managers, is over for 1921. The process consists of attaching tinware to rookies that bloom in the spring, tra-la, and shipping them back to the alfalfa and forest primeval whence they came. A lot of the boys have returned to the barber shop and general store in the old home town and the natives are hearing all about the raw deal handed to the pride of the village.

According to major league rules, ball clubs cannot have more than twenty-five players on the payroll on May 15, which is Sunday. Therefore all of the work has been done and the squads cut so that the rule is observed today.

Miller Huggins had the hardest job in keeping within the player limit. Down South he had fifty-five young gentlemen trying to get on the team, and thirty have been canned. Some are out under optional agreements and others were released outright. From now until the fall we will not be annoyed with embryonic Babe Ruths and Ty Cobbs and the regular players will attempt to earn their large salaries by playing every day.

Cutting down the list of players was not so hard this year, outside of New York. The other clubs did not have many youngsters down South, the average squad numbering about thirty. Pittsburgh had thirty-eight, but the superfluous talent was shipped long ago. None of the clubs was hard hit; in fact, they still are looking for talent which will replace some of the regulars.

Pittsburgh is here today for a series with the Phils and also to increase its lead in the National League race. The Pirates looked very good when they were training in Hot Springs and improved after the regular season opened. George Gibson has done wonders in selecting a team, and more power to him. One of the stars is Tierney, an infielder purchased from Tulsa. This young man is hitting with zest and fervor and aiding considerably in keeping his club in front. Bernhart, another kid from Birmingham, also is a star, although he is not playing regularly.

Where Gibson gets his strength is in the reserves. He has a substitute for every position, and the sub is almost as good as the regular. Another thing which helps some is, his pitchers have come through in fine style. Good pitching and good hitting make a formidable ball club in any league.

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*WHILE on the subject of Pittsburgh, let us consider the case of Bill Haeffner. Bill caught for the Pirates last year and did not report this season because of his contract. He wanted more money and failed to get it. Now he is playing independent ball around Philadelphia and Pittsburgh is playing pennant-winning baseball. That slice of World Series coin will be missed by Haeffner.*

### *Fall of the Mighty*

ONCE upon a time Frank Baker was a star. He was the home-run king and one of the biggest figures in baseball. He also was a gate attraction.

Now he is just an ordinary player, his name appearing in the line-up and seldom in the reading matter. He has been overshadowed by younger and heftier clouters and soon will be a memory. In baseball it makes no difference what you were—you have to keep up with the procession.

Baker once was a star because he knocked eleven home runs in a season. Now they make that many in a month and don't get a tumble. The Trappe slugger also is down among the dead ones in the batting averages. This week his mark is .214, which does not look at all healthy.

Home-run clouting is the popular sport. The public wants it and the homeric heroes are boosted to the skies. Babe Ruth is leading with ten to his credit and George Kelly, of the Giants, has eight. This race is closer than any one expected, but the Babe will increase his lead this month.

In the American League, only Sam Rice, Bobby Meusel and Harry Heilman are behind the Babe in what might be called second place. They have three each, and Speaker, Cobb, Sisler, Smith, of Cleveland, Joe Dugan and Larry Gardner connected with two each.

Kelly leads in the National, with Meusel, Wrightstone and Tommy Griffith trailing behind. Those who have a pair of four-baisers to their credit are Smith, of the Giants, Carey, Schultz, of St. Lose, Cruise, Zach Wheat, Neis, Williams and our one and only Lee Meadows.

This week's figgers show something which could be called startling. The National League has made more home runs than the American. Sounds strange, but true, because figgers don't lie.

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*A TOTAL of fifty-six was registered in the National including the games played on Wednesday, against fifty-two for the American.*

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## 11 TRACK MEETS ARE BOOKED TODAY

### Penn Tackles Cornell at Ithaca. Catholic Schools Compete on Cahill Field

### CONTESTS AT GLEN MILLS

Eleven big track meets are on the books today which will be interesting to athletic lovers of Philadelphia. All of these meets are not going to be held here, but each has elements of local interest. The University of Pennsylvania team will clash with Cornell at Ithaca, and down in Baltimore the Middle States championships will be held. Up at Princeton a big interscholastic meet will be held and there will be another meet for boys at Glen Mills. Harvard meets Yale in a dual meet at New Haven and the tri-State intercollegiates will be staged at Washington, Pa. Atlantic County's interscholastics are on the boards at Hammonton, and, in Boston, Dartmouth will meet M. I. T. Here the biggest meet will be Catholic High School championships at Cahill Field, Twenty-ninth and Cambria streets.

The Penn-Cornell meet will bring together two of the representative teams of the East. Pennsylvania is favored by many students of the sport to win this year's championship at the I. C. A. A. A. A. games at Cambridge. Cornell has won more intercollegiate track championships in the past sixteen years than all of the other Eastern universities and colleges combined.

Thirty-five or thirty-six points will win the track and field championship of the Middle Atlantic States Intercollegiate meet in Baltimore.

As a result of Lafayette's victory over the strong Boston College track team last Saturday, Coach Bruce said he believed Lafayette was sure of thirty-three points because of her strength in the running events.

The chief contestants for this year's title are Rutgers, Delaware, Swarthmore, Johns Hopkins, Lehigh and Lafayette.

The Catholic meet at Cahill Field is the second one held, and it has been decided to make it an annual athletic event in Philadelphia. Because the youths have not yet reached the crest of their form, it is hard to forecast with any degree of certainty what the outcome of the meet will be. At the recent Penn relays West Catholic won the Catholic mile relay, but the other clubs have improved, and it is by no means certain that the boys from Forty-ninth and Chestnut streets will have any big advantage.

At Glen Mills many of the school track teams of Philadelphia will be in action. Among the entries are Central High, Germantown High, South Philadelphia High, Williamson Trades School, Girard College, Allentown Prep, Norristown High, Atlantic City High, P. I. D., Temple Normal, George School, Lansdale High, Villanova Prep and La Salle Prep.

### *College and School Track Meets Today*

Penn Fresh vs. Cornell Fresh, at Franklin Field.
Penn vs. Cornell, at Ithaca.
Catholic H. S. championships, Cahill Field.
Middle States College championships, at Baltimore.
Interscholastics, at Princeton.
Interscholastics, at Glen Mills.
Harvard vs. Yale, at New Haven.
Tri-State Intercollegiates, Washington, Pa.
Atlantic County Interscholastics, Hammonton.
Dartmouth vs. M. I. T., at Boston.
Penn State Interscholastics, at State College.

### French Auto Drivers at Indianapolis

**Indianapolis, Ind.,** May 14.—Andre Boillot, Rene Thomas and Jean Chassagne, French automobile race drivers, together with a host of mechanics and helpers, arrived yesterday at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, where the five-hundred mile race will be held Monday, May 30. Six overseas cars are entered in the race.

## CHILDS CUP RACE ON HARLEM TODAY

### Penn, Princeton and Columbia Crews Show Well in Final Workouts

### JOE WRIGHT IS HOPEFUL

**New York,** May 14.—The crews of Princeton, Columbia and Pennsylvania will meet on the Harlem River this afternoon in the annual Child's Cup race for the first time in history that the event has been held on a New York stream.

Princeton's crew, that which defeated by nearly eight lengths the Harvard junior varsity eight last Saturday, was said by Coach Spaeth to be equal to the other Princeton varsity crew, which disposed of Navy oarsmen. The Columbia and Pennsylvania crews in today's event both defeated the Yale varsity in early season races.

Columbia will be without its captain, Lansing Van Houten, who, because of illness, was taken from the shell several days ago. Sidney Waldecker, a regular last year, will replace him. Pennsylvania's shell also has displayed a change in personnel. Copeland, former junior varsity stroke, was placed at No. 7, and Howell, a new man, in the waist of the boat.

Joe Wright, the Penn coach, seemed confident that the Quaker varsity would make a better showing than it did against the Navy on the Severn two weeks ago.

Jim Rice, commodore of Columbia's navy, said he hoped the boys from the Heights would finish in front, but declared that he had no intention of betting the family plate on their chances.

The Columbia and Pennsylvania crews skimmed up and down the Harlem yesterday while hundreds of railbirds along the Speedway looked on. The difference in the two styles of oarsmanship was striking. Joe Wright's huskies use a short and sharp pull, while the local oarsmen have a style that is long, easy and represents what one oldtimer described as the "poetry of oarsmanship."

The junior varsity race between Pennsylvania and Columbia is scheduled to start at Fordham Bridge at 3:30 and the triangular varsity event at the same place at 4 o'clock.

In the toss-up for positions last night Columbia drew lane No. 1, which is nearest the Speedway and is considered to be the most favorable under flood tide conditions, which will prevail when the race is rowed. Pennsylvania drew the middle berth and Princeton the one on the Bronx shore.

The boatings follow:

**Varsity**

Columbia—Bow, Buffalo; No. 2, Scovil; No. 3, Thees; No. 4, Cooper; No. 5, Waldecker; No. 6, Gallico; No. 7, Swinburne; stroke, Brodli; coxswain, Brush.

Princeton—Bow, Page; No. 2, Jones; No. 3, Tyme; No. 4, Cooke; No. 5, Newlin; No. 6, Sinclaire; No. 7, Woolverton; stroke, Creaswell; coxswain, Gardner.

Pennsylvania—Bow, Jellinek; No. 2, Howell; No. 3, Swan; No. 4, Wheeler; No. 5, Leifeld; No. 6, Copeland; No. 7, Waidner; stroke, Mitchell; coxswain, Chase.

**Junior Varsity**

Columbia—Bow, Medigovich; No. 2, Brennan; No. 3, Knodel; No. 4, Park; No. 5, Enslow; No. 6, Thompson; No. 7, Frost; stroke, Willett; coxswain, Levi.

Pennsylvania—Bow, Roberts; No. 2, Day; No. 3, Lowery; No. 4, Singer; No. 5, Rosenburg; No. 6, Rugh; No. 7, Guenther; stroke, Darby; coxswain, Gillette.

### *Bingles and Bungles*

**This afternoon Pittsburgh and the Phillies will start a three-game series at Fifteenth and Huntingdon streets. That is, if it doesn't rain. Last night the A's were traveling from St. Louis to Chicago and today are booked to meet the White Sox.**

*Lee Meadows did not participate in yesterday's postponed, so that Lee Meadows probably will open the Pittsburgh series. Today's game is to begin at 3 o'clock, the regular Saturday starting hour.*

**Yesterday's home run hitters were: Grimes, Chicago Cubs; Twombly, Chicago Cubs; E. Smith, Giants; Menosky, Red Sox; Jones, Red Sox.**

*When Washington took yesterday's game from Cleveland it was the first series that the world's champions had lost. Mogridge was in good form, letting Cleveland down with seven hits and two runs. His club made four tallies for him.*

Clarence Walker hit out three blows yesterday. But at that the A's could not win.

**The Pirates are increasing their lead in the National League. Yesterday they went up because Brooklyn went down.**

Ryan, of the Giants, held St. Louis to two hits and won out easily, 5 to 1.

**And Penn State is still winning on the diamond. Yesterday Hugo Bezdek's boys trimmed Yale.**

### THAT SILLIEST FEELING

## SUPPLEE-DISSTON GAME LOOMS BIG

### Pitching Duel Expected When Industrial Baseball Leaders Clash at Lawndale

### MORE LEAGUE OPENINGS

A glance at the "little" league schedules for this afternoon shows that some keen competitions can be expected in many of the circuits. A predicted pitching duel is scheduled in the Industrial Amateur League between Supplee-Biddle Hardware Co. and Henry Disston Sons. It will be played at the Curtis Country Club at Lawndale in connection with the annual outing of the Supplee-Biddle employes.

Buck Mason, who will hurl for the Sawmakers, set a league mark last week in the game with Thornton Fuller, when he whiffed fourteen and blanked his opponents, Disston winning, 10 to 0. He will face Pitcher Cole, who breezed ten Gimbel batsmen and also scored a shutout by 7 to 0.

The other undefeated leaders, Hohlfeld and Packard, clash at Seventeenth street and Indiana avenue, and another hard-fought contest is looked for, as both won their games easily last week. With the tail-enders and leaders playing each other there is certain to be a big shake-up in the standings.

There will also be keen competition in the five games scheduled in the Philadelphia Manufacturers' League. A number of the clubs will have new players in the line-ups this afternoon and surprises are in order, according to Secretary Deasey.

**More Circuits Start**

This is opening day in two more important leagues. It will be a busy day for Representative Harold Pike, president of the Montgomery County and Philadelphia Suburban Leagues, both of which get under way with elaborate ceremonies.

It is the sixth season for the Montgomery County League and, while there has been only one change in the circuit, Conshohocken taking the place of Fort Washington, there has been numerous changes in the personnel of the management.

Chestnut Hill will be closely watched, as Dave Bennis, former Penn captain, has taken charge of the playing end of the Hillers. Last season the team established a notable record—twenty defeats in twenty starts. Bennis was signed to bring the team out of the rut, and he is expected to make good.

The Hillers draw a hard assignment away from home, playing the champion Souderton Club, but Bennis' team looks good at that. Chestnut Hill played five innings with Nativity last night and, while the club lost, 7 to 5, Bennis and his team showed that they have a fast combination.

**Suburban's Tenth Year**

Today marks the getaway in the tenth year for the Philadelphia Suburban League, which gives it the prestige of being the premier circuit in point of existence in this locality.

All the towns in which the opening games are listed have made arrangements for special ceremonies, including band concerts, flag raisings and speech making.

There have been many changes in the make-up of this league since last year. Only two teams, Hatboro and Glenside, remain, while the newcomers are Willow Grove, Wyndmoor, Southampton and Fort Washington.

### *Runs Scored for Week In Three Big Leagues*

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

| | S | M | T | W | T | F | S | Tl |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago .... | 6 | — | 6 | 19 | — | 4 | — | 35 |
| Brooklyn .. | 2 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 8 | 4 | — | 32 |
| St. Louis... | 9 | — | 7 | 1 | 5 | 1 | — | 23 |
| New York.. | 0 | — | 6 | 4 | 7 | 5 | — | 22 |
| Phillies .... | — | 5 | 2 | 8 | — | 2 | — | 17 |
| Cincinnati .. | 1 | — | 2 | 4 | 1 | 4 | — | 12 |
| Pittsburgh .. | 0 | — | 5 | 0 | 3 | — | — | 8 |
| Boston .... | — | — | 2 | 1 | 1 | — | — | 4 |

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

| | S | M | T | W | T | F | S | Tl |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland .. | 17 | — | 7 | 14 | 1 | 2 | — | 41 |
| St. Louis... | 16 | 5 | — | 1 | 6 | 7 | — | 35 |
| Detroit .... | 8 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 4 | — | 32 |
| Boston ..... | 4 | — | 1 | 3 | — | 16 | — | 24 |
| New York.. | 4 | — | 2 | 1 | 11 | 6 | — | 24 |
| Washington. | 3 | — | 9 | 2 | 4 | 4 | — | 22 |
| Athletics ... | 5 | — | — | 0 | 8 | 5 | — | 18 |
| Chicago .... | 3 | — | 4 | 2 | — | 8 | — | 17 |

**INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE**

| | S | M | T | W | T | F | S | Tl |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Syracuse ... | 14 | 8 | 11 | 9 | — | 13 | — | 55 |
| Jersey City. | 7 | 13 | 3 | 20 | — | 6 | — | 49 |
| Buffalo .... | 8 | 6 | 9 | 6 | — | 3 | — | 32 |
| Newark .... | 2 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 9 | 9 | — | 31 |
| Rochester .. | 4 | 5 | 9 | 6 | — | 1 | — | 25 |
| Reading .... | — | 10 | 3 | — | — | 12 | — | 25 |
| Baltimore .. | 1 | 6 | 9 | 4 | — | 4 | — | 24 |
| Toronto .... | — | 4 | 2 | — | 5 | 2 | — | 13 |

### *Boots and Saddle*

**Louisville,** May 13.—Two big stake fixtures are to be decided at Churchill Downs today. Prudery is expected to take the Kentucky Oaks from Believe Idle Hour and Nancy Lee. The Clark Handicap, $7500 added, also may go to Whitney. Upset likes the route. Best Pal will be close up, with Breadman a contender. Horses in good form in other races are:

First—Tulsa, Hidden Jewel, Marvin May.

Second—Chewink, Lady Astor, Mon.

Third—Texas Special, Brynlimah, Simonite.

Sixth—Lucknow, Breadlabane, Boy From Home.

Seventh—Jim Heffering, Wadsworth Last, Dol Chewink.

**At Pimlico**

First—Parr entry, Clark entry, Earlocker.

Second—Kingling II, Jean Bullant, Jessica F.

Third—Star Voter, Super, Lough Storm.

Fourth—Medusa, Amackassin, Propaganda.

Fifth—Duc De Morny, Carmandale, Super.

Sixth—My Dear, Mythology, Sandy Beal.

Seventh—Pirate McGee, Bar One, Siesta.

### Tacony F. C. Without Games

The Tacony Field Club, a first-class traveling team, finds itself to be without games in the near future, and is desirous of arranging these with all home clubs of its caliber paying a reasonable inducement. For games write to Frank Metrow, 3223 Meridian street, or phone 1176 W.

### Cornell Defeated In Tennis

**Boston,** May 14.—Harvard defeated Cornell six matches to none at tennis here, making the Crimson players' sixth straight victory.

## BUSY DAY FOR RED AND BLUE ATHLETES

### Two Track Teams, Two Crews and the Same Number Lacrosse Teams in Action

### FRESHMAN MEET HERE

University of Pennsylvania athletes have a busy day before them today. The freshman and varsity eight-oared shells will show their wares in New York on the Harlem River, the varsity in the famous Childs' Cup race, with Columbia and Princeton as the other parties. The Tiger junior varsity and not the eight that defeated the Navy will face the starter in the varsity race.

The baseball team plays the first of a two-game series with Dartmouth up at Hanover, N. H. Yesterday the Red and Blue suffered a reverse at the hands of Vermont 6 to 4. Doug Sheffey or Llewellyn will do the hurling for Coach Cariss' team. Danny McNichol's absence from the line-up was severely felt. Daniel, who expects to go to the Brooklyn Dodgers after the close of the school term was forced to remain here because of an examination.

**Varsity Trackmen Abroad**

Two track teams see action, the varsity up at Ithaca with Cornell and the freshman on Franklin Field with the Ithacan first year men. The collegiate track world turns to Ithaca today. Last week Penn scored a victory over Dartmouth and Columbia in a triangular meet and with a triumph thrown in over Harvard, the critics seem to think that Penn, if a winner over Cornell, has an excellent chance to win the intercollegiate title. Coach Robertson took thirty men up to Ithaca with him and to a man they expect to come home a winner.

Larry Brown will face the starter in the mile run for the first time in two weeks. Larry rested during the last week because he was a trifle stale. Earl Eby will run in the quarter and half, with Bob Maxam and Harold Lever in the sprints. Penn is not strong in the field events and hence must make up many points in the running events. However, Coach Robertson expects to overbalance the points scored by the Ithacans in the track events by rolling up the counters with his speedsters.

**Freshman on Franklin Field**

The freshman track team will face the Ithacan youngsters on Franklin Field at 2 o'clock. The Red and Blue first-year men, like the varsity, are weak in the field. All but Gig Genthner, of the weight men, have been declared ineligible. The runners, however, are in great shape and expect to come through with a victory over the boys from the shores of Lake Cayuga.

Grabfelder, who ran such a speedy quarter in the freshman relay race, which Penn won, will face the starter in the 100 and 220 yard dashes, with Worth, Fawcett and Perry also in the same events. Holden, Vorhees and Battersby, who were members of the relay team, are carded to start in the quarter and half mile runs. Martin and Powers, in the hurdles; Schaul, Fasnacht and Snyder, in the two-mile; Schaul, Temple, Thistle and Snyder, in the one mile; Pete McGovern and Whitehill, in the shotput; Forsythe and Needs, in the pole vault; Genthner, in the hammer throw; Forsythe, Neels and Faucett, in the high jump, and Eberhart and Kinkead, in the running broad jump, complete the Red and Blue entries.

After the track meet Coach Clarence Goldsmith's varsity lacrosse team engages Stevens Institute, of Hoboken, in a league game. Yesterday afternoon the coach of the stickmen had his charges out on Franklin Field for one of their longest drills of the year. A victory means a chance to win the championship for the Red and Blue. A defeat will cast the team down into a fight for the cellar position.

The freshman twelve is scheduled to meet Erasmus Hall, of Brooklyn, immediately after the varsity and Stevens game.

### *What May Happen In Baseball Today*

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

| | W. | L. | P.C. | Win | Lose |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburgh ..... | 18 | 5 | .783 | .792 | .750 |
| Brooklyn ..... | 17 | 9 | .654 | .667 | .630 |
| New York ..... | 15 | 8 | .652 | .696 | .625 |
| Chicago ..... | 12 | 9 | .571 | .591 | .545 |
| Boston ..... | 9 | 11 | .391 | .417 | .375 |
| Cincinnati ..... | 10 | 16 | .385 | .407 | .370 |
| Phillies ..... | 6 | 16 | .273 | .304 | .261 |
| St. Louis ..... | 5 | 15 | .250 | .286 | .238 |

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

| | W. | L. | P.C. | Win | Lose |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland ..... | 16 | 9 | .640 | .654 | .615 |
| Washington ..... | 14 | 10 | .583 | .600 | .560 |
| New York ..... | 12 | 9 | .571 | .591 | .545 |
| Boston ..... | 10 | 8 | .556 | .579 | .526 |
| Detroit ..... | 13 | 13 | .500 | .519 | .481 |
| St. Louis ..... | 10 | 13 | .435 | .458 | .417 |
| Athletics ..... | 8 | 13 | .381 | .409 | .364 |
| Chicago ..... | 6 | 14 | .300 | .333 | .286 |

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

Chicago, 4; Phillies, 2.
New York, 5; St. Louis, 1 (6 innings).
Cincinnati, 5; Brooklyn, 4.
Pittsburgh-Boston, rain.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

St. Louis, 7; Athletics, 5.
New York, 6; Detroit, 4.
Washington, 4; Cleveland, 2.
Boston, 16; Chicago, 8.

**TODAY'S SCHEDULE**

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Boston.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

Athletics at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.
Washington at Detroit.
New York at Cleveland.

**INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE**

**RESULTS OF YESTERDAY**

Jersey City, 6; Rochester, 1 (six innings).
Newark, 9; Toronto, 2.
Syracuse, 13; Reading, 12.
Baltimore, 4; Buffalo, 3.

**STANDING OF THE CLUBS**

| | W. | L. | P.C. | | W. | L. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 12 | 8 | .600 | Syracuse | 10 | 11 | .476 |
| Newark.. | 13 | 9 | .591 | Toronto.. | 9 | 11 | .450 |
| Jersey C.. | 12 | 9 | .571 | Rochester | 9 | 11 | .450 |
| Buffalo. | 12 | 10 | .545 | Reading.. | 6 | 14 | .300 |

### *League and Semi-Pro Gossip*

**Shenandoah** will be the attraction at Nativity this afternoon. A more popular opponent could not have been secured by Phil Haggerty, as the fans remember the great battle the up-Staters gave Nativity last season, when the game went fourteen innings. Tomorrow the attraction will be Lit Bros., which looks like another case of extra innings, if records count for anything.

**A double bill** with the Fulton A. C. is listed on the Penrod schedule. The lowers meet the Lancasterians here this afternoon and make the trip in autos from the Penrod club tomorrow at 9:15 A. M. Vernon Touchstone is expected to hurl this afternoon and Pete Liebert will do the honors tomorrow.

**P. R. T. All-Star club,** composed of players picked from the fourteen clubs in the A and B Leagues of the P. R. T. Co., will open the season this afternoon at their new grounds, at Tenth and Luzerne streets. There will be a street parade and flag raising. Dr. A. A. Mitten will throw out the first ball. The visiting team will be St. Columba.

**The friendly rivals,** North Phillies and the Stetson Hatters, are scheduled for a battle at Fourth and Berks streets. Whenever these teams meet each side is out to do its utmost and a little bit more. Barbee or Schofield will pitch for Stetson, with Port catching. North Phils will probably use Basher and Dougherty as its battery.

**Ed Caskey,** of Bridesburg, has Charlie Glock all primed for this afternoon's game with the Madison Stars, and Glock is expected to add another victory to his credit. He has twice defeated Hilldale this season. Hockenbury and Volz will also be in readiness. Tomorrow at Bridesburg the American Steel Co., of Chester, will play.

**Strawbridge & Clothier** opens the season at Sixty-third and Walnut streets with St. Carthage. The game will start promptly at 3 P. M. The contest is creating a lot of local excitement and both teams are bending forth every effort for a victory in initial clash.

**The South Philly Hebrew Association** opposes J. & J. Dobson at Thirty-fifth street and Queen lane. Manager Calhoun will rely on Hoffman, who held the North Phils to two hits last week, while the Spts will use Chickie Passon and Richie Dieghan as its battery. Dobson plays at Minersville tomorrow.

**The All-Cuban Stars** make their first local appearance today, when they oppose Fleisher's. Manager Lush is looking for a big crowd, as the visitors have a great team. Eddie Gerner will pitch. The North Phillies play at Fleisher tomorrow.

**Morton,** of the Delaware County League, is planning a big day tomorrow, when the season will be ushered in with a band concert and flag raising. The West Philadelphia All-Stars have been selected as the opening attraction.

## HOMERS FEATURE DAY'S BASEBALL

### Phillies Drop Game to Cubs on Belated Four-Base Blows. Giants Win With One

### MACKMEN LOSE SERIES

Four-base hits again played a prominent part in the baseball world yesterday. Three were poled out in the National League, the Giants getting one and the Cubs two, while the pair made in the Johnson circuit were credited to the Red Sox sluggers.

The homers in the parent organization decided two contests. It was just a pair of those common ordinary smashes delivered in the ninth session by the Cubs against the Phils that cost another game for the clan of Wild Willyum.

It was a homer by Catcher Earl Smith, of the Giants, that gave the McGraw clan another victory over the Cards. The St. Louis club is running the Phils a great race for the cellar, with the westerners having the edge on the place.

**Tough Game to Lose**

It was a tough game for Wilbur Hubbell to lose, the final score being 4 to 2. Up until the final session he had held the Bruins in check, letting them down with four hits and a single run garnered in the eighth. In their turn at bat the Phils had apparently settled the issue with a pair of markers, and it looked as if the house of Donovan was off on a real winning streak.

But the game is never over till the last man is out, and the Cubs stacked away another win in their half of the final frame. The visitors opened the ninth with a single to left by Hollocher. Kelleher sacrificed him to second. Grimes' clout over the right-field wall sent him home with himself and placed the Cubs one ahead, and a few minutes later Twombly duplicated Grimes' blow for a round trip.

After winning fourteen straight on the home loam, the Brooklyn Dodgers bowed to Pat Moran's Reds, 5 to 4. The Cincinnati clan banged the offerings of Burleigh Grimes hard and registered a total of fourteen hits.

**Athletics Lose Odd Game**

The Mackmen have departed from St. Louis and will play in Chicago this afternoon, but before leaving the Mound City they dropped the deciding game in the series with the Browns by the count of 7 to 5.

St. Louis made all its runs in the first two frames, getting three in the opening round and four in the second. The Macks, although facing a big handicap, after the second inning fought hard, but the lead was too much to overcome.

The Red Sox ran up a big score on Kid Gleason's White Sox. The count was 16-8 and the Boston boys made fifteen hits, many for extra bases, including homers by Menosky and Jones.

**Babe's Triple Wins**

Babe Ruth did not connect with a homer in the game with the Detroit Tigers, but his triple in the second with the bases loaded, won another game for the Yankees, 6 to 4. The defeat incidentally dropped Ty Cobb's club back to the .500 mark in the percentage column.

The Cleveland Indians have dropped the first series of the season, Washington turning the trick. The Nationals won their third straight from the champions and are now within hailing distance of first place. The score was 4 to 2. Pitcher Mogridge was hit hard, but sensational fielding pulled him out of many tight places.

**Wally Hinckle Outpoints Robinson**

**Atlantic City,** May 14.—Wally Hinckle, of Philadelphia, outpointed Bruce Robinson, of Sharon Hill, in the wind-up of the weekly boxing show of the Northside A. C. Otto Robinson, of Atlantic City, won from Tommy Warren, of Pleasantville, in the eight-round semiwind-up. Toomey Cooney, a Navy man, beat Jackie Bibel, of this city.

### SCHEDULES OF LITTLE LEAGUE AND SEMI-PRO BALL TEAMS

MONTGOMERY COUNTY LEAGUE

Chestnut Hill at Souderton, Lansdale at Ambler, Conshohocken at Doylestown.

PHILADELPHIA SUBURBAN LEAGUE

Glenside at Southampton, Hatboro at Willow Grove, Fort Washington at Wyndmoor.

INDUSTRIAL AMATEUR LEAGUE

Hohlfeld at Packard, Seventeenth street and Indiana avenue; Harrison at Tulpehocken street and Allegheny avenue; Disston at Supplee-Biddle, Curtis Country Club, Lawndale; Gimbels at Thornton-Fuller, Northeast High Field.

PHILA. MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE

Franklin at De Frain, Second and Bristol streets; Commercial at Unit, Fifty-eighth street and Elmwood avenue; Liggett & Myers at Budd, Twenty-ninth and Clearfield streets; Oldsmobile at Young, Broad and Bigler streets, and Western Union at Philadelphia Storage Battery, C and Ontario streets.

NORTH PHILA CHURCH LEAGUE

St. Michael's at St. Paul's, Chestnut Hill Academy grounds, Chestnut Hill; Lehigh Baptist at Erie, Fifth street and Wyoming avenue; Mennonite at Leverington, Lawnton and Hermitage streets; East Baptist at Grace, Fifth street and Allegheny avenue.

21ST WARD CHURCH LEAGUE

Wissahickon M. E. at St. Timothy's, Walnut lane east of Ridge avenue; Fourth Reformed vs. Wissahickon Presbyterian, Seville street east of Ridge avenue; Leverington Presbyterian vs. Roxborough Baptist, Hermitage and Lawnton streets; St. Alban vs. Roxborough Presbyterian, Rex avenue east of Ridge avenue.

DELAWARE RIVER LEAGUE

American Bridge at De Laval, J. N. Barbers at Lambertville; Wilsonville vs. Basha at American Bridge, Trenton.

DELAWARE RIVER INDUS. LEAGUE

National Analine at Texaco, Sun Oil at Congoleum, Viscose at Union Petroleum.

DELCO AMATEUR LEAGUE

Chadds Ford at Tanguay, Village Green at Bethel, Lima at Ogden.

GLOUCESTER COUNTY LEAGUE

Westville at Paulsboro, Woodbury at Swedesboro, Gibbstown at Bridgeport.

BURLINGTON COUNTY LEAGUE

Bordentown at Beverly, Riverside at Florence, Roebling at Burington.

**SEMI-PRO GAMES**

Shenandoah at Nativity, Belgrade and Ontario streets.

All-Cuban Stars at Fleisher, Twenty-sixth and Reed streets.

Clifton Heights at Westinghouse.

St. Columba at P. R. T. All-Stars, Tenth and Luzerne streets.

Summerfield at Media, Sixtieth and Oxford streets.

South Philadelphia Hebrew Association at Dobson, Thirty-fifth street and Queen lane.

Fulton A. C. of Lancaster, at Pencoyd, Ridge avenue and Park drive.

North Phillies at Stetson, Fourth and Berks streets.

Aberfoyle at Hilldale, Sixth and Main streets, Darby.

St. Carthage at Strawbridge & Clothier, Sixty-second and Walnut streets.

Lit Bros. at Camden City, Third and Erie streets, Camden.

New York Bloomer Girls at Men's Club, of Wayne, Radnor High School grounds, Wayne.

Preston at G. W. Smith, Sixty-seventh and Buist avenue.

Cramp Professionals at Forty-eighth Ward, Twenty-fifth street and Snyder avenue.

American Steel, of Chester, at Sharples, of West Chester.

Hoopes & Townsend at Bethlehem, Pa.

Philadelphia Travelers at Gronloch, N. J.

St. Gregory's at American Railway Express, Forty-fourth street and Parkside avenue.

Merrill Professionals at W. F. Read, Fifteenth street and Oregon avenue.

Memphis at Wissinoming A. C., Benner and P. R. R.

Bronkdale at Audubon, N. J.

Madison Stars at Bridesburg, Richmond and Orthodox streets.

Campbell Soup at Pen-Mar A. C., Hadden avenue and Plum street, Camden.

Camden A. C. at Monmouth, of Gloucester.

New York Ship at Emerson, of Camden.

Black Sox at Notaseme.

Easton Professionals at Chester.

J. B. Rice at Shamrock, Front and Porter streets.

Northwest Professionals at Wildwood A. A., Whitehall Commons, Torresdale avenue and Wakeling street.

Quaker City Professionals at Rockdale.

Jewish World at Franklinville, N. J.

Tribune Giants at South Philadelphia Field Club, Twenty-third and Magazine lane.

Capt. Knight's Professionals at S. Bonifacio C. C., at Sixty-fifth street and Elmwood ave.

**SUNDAY GAMES**
**Interclub League**

Racquet Club vs. Troop "A," at Bala; Germantown C. C. vs. Second City Troop, at St. Martins; Princeton Club vs. Fourth Street Club, at Wynnewood; Philadelphia C. C. bye.

West Philadelphia Professionals at William F. Reeds, Fifteenth Street and Moyamensing Avenue.

North Phillies at Fielsher, Twenty-sixth and Reed streets.

Lit Bros. at Nativity, Ontario and Belgrade streets.

American Steel at Bridesburg, Richmond and Orthodox streets.

Pencoyd Iron at Fulton A. C., of Lancaster.

Franciaville at Media, Sixtieth and Oxford streets.

J. & J. Dobson at Minersville.

West Philly All-Stars at Morton.

Spring Garden at Paradise Club, Thirtieth and Clearfield streets.

Bryn at G. W. Smith, Sixty-seventh and Buist avenue.

Cramp Professionals at Brooklawn, N. J.

Jack Hicks' Old-Timers at Thirty-ninth Ward, Broad and Bigler streets.

Merill Professionals at Curtis C. C., Lawndale.

Ronco A. C. at Wissinoming A. C., Benner and P. R. R.

Atlantic Refining at South Philadelphia Field Club