

Fogarty and Cashman Among Numerous Stars Turned Out by Coach Markward

MARKWARD COACHED CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL TO FIVE COURT TITLES

Famous Basketball Tutor Never Failed to Turn Out Good Quintets in Twenty-one Years at Purple and Gold Institution

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL Sports Editor Evening Public Ledger



BILLY MARKWARD

Markward's scholastic basketball narrow down to the final dash for the championship, do you ever notice that the Catholic High School is leading the race...

The team's record to date is seventeen victories and two defeats. The last twelve wins have been consecutive.

BACK ten and more years ago, Catholic High was dominating the interscholastic League. Titles were won in 1909, 1910 and 1911.

Champions Called Great Fighting Team

IN HIS twenty-one years of coaching Markward has turned out many great players, among them Joe Fogarty, the Eastern League phenom who is assisting now in tutoring the Penn five...

"I have often been asked," said the veteran coach, "to compare this year's team with those of the past, but such a comparison would be unfair. The rules have changed and years ago the teams were made up of bigger and older boys...

"It IS an elimination tournament," he said, "and an off day could kill our chances of coming through to the final."

Ice Palace and Meadowbrook Meet

RECENTLY we revealed the plight of the Meadowbrook Club in its effort to obtain a hall in this city large enough to stage the indoor track and field games.

George F. Pawling, president of the Ice Palace, raises his pen in protest. He claims there is no place in New York or Philadelphia that compares with the Ice Palace as a suitable site for the Meadowbrook meet.

"Next Tuesday night we will celebrate the second anniversary of the opening of the Ice Palace, the greatest sports home in Philadelphia and in many respects the greatest in the world.

"There is no place in New York or any other place that can compare with the Ice Palace for the Meadowbrook meet. The management is very anxious to co-operate with the Meadowbrook Club.

"I notice from Meadowbrook figures that it has spent \$87,000 holding nine meets. I have attended every meet that Meadowbrook has held, and can guarantee that the conditions will be better than for any meet it has ever held.

"I am more than anxious to meet Meadowbrook half way. If it will fix \$2000, which is approximately half of the cost of the track equipment, we will fix the rental on the basis of the number of tickets sold...

PLEASE tell Mr. Dallas and the Meadowbrook Club for me, and also tell the Chamber of Commerce, the public officials and everybody else interested in doing big, worthwhile things...

PHILA. C. C. IS TIE WITH GERMANTOWN

Chestnut Hill Soccer Eleven Has Chance to Win Pennant With Saturday's Game

TO PLAY AT MOORESTOWN

Table with 4 columns: Team, W, L, T, Pts. Includes Germantown, Philadelphia Whites, etc.

THE final game in the Cricket Club Soccer League will be played next Saturday afternoon at Moorestown. The contesting eleven are Philadelphia C. C. Whites and Moorestown, and there is every likelihood that the cricketeers will win the championship of the League by playing that game.

The Chestnut Hillers drew up on even terms with Germantown on Saturday evening by a decisive triumph by 6 goals to 0. This victory added two points to their total of fifteen and placed them on even terms with Germantown, which has seventeen.

Heading Moorestown on the home ground was a matter of course, but a decision of the points is all that is required to capture the championship of the Cricket Club League.

Six games were scheduled in the Allied Cup competition, but only three were decided. The other trio of contests were cancelled because of unfavorable ground conditions.

The Fleisher Yarners had little trouble in defeating Sunshine, 6 goals to 1. The Industrial League champions took matters easy throughout, as they were far superior to their opponents.

Puritan, of the First Division, had little opposition with Francisville and won a one-sided fray, 6 goals to 1. The work of Haigh, who made three goals, was a feature of the play.

The inclusion of Howard Britton in the line-up of the Philadelphia F. C. virtually made a new team out of the local American League. Those who braved the elements to see the Phils down Fall River, 5 to 2, marveled at the wonderful improvement in the play of the Walders, with the Chelsea star of the line.

At no time were the New Englanders dangerous, due to the remarkable manner in which Britton led his team and led his superior to victory.

The records of the American League are a tribute to the prowess of Britton. Although he has been on the team since December 10, he never relinquished his place at the head of the scorers, and he boosted his total with a pair more on Saturday, and there was little chance of any other player hitting any kind of a run for scoring honors.

RUTH WANTS \$75,000 AND \$500 EXTRA FOR HOMERS

Difference of \$35,000 Separates Home-Run King and Yankee Outfielder

New York, Feb. 13.—Among hold-outs on the Yankee roster is Babe Ruth and there no longer is any doubt that the Bambino is a full-fledged member of the holdout colony.

Ruth has not taken one step toward from his demand of \$75,000 flat and \$500 extra for each home run, with no deduction for the thirty-eight playing days he was missed because of his suspension. The Yankee colonels, knowing they will have to raise their bid, stand pat at \$40,000 and \$500 per home run.

Undeclared Eleven After Games

Boots and Saddle

Pit, which was withdrawn in the New Orleans Handicap Saturday, a race which his stable companion, Gourmand, failed to win, and for which he was the overwhelming choice, has an easier field today in a claiming race at a mile and six-sixteenths.

Week-End Soccer Scores

WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND



BURMAN ENTERS IN WIND-UP CLASS

Southwark Southpaw Meets Kramer in Return Bout at the Olympia

BOXING FOR THREE YEARS

By LOUIS H. JAFFE

AFTER a number of ups and downs, Bobby Burman, Southwark southpaw, will place his chunky form in wind-up competition tonight.

Burman's brilliant battle recently against Dan Kramer, that powerful puncher, when Bobby not only upset the odds by being among those standing at the finish of eight scheduled rounds, but displayed such fine form there were many who believed he was entitled to at least a draw, bestowed much prestige on Eddie Hayes' scrapper.

His debut as a wind-up performer will be a return bout with Kramer, and this time Burman, who probably will enter the ring with a lot more confidence, is expected to give Danny even a harder-scient, Eddie, the "Nig," will have a hard time of it.

Another newcomer in Philly's fistic field will be seen tomorrow night at the Ice Palace when Whitey Wenzel, known in his home town of Pittsburgh as "Happy," will introduce Gene Tunney, the local fistic prince.

Wenzel is coming on heralded as a hefty hitting, aggressive and game brawler. He has been in the ring for several years, but hardly ever stepped out of Pittsburgh to show his mettle.

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Robertson, Brown and Merritt, All Captains, to Be Graduated

Standings and Schedules of Basketball Leagues

Table with columns for Eastern League, Philadelphia Basketball Association, City College League, and Philadelphia Financial League.

DEMPESEY-WILLS BOUT MIGHT WRECK BOXING

Though Colored Fighter is Most Logical Contender for Heavyweight Crown, Jack Johnson Was Blot on the Ring Game

By GRANTLAND RICE

Around the Corner (Depicting the final stages of the long watch, with the Filbert Grenadiers on guard.)

HEAVY carefully sorted out the last two weeks' mail, pertaining to the heavyweight situation, we are confronted with the fifty-fifty aspect of these two lines of thought.

THE pro and con, with the accent mainly on the con, seems to be surging back and forth over the Dempsey-Wills debate. The oratory among fight fans has grown volatile in spots, but in the case of Dempsey it seems to be a matter of wills or vaudeville.

Second, Dempsey should meet Wills for several reasons. One is that attempting to arrange any such fight might blot out boxing. The other is, Johnson, as heavyweight champion, came near wrecking the game.

THE local Independent Baseball Umpires' Association will meet this evening to discuss the 1922 baseball situation, and a committee will be attending from the Philadelphia Baseball Association to discuss proposed methods of handling the umpire situation for the coming season.

Camden and Celts Cuban National Hold First Place

Skeeters Play Gothamites in Crucial Clash for Basketball Honors on Wednesday

TRENTON IN THIRD PLACE

Two big races were decided yesterday—the Cuban National Handicap, at Havana, \$10,000 added, and the Baja Handicap, at Tijuana, \$10,000 added.

THE victory of J. E. Widener's Duet-tie in the Brooke Steeplechase at Gutterick, England, has made a deep impression across the Atlantic, and sent the future betting on the jumper for the Grand National Steeplechase, the foremost steeplechase race in the world, from fifty-to-one down to ten-to-one.

RED AND BLUE MAY ENTER

MADONNA AT BURLINGTON

Downtown Cage Tossers to Invade Jersey for Game Tonight

ILLINOIS EXPECTS PENN TO ENTER RAY CARNIVAL

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