Athletics and Phillies Have Their Ups and Downs—Return to Favorite Positions in Cellar

YARRISON'S HURLING REDEEMING FEATURE OF A'S CELLAR TRIP

Rookie Shows Skill During Four Innings Against Red Sox—Maynard Gives Promise as Good Shortstop. Phils Make It Unanimous by Also Going to Bottom

THE Phillies and the Athletics cannot stand prosperity. After brief respites during the last few days in seventh place, both of the local hopes are now sojourning in the climes they know best—last place.

The Mackmen had two days of looking up from seventh place during the last week, but could not sustain their attack long enough to remain on the seventh rung more than one day. Yesterday Hughie Duffy gave his line-up a shake-up and the Red Sox up and smote the Mackmen just where it hurt and tumbled them down to the depths again. So it was with the Phils.

The Giants made it three straight by handing Jimmy Ring a sound thrashing. The Braves refused to lose again, defeating the Brooklyn Dodgers and forcing the Phillies back into the cellar they know so well.

Bill Piercy, a Yankee cast-off, proved the Athletics' Waterloo. He allowed them six hits and kept them scattered well enough to prevent the scoring of more than one run. Bill used a mean outcurve on the sluggers of the Athletics and kept them hitting puny grounders or flies all afternoon.

Bing Miller and Walker particularly looked bad several times on that mean outcurve that would force the big hitters to take a vicious swing that never met the ball full on. Whenever he needed something in a pinch Piercy was there with his little curve that caused no end of trouble. Miller went hitless during the afternoon and Walker managed to snare a one-base blow when he reached out and poked a single into center.

Joe Hauser, Connie's find from Milwaukee, was the only member of the local cast to turn in a decent batting log. He made two singles, one an infield scratch. The youth also fielded his position faultlessly, making a couple of good pick-ups of bad throws.

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BUT the star of the whole fray from the Shibe Park standpoint was Rube Yarrison, the former Rocky Mount hurler. Rube had a world of stuff and exhibited it in a manner befitting a veteran.

Yarrison Had Plenty of Stuff

HAD Yarrison started on the hill the result of the game might have been different. Any time a rookie goes to the hill and stems the tide of base hits a team is making, when that team happens to be on the long end of the score, he has lots of possibilities.

Rube took the pitching tee in the sixth, and from then on the Red Sox bats were silenced. Twelve men faced the youngster in the four frames he worked, only one reaching base, Liebold, on a frank. The lead-off man was cut down trying to steal on a perfect throw by Cy Perkins.

Yarrison showed a change of pace that would do credit to many a veteran. Ably assisted by Perkins, the Rube used a slow, tantalizing curve, a high fast ball, a low fast-breaking drop and a mean inshoot that had the Sox helpless.

Only three balls were hit to the outfield during his tenure on the mound. He had worlds of stuff and gives promise of being a kid hurler upon whom Connie can place some dependence before the season is over. Certainly he warrants every opportunity to make good. He has a cool head and can field his position with the best.

Another youngster, this time a visitor, attracted the attention of the fans. He was none other than Chick Maynard, erstwhile shortstop of the Dartmouth College team. Chick started his first game yesterday and showed the mettle. He made a number of good stops and throws, kept his head in the pinches and took a mean cut at the horsehide when it was tossed up to him.

The fielding feature of the contest belonged to the collegian. In the third the Athletics had the bases densely populated, with two down. Bing Miller was at the bat. After taking two and two, the former Senator reached out and cracked one of Piercy's outshoots on the nose. The ball started on a line for the bag at second, took a hop just back of the sack and seemed destined to center field. Maynard dashed over, made a lunge and came up with the horsehide.

While bent almost to the ground he flipped the ball over his head to Pratt, who stepped on second an eyelash before Perkins slid into it. It was the kind of play seen only once in a while on any diamond. It cut off at least two Athletic runs.

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COMING fresh out of college up to the fast play of the big leagues, Maynard stamped himself yesterday as being an excellent prospect. He has a strong arm, fields well and looks like a real batter. With Jimmy Burke and Hughie Duffy to train him, the collegian should develop into an excellent ball player before many moons.

Williams Hits His Twelfth

CYRUS "NOTRE DAME" WILLIAMS made his twelfth home run of the season, but the Phillies succumbed in spite of it to the New York Giants. Wilhelm and his hirelings had a 4-to-3 lead at the end of the seventh, when the Giants rallied and turned in three runs, enough to win the contest.

Jimmy Ring was found for eleven hits in the six and one-third innings he worked, and Wilbur Hubbell one during his brief stay on the tee. The Phils hit Art Nehf, the expensive southpaw, hard in spots, but after his teammates gave him a comfortable lead the former Brave hurled strong ball and kept the invaders from digging their cleats into the scoring station. In the last three rounds the Phils went out in one, two, three order.

The defeat cast the Phillies back into last place, the Braves scoring their second straight victory in one of the fastest games of the year. Just one hour and eleven minutes were consumed in the playing of the contest, smart, speedy fielding retiring the batters without much time being wasted.

Neither Fillingim, the Braves' star spit-baller, nor Cadore fanned a man during the fracas. The Beantown aggregation made nine hits to seven for the Dodgers. Ford, the slippery little shortstop who showed lots of fielding grace during the series here, had a perfect day at bat, getting a double and three singles.

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THE biggest news of the day was the announcement that Gibson, manager of the Pirates, had resigned. "Gibby" went to the players after the game and told them that he was through. His resignation was accepted and Bill McKechnie named as the new manager.

Rumors Have Been Rampant

GIBSON left the managership like a hero. He thanked the players, said that he had no personal animus and wished them all the success in the world. What more could any one do? Ramblings have been heard for some time that Gibson was about to step down.

The fans in Pirateville have been howling at the poor playing of the team of late. It wasn't Gibson's fault. The hurlers upon whom he had placed his greatest reliance failed him miserably, which accounts for the team being down in fifth position when it ought to be up fighting for first place.

Sherdel hurled brilliant ball and gave the Cards a 6-to-0 win over the Pirates. Five hits was the total damage done to his delivery, while the Cards made fourteen off Morrison and Yellowhorse.

Eppa Jeptha Rixey had a lucky day. He was batted hard and often, but his teammates, just to show that they were entirely with him, made four home runs. In addition the Reds made five double plays, which kept the Cubs away from the scoring platter when they had visions of getting there.

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HARPER, the young outfielder; Duncan, Cavenay and Burns contributed the four-ply shots. Miller, Killeffer's husky outfielder, also had a round tripper. Stueland and Kauffmann were the losing hurlers.

Browns Batter the Indians

THE Browns returned to winning form and handed Tris Speaker's Cleveland Indians a lacing. The victory gave the St. Louisans a half game in the battle for first place, the Yanks, White Sox and Tigers being idle.

"Stanny" Covaleskie started on the mound for the Indians, but he proved helpless before the dynamic batting attack of the Browns, who clubbed his delivery freely, driving him from the mound in the seventh with a five-run rally in which the side batted around.

Chick Shorten took Tobin's place when the latter injured his leg, and on the first ball pitched to him in the eighth crashed out a home run.

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JOE WOOD, the former speed ball pitcher, who converted himself into an outfielder when his arm lost its cunning, showed as much skill with his bat as he formerly did with his arm. Wood had a perfect day at the bat, getting a home run, a double and two singles.

WALTER HAGEN TO GOLF AT PHILMONT

New British Champion Will Give Exhibition With Joe Kirkwood July 21

DINNER IN HIS HONOR

Walter Hagen, the only native American to win the British open golf championship, is to appear at the Philmont Country Club. Robert Harlow, representing Hagen, has arranged with Jules E. Mastbaum, chairman of the Greens Committee of the club, for the appearance of both Hagen and Joe Kirkwood at Philmont Friday, July 21.

Mr. Mastbaum has prepared a tentative program which includes an informal reception to Hagen and Kirkwood and other notable golfers who will accompany them to this city in the morning. In the afternoon at Philmont, Hagen and Kirkwood will play an eighteen-hole match with Charlie Hoffner, of Philmont, local champion, who will have as his partner the winner of the American open championship, which takes place in Chicago July 11, 12 and 13, in which both Hagen and Mr. Kirkwood participate. Should either Mr. Hagen or Mr. Kirkwood win this championship, Mr. Hoffner will have as his partner Jock Hutchison, winner of last year's British championship.

At the Westchester, N. Y., Biltmore Country Club this evening Hagen will be given a reception, to which Mr. Mastbaum has been invited, and then he will complete final arrangements for the appearance of Hagen and Kirkwood in this city. Every member of the many clubs belonging to the Philadelphia Golf Association will be invited to participate in the Philmont affair.

Those intending to be present at the dinner should immediately communicate with Raymond Slotter, Harrison Building, 4 South Fifteenth street. No special invitations will be issued for the exhibition in the afternoon.

"The Hagen victory stirred American golf circles to the utmost enthusiasm," said Mr. Mastbaum in discussing the visit of Hagen and Kirkwood. "Before Hagen and Kirkwood went to Europe Kirkwood and I had a friendly match at Atlantic City, and at that time it was suggested that if the American boys succeeded in winning the British open golf championship the Philmont Country Club would be very glad to have them as the club's guests upon their return."

That Hagen should be the first native American to win the British championship adds luster to the achievement.

Gossip of Independent and Semipro Teams

Ray Kepner is king of local pitchers. The Bridesburg star made it ten in a row at the expense of Fleisher. After the Yarners tallied four times in the opening session, Bridesburg fought back hard and finally won out by a run. The game was featured by Hanford's and Zibelli's sensational fielding.

Win one, lose one, tie one, is the record of the three-day series between Hildale and Dobson. The clubs battled on the the Weavers' Field until darkness halted the match with the figures knotted at four-all.

Johnny Rea's Fox Motor nine added Notasome to its list of victims. Pitcher Duld had a fine night and the score was 5 to 0. The hosiery workers were held to seven hits.

Bill Rudolph elected Herb Sten for mound duty and the South Phils trimmed the Hoffmore Black Sox, 9 to 4. The Maryland boys only scored one run until the ninth. McDonald started for the visitors, but he failed to finish the first round, Archie replacing him.

Francis X. Murphy brought the Melrose Club from Atlantic City and the shore boys gave the worst exhibition seen this season at Forty-eighth and Brown streets. The score was 21 to 4 and the game devoid of features.

Perry Reifsnyder elected Jim Heimbecker to pitch for the North Phils against Germantown and Dave Bennis' clan romped off with an easy 9-to-2 victory. The feature of the game was the fielding of Woods and a homer by Bateman with two on.

John Daley and his Kensington team furnished the evening's surprise by taking the Madison stars into camp, 9 to 8. The season's largest crowd witnessed the fray which was featured by heavy hitting, each side getting twelve hits.

Hatch Motor evened the count with Bartram Park, making the series between the two teams three each, by scoring a 6-to-4 victory on the latter's field. Three home runs by the Motorists helped in the victory. They were made by O'Neill, Zerby and Donovan.

Kaywood started off on another winning streak at the expense of Southwark Men's Club, the Dickinson street lads winning by the score of 11 to 3. Elmblade pitched for Kaywood and in his first game pitched sensational ball, holding Southwark to six hits.

Scraps About Scrappers

Willie Green, of this city, went to the mat at Louisville, Ky., a few nights ago and scored a nine-round knockout against Jack Lewis, of New Orleans. Eddie Stanton writes he has offers for Green's services in Indianapolis and Cincinnati.

Al Stone, the fighting Marine, will be in perfect fettle for his bout with Jim Hollard, of Baltimore, at the Phila Parc July 10. This bout will be decided on the same program with the Tommy Loughran-Harry Greenstein affair. Other numbers: Pal Moran vs. Joe Tipitiz, Earl France vs. Jimmy Hanlon and Joe Benjamin vs. George Erne.

Aquatine Club, with several boxers on its roster, will open its summer season at Blackwood, N. J., July 4.

Elite of the Philadelphia boxing fraternity will be among those aboard the good ship Thomas Clyde on the annual moonlight sail tonight by Jack Brady and Jack Scodies. Lew Tendler's heavyweight trimmers. The prelim "pork-and-beaners" will be there as well as the wind-up performer, also managers, seconds, promoters and matchmakers.

Herman Brown, 118-pounder, is open for bouts with any of the bantamweights, says a manager, Marty Cohen.

Johnny Hauba, a Wilmington boxer, will be in Philadelphia on Monday night and he will engage Mike Kredell in action in the wind-up at the Columbia A. C. Sam Blackston will clash with Frankie Smith in the semi. Prelims: Johnny Dougherty vs. Rube Rosenberg, George Helmar vs. Artie McCann and Kid Novia vs. Sammy Gold.

Six bouts will be staged at Smedley Field, Chester, Pa., tonight. Jackie Moore vs. Johnny Moseley, Eddie Smith vs. Jimmy Jordan, Ollie Ball vs. Leo Shannon, Johnny Sullivan vs. Willie Brown, Mickey Martel vs. Eddie Henry and Jasper White vs. Danny Miller are the numbers.

Harry Gordon, Philadelphia bantam and formerly of the navy, met Frankie Jerome in New York last week and gave the Gotham clown a terrific tussle. It was a ten-rounder, and while Jerome was given the decision it was a close contest.

Charley Cross will put on his next show at the National July 12. Young Mickey will take on Eddie Dempsey and Johnny Gardner will face Johnny Moseley in a double wind-up.

There is a letter in the Sports Department of the EVENING PUBLIC LEDGER for Charley Daggert.

Father and Daughter in Final

Greenwich, Conn., July 1. — Elon H. Hooker and his daughter, Miss Adelaide Hooker, will meet Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Richter in the finals of the mixed doubles of the annual tennis tournament of the Field Club tomorrow afternoon.

BREAKING INTO THE BIG LEAGUE

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HEWITT TO JOIN PRO RING RANKS

Starts as Amateur Middleweight; Now Seeks Lightweight Scalps

TRAINS WITH LOUGHRAN

By LOUIS H. JAFFE

ANOTHER amateur boxer of local reputation is about to embark on a professional punching career. He is Sammy Hewitt, claimant to the American amateur junior welterweight crown, although the youth, who is twenty years of age, weighs 138 pounds and believes he can get down to the lightweight limit without handicapping himself.

SAMMY HEWITT

Hewitt first stepped into the spotlgare here when he succeeded in standing off Sam Blackiston in the Middle Atlantic States championships at the Olympia, being the only one of half a dozen opponents to go the limit of three rounds with him. That was the night Blackiston won the amateur welterweight and middleweight titles, defeating Hewitt in the final for the 147-pound diadem.

Since then Hewitt has been boxing at occassional amateur events, both in Philadelphia and out-of-town. However, competition has been slack and Sammy, since learning the art of self-defence when he was in the army and later in the navy, has been anxious to keep punching.

On Thursday Sammy walked into the training quarters of Tommy Loughran, who is getting into condition for a bout at the Phils Park, July 10, and offered his services as sparring partner. Hewitt went along at a rapid clip for the two rounds in which they flung fists at each other.

After it was over Joe Smith, Loughran's manager, asked Sam how he liked it.

"Great stuff, Tommy is a good boxer, I enjoyed the workout, thank you," he answered.

"Coming back again tomorrow?" was the next interrogation.

"Sure," came the quick reply, "if you want me to—I'll be glad."

Smith says Hewitt gave Loughran one of the best workouts during his training.

"Hewitt," he says "is a promising prospect, and he has asked me to try to book him for some matches. He looks good to me and I'm going to do it."

When Hewitt first entered amateur competition he boxed against middleweights. Then he noticed that he was getting smaller and went in for welterweight action, and now Sammy finds that he is down below 140 pounds and feels safe in saying that he will be able to make 135 pounds at 2 o'clock after a week's work with Loughran.

FREEBOOTERS WIN AT POLO

Bryn Mawr Quartet Vanquishes Penllyn Foxhunters, 6 to 2

In a closely contested game, the Bryn Mawr Freebooters defeated the Penllyn Foxhunters by a score of 6 goals to 2, at Penllyn yesterday. The defensive play of he Freebooers was such that the Foxhunters were unable to penetrate their goal. The two points with which the Penllyn quartet were credited were a handicap.

Each player on the Bryn Mawr team scored twice, except Alfred Biddle, who played back. George H. Earle, 3d, played his usual stellar game, at times riding the ball the entire length of the field. His passing resulted in most of the scores.

Lively Ball Complaint Is Heard in Tennis Circles

Too lively a ball is a complaint frequently heard in baseball circles, but it is something new in the tennis world. Tennis players of the country are being asked their opinions regarding the balls now in use by Walter L. Pate, chairman of of the United States Lawn Tennis Association's Committee on Balls and Supplies.

If a sufficient number of American players register their opinion by September 1 that a lower bounding ball would be better for a hard court, a change will undoubtedly be recommended at the next annual meeting of the National Association.

Miller and Lee Are Leading Local Batsmen

ATHLETICS

	G.	AB.	R.	H.	HR.	SB.	PC.
Miller	60	233	44	82	13	2	.352
Galloway	62	228	37	73	1	3	.320
Hauser	20	19	4	6	1	0	.316
Perkins	61	219	28	65	3	1	.297
Heimath	18	25	5	7	0	1	.280
Dykes	62	213	30	56	6	2	.263
Walker	60	233	41	61	13	0	.262
Johnston	62	245	40	64	1	6	.261
Welch	49	177	20	40	4	0	.226
Young	62	251	37	55	1	3	.219
Hommel	24	84	2	7	0	0	.200
McGowan	26	70	8	14	0	2	.200
Yarrison	11	5	0	1	0	0	.200
Harris	22	33	2	6	0	0	.182
Hasty	10	29	4	4	0	0	.138
Naylor	16	17	1	2	0	0	.118

PHILLIES

	G.	AB.	R.	H.	HR.	SB.	PC.
Lee	53	139	23	47	7	3	.338
Walker	58	222	45	74	1	5	.333
Henline	53	177	22	56	3	2	.316
Williams	62	237	47	74	11	4	.312
Fletcher	57	207	29	63	0	2	.304
Peters	24	52	15	15	2	0	.288
Wrightstone	36	110	11	31	1	3	.282
Lebourveau	40	118	14	32	0	0	.271
Tarkinson	63	248	34	66	8	1	.266
Leslie	63	229	21	57	1	1	.249
Kapp	41	167	16	36	0	2	.216
Meadows	15	38	4	8	0	0	.211
Winters	18	19	2	4	0	0	.211
G. Smith	15	32	0	3	0	0	.094
King	16	38	1	2	0	0	.053

NATIONAL LEAGUE CLUB BATTING

Club	G.	AB.	R.	H.	2B.	3B.	HR.	SB.	PC.
New York	65	2227	363	695	114	36	35	54	.312
Pittsburgh	63	2240	342	669	94	42	14	48	.299
Brooklyn	67	2366	346	694	105	39	31	44	.293
Cincinnati	63	2254	307	659	94	47	11	51	.292
St. Louis	64	2217	321	648	131	31	42	27	.292
Chicago	66	2213	288	632	111	26	14	39	.286
Philadelp'a	63	2176	292	598	95	27	46	28	.275
Boston	63	2149	272	581	67	30	14	28	.270

AMERICAN LEAGUE CLUB BATTING

Club	G.	AB.	R.	H.	2B.	3B.	HR.	SB.	PC.
Detroit	69	2402	362	729	125	39	28	28	.303
Cleveland	70	2417	367	727	154	38	5	32	.301
St. Louis	67	2437	390	735	130	50	49	69	.299
New York	70	2365	333	672	98	34	36	27	.284
Boston	67	2342	303	623	121	28	22	19	.266
Athletics	62	2115	311	562	83	30	44	21	.266
Chicago	69	2331	308	616	98	26	19	50	.264
Wash'ton	67	2253	279	570	100	30	18	41	.257

BILL GIBSON QUITS AS PIRATE MANAGER

Barney Dreyfuss Appoints Bill McKechnie, Assistant Pilot, in His Place

NEW LEADER IS POPULAR

Pittsburgh, July 1. — The baseball public here was surprised to learn that a change of management in the Pirate team had taken place. After yesterday's game, in which the Bucs were shut out and defeated, 6-0, Manager Gibson called the players together before they reached the shower baths and told them that he had decided to resign in the interests of the team, hoping for a change of fortunes.

He said that he had no blame for any one, but that he felt the team should have another manager and might possibly do better work. He thanked them all and said he was leaving without a feeling of resentment against any of them. He wished them all the luck possible and hoped they would reach a better position in the race.

The players were surprised, as they had had no warning that "Gibby" was discouraged. They had been striving to get out of a rut for some time, but the pitchers had failed dismally in recent games, and what good batting they displayed has gone for naught.

Gibson left the clubhouse and went to the office of Mr. Dreyfus, where he tendered his resignation, and it was immediately accepted, giving the impression that it was at least desired by the Pirate management. After he had departed for his home, William B. McKechnie, the assistant manager, was called in and appointed manager. He takes charge right away.

McKechnie is a Pittsburgh boy and formerly played on the Pirate team, as well as the Giants, Cincinnati Reds and the New York Yankees. He also played for and managed the Indianapolis team when it won the Federal League pennant several years ago and was then transferred to Newark, N. J.

He is popular with the players, and it is believed that the team will take a brace under his management.

WILLS DEFEATS GOLDEN

Has Better of Closing Rounds in Open Air Show at Cambria

One of the largest crowds of the season witnessed one of the best programs at the wind-up of the open-air show of the Cambria A. C. last night. Stanley Wills and Tommy Golden were the principals. The decision went to Wills by reason of his superior work in the closing sessions.

In the semi-windup Soldier Karkasky stopped Mike Kowalski in the fourth round. The latter claimed an injured hand, but an examination disproved the claim. The other results: Joe (Peck) Martin knocked out Pat Haley in the third, Dan Gartin, making his "pro" debut, outpointed Pat Deeney and Frankie Feera beat Charlie Mack in a six-round sizzler.

SISLER CONTINUES TO LEAD LEAGUE

Browns' Star Loses Five Points in Week—Hornsby First in National

GALLOWAY BATTING .320

George Sisler lost five points during the last week, but he still continues to lead the American League in batting and virtually every other department.

The Michigander has been whaling the horsehide consistently, and has the magnificent average of .429. Sisler has the most runs in the junior circuit, 70, and has poled out the largest number of hits, 124. He has 26 stolen bases to his credit, which puts him out in front in that department.

Ken Williams, Sisler's teammate, continues to show the way to the home-run swatters with 19, which means that the Browns are setting the pace in virtually every part of the game.

The Athletics' hitters showed an improvement during the week. Bing Miller gained two points over his average of a week ago. He is batting .352. Bingo has not been knocking out home runs of late, but he has been batting with a fair degree of consistency.

"Chick" Galloway has been showing daily improvement in his batting. Last week the shortstop had an average of .316. This week the mark is five points better. Galloway's hitting is sensational because heretofore he never has hit better than 300 in the majors. The timeliness of his blows is the big feature of his work.

Cy Perkins had a profitable week, gaining eight points and carrying his average to .297. Tillie Walker gained a point and is now batting at .262, the lowest average he has had at this stage of the race in many years. Jimmy Dykes lost a point during the week and is hitting at .263.

Stephenson, of Cleveland, ranks second among the American League hitters with a mark of .394. Other batters hitting up with the leaders are Heilman, Detroit, .381; Speaker, Cleveland, .374; O'Neill, Cleveland, .368; Witt, New York, .367; Collins, St. Louis, .367; Cobb, Detroit, .362, and Blue, Detroit, .353.

Danforth, with four wins and one defeat, leads the American in pitching. Walter Johnson has nine triumphs and three defeats.

Eddie Rommel, with ten victories and five defeats, leads the Athletics in hurling. Naylor is next with five and five, followed by Hasty, three and four; Heimach, four and six; Yarrison, one and two, and Harris, four and nine.

Rogers Hornsby continues to lead the National in batting, although he lost four points during the week, his average being .393. He has scored the most hits, ninety-seven, and leads in homers with seventeen.

Other leading hitters in the National are Barnhart, Pittsburgh, .385; Gowdy, Boston, .383; Stengel, New York, .375; Hargrave, Cincinnati, .372; B. Griffith, Brooklyn, .372, and Miller, Chicago, .356.

Cliff Lee is the Phillies' leading batter, with an average of .338, which is a loss of two points over the week. Curt Walker made a three-point gain and is standing second, with an average of .333. Henline, the scrappy catcher, gained twenty-one points during the week and is now batting at a .316 clip.

OPEN-AIR BOXING
COLUMBIA A. C. 30TH AND Columbia Ave.
Geo. Heiner vs. (6 rds.) Artie Mc Cann
Sammy Blackiston vs. (6 rds.) Frankie Smith
Mike Credell vs. (8 rds.) Johnny Hauba
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Admission 50c and $1.00

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How Does It Strike You?

Uncertainty of Form
G. Smith's Battle
Regatta Removal

By THE OBSERVER

THE opposition against the removal of the intercollegiate regatta from Poughkeepsie is being sounded.

The objection comes from New York and naturally so. Columbia is the only university favored by conditions at Poughkeepsie. The Blue and White has the best quarters on the river.

The coaches have been growling about Poughkeepsie for many years, but there has not been enough concentrated effort to take the classic elsewhere.

Poughkeepsie has tradition. For many, many seasons the best college crews in the country have fought it out over the beautiful Hudson course.

Poughkeepsie also has scenery. But outside of tradition and scenery there is not much else to boost.

Accommodations are poor for oarsmen and spectators alike. The one-horse ferry which carries the throngs across the river is always taxed beyond efficient service.

The waters of the Hudson usually are rough and the various lanes lend advantage to one crew and handicap another.

The majority of the coaches would take the regatta to still water. Lake Geneva seems to be the most logical site.

At Lake Geneva there would be no interference from tide and the rowing officials would be able to stage the events at the scheduld time.

All crews would have an equal chance and it is said that accommodations for oarsmen and spectators would be much better.

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MRS. MOLLA MALLORY has repudiated the statements attributed to her concerning Mlle. Lenglen. The "interview" was received with surprise here, for the American champion seldom will consent to be interviewed by the press.

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George Smith, Modest and Reserved, Shows Fight

THE quiet and modest George Smith apparently carries hidden in his temperament a bit of fire. Columbia George is the last member of the Phillies one would pick as a scrapper.

Off the ball field George always speaks well of John McGraw, but that doesn't go far on the diamond.

In Thursday's game at the Polo Grounds Smith was knocked out of the box and as he was passing the Giants' dugout McGraw greeted him with some cheery words that aroused his ire.

He rushed for the Giants' leader and found Ralph Shinners in the path. George was in a fighting mood and was just as pleased to have the opposition come from Shinners as McGraw. The two went to the mat.

After it was all over McGraw said he had no part in it other than that of peacemaker, which is a strange pose for the pugnacious leader of the Giants.

The old-time spirit which used to prevail in New York-Phillie series apparently is returning.

Prior to Smith's scrap with Shinners, Fletcher engaged in a verbal battle with McCormick and was barred. He is still out under suspension.

The aggressiveness of the Phillies is something to be encouraged. The club has long been spiritless.

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JAMES O. ANDERSON, the Australian star, is continuing his winning stride at Wimbledon. Yesterday he showed improved form in eliminating Fyzee, the India representative.

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Intercollegiate Golf Dope Upset

FORM is a delicate thing. Though nursed and nourished, it often is sickly at critical moments.

Form collapsed in the intercollegiate golf tournament yesterday when Rudy Knepper, Princeton star and Iowa State champion, was blotted out of the championship by G. B. Secor, of Williams, a "very dark horse."

Knepper is the young man who eliminated Woodie Platt from the Lynnewood Hall Cup play and then held on remarkably well against Max Marston in the final round when the Merion star was shooting the greatest golf of his career.

The Iowa State title-holder was an odds-on favorite. He was never worse than 78 in the four qualifying rounds and his chances of coming through to the title were exceptionally good.

Then arises young Secor to slap form in the face. None suspected that Secor would have a chance, but he played consistently and deserved to win.

The outsider is always looming up in the path of the favorite. It isn't confined to golf or to sports. It happens along every lane.

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THE A's and the Phils have resumed their accustomed positions. Both clubs dropped to the cellar yesterday.

HARRY WILLS HALTS CLARK

Challenger of Dempsey Scores Quick Kayo in Trenton Final

Trenton, N. J., July 1. — When Harry Wills, challenger for the world heavyweight title, had knocked down Jeff Clark, the "Fighting Ghost," of Joplin, Mo., five times within four minutes at the arena here, Clark concluded it was time to stay down. Clark was down on the canvass three times during the first round, and each time he took the maximum of the count. Wills bowled him over again in the first half minute of the second round, and a few seconds later sent him sprawling on his back with a thud that sounded the end of the uneven contest without the formal count of the referee.

Resumption of boxing at the arena resulted in a night of knockouts. Tony Walker, of this city, sent Tommy Ryan, of Chicago, to the canvass for the count in the first round.

Billy Schimpf, of Allentown, Pa., and Welden Wing, of Portland, Ore., went eight fast rounds with honors divided. Joe Pledge, of Long Island City, put away Johnnie Vigge, of Philadelphia, in one round of fast fighting.

OUIMET PLAYS HODDER

Clash for Massachusetts Golf Title Over Kernwood Links

Salem, Mass., July 1.—Francis Ouimet, of Woodland, former national amateur and open champion, met Clark Hodder, of Commonwealth, in the thirty-six-hole final round of the State amateur golf championship at the Kernwood Country Club today. Ouimet had an easy time in his third round and semi-final matches yesterday.

After winning from H. F. McNeil, of the country club, Brookline, in the forenoon, 5 and 3, Ouimet walked away with the afternoon contest with W. A. Whitcomb, Worcester, 8 and 6.

Hodder, who defeated F. C. Newton, of the country club, in the forenoon, 4 and 3, had a series of fortunate breaks in his match with Howard Paul, of Bellevue, in the semi-final, winning 3 and 2.

Friends' Central Star at Annapolis

Annapolis, Md., July 1.—John M. Smythe, a schoolboy athlete from Philadelphia, is a late acquisition here, having just entered the new class. Smythe is from Camden, N. J., and attended Friends' Central School. At Friends' Smythe won his letter in football, basketball, track and baseball. He is a little over six feet in height and plays center position in which there is a vacancy in the academy five.

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Boots and Saddle

The Latonia Derby at a mile and a half, $15,000 added, will be decided at Kentucky track this afternoon. It is the longest race for three-year-olds. Field is small, but of exceptional quality. In the Kentucky Special last Saturday, Thibodaux was in close pursuit of Whiskaway at the wire, and beat him. He will meet Olympus today in the chief reliance of Harry Payne Whitney. Olympus must be a better horse than Whiskaway to beat him. Olympus has not shown that he is Thibodaux looms as the probable winner.

Horses which appear best at Latonia today are: First race—Sewell Combs, Guaranteed, Gammer Gurton; second—Sunny Ducrow, Irish Rose, Jones' Mary; third—Green Gold, Approval, Prof. Consul; fourth—Neddam, Dispatch, Lady Madcap; fifth—Thibodaux, Olympus, Margaret Windsor; sixth—Regent Queen, Skeezix; seventh—Blarney Stone, Cantilever, American Boy.

The National Handicap is the feature at Hamilton today. Commander J. K. L. Ross is playing a strong hand with Registrar, Mercution and Boniface. Only three other horses are entered in the $4000 race. Horses which seem best are: First race—Ocean Crest, Flowerful, Hallucination; second—Beverly Belle, Muese, Colando; third—Ace, Current Events, Penelope; fourth—Lady Ross, Lilt, Carmen Pantages; fifth—Ross entry, Golden Sphere, Irish Dream; sixth—War Tank, Ruddles, Sun Brae; seventh—Plucky, The Lamb, King John.

Aqueduct: First race—June, Torchy, The Peruvian; second—Mohican, Wisest Fool, Vigilante; third—Cherry Pie, Bud Larner, Better Luck, Bon Homme, Captain Alcock, Letterman; fifth—Lord Herbert, Teddy R., Tufter; sixth—Mark Twain, Blanc Seing, Brilliance.