

Kize Wilhelm Wants a Couple of Pitchers Who Can Start and Finish a Game on the Same Day

WILHELM YEARNS FOR THE GOOD OLD DAYS

Poor Pitching by Philadelphia Hurlers Makes Manager Reminiscent—Pitchers Would Make Locals a Contender, He Opines

By JOSEPH T. LABRUM
IRVING "KIZE" WILHELM has the "gimmies." The Phillies' manager, like his predecessors of the last few years, wants something. A couple of pitchers and one or two infielders will do, with the accent on the former. "Kize" makes no bones of the fact that he is considerably upset at the manner in which his pitching staff has been acting—like a lot of debutants.

They haven't been pitching much. It takes three of them to get a good-sized nine-inning game. Of the staff, Jimmy Ring, the amiable, portly former Red, is the only one who acts and looks the part of a pitcher when he is out on the hill. The remainder have shown themselves skillful in the art of dodging the enemy shots that go over, around him, through the box and after him, but as for hurling they simply aren't there at all.

No one knows this better than Wilhelm himself, former pitcher and capable even today of going into the box and taking his turn. If the team had two or three heavy hitters, Jimmy Ring, the Phils. manager, is batting some where in the first division.

"Give me the good old days," said Wilhelm this morning when the pitchers used to get on the hill even out of their turns. Not so today. It is more of a science with each one trying to save himself as much as possible. Why, to have a pitcher to pitch when it isn't their so-called turn. There should not be any turn. They ought to be ready every other day for duty.

Needed but Three in 1904
"Back in 1904 when I was up with the old Boston team, Vie Wilhelm, Charles Dittinger and myself hurled 102 games of a 154-game schedule. There were seven pitchers who were to pitch. We knew when it was our turn, Wilhelm pitched forty-three games, I turned in forty-one and Dittinger thirty-nine. None of us didn't finish up front—the team wasn't there in back of us. We did manage to get to sixth place.

"Another thing. In those days we were up against a \$2400 limit in salary, while the pitchers today sneer at five or six thousand. If you wanted a raise in the old days you had to get rig up like Jesse James and hold up the ball park.

"I cannot understand what has happened to our pitching staff since the game since we have been here. He has been complaining of a sore arm the last while back, which naturally doesn't help his efficiency any. He has been unable to finish a game in the last six weeks. Ring has been the only consistent pitcher on the club.

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W.	L.	P.	Win Loss		
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Pittsburgh	35	47	530	514	524
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YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Phillies-Pittsburgh (postponed wet grounds). Cincinnati 3, New York 2.
Chicago 6, Brooklyn 5.
Boston 5, St. Louis, 0 (first game).
St. Louis, 6; Boston, 5 (second game).

BOY CLAIMS CUE TITLE

Willie Mosconi Led Girl Rival When Match Was Stopped
Willie Mosconi, the seven-year-old pocket billiard expert, would be pleased if he wasn't such a good-natured kiddie. Willie, who is known as the "best pocket edition of Ralph Greenleaf," was proving his claim to the juvenile championship of the world, when a hard-nosed expert of the law stepped in and sent the champion of Homeville, at the National Academy when the policeman stopped the game. The score at that period was 335 to 272 in favor of Willie.

The young expert doesn't know whether they ever will be able to finish the battle, but Willie says his big lead shows how the clash would have resulted had the game been allowed to continue. When the match was halted the boy was leading the girl 42 to 22 for the black.

Some of the Reasons

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PERKINS' HOMER WINS FOR MACKS

Four-Ply Shot Broke Deadlock and Enabled A's to Even Series—Cards on Top

BROWNS AND YANKS WIN

Enter Cy Perkins, the hero. The Athletics' red and only catcher found one of Red Faber's shoots to his liking in the eighth inning out of his league, belted it far and away to uncharted territory and gave the Athletics their second victory in the four-game series.

Up to the seventh inning the White Sox had the game stored away as a victory. Faber was hurling great ball, holding Perk and his pals helpless when his meat runs. Then came the eighth and three runs that knotted the figures. Perkins attended to the winning of the frame in the eighth with his round-tripper.

Frank Bruezy's third straight hit in as many days acting as pinch hitter was responsible for the tying of the score. Eddie Walker had sent Galley way across on a sacrifice fly and Bruezy arched a single that counted another. Harper shot a double in the outfield that sent Young, who had taken Bruezy's place on the sacks, across the platter.

Galloway, whose hitting picked up in the Western trip, had a trio of one-base blows. Harper had a double and a single. The other five blows were divided among Bruezy, Perkins, McGowan, Young and Dykes. Rommel was the winner. The A's open a two-game series with the Yanks tomorrow and return home on Monday.

Bone, a rookie hurler brought from Chattanooga, Tenn., of the Southern League, enabled the Mackmen to gain a full game in their efforts to keep out of last place. The newcomer held the Red Sox to six hits and three runs while his mates wereounding a quarter of Red Sox hurlers for thirteen safeties and seven markers.

Five wins in the first inning made it possible for Bone to record a win in his debut.

Babe Ruth knocked out his twenty-first homer of the season against the Tigers, the Yanks winning 8 to 3. Four runs in the eighth and one in the ninth enabled the Gothamites to keep up in the night. Ruth's homer came in the ninth inning of the game. It was his only hit of the game.

Bob Shawkey outpitched Howard Ebbets, but when he faltered in the ninth Jim Bush was rushed to the rescue and stemmed the Tiger rush. The Browns also rallied to a win

Runs Scored for Week in Three Big Leagues

NATIONAL LEAGUE									
Club	S.	M.	T.	W.	T. F.	S.	T.	F.	S.
Pittsburgh	10	10	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Chicago	10	10	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Boston	10	10	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
St. Louis	10	10	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
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New York	10	10	11	11	11	11	11	11	11

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Boston	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Washington	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Detroit	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11

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Toronto	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Chicago	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Newark	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
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Reading	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11

FLOCK OF BIKERS HERE FOR 62 1/2-MILE EVENT

"Miniature Six-Day" Race at Drome Tonight—38 Riders
A number of the thirty-eight star bikers scheduled to compete tonight in the 100-kilometer "miniature six-day" arid, sixty-two and one-half miles, at the Philadelphia Velodrome, Point Breeze Park, arrived in town last evening and others will continue coming in during the day so that all of the two to compete will have arrived by 6 o'clock this afternoon.

The thirty-eight entrants are to compose nineteen teams and they will sprint for points every two miles during their 375 laps around the wooden saucer. Seven points will be awarded leaders of the various sprints, three for second, two for third and one for fourth.

The rider finishing ahead in the final sprint will get twenty-five points, fifteen will go to the second man, ten, third, and five, fourth. In addition to the point score, the contestants will try for the lap money, a dollar to be presented to the man in front of the pack each time around.

Italy's three leading bikers are entered in this long grind. Francesco Verri and Orlando Piani are teamed, while Tom Bello will couple with Joe

MAIN LINERS PLAY HERE

Ardmore Team Will Meet Lit Brothers in West Philly Clash

The Lit Brothers baseball team has one of its hardest games of the season on the schedule tonight at the home field, Fifty-fourth and Elmwood avenue.

Sectional Rivals Meet

Shanahan and Stonehurst Play at Fifty-eighth and Walnut
Two of the four contenders for the championship of the West Philadelphia baseball section of the Philadelphia Baseball Association meet tonight at Fifty-eighth and Walnut streets.

Dempsy May Box in Turkey

Constantinople, Aug. 10.—Should Heavyweight Champion Jack Dempsy visit Europe this fall he will be invited to meet several Turkish boxers in exhibition matches in this city. The invitation will be extended to Dempsy by the Turkish Sports Federation.

Scraps About Scrapper

Billy Wells, English welterweight, finally has succeeded in getting a match. He will take on Nate Sabel in Boston next Monday night at the Garden. Sabel is a former world champion and has won a title in the past.

Tommy O'Toole, of West Philadelphia, is out with a bad sprain. He says that he will be back in action in a few days. He is a former champion and has won a title in the past.

Joe Ritchie, who scored a knockout in New York recently, is anxious to get back in action. He is a former champion and has won a title in the past.

Young Joe Butler has rounded into superb shape and his manager, J. P. Taylor, wants to send him against either Jack Perry or Danny Edwards.

Sam Blackiston's meeting with Joe Peck Martin tomorrow night at the Columbia in the midst of both a windup punchers will be an exciting one. Several weeks ago Martin won from Blackiston, and Sam, confident he will reverse the decision, Eddie Reynolds vs. Dick Williams' former names. Battling Kid Power vs. Kid Homes, Jimmy O'Brien vs. Kid Sides and Charley McCann vs. Sam Langford.

Matty Dechter, local flavelight, is the latest acquisition to the stable of Harry Wolf. Wolf also has Pedro Campo and Johnny Hayes fighting his colors.

WYNDMOOR AFTER BASEBALL HONORS

Chestnut Hill Club Has Many Prominent Players in the Line-Up—To Play Stenton

Germantown and Chestnut Hill are the Mecca for many baseball teams this year, and the fans in that locality have several teams that rank with the top-notchers, but none command more respect than the Wyndmoor Club, recently organized.

Many well-known players are included in the personnel of the team. The pitchers are "Lefty" Black, formerly of Stenton, and Harry Griffith, of Villanova Prep, who has been lured for Strawbridge & Clothier.

Other well-known stars include Larry Doyle, of Dobson, at shortstop, who is now with Ashland; Brogan, of Stenton, at third base; Winters, of Amber, at first; and Cavis, the Glenside center fielder.

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- \$8.50 golf trousers..... \$4.25
- \$10.00 golf trousers..... \$5.00
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- \$15.00 golf trousers..... \$7.50
- \$18.00 Palm Beach suits.... \$9.00
- \$20.00 Palm Beach suits.... \$10.00
- \$20.00 mohair suits..... \$10.00
- \$25.00 mohair suits..... \$12.50
- \$30.00 mohair suits..... \$15.00
- \$35 worsteds and gabardines \$17.50

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Cubs Buy Outfielder

Anaheim, Tex., Aug. 10.—Howard N. Fitzgerald, center fielder for the American League's West Texas League, has been sold to the Chicago Cubs. He is to report at Chicago at the end of the frame season. He formerly was the property of the Philadelphia Athletics.

Indians to Train in Florida

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 10.—Officials of the Cleveland American League club today announced that they had secured a training camp in Florida for the Indians.

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