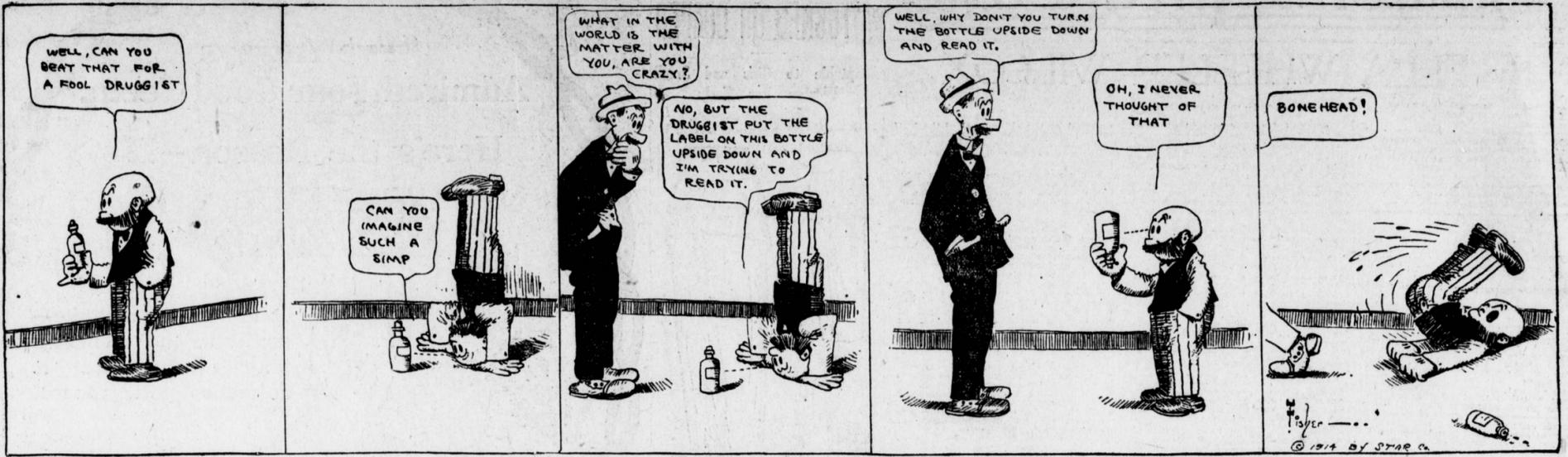


Showing Her That Jeff Knows a Thing or Two

By "Bud" Fisher



TRENTON MEN QUIT BECAUSE OF LOSSES

Tri-State Magnates Hear Bad News at the Meeting Yesterday

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 19.—An announcement that Trenton backers had decided to throw up the sponge and quit the Tri-State game came like a thunderbolt from a clear sky at the meeting held here yesterday, and it was some time before the magnates were able to get down to business in the effort to fill the vacancy.

It was subsequently stated that Trenton is not yet wholly lost to the Tri-State and that there may be a reorganization of the Trenton Athletic Association, a number of new backers having expressed a desire to get into the game if a change is made. Trenton is heavily in debt and the directors are of the opinion that unless there is a reorganization there is little use in trying to make baseball a success in Trenton.

Outside of the presentation of the schedule by President George Graham, little else than routine business was transacted. Because of the conditions at Trenton and because some of the managers want a few dates changed, the schedule will not be announced until the next meeting, which may be held in Harrisburg.

Old-time rivalry between the two cities has been a factor in the decision to start the season May 6 and close September 7, Labor Day, the schedule also being adopted, which calls for 10 games, and has been so arranged as to insure an even division of games at home and abroad.

Interest in the schedule naturally centers in the holidays. For the present season the clubs are couple as follows: Trenton and Wilmington, York and Harrisburg and Reading and Allentown.

On Decoration Day and July Fourth these teams will double up, playing in one town in the morning and in the other in the afternoon. This arrangement will not be maintained on Labor Day, when Allentown will play at Wilmington, Trenton at York and Harrisburg at Reading. The following delegates were present at the session: George Stallman, York; William Morris, Trenton; Dr. A. H. Balliett, Allentown; William S. Tunis, Harrisburg; John Myers, Reading; and Peter Cassidy, Wilmington.

The meeting also marked the introduction in Tri-State sessions of Fred Lanshe, of Allentown, the newly-elected president of that club.

Mr. Myers announced that the games of the Reading club would be played on the Circus Maximus grounds.

Many Tri-States and baseball men, in addition to those actually participating in the meeting, were seen around the corridors of the hotel, including Managers Johnny Castle, Harry Hoffman, George Cockill and George Heckert, Joe Ward, Wild Conroy, Max Endman, Zeke Wrigley and Monte Cross.

Attendance Small; Trenton a Failure; May Reorganize

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 19.—Financial difficulties have caused the directors and stockholders of the Trenton Tri-State baseball club to throw up the sponge. This action was taken at a meeting of the directors yesterday.

President William J. Morris attended the Tri-State meeting in Philadelphia and made the official announcement of the action by the promoters of the Trenton team.

Between \$20,000 and \$25,000 has been lost since the Tri-State invaded this city in 1907, and with absolutely no encouragement forthcoming, there was nothing for the stockholders to do but discontinue their efforts to place the game on a paying basis.

Rather than place the entire organization at a disadvantage after the schedule was started it was deemed advisable to immediately acquaint other clubs with the utter impossibility of Trenton remaining on the circuit.

The Trenton club has been allowed to use Morris Park, the home of Tri-State ball, practically free of any cost, but even with this concession the losses have been tremendous as the patronage has been extremely small.

Trenton was admitted to the Tri-State League in 1907. The first season paid well. The organization was then undoubtedly one of the fastest minor leagues in the country. High salaries were paid and the players were among the best outside the majors.

Manager John A. Carney held the reins over the "Pig"ers at the start and was able to land them at the top of the first division. The race that year was the best in the history of the organization and large crowds attended all the games.

The local directors and stockholders are W. J. Morris, Frank Weeden, George Barlow, James H. Letts, Lewis Levin, Charles Hill and William Waldron.

WOMEN COMPOSED CREW OF BOB-SLED MAKING MILE IN 42 SECONDS



The record-breaking bobsled Greyhound, and its captivating crew, about to start over the racing course at Huntington, L. I., on which the Greyhound regularly negotiates a mile in side of forty-two seconds.

Reading, Pa., Feb. 19.—The management of the De Neri team, of the Eastern Basketball League, turned down the offer of Al Berliner, manager of the Reading champion, for the services of "King" Brady for the remainder of the season.

Berliner, it is understood, offered a big price to the De Neri management for Brady. He was anxious to obtain the services of the star guard to take Sears' place.

Reading After King Brady

Special to The Telegraph

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 19.—It was announced to-day that A. L. Jackson, the Harvard hurdler, had passed successfully through an operation yesterday for the removal of a piece of splintered bone from the muscles of his leg. It is expected that he will be able to participate in the Spring track meets.

Will Play Oberlin Five

The Harrisburg Business College basketball team will play the Neidig Memorial team of Oberlin on the Oberlin floor to-night. Games are wanted by the Harrisburg Business College team. Address George Hinely, 329 Market street, Harrisburg, Pa. The following players will report at Market Square at 7 o'clock to-night: Heininger, Hoffman, Beck, Lichthaler, Reikother and Kline.

Pirates Close Call in Railroad Series

The Pirates lost a close game to the Cubs in the P. R. Y. M. C. A. basketball league series last night, score 19 to 18. The game was anybody's victory up to the last minute of play. Mellinger and Yoder were stars. The Giants had an easy time with the Senators, winning by a score of 50 to 15. Waltz and Simon were fast.

Lebanon Valley Lost to Middletown Five

Middletown "Big Five" defeated the Lebanon Valley College tilters at Middletown last night, score 26 to 15. The college tilters played the best game in the second half but could not overcome the lead.

Wheelock and Von Bereghy put a great game. Klingner and Shellenberger were Middletown stars.

James E. Sullivan



Secretary of the A. A. U., who will watch closely every track meet held in the United States this year with a view to getting a line on promising material to train for the Olympic events. This great advocate of amateur sport will also keep his eyes open to prevent professionalism.

Sporting Writers Hear Big Men Boost Game

Philadelphia, Feb. 19.—Four hundred of Philadelphia's sportsmen gathered around the festive board at the annual banquet of the Sporting Writers' Association at the new Hotel Adelphia last night, when homage was paid to men of high rank in baseball and other sport circles.

Governor John K. Tener, president of the National League, upon whom many tributes were bestowed, was the first guest of honor to address the gathering. President Tener was joined in voicing the workings of the National League by D. Le Roy Reeves, his right-hand man in baseball affairs.

William F. Baker, president of the Phillies, was formally introduced to local sportsmen. He was backed up by a brief address by Manager Charles Doolin. Other guests who also sounded a note for team play in sports were: George M. Graham, president of the Tri-State League; George D. Porter, director of Public Safety; James Robinson, superintendent of police; Walter H. Gaither, secretary to Governor Tener.

William H. Rocap, president of the Sporting Writers' Association, acted as toastmaster.

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BELLEVUE PARK TO FRONT IN SALES

In Spite of Weather Conditions Transfers of Lots Are Reported in District

In spite of the snow which covers the city and its suburbs, a number of real estate transactions are being reported, and in the last few days two sales have been made in the Bellevue Park district. These sales were made by the Union Real Estate Investment Company and were of large-sized lots to Herman E. Snyder and John H. Kirkpatrick, both of whom plan improvements.

Sales reported by Miller Bros. & Neefe include:

Three-story new brick dwellings, 108 Boas street, Investors' Realty Company, owners, to Katrina W. Westbrook.

Two-and-a-half-story frame dwelling, 1837 Briggs street, George L. Nye, owner.

Two-and-a-half-story brick dwelling, 642 Calder street, Emma J. Siebert, owner, to Samuel Katzman and Robert Rosenberg.

Two-and-a-half-story frame dwelling, 424 South Court street, to Evans Geary.

Three-story brick dwelling, northwest corner Green and Herr streets, Investors' Realty Company, owners, to Annie Kirby.

Three-story brick dwelling, 1513 Green street, William C. Wanbaugh, owner, to Mary E. Grove.

Three-story brick dwelling, 2142 Green street, Investors' Realty Company, owners, to James K. Devins.

Two-story frame dwelling, 629 Walnut street, Susan Shade Estate, owners, to Nathan Cohen.

Three-story new brick dwelling, 1823 Whitehall street, Clinton M. Hershhey, owner, to H. J. Moyer.

Farm of twenty-five acres, near Andersonstown, York county, Charles Eichelberger, owner, to George W. Nell.

Farm of eighty-two acres, near Middletown, A. R. Reider, owner, to Herman J. Schell.

Two-and-a-half-story frame dwelling, Duncannon, Bess K. Green, owner, to William Potter.

THOMAS SEATON JUMPS: SIGNS WITH BROOKLYN

Comiskey III in Rome



Charles Comiskey is so ill in Rome that he will probably not be able to rejoin the world's baseball tour. It was due to Comiskey that the tour was undertaken and to him must be given most of the credit for the spread of American baseball gospel in the countries which the teams visited.

BITS OF SPORTS

The Harrisburg track athletic committee will meet to-morrow night in the offices of the Harrisburg Park Commission.

The Hoodoo defeated the Grimes Barbers at duckpins last night, margin 361 pins.

The Zion Boys' Club five will play the Methodist team on Tech floor to-night.

The Toolmakers bowled a victory over the Assemblers on Casino alleys last night, margin 182 pins.

The Lenoyne pool team defeated Midway last night at Bender's rooms, score 177 to 162.

The Wolves won from the Leopards in the P. R. Y. M. C. A. bowling series last night, margin five pins.

The Superiors were defeated by the New Cumberland bowlers last night, margin 131 pins.

The Jackson A. C. five will play the All-Stars on the Hassett floor to-night.

AMUSEMENTS

MAJESTIC

To-night—Mrs. Fiske in "Mrs. Bumpstead-Leigh."

To-morrow Night and Saturday Matinee and Night—Lyman H. Howe's "Travel Festival," "How Uncle Sam Built the Panama Canal."

All Next Week, Three Times Daily—"Traffic in Souls."

MRS. FISKE

For to-night the Majestic Theater will offer Mrs. Fiske in her new comedy, "Mrs. Bumpstead-Leigh."

Mrs. Fiske has run the gamut of emotion in drama and comedy, but wonderful as are her more serious powers, her comedy manifestations—and this means the highest outgivings in the mimicry of happy life—are doubtless her most popular. Mrs. Fiske's play of the past two seasons has not permitted of these joyous demonstrations, and the announcement that she is to appear locally in a revival of that native and contemporary comedy, "Mrs. Bumpstead-Leigh," should elicit keen satisfaction.—Advertisement.

LYMAN H. HOWE

All America owes much to Colonel George W. Goethals, "the man who made the dirt fly" at Panama. Some few Americans, as individuals, are especially indebted to him, and among them is Lyman H. Howe. For it is because of the co-operation and exceptional facilities afforded by Colonel Goethals that it is possible to present the remarkable reproduction showing the construction of the Panama Canal, which will be shown at the Majestic Theater to-morrow night and Saturday.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MARY JELLY

Dillsburg, Pa., Feb. 19.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Jelly, a former resident of this place, who died at the home of her son, C. A. Lonkard, at Enola, was held here yesterday. The funeral party came here on the 9.30 train and went to the Methodist Church, where the services were held. Burial was made in the Dillsburg Cemetery. The Rev. J. N. Long conducted the services.

TRAFFIC IN SOULS

The greatest photoplay of the age will be shown at the Majestic Theater all next week, three times daily. It is the product of the Universal Film Manufacturing Company. This wonderful drama, entitled "Traffic in Souls," is based on the actual reports of the Rockefeller investigation committee and District Attorney Whitman's crusade against vice in New York.—Advertisement.

A DAINTY LITTLE LADY

Ethel Green is at the Orpheum. Seems as though the dainty little lady is so well known here that little else need be said for her. Miss Green's songs are new and another important thing is that her gowns, always wonderful, are new, too. But the girl remains her same sweet self; in fact, she seems to keep on getting sweeter all the time. This is Miss Green's second visit at the Orpheum, and while we have had some other well-known singing comedienne here since her last visit, singers like Sophie Tucker, for instance, none of them seem to please like the type of girl that Miss Green is. In other words, Miss Green is the demure type of girl that pleases local vaudeville devotees most. She sings some tuneful lyrics, several of them new here, closing with a splendid rendition of "I Miss You Most of All," which we have heard before, but not like Miss Green sings it. Her encore is an old favorite, a good character song, which she does exceedingly well, called "An Old-Fashioned Kid." Ethel Green is going a long way toward sharing headline honors with Earl's Diving Nymphs in the most pretentious diving act in vaudeville.—Advertisement.

AT THE COLONIAL

Music will be the charm of the vaudeville bill to be introduced to Colonial patrons to-day. It will be supplied by the Saxophone Five, a quintet of instrument artists who have been scoring immensely in big time playhouses. On the same bill a real comedy knockout will be the act of Blockman and Burns, black-face funsters of talent; while Mlle. Zirlta will exhibit something new in the way of a high-class contortion novelty. "The Grip of Circumstance," a splendid Esauary feature film in two parts, will be a special attraction to-day in the way of movies.—Advertisement.

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