

'Twas Awful, But Worth It at That

By "Bud" Fisher



SCHOLASTIC GAMES PROMISE REAL SPORT

Central High Girls Play Return Game With Williamsport Tossers Tonight

Three important basketball games are scheduled for to-night in scholastic circles, two in Harrisburg, and one at Steelton. After one of the most strenuous weeks at practice Manager Shaffer, of the Central high girls' team, will present one of the best drilled teams in Pennsylvania against Williamsport girls at the Chestnut street auditorium.

The Central girls have lost but one game this season, at Williamsport, and it was due to the rules followed by the Williamsport girls. "Ike" McCord will referee the battle to-night and Manager Shaffer has picked Miss Lillian Kennedy and Miss Helen Hampton as substitutes. Dancing will follow the game.

Tech will close the series with the Lebanon high five to-night on the Tech floor. In view of the fact that Tech lost at Lebanon last week the local tossers intend to put forth a special effort to win out to-night by a more decisive score. Arrangements have been made to take care of a large crowd. A second game will be played between the Tech scrubs and Zion boys.

Central high has a hard proposition in the game scheduled with Steelton high at Felton hall, to-night. Central must win this game and one of the best scholastic contests of the season is promised at Steelton to-night. Central leads in points scored against their opponents. It is expected that 200 Central students will go to Steelton for this game.

CONTESTS ARE CLOSE IN CASINO LEAGUE

When the Orpheums and Alphas meet Monday night on the Casino alleys in the Casino League series, a battle royal will result.

The game last night was won by the Cardinals, the Giants losing, margin 59 pins. Gourley, Black and Paul were stars.

Lebanon Valley Star Signs With Wilmington



CARL G. SNAVELY

Lebanon Valley star who yesterday signed to play infield for Wilmington Tri-State League team.

Annaville, Pa., Feb. 20.—Carl G. Snavely, captain of the 1915 football team of Lebanon Valley College and star first baseman on the baseball team, has sent his signed contract to Peter Cassidy, of the Wilmington Tri-State team for the coming season. Snavely, who is one of the best athletes in the school, has played with the Ramey baseball team during the summer of 1913, leading this team in hitting and fielding in the time that he played. R. Stuckell, who pitched fine ball for Lebanon Valley College last season, has returned to school and will likely play with the Lowell team of the New England League.

ATHLETE ATTEMPTS SUICIDE: WAS FORMER TENNIS STAR

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 20.—Shattered in health, owing to worry, Carlton Gardner, at one time a noted tennis player, yesterday stabbed himself with a scarf pin while on a visit to members of his family in Palo Alto. Gardner had been detained by the police because of his actions in the street. He was taken to a hospital, where it was found that the pin had penetrated the lower portion of the heart. When restored to consciousness, he was removed to a sanatorium in San Jose, where it was said his condition is considered serious.

FRANCISCANS WIN

The Franciscans girls' five added to their laurels last night in their victory over the Patricia girls of York, score 5 to 3. The stars were Miss Marie Burns and Miss Mary Cashman for the Franciscans. Miss Pohiman was York's star.

TRIS SPEAKER MAY SIGN A FEDERAL CONTRACT



Efforts of Manager Callahan, of the Chicago Americans, to have Tris Speaker sign a contract with the Boston Americans for next season have been unsuccessful, according to cablegram received from Paris yesterday by President Lannin, of the Red Sox. Callahan was specially empowered by the Boston team to sign Speaker to forestall advances by the Federal League agents, but Speaker told Callahan, the cablegram said, that he would not sign with Boston or with the Federals until after his return to this country.

Trenton Will Not Quit Game; William J. Morris to Rescue

New Organization Will Take Charge of the Tigers and Promise Better Baseball This Season

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 20.—The Tigers will be in the Tri-State race again this season as a result of one prolonged Trenton Club, gave notice that there would be a club in Trenton and he would take hold of the new enterprise. It is understood that President Morris has the assurance of the necessary backing from local baseball enthusiasts. He will announce his plans within five days.

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Officials For Academy Indoor Meet Named

The second annual indoor athletic games and contests between the Greeks and Romans of the Harrisburg Academy will be held in the Chestnut street auditorium to-morrow night, and will be observed in true Olympic style with a triumphal march by the victors at the close of the contest.

The program will start at 7.30 o'clock with music by the Harrisburg Academy Orchestra. The order of events number twenty. The meet will be concluded with the awarding of the medals, cups and other trophies to the victors. The following officials will have charge of the various games:

Referee and starter, Vance C. McCormick, Yale; Judges of races and dumb bell drills, John Y. Boyd, Princeton; Ross A. Hickok, Yale; John Fox Weiss, Princeton; A. Boyd Hamilton, University of Pennsylvania; Dr. G. A. Coleman, University of Pennsylvania; Roy G. Cox, Princeton.

Judges of jumps, shot put and tug-of-war: John E. Fox, Lafayette; Francis J. Hall, Princeton; Joseph W. Beach, Yale; Warren Taylor, Princeton.

Timers: Raymond D. Kennedy, Bowdoin; W. Harry Musser, Princeton; V. Grant Forrer, superintendent of parks.

Inspector: Richard E. Robinson, Princeton.

Judges of wrestling: Warren Taylor, Princeton; Ross A. Hickok, Yale.

Clerk of course: Brenton G. Wallace, University of Pennsylvania.

Scorers: Laurence W. Phipps, Yale; Joseph W. Beach, Yale.

Announcer: Mercer B. Tate, Lehigh.

Line-up of Teams in Tonight's Games

Chestnut Street Hall (High School Girls) Central, Williamsport. Melville, f. Krause, f. Velder, f. Frymire (capt.), f. Rauch (capt.), c. Lamade, c. Hinkle, g. Baldwin, g. Shaffer, g. Richter, g. Tech High Gymnasium Lebanon, Tech. Haddow, f. L. Scheffer, f. Schneyer, f. Stewart, f. Patschke, c. Tittle, c. Light, g. Beck, g. Walters, g. Ebner, g. Felton Hall, Steelton Central, Steelton. Rote, f. Krout, f. Yoder, f. Kelm, f. Gerdes, c. Crumb, c. Fast (capt.), g. Boyles, g. Fisher, g. Dayhoff, g.

Bucknell Tossers Will Play Harrisburg Five

Bucknell College tossers will be the attraction at the Armory to-morrow night.

It is expected that George Cockill, Harrisburg Tri-State manager, who is a former Bucknell star, will be in Harrisburg to referee this game. Harrisburg may not have a complete line-up owing to the illness of two of the players.

DEFENDER'S STEEL MAST WILL BE STARTED AT ONCE

Boston, Mass., Feb. 20.—Work has been started on a steel mast for the yacht being built by the George Lawley & Son Corporation for A. S. Cochran as a candidate for the defense of the America's cup. The mast, which will be approximately 110 feet long, will be stepped immediately after the sloop is launched and it is expected that the first trials will be made with this. Another method of hollow wooden construction is to be built and will replace the steel mast in case that should prove unsatisfactory.

Indians' Schedule Out; to Play Eleven Games

Carlisle, Pa., Feb. 20.—The Carlisle Indian football schedule for 1914 was announced by Athletic Director Warner, of the Indian School, yesterday. The new teams upon the schedule are Notre Dame and Holy Cross. The former takes the place of the Dartmouth game and the latter displaces Georgetown. The Johns Hopkins game will be played on the Saturday before Thanksgiving, as experience has shown that the Indians need a let-up preceding the Brown contest.

Coach Warner stated that he had received more requests for games this year than ever before. It is possible that one or two post-season games may be played. The schedule follows: September 19—Albright College vs. Carlisle Indians, at Carlisle.

September 23—Lebanon Valley vs. Carlisle Indians, at Carlisle.

September 28—West Virginia Wesleyan vs. Carlisle Indians, at Clarksburg, W. Va.

October 2—Lehigh vs. Carlisle Indians, at South Bethlehem.

October 10—Cornell vs. Carlisle Indians, at Ithaca, N. Y.

October 17—University of Pittsburgh vs. Carlisle Indians, at Pittsburgh.

October 24—University of Pennsylvania vs. Carlisle Indians, at Philadelphia.

October 31—Syracuse University vs. Carlisle Indians, at Buffalo.

November 7—Holy Cross vs. Carlisle Indians, at Manchester, N. H.

November 14—Notre Dame vs. Carlisle Indians, at Chicago.

November 24—Brown University vs. Carlisle Indians, at Providence, R. I.

Manager Cockill Here; Hands Out Good News

Manager George Cockill returned from Philadelphia last night and held a conference with several of the Harrisburg officials. None of the players on the reserve list have sent in signed contracts, but Manager Cockill hopes to land both Crist and Cruickshank.

New Record Hung Up in Railroad Contest

In the P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. basketball league series played on the association floor last night, a new mark was set in the defeat of the Tigers by the Athletics, score 100 to 10. The Tigers were in badly crippled condition and lacked team work.



BITS OF SPORTS

"Bird" Cree has been sent by New York Americans to the Baltimore Orioles.

The Market Street A. C. last night defeated the Cameron A. C. tossers, score 13 to 10.

Tom Seaton is willing to sign with the Phillies if money arrangements are made satisfactory.

The second game in the junior championship basketball series will be played on Tech High floor March 4 between Methodist Scrubs and Hasset Juniors.

The Zion Boys defeated the Methodist Boys on Tech floor last night, score 36 to 32.

Charley Babb, a former Tri-State infielder, has quit the game and taken up the grocery business at Memphis, Tenn.

The Cubs had their first practice at Tampa, Florida, yesterday.

The Zion Scrubs will play the Tech Scrubs between halves of the big game on Tech floor to-night.

The Freight Trainmasters' team in the Pennsylvania Railroad Station Bowling League defeated the Freight Clerks last night, margin 37 pins.

Robert Young, of Mt. Carmel, has signed with Elmira of the New York State League.

The Midway pool team were winners in the 'cross river series, defeating Lemoine by a score of 197 to 147. The game was played at Flocks' rooms. Another match will be played to-night at Day's rooms, West Fairview.

Tony Ross, of Lancaster, was knocked out in New York last night by Jim Coffey in the sixth round.

The Enola A. C. bowlers defeated the Enola Y. M. C. A. last night, margin 86 pins.

Bucknell College tossers, who play here to-morrow night, will come to Harrisburg to-night.



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