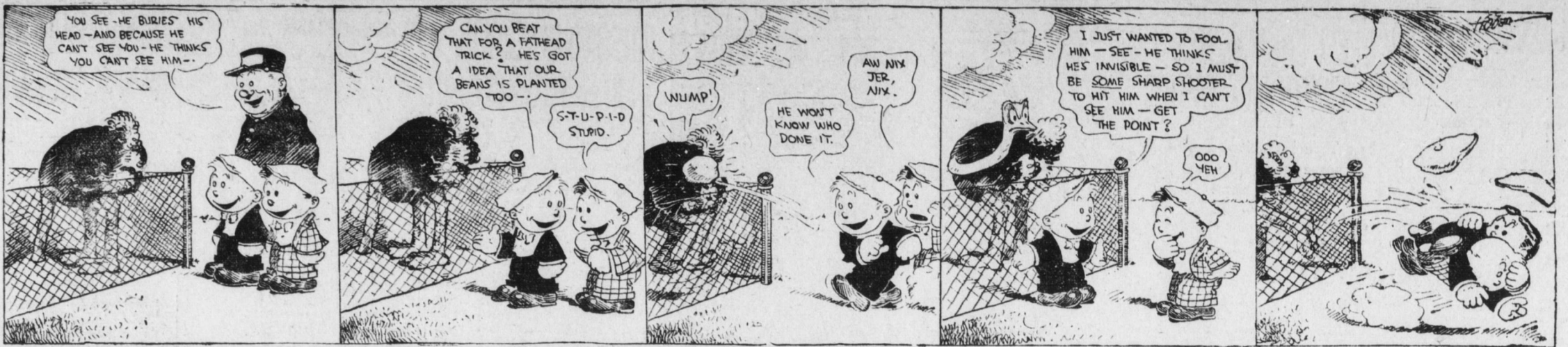


Jerry on the Job

By Hoban



HEPLER WINS SHOOT; IS STATE CHAMPION

Dauphin County Team Lands First Honors, Defeating Cumberland; Sweepstakes Event

State livebird honors came to G. W. Hepler, of Harrisburg Saturday, with a score of nine killed out of ten. Hepler, who shot under the name of "Wellington" had as his competitors, three crack shots who tied in the big shoot held here on Washington's Birthday, each scoring twenty straight. While congratulations were coming to the State champion, Izzy Hoffman of Philadelphia changed the Harrisburger and in accordance with rules governing this annual event, the challenge shoot will take place in Harrisburg Saturday, March 13. This date will also be observed as "Fred Gilbert Day," and other big events will be in the program. Following the shoot on Saturday the first of a series of three 50-target contests for the championship between Dauphin and Cumberland county shooters took place. Dauphin team winning out by a total score of 431 to 409. High scores featured this contest in spite of the brisk wind. No better scores were made anywhere. The next shoot takes place at West Fairview Saturday.

Good Averages The local shooters had an average of 43 plus; and Cumberland 40 plus. An amusing feature of this shoot was that neither of the captains of the teams failed to qualify. Billy Ciolekman made 29 out of fifty targets for Dauphin county; and Harvey Disney, 32, for Cumberland. Another event was a livebird sweepstake which was won by "Wellington," who killed 14 out of 15 birds; second honors going to Dinger with a record of 13. The scores of the events follow:

- State livebird championship—Kline, 6; Schneck, 8; Hepler, 9; Hoffman, 8. Fifteen livebird sweepstake—Hose, 11; Dinger, 12; Hoffman, 11; Shearer, 9; Schneck, 11; Kline, 12; Oliver, 12; Milligan, 11; Wellington, 14. Dauphin and Cumberland county team championship—fifty targets—Dauphin team: Worden, 48; Martin, 43; Hoffman, 45; Keller, 41; Shoop, 43; Henry, 40; Chissler, 40; Curtis, 42; May, 43; Shearer, 46. Total, 431. Cumberland team: Somers, 42; M. Stewart, 44; C. Miller, 40; Miller, 39; Bretz, 40; Givler, 39; Hoover, 43; Hawbaker, 44; Martzoff, 29; Yarnell, 29. Total, 419.

Sport News at a Glance

Pittsburgh announces the sale of Robert Coleman, catcher, and O. A. McArthur, pitcher, to Columbus. Carlisle Indians will form a four-team baseball league, made up of students at the school. Princeton baseball candidates now number fifty. Penn-State basketball team has won 12 out of 14 games. Baker has received a big offer from Baltimore Feds. Francis A. Dunn has been elected football coach at Dickinson. Methodist club tossers won from Lutheran club five, Oberlin Saturday night, score 22 to 24. The Phillies and Athletics have reached the southern training camp. J. Franklin Baker is training at his home on the Trappe, Md., farm. Jersey City bowlers representing the P. R. Y. M. C. A. won the second contest Saturday, defeating Harrisburg P. R. Y. M. C. A., margin 132 pins. Dickinson midwinter sports will be held March 21 at Carlisle. Headmaster Brown and Professor Kennedy of the Harrisburg Academy are planning a summer camp at Jefferson, Me. Attacks of the Cosmo league now has an average of 198 pins. In 54 games this star has scored 283 strikes, and 172 spares. The Senators lead with 63,430 pins, and an average of 178.

JIMMY JACKSON GETS JOB

Special to The Telegraph Philadelphia, March 1.—Jimmy Jackson, of this city, who has managed the Wilmington Tri-State League club for the last few seasons has signed a contract to pilot the Topeka, Kan. club of the Western League. Jackson, whose home is at 5440 Carpenter street, formerly played with Cleveland in the American League. He is an outfielder and has always been noted as a hard hitter. In his few years at Wilmington, Jackson developed many young ball players.

HOPE IS IN PRESIDENT GRAHAM; TRI-STATE LEADER NOW IN SOUTH

Will Not Return Until Time For Meeting on March 19; Four Towns Ready to Continue

Unless President George Graham of the Tri-State brings back good news from the South on Saturday, Harrisburg fans will not have organized baseball this season. Only four towns are ready to take up the game. That is not enough, according to President Graham. At the meeting held in Philadelphia February 16, representatives from Harrisburg, Reading, Allentown and Pottsville agreed to continue the game if other towns were assured. President Graham was unable to give any assurance unless the major league clubs promised some help. Every representative present at this meeting withdrew their bonds and announced that if it was impossible to get more towns, they would agree to dissolve. "The Tri-State must wait a year," said Izzy Hoffman, who was here Saturday attending a big shoot. "There was very little to offer the scouts from the big leagues last season. The Tri-State needs a rejuvenation and it will take a year to do it. Get the fans hungry for league baseball and it will come."

LOCAL OPTION BILL AND THE GOVERNOR

Billy Sunday Says That People of Pennsylvania Made No Mistake on Dr. Brumbaugh

Governor Brumbaugh's local option stand is being strongly commended by individuals and organizations throughout the State. Yesterday in Philadelphia Billy Sunday gave him unqualified approval, saying: "Governor Brumbaugh's keeping his word on this local option question," cried Sunday. "I knew he would. I want to compliment you people of Pennsylvania for putting such a man in Harrisburg." Dr. Brumbaugh's speech in Philadelphia Saturday night at the Swarthmore College banquet, in which he emphasized his support of local option, is taken as a move to impress upon members of the legislature his views upon this subject.

Local option will be the principal issue before legislators this week. The Committee on Law and Order of the House will meet to-morrow and determine upon a program of action. Before the committee shall decide whether it shall immediately report out the County Local Option bill favorably to the House or have a public hearing prior to such action, the governor's views will be sought.

An organized movement in which temperance workers in the various counties are being enlisted is already under way to have the members of the Legislature visited at their homes and urged to vote for local option. Governor Brumbaugh to-day received a number of letters and telegrams supporting his local option stand. The number was a telegram from a men's mass meeting in the First Methodist Church of Homestead warmly supporting him.

Independents Win Out in Game With Garnets

In the second of a series of games between the Garnets, of Philadelphia and Harrisburg Independents, the latter won on Saturday night, score 37 to 27. Brilliant work by the locals in passing and shooting brought the victory. A third game will be played in the near future, the Garnets having won the first game, score 45 to 44. Two extra periods were played in this contest. The line-up and summary for Saturday follows: Harrisburg: Garnets. Field goals—Rote, 3; McCord, 2; Geisel, 7; Ford, 2; Kerr, 1; Parker, 2; Ehler, 1. Foul goals—McCord, 7 out of 7; Dienes, 9 out of 15. Referee—Early. Timer—Klineline. Halves—20 minutes.

Cattle, Sheep and Hogs Killed by State Officers on Farm Near Millersburg

Special to The Telegraph Millersburg, Pa., March 1.—State authorities on Saturday killed eight head of cattle, twenty hogs and nine head of sheep owned by David U. Keiter, a farmer, living three miles north of here. The animals were affected with the foot and mouth disease, and were the first cases of this dreaded plague found in Lykens Valley. The disease was discovered about a week ago by Veterinary Lyter, of Berksburg, but on account of the frozen condition of the ground much time was required to dig the huge trench necessary for the burial of so large a herd. This section has been under quarantine for several months.

\$12,000 FIRE IN MARYLAND

Dillon Packing, Cooperate and Storage Plant Completely Destroyed Special to The Telegraph Hagerstown, Md., March 1.—On Saturday the large packing, cooperate and storage plant of R. S. Dillon, three miles from Hancock and near the Pennsylvania line, was destroyed by fire, the loss being between \$10,000 and \$12,000. A large quantity of crates, all of the machinery and accessories and fourteen tons of fertilizer in sacks were burned. Mr. Dillon owns between 1,600 and 1,800 acres of peach and apple orchards in the Hancock fruit belt and was one of the largest fruit packers in this section. He was also extensively engaged in the manufacture of barrels and staves, nearly the entire outfit of staves from the plant being furnished the Standard Oil Company.

IT PAYS TO FIGHT FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Williams - Kilbane Battle More Profitable Than Ball Playing; Contest a Certainty

Special to The Telegraph Philadelphia, March 1.—"Kid" Williams and Johnny Kilbane have it all over baseball players when it comes to making money. When these champions meet here March 17 each will receive \$5,500 as his share. Allowing that the fight goes the regulation six rounds of three minutes each, each fighter will receive \$305.56 for every minute's work in the ring. Each round will net them \$916.67. They will get more than \$5 each time the watch ticks. In baseball a year's contract calling for \$5,500 is considered very good. Articles of agreement have been regarded and the fight will take place as scheduled.

Star Predicts Good Season For Americans



Frank Chance is telling his friends that this coming season will be a good one for American League teams. He is of the opinion that youngsters will cause quite a stir and the older fellows will have to look out for their laurels.

WOMAN TO BE SENTENCED

Special to The Telegraph Hagerstown, Md., March 1.—Mrs. Minnie B. Leggett, who was convicted of murder in the second degree here last week by a jury for shooting and killing her husband, together with the other prisoners found guilty during the present term of court, will be sentenced by Judge M. L. Keedy to-day. The penalty for second degree murder is from ten to eighteen years in the penitentiary. It is thought that Mrs. Leggett may get the maximum sentence.

WANT MAN DECLARED DEAD

Special to The Telegraph Sunbury, Pa., March 1.—For the purpose of settling the estate of Eugene Leihou, a Point Township, Northumberland county, farmer, who has been missing for more than fifteen years, application was to-day made to the Northumberland county court here to have him declared legally dead. Leihou's share in his father's estate in Point township is said to be more than \$10,000 and for years lawyers have been endeavoring to locate him, but without success.

'ONE DOLLAR PER NAME

Special to The Telegraph Sunbury, Pa., March 1.—Next Sunday the cornerstone will be laid for the new First United Brethren Church here, in charge of the Rev. W. H. Washington, of Chambersburg. In addition to the coins, Testament and papers a list of names will be placed in the metal box in the stone. To get your name on this paper it will cost the sum of \$1. This list will be exceptionally large by the time it is to be placed in the box.

CHILDREN SUMMONED HOME

Special to The Telegraph Waynesboro, Pa., March 1.—Lestlie Shank, Philadelphia, and D. C. Shank, Jr., and Mrs. Butler, of Chicago, have been summoned to the bedside of their father, D. C. Shank, who is critically ill with Bright's disease. Mr. Shank was formerly in the merchandise business here and has been a revenue storekeeper and gauger and is a prominent Republican.

VETERAN BRIDGE BUILDER RETIRES

Special to The Telegraph Sunbury, Pa., March 1.—William H. McDonald, for forty-one years builder of all bridges on the Sunbury division of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, between Sunbury, Pottsville and Wilkes-Barre, Pa., was to-day placed on the retired pension list. He had the unusual reputation of having never been disciplined by his company.

BILLIARD CHAMPIONSHIP STARTS; FIRST CONTEST IN PHILADELPHIA

Much Interest in Class A Matches to Decide United States Honors; Two Weeks' Schedule

By Associated Press Philadelphia, March 1.—Joseph Mayer, of this city, and Robert M. Lord, of Chicago, will meet in the opening game for the Class A amateur 15.2 ball line billiard championship of the United States here to-night at the Union League. The other entries in the tournament are Ferdinand Rosenberg, a former international champion, and Edward W. Gardiner, New York, the present titleholder. Charles Heddon, of Detroit, and Charles Milburn, of Chicago; J. E. Cope Morton and Dr. Walter Uffenheimer of this city, who were also entered, withdrew in order that the tournament may be concluded within two weeks. Albert G. Cutler will referee the match.

DR. DIXON URGING CARE OF OURSELVES

Says That Spring Is the Time When Folks Should Not Forget Their Health

Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, State Commissioner of Health, says that March is the month when people want to be careful of their health and to know what they are doing. He urges that great care be taken in clothing and also in diet.

These are the doctor's ideas: "When nature arouses from her winter lethargy and the first faint promises of Spring softens the wind, man in common with all animal life harkens to the foretelling. "The desire for change and relief from the winter routine is strong in us all and while this is the time when caution should be exercised our impulses seem to lead us to cast it aside. "The high death rate from pneumonia and tuberculosis which is the inevitable accompaniment of the early Spring months is an irrefutable evidence that this change from winter habits requires the exercise of caution to prevent evil results. "The city dweller in particular is apt to over-eat and under-exercise during the winter season. As a result when Spring approaches his physical strength is below par, he becomes easily fatigued and therefore susceptible to the attacks of disease germs. "Old people who suffer from the cold during the winter and who do not appreciate that ventilation need not mean exposure, are apt to suffer from the sudden changes of temperature at this season of the year. It is particularly dangerous to these winter habits of poor ventilation and insufficient exercise that when Spring arrives we feel debilitated. "The sensible liver who sleeps the year round in the fresh air, eats in moderation and exercises rationally is far less subject to Spring fever and Spring ailments than the more self-indulgent individual. "During March when fluctuations of the temperature are frequent, care should be taken to maintain an even bodily temperature by proper protection in the way of clothing. Better some slight discomfort at noon than to be chilled on the way home from work at night. Moderation in diet is also advisable. This with a reasonable amount of exercise and well ventilated sleeping rooms will aid in resisting the dangers accompanying the approach of Spring."

Swindlers in Five Years

Get \$351,000,000 During the last five years swindlers working through United States mail, have obtained \$351,000,000 from the public, according to statistics of the Post Office Department, copies of which have just been received by Postmaster Frank C. Sites. In 1914 the amount was \$68,000,000 and in 1910 it was \$100,000,000, proving that the way of doing it is reducing the evil, by making it more dangerous to the operators. Last year 752 arrests were made, resulting in 37 convictions; in 1913, 510 arrests were made with 204 convictions. The total amount during five years were 2,861 and an equal division of the total amount of swindled money among these would have given each one \$122,684.

INSULT CAUSES FAILURE

Greek Clerk Trampling Flag Results in Sale of Business Special to The Telegraph Sunbury, Pa., March 1.—John W. Bassler, assigned to-day, disposed of the stock of the Sunbury Sugar Bowl, a Greek candy company here. He realized \$1,000 on the stock, while the liabilities are \$3,800. Ten years ago the firm opened in the showiest store in the State. It prospered until a year ago when a Greek clerk thoughtlessly stamped upon an American flag, after some boys had teased him about the "Greek flag being no good." Since then the people have failed to patronize the place, and it gradually turned in to a loser. The young man served a prison term for insulting the flag.

WELLESLEY GIRLS TO PLAY BASEBALL

Form Interclass League For Series of Summer Games; Winner May Play Radcliffe

Special to The Telegraph Wellesley, Mass., March 1.—Wuxtra! Organized baseball wins big decision, not through Judge Landis, but at the hands of the Wellesley College authorities. After a three-year fight, permission has been granted the Wellesley College girls to organize outdoor baseball teams, and Miss Lomie L. Smith of the junior class, a New Orleans girl, has been appointed head of baseball. The present plan is to organize a nine in each of the four classes and form a league. The winner in the race may meet a team from Radcliffe.



The Great God Gold It Dominates the Story of Runaway June By George Randolph Chester Fifth Episode at the Victoria Today

Advertisement for King Oscar 5c Cigar. It features a portrait of a man and text: '1891 1915 24 Years A regularly good nickel smoke King Oscar 5c Cigar A reputation that should make an optimist of the most confirmed grouch! Get a quality smoke for your nickel'.

Advertisement for War Map Coupon. It features an illustration of a map and text: 'War Map Coupon Latest European War Map Given by THE TELEGRAPH To every reader presenting this COUPON and 10 cents to cover promotion expenses. BY MAIL—in city or outside, for 12c. Stamps, cash or money order. This is the BIGGEST VALUE EVER OFFERED. Latest 1914 European Official Map (6 colors)—Portraits of 18 European Rulers; all statistics and war data—Army, Navy and Aerial Strength, Populations, Arms, Capitals, Distances between Cities, Histories of Nations Involved, Previous Decisive Battles, History, Hague Peace Conference, National Debt, Coin Values, EXTRA 3-color CHARTS of Five Involved European Capitals and Strategic Naval Locations. Folded, with handsome cover to fit the pocket.'

Advertisement for 'The SUPERB' Helmar Cigarettes. It features an illustration of a pack of cigarettes and text: 'HELMAR 10c THE SUPERB HELMAR CIGARETTES Makers of the Highest Grade Turkish and Egyptian Cigarettes in the World'.

Advertisement for Lion Collars. It features an illustration of a collar and text: 'MANDEN 2 3/4 IN. TIE SLIDES EASILY Lion Collars OLDEST BRAND IN AMERICA UNITED SHIRT & COLLAR CO. TROY, N.Y.'