

THREE GAMES ON FRIDAY'S BASKETBALL SCHEDULE---LEBANON VALLEY'S BIG LIST

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Two Contests For Cathedral Hall Floor; Tech Meets Williamsport

Basketball games on this week's bill offer big inducements for a liberal patronage. Strong interest centers in the double offering at Cathedral Hall to-morrow night. Central High will meet Hazleton High School tilters and the girls' division of the Hassett Club will play the Yorktown quintet.

Hazleton High School this season has been making a big hit in scholastic circles and promises to give Central a hard chase. The local five has been doing special practice work at the P. R. Y. M. C. A. in preparation for this contest.

In the Yorktown five the Hassett girls will meet one of the strongest attractions in Central Pennsylvania. At Hershey last night the team from York won over the Hershey High School girls; score, 6 to 4.

At Tech gymnasium the offering will be Williamsport. Tech's five lost out to Billtown two weeks ago and will seek revenge to-night. This contest starts at 7:45 and will be interspersed with wrestling bouts between Tech and local grammar school wrestlers.

IRISH WIN BOWLING MATCH

In the International League series the Irish last night defeated the Rail-roads; scores, 1493 to 1423. Morrison, of the winning team, took high honors with 123 and 357 scores. To-night the Sons of Italy will play the Barbers.

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Another League May Try to Locate in Harrisburg

Harrisburg is wanted by many leagues. A dispatch from New York tells of plans to organize the Eastern League. A conference was held on Tuesday. The information from the metropolis is as follows:

"While the International and other minor leagues were busily engaged in selling and transferring franchises and trying to form mergers and the like, another collection of basketball men informally for the purpose of discussing the formation of another minor league in cities that are 'hungry for baseball' as one of them put it.

"The cities proposed for the circuit which may be called the Eastern league are Jersey City, Paterson, Wilmington, Trenton, Lancaster, York, Altoona and Harrisburg.

"Dick" Carroll, who helped materially to launch the Federal league, is said to be deeply interested in the founding of such a league.

Utica Team Is For Sale; Will Sell Entire Plant

Utica, N. Y., Jan. 27. — President William Hayes, of the Utica baseball team admitted to-night that the owners had decided to sell the local franchise if a reasonable offer can be obtained.

"We want to sell the franchise, players and the whole plant," he said. "Would \$3,000 or \$4,000 cover the players and franchise?" Mr. Hayes was asked.

"Well," he replied, "it would come in that neighborhood."

"By" Dickson Assistant to Coach Folwell at Penn

Philadelphia, Jan. 27. — Byron W. Dickson, last season head field coach for Penn's football squad, will be first assistant to "Bob" Folwell this year.

Harold Gaston will continue to coach the scrub team, while Lou Jourdet will coach the Freshmen. A good line coach will be added to this list before the football season opens and it is still possible that Charles Wharton will be the man.

Bakers Head League; Win From New Ideas

In the Harrisburg Academy duckpin league series the Bakers last night won from the New Ideas; scores, 1526 to 1469. The victors are now tie with the Bitters for first place. Balsbaugh, of the Bakers, had high single game score, and Smaling, of the New Ideas, won match honors. The standing of the teams follows:

	W.	L.	P. C.
Bakers	14	10	.583
Bitters	14	10	.583
Barbers	12	9	.571
Factors	11	10	.523
Officers	12	12	.500
New Ideas	8	18	.257

Bits From Sportland

Enhaut ex-High will play the Hummelstown Monarchs on the latter's alleys to-night.

Tech Freshmen last night defeated Camp Hill High School; score, 30 to 16.

Enhaut ex-High five of Oberlin last night defeated St. Ann's team of Steelton; score, 34 to 15.

Hughes Jennings has signed Stanley Harris, a Pittston pitching star.

Harry Sinclair has sold Tom Seaton, the pitcher, to the Cubs.

Cameron Grammar School yesterday defeated Camp Curtin; score, 42 to 22.

HARD GAMES FOR LEBANON VALLEY

New Manager Plans For Ten Contests, Starting With Army Eleven



MANAGER PAUL WAGNER Lebanon Valley College Football Team

Annyville, Pa., Jan. 27. — Following quickly on the wonderful record made by Lebanon Valley's 1915 football team against some of the larger representative college eleven of the country, Manager Paul Wagner has completed the strongest schedule ever attempted by any former Blue and White team.

A list of ten games have been arranged with one pending.

Seven of the contests will be played on foreign grids while three will be staged on Annyville fields. West Point, Dartmouth, Lafayette and St. Joseph's are newcomers, being the first time that any local athletic team has played the latter.

Big Game With Villanova

The big home fixture of the season will center upon the Villanova team during the middle of October. Much credit is due to the work of the manager, Paul Wagner, a Hershey boy.

The schedule is as follows: September 30, Army at West Point; October 7, Dartmouth at Hanover, N. H.; October 14, Villanova at Annyville; October 21, Lafayette at Easton; October 28, Lafayette at Easton; November 4, St. Joseph's at Annyville; November 11, Muhlenberg at Allentown; November 18, pending; November 25, Susquehanna at Selinsgrove; November 30, Bucknell at Lewisburg.

California Star Scores World's Indoor Record

New York, Jan. 27. — Howard P. Drew, the University of California flash, who holds the world's record for the 100-yard dash at 9 3/8 seconds, fitted with another title last night in the 70-yard dash of the annual indoor track meet of the Millrose Athletic Association.

The Californian pitted against such stars as Joe Loomis and Roy W. Morse, negotiated the seventy yards in the first time of 11 1/5 seconds, for the second time, equalling the world's record which has stood for nearly thirteen years. The mark equaled by Drew is held by W. A. Schick, who did 7 1/5 seconds in New York on February 28, 1903.

Two Fast Matches Feature Independent Series

The weekly double-header in the Casino Independent Bowling League last night was an interesting exhibition.

The Lancers won from the Trojans, scores 2248 to 2144.

The Puritan team leads the league in total number of points scored with 16,579 and an average of 158 for 18 games.

Chrimer, of this team, is the star bowler, having an average of 175. Fletcher, of the same team, is second with 170.

CARDINALS WIN OVER SUPERBAS

The Cardinals were winners last night in the P. R. Y. M. C. A., taking the match from the Superbas; scores, 231 to 98. Menzies, of the Cardinals, won high game honors with 211, and Martin, of the Superbas, was match winner with 551. The Browns and Senators play to-night.

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Basketball Games on Week's Schedule

TO-NIGHT
Harrisburg Independents vs Lewistown, at Lewistown.
The Telegraph vs St. Paul of York, at York.

FRIDAY
Sterion High School vs York High School, at York. Central Pennsylvania Scholastic League contest.
Sophomores vs Seniors, Technical High School Interclass contest.

Hazleton High School vs Harrisburg Central High School, at Cathedral Hall floor.
Williamsport High School vs Harrisburg Technical High School, in Technical gymnasium.
Camp Hill High School vs Middletown High School, at Middletown.

SATURDAY
Harrisburg Academy vs Gettysburg Academy, Cathedral hall floor, afternoon.
Middletown Big Five vs "R" club of York, at York.
Camp Hill High School vs Carlisle High School, at Carlisle.

SALEM FIVE WINS GAME

At Oberlin last night the Salem Lutheran five defeated the Hummelstown A. C., score 35 to 32. The game was a nip and tuck battle from start to finish. The line-up and summary:

Lutherans
Houck, f.
Henney, f.
Baughman, c.
Bartels, g.
Janson, g.

Hummelstown
Shope, f.
Fox, f.
Goodman, c.
Keller, g.
Hear, g.

Field goals: Houck, Henney, 6; Baughman, 4; Bartels, 1; Janson, 2; Shope, 2; Fox, 5; Goodman, 2; Bear, 3; fouis, Janson, 7 out of 10; Shope 8 out of 13; referee, Bennett.

Forty Are Injured When Car of Powder Explodes

Bluefields, Va., Jan. 27. — A car loaded with black powder exploded in the local yards of the Norfolk and Western Railroad last night, more than 40 persons, several probably fatally, and causing heavy damage.

Three cars loaded with dynamite are said to be on a siding not far from the scene of the explosion, and an effort was made to move these from the path of the flames which broke out.

The explosion occurred about three miles from the business section of Bluefields, but buildings here were rocked and many plate-glass windows were broken. The cause has not been determined.

KILLS WIFE, THEN TAKES OWN LIFE

consciousness, but police said they found a number of papers, notes and letters in his clothing which proved his identity and later a relative made the identification positive. Three of the letters contained the phrases: "The wages of sin is death."

Pullman registered at the hotel early last evening as "Mr. Jones and wife," telling a clerk that "Mrs. Jones" would join him about 8 o'clock. No one went to the man's room, however, and he was not seen again until his body was found on the sidewalk.

Skulls Crushed

Pullman was seen leaving the Bronx apartment about four hours before the bodies of his wife and daughter were found. The skulls of both women had been crushed in with a small hatchet which was found under a bed.

Friends said Pullman had come here from Chicago for a reunion with his family, and was believed to have carried \$5,000 in currency when he left the apartment. Police expressed the opinion, after an investigation, that the man had murdered the two women after suddenly going insane. One letter found in Pullman's clothes, addressed to the "newspapers and everybody" said:

Ta Ta
"Goodby, ta ta everybody. I guess I will make good. I am going away on a long journey. Ta ta again and ta ta once more."

In a rambling, disjointed manner, the writer advised the people "not to worry over these two," as they were now better off, and "there is no good in making a fuss over something that can't be helped." There was no signature to the note.

Mann Pleads For Army of Quarter of Million

JAMES R. MANN
Representative John R. Mann, Republican leader of the House, who is pleading for a standing army of 250,000 men. Mr. Mann has assured the Democratic leaders that he will support the administration's preparedness program.

VINCOME FIVE TO PLAY LOCAL TEAM

Philadelphia Tossers Gave Independents Hard Fight Early in Season

Manager Horace Giesel, of the Harrisburg Independents, considers it a stroke of good fortune to secure the Vincome team of Philadelphia to play against the locals Saturday night.

The game was assured to-day. The Vincome boys played here early in December and gave the Independents one of their hardest games of the present season, losing out in the last few minutes by four points.

The Independents will be unable to practice in Chestnut street hall this week, but will keep in trim at the P. R. Y. M. C. A. The game at Lewistown to-night will be a great help in keeping up the team work.

Must Withdraw Suits to Make Peace Pact Certainty

Chicago, Jan. 27. — A few details of the peace agreement between the Federal League and organized ball are still unsettled, it was learned here yesterday and will not be settled until the several suits pending against the National Commission and some of the clubs in organized ball are withdrawn according to President Johnson, of the American League. The details include taking over by the American and National Leagues together of the Federal League parks in Brooklyn and Newark.

WILSON SHIFTS ON TARIFF BOARD

Mr. Wilson explained, caused him to switch his policy. He declared that now it is apparent that the United States should "have a competent instrument of inquiry along the whole lines of the many questions affecting our foreign commerce."

Unchanged on Protection

The President declared that his attitude with regard to protection is unchanged. The tariff board he advocates, he said, would have nothing to do with questions of policy, dealing only with the facts of the tariff situation for the guidance of legislation.

He declared that it would be folly at this time or until "all the altered conditions are clearly understood," to tinker with the tariff, but that as soon as the facts are obtained action should be taken to prevent unfair competition between the United States and other nations.

Mr. Wilson's letter to Mr. Kitchin was made public at the White House last night, together with a letter written by Mr. Wilson to Mr. Kitchin last Monday, advocating the creation of the tariff board and outlining his

WELLY'S CORNER

Harrisburg is recognized as a good baseball city. To date three managers are seeking a berth here, in the event of a New York State League franchise being secured. "Jimmy" Sheekard, of the former Chicago star was in the city yesterday looking over the field.

Official announcement has been made that Utica and Albany franchises of the New York State League are for sale. No price has been fixed. Reading, it is said, is already a bidder for Utica's interests. If this is true, Harrisburg must take Albany. However, it is understood that the League will conduct both sales.

Reading backers have secured an option on the circus maximus grounds in that city. It will mean a saving in expense at the go-off, as these grounds are already in good shape.

Al Lawson still claims three towns for his proposed Atlantic League. He might add Hershey, as this town will net enter the Central League this season.

Local organizations holding private boxing shows, have called a halt on "frame-ups." In the future a competent referee will be in charge, with instructions to stop any exhibition lacking merit. Sparring matches are not to the liking of fight fans. Boxers after titles cannot afford to lay down.

"Jim" Coffey wants a chance at Jess Willard before the champion meets Moran. The Irish heavyweight offers Willard \$25,000 for a ten-round go. Coffey evidently looks upon Moran as a better man, and is anxious to get a little money before the boy from the cowboys' puts him down in the "cowboy's" future chances.

Idea of what the organization should be authorized to do.

"I Have Changed My Mind"

"I have changed my mind," said yesterday's letter, "because all the circumstances of the world have changed and it seems to me that in view of the extraordinary and far-reaching changes which the European war has brought about it is absolutely necessary that we should have a competent instrument of inquiry along the whole line of the many questions which affect our foreign commerce."

"I have had in this change of mind no thought whatever of a change of attitude towards the so-called protection question. That is neither here nor there. A commission such as I have suggested would have nothing to do with theories of policy. They would deal only with facts and the facts which they would seek ought to be the actual facts of industry and of the conditions of economic exchange prevailing in the world, so that legislation of every kind that touched these matters might be guided by the circumstances disclosed in its inquiries."

"I dare say you feel as I do, that it would be folly at this time, or until all the altered conditions are clearly understood, to attempt to deal with questions of policy, defining legislation, and yet having dealt directly and clearly with the whole question of unfair competition within our own borders, it is clear that as soon as we know the facts we ought to deal with unfair methods of competition as between our own Nation and others, and this is only one of the many things that we would probably wish to deal with. The other matters I have attempted to indicate in my previous letter to you. I am glad to supplement that letter by his explicit statement of the considerations which have been most influential with me."

"You will remember that in my last message to Congress I foreshadowed just the considerations which were operating in my mind in this matter. The passage to which I refer was this:

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