

# CENTRAL LOSES FIRST GAME WITH READING---DAUPHIN-PERRY LEAGUE STARTS

## CENTRAL QUINTET LOSE FIRST GAME

Reading Changes Rules Before Contest Starts; Spectators Interfere With Visitors

Reading High scored the first victory in the Central Pennsylvania League post-season series, winning last night's game from Central High; score, 37 to 26. The game was played at Reading and reports brought home by local players and rosters indicate that the game was far from being satisfactory.

Central Best Team

Player	Pts.	Reb.	St.
Snyder, f.	2	13	17
Wilson, f.	4	0	12
Wendler, c.	2	0	4
Rhoades, g.	2	0	4
Dietrich, g.	0	0	0
Totals	13	13	37

Central H. S.

Player	Pts.	Reb.	St.
Thomas, f.	2	6	10
Wallower, f.	4	0	8
Houtz, c.	1	0	2
Hilton, g.	1	0	2
Rote, g.	3	0	6
Rapp, g.	0	0	0
Totals	10	6	26

Fouls called on Central, 24; on Reading, 13. Referee, Morris.

## PENN AND TIGERS BATTLE TONIGHT

Princeton Looks Strong For Crucial Championship Test; Jones Out of Line-up

Philadelphia, March 29.—The University of Pennsylvania basketball team will meet Princeton to-night on the floor of Weightmann Hall in the play-off game for the intercollegiate championship. For the past two weeks the teams have been practicing diligently for this game.

The Red and Blue five will enter the contest with a line-up somewhat changed since the season came to a close. Jones, who played at guard with Captain Eddie McNichol, was taken ill with malarial fever the early part of last week and will be out of the game. He entered the practice on Monday night substituting for Connolly. Lew Martin, who played right forward during the entire season and was the running mate of "Bill" Williamson, has been moved to guard in place of Jones. Williamson will be at forward with Connolly. Art Jefford will be at center and McNichol and Martin at guards.

Princeton

Player	G.	Fd.	Fl.	Pts.
Connelly, f.	10	15	0	20
Williamson, f.	10	15	0	20
Jeffords, c.	10	7	0	14
McNichol, g.	10	16	86	118
Martin, g.	10	17	2	26
Totals	10	55	88	198

Haas, f. 10 26 51 193  
 McHugh, f. 10 13 0 29  
 Davies, g. 10 11 0 23  
 Rahill, g. 10 2 0 4  
 Totals 10 77 51 295

## LEO HOUCK, MIDDLEWEIGHT ASPIRANT, MEETS HARD OPPONENT IN JACK RECK, MARINE STAR



Local boxing enthusiasts are manifesting unusual interest into-night's match between Leo Houck, of Lancaster, and Jack Reck, known to the best middleweight men in the ring, and has been punched hard but never been knocked out. He is a clever man with the gloves and keeps in training all the time. Reck is no slouch and there is every indication that to-night's battle will be exciting.

The management of the Keystone Sporting Club promises an extraordinary bill with Jules Ritchey, of Lancaster, and Terry Howell, of Camden, in the semi-final. The preliminary list include a bunch of fast boys. The first bout goes on at 8:30 o'clock.

## DAUPHIN-PERRY LEAGUE MEETING

Elect Officers and Name Committees on Rules and Schedule

The Dauphin-Perry League organized last night. There will be no change in the circuit of last season. Each team will play twenty games. The season will start on or about May 30 and will end on Labor Day. The meeting last night was held at the Courthouse. The next meeting will be held April 11, at which time a schedule and rules will be adopted.

## William Miller to Lead Tech High Shooting Club

William Miller, a member of the Senior class at the Technical High School was elected field captain yesterday afternoon of the first Gun Club to represent that school. Other officers elected were John Moltz, president; Carl Sarvis, secretary; William Trullinger, treasurer.

## Basketball Games on This Week's Schedule

Tonight  
 Rosewood A. C. vs. Lebanon Valley College Reserves, Cathedral Hall, evening.  
 Moravian Parochial school vs. Girls' Division of Hasset Club, Cathedral Hall floor, evening.  
 Technical High school vs. Lewis-town.  
 Friday  
 Harrisburg Technical High school vs. Steelton High school, at Steelton, Central Pennsylvania Scholastic League game.  
 Central High school vs. Wilkes-Barre High school, at Wilkes-Barre.  
 Freshmen vs. Sophomores, Central High school Girls' Interclass League, afternoon.  
 Harrisburg Thespians vs. C. McSherrystown, Adams County C. C. at McSherrystown.  
 Saturday  
 Camden, of Eastern League, vs. Harrisburg Independents, Chestnut street hall, evening.  
 Central High school vs. Danville High school, at Danville.

## WELLY'S CORNER

The Atlantic League did not meet yesterday, but was scheduled for a session in Philadelphia to-day. Al Lawson reports six towns as certain and says the new organization will start to-day. From Paterson, Wilmington, Allentown, Pottsville, Reading and Easton reports have been received that with the selection of managers, details for lining up the players will be taken up.

The Pennsylvania State League will hold a meeting in Philadelphia to-morrow afternoon. Harrisburg interests will be looked after by Wellington G. Jones, William R. Douglass and George Cockill. Instructions have been given the local representatives. The meeting is scheduled for the afternoon at the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel. In the morning there will be a conference of prospective managers and backers. The New York promoters, Abraham Rosenbluth and Leo Groome, are expected to make a showdown as to contracts and ground leases.

The treatment received by Central High tilters last night at the hands of Reading players and spectators occasioned much gossip in Harrisburg to-day. No visiting team has ever been accorded the treatment reported to have been given the local quintet last night. If the Central Pennsylvania Basketball League has any standing, the general opinion prevails that last night's game should be thrown out and played over. It is not known on whose authority the rules were changed. No notice was given the local players until they came on the floor.

The Orpheums of the Casino Bowling League won last night from the Skippers; scores, 2678 to 2494. This victory gives the pennant for this season.

son to the Orpheums. The Jolly Five looked good to give the leaders a hard battle for the flag honors up to last night. Bents, of the winning team, had 256 and 636 for high scores.

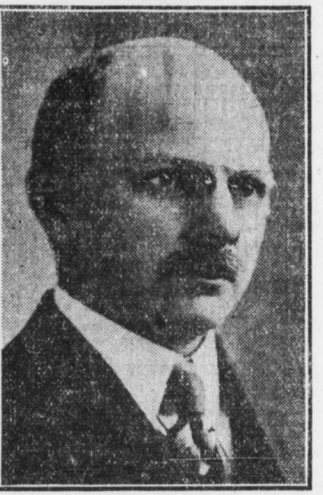
Dauphin players in the Dauphin-Perry League last season had a good standing as hitters. There were a number who batted at .300 and over. The team led in batting with an average of .279. B. Fry, of Millersburg, in 20 games had an average of .400. Peate, of Duncannon, was second with .394, and White, of Dauphin, third with .345. The averages made public last night showed a number of stars.

F. J. ("Cyclone") Kelley is a Brooklyn scout. He will also be with Frank Tenney's Newark team this season as trainer. Kelley writes his Harrisburg friends that he will return to this city at the close of the present season. He landed a number of youngsters for the Dodgers and hopes to have a good season with Newark.

Tom Jones, manager for Jess Willard, yesterday turned down an offer of \$50,000 to fight Fred Fulton. The latter's manager, Tom McAndrews, is anxious to have his giant meet the champion. Willard, however, will not be in shape to fight any person before Fall. His contract with the circus interferes with any engagement until that time.

The West End A. C. will open the season next Wednesday with Mercedes Academy nine. The local players have been working hard indoors and with better weather will take a chance on the field next Saturday. The West End boys are a strong attraction and have many good offers for opening dates with college and other teams.

## This Is the Birthday Anniversary of—



WALTER E. DAVIS  
 He is the head of the Keystone Rug Company and Keystone Carpet Cleaning Company at 1115 Montgomery street. Mr. Davis is a native of Altoona, but has been in business in Harrisburg for a long time, and has had a successful career.

## 225,000 Sailors Urged For War Time Need

Washington, D. C., March 29.—Advocating the undertaking of a large naval program "while the country is prosperous and the people are beginning to understand the real situation," Franklin D. Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, yesterday testified before the House committee on naval affairs. Mr. Roosevelt said the United States should be brought back to second place in the list of naval powers. "We have been slipping behind Germany for ten years," he said. "To put out fleet on an equal basis with the German fleet we need eight battle cruisers and three dreadnaughts, taking as a basis conditions before the outbreak of the war. We do not know how many ships Germany has built since then. Expressing my own opinion, and not giving the policy of the department, I should like to see the building program increased."

## TO LECTURE TOMORROW

Mrs. William Calvin Chilton, who cancelled her engagement in this city several weeks ago because of a death in the family, will return to Harrisburg Thursday night to conclude the ninth annual course of lectures held under the auspices of the Harrisburg Teachers' Association. Mrs. Chilton, who is a Southern monodramatist, is the first woman ever to appear on one of these lecture courses. Her subject will be "Southern Stories from Southern Writers."

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 Preliminaries—WILL GREEN, Harrisburg, vs. EDDIE SULLIVAN, Philadelphia; KID SMITH, Columbia, vs. KID WEST, Philadelphia. An extra bout will be added later. Lew Grimson, Philadelphia, will referee.  
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## OYSTER CASES BROUGHT BY STATE

Dairy and Food Men Get Busy to Stamp Out Practice of "Fattening" Bivalves

Forty-nine prosecutions in five counties of the State marks the beginning of a State-wide crusade against watered oysters by the Department of Agriculture. The prosecutions ordered by the Dairy and Food division are as follows: Allegheny county, 28 cases; Washington, 7; Blair, 6; Beaver, 6, and Lawrence, 2. Several of the cases have already been settled by the payment of a fine of \$60 and costs, while hearings are pending in other cases for this week.

## Honor Students at the Academy Are Announced

Headmaster A. E. Brown of the Harrisburg Academy yesterday made public the honor roll for the sixth month, which has just been completed. The honors for the month that is past, fell off somewhat owing to the great amount of sickness that has prevailed, especially among the younger boys. Owing to this fact, the honor roll for the Lower School was not available. The boys in the Upper School made a very good showing, considering the circumstances that they had to face. In the Upper School, seven boys took first honors, while thirty-three managed to get second honors, and thus score a point for their respective clubs. The total list of honors and failures for points on the club cup has not yet been announced, but will be within the next few days.

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