

ISLANDERS QUIT HARRISBURG TO-DAY FOR LONG TRIP---MINERS TOOK ONE GAME

FOX SPITTERS TO MUCH FOR LOCALS

Wins Game From Team Out of Form; Errors Are Costly

John Fox, of Reading, once famous as the Iron Man of the Harrisburg Tri-State team, admitted by Harrisburg fans, yesterday handed the Islanders one big jolt.

With one man down, three singles in succession brought two runs for Scranton in the second. An error by Elliott figured.

Table with columns AB, R, H, O, A, E. Rows for Scranton and Harrisburg players.

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INVICIBLES WANT A GAME The Linglestown Invincibles are without a game for Saturday and would like to arrange a game with a strong team.

TENNIS FINALS IS THURSDAY BILL

Local Tennis Stars Near Crucial Stage in Greater Harrisburg Tournament

As a result of yesterday's tennis matches in the Greater Harrisburg Tournament, Miss Mildred Sheesley, of Paxtang, is now up to her final

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Baseball Summary; Where Teams Play Today

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY New York State League Scranton at Harrisburg (2 games).

National League Cincinnati at Philadelphia. St. Louis at New York. Chicago at Brooklyn. Pittsburgh at Boston.

American League Boston at Chicago. Washington at St. Louis. Philadelphia at Detroit. New York at Cleveland.

Capitol Hill League Insurance Fund vs. L. and I. Dept. Albany at Utica. Binghamton at Syracuse.

Allison Hill League Gahahds vs. Stanley.

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-MORROW

New York State League Harrisburg at Binghamton. Scranton at Utica.

National League Cincinnati at Philadelphia. St. Louis at New York. Pittsburgh at Boston. Chicago at Brooklyn.

American League Philadelphia at Detroit. Boston at Chicago. New York at Cleveland. Washington at St. Louis.

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY

New York State League Scranton 4, Harrisburg 3. Second game postponed, rain.

National League Philadelphia 5, Cincinnati 1, 7 innings, rain. Other games postponed, rain.

American League Detroit 9, Philadelphia 0. Cleveland 9, New York 4. St. Louis 2, Washington 0 (2nd).

International League Buffalo 15, Richmond 9. Baltimore 9, Toronto 5. Rochester 0, Providence 0, 6 innings, darkness.

Newark-Montreal, rain. Washington Shop League Clerks & Federals 1.

Blue Ridge League Chambersburg 4, Hagerstown 1. Martinsburg 0, Frederick 3. Gettysburg 4, Hanover 3.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

Table with columns W, L, Pct. Rows for New York State League and National League teams.

conest and Miss Ruth Starry, a local champion is ready for the semifinal rounds. It is expected that the finals will be played to-morrow.

Ladies' Singles Second round—Miss Ruth Starry defeated Miss Katherine Sweeney 6-3, 6-3.

Ladies' Doubles Preliminary round—M. Black and I. Johnson defeated Miss G. McKay and Miss G. Yeager 6-2 and 6-4.

Men's Doubles Second round—V. Fager and C. Fager defeated Bortell and Ellenberger 7-5, 6-3.

MAN STRUCK BY ENGINE DIES Adam Schutt, aged 42, Wallace street, died at the Harrisburg Hospital last night as a result of injuries received on August 1 when he was struck by an engine on the Pennsylvania railroad.

M'CORMICK AT CHICAGO Chicago, Aug. 9.—Vance C. McCormick, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, is expected in Chicago to-day for a final conference with western Democrats on the personnel of the campaign committee which is to actively manage the campaign.

EX-SENATOR THURSTON DEAD Omaha, Neb., Aug. 9.—John M. Thurston, United States Senator from Nebraska from 1895 to 1901 died at his home here to-day. He had been critically ill for four weeks, following heat prostration and his death had been momentarily expected for several days. He was 69 years old.

CASTER FUNERAL TO-MORROW Funeral services for Harry Caster, aged 43, 609 Walnut street, who died at the Harrisburg hospital Monday night from the heat, will be held at the funeral chapel of H. Mauk, Sixth and Ketter streets, to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. He is survived by a brother and a sister. Burial will be made in the Harrisburg cemetery with the Rev. E. N. Kramer, pastor of the Reformed Salem Church, officiating.

HIT WITH BRICK, RIB BROKEN James Ford, 12 Strawberry street, was hit in the side with a brick last night at a hotel where he is employed. He was taken to the Harrisburg hospital where it was learned that one of his ribs had been fractured.

MANAGER MATTY OF CINCINNATI ON THE COACHING LINE



"A LITTLE GINGER, BOY!" "SLIDE!" "HE'S BLOWN UP, JIM!"

ISLANDERS BACK IN BASEMENT

Still Playing Game; Official Figures Change Standing; On Road For Two Weeks

Harrisburg's pace setters wind up the home series to-day, playing Scranton a double-header. Winning two games from the Miners will give the Islanders another chance to get out of the cellar.

The Telegraph prints the figures to-day as furnished by President J. H. Farrell. It will now be necessary to get busy once more. When again out of the cellar Harrisburg will be able to move up more rapidly because of the close proximity to Elmira and Albany.

The team is going fine. The boys are out for a long string of victories from now until the close of the season. It means much for baseball next year.

The season ends September 9, one month from to-day. Harrisburg will not be home until August 22, and if the locals do a little better than break even on the road there is a good chance to be at the top of the second division before the last game is played.

The work of the Harrisburg team for the past month has been first class. In fact, the Islanders have outplayed all of the other clubs in the last four weeks. Nineteen of their last twenty-seven games have been won, truly a remarkable record for an eighth place club.

On paper the Islanders now compare with the best in the circuit and the club is now in a position where it may yet finish among the first four. Good pitching, good work on the paths, timely hitting and strong defensive play have been factors in Harrisburg's successful spurt.

The record for the week, showing games won and lost, runs scored, hits, errors, men left on bases and runs scored by the opposition, follows:

Table with columns C, W, L, R, H, E, B, O. Rows for Harrisburg, Scranton, Syracuse, Utica, Binghamton, Albany, Elmira.

GEORGE SISLER INFIELDER

St. Louis, Aug. 9.—George Sisler, the versatile athlete of Fielder Jones' Browns, got into a new role yesterday afternoon, when he played third base against Washington in the second game of the double-header.

Sisler, who is a left-handed player, is the first portersider to play first in nearly a quarter of a century. The former Michigan star gave a very good exhibition at the hot corner. Sisler has now played nearly every position on the team.

He has pitched in several games, played first and third and every position in the outfield.

WANT LABOR DAY GAME

West Fairview A. C. is without games for September 4. For September 4, Labor day, and also September 9, 16. Would like to arrange games with fast teams for these dates.

Address all communications to M. H. Mulligan, 610 Dauphin street Harrisburg, Pa., or call 2050W, Bell phone. On Saturday a festival will be held to finance the team for the remainder of the season.

WELLY'S CORNER!

Plans are under way for another big basketball season. There is a desire on the part of eastern managers to have this city represented in a league. It may not come this year. However, if inducements are offered the Harrisburg Basketball Association may consider the project.

There is no denying the fact that the Harrisburg team is putting this city on the baseball map. All over the United States sport writers are telling about the phenomenal work of the Islanders. Both George Cockill and Walter Blair are winning praises for their work and the players are being referred to individually in nice terms.

Inquiries are being made as to the permanency of the Harrisburg New York State League team. There is but one answer. It is here to stay. Because of the standing of the team at the go-off businessmen were only offered coupon books as a means to boost the game.

It looks as if Mike Donlin will not connect as manager of the Wilkes-Barre team. Jack Lewis is making good and several of the owners would like to see him continue in charge. The team is being strengthened. Steve

White, the former Princeton and Boston Red Sox hurler, has joined the Barons.

If there is any person who believes Eddie Plank is all in, he has another guess. He won another game yesterday and did it in old-time style. One hit was made by Washington and it came in the ninth inning.

Reed, who was sent to Bradford from Harrisburg, got into the game yesterday and was a big star. Bradford lost to Erie by a score of 8 to 4. Reed had one hit, two outs and two assists. His work was referred to as sensational.

Only one game was played yesterday in the New York State League outside of Harrisburg. Of course Albany had to be one of the teams that played, and the Senators won from Wilkes-Barre, score 2 to 1. It was a pitching duel between Beretzki and Gerner.

In the Lucknow Shop series yesterday the Clerks defeated the Feds, score 8 to 6. The Feds batted the ball hard and were fast on bases. Bennett pitched for the Clerks and lacked support at critical times.

Manager Murray M. Washburn is out for a game for Saturday for the Hick-a-Thrifts. He can be found at his home, 1819 Park street. Manager Washburn is one of Harrisburg's young baseball managers who has a strong team of boys in the game for the love of the sport. His team has always been a big attraction, but disbandment of many clubs has brought about a number of vacancies in the schedule.

Philadelphia Motive Power Team Wins Local Honors

Philadelphia, Aug. 9.—By defeating the superintendents' crack team in the second of the elimination contests of the Philadelphia Terminal Division, Pennsylvania Railroad League, Philadelphia Motive Power becomes the representative team of that division to compete in the concluding grand division series for the championship of the Pennsylvania system, the Motive Power boys having taken the first two games of the series of three. Both pitchers received splendid support. Leslie Miller fielded the position in clever style, Lindenmyer and Backey taking the outfield honors, the latter having a scorching triple in the second frame. Maurer made a great steal to the home plate in the seventh while a discussion

was being held at second base. The score by innings: Motive Power ... 202000210-7 11 3 Supt.'s Office ... 220000200-6 7 4 Batteries—Leslie, Rice and Riley; Boozer and McGracey.

BATTLE CREEK GETS FRANCHISE

Battle Creek, Mich., Aug. 9.—Negotiations for the temporary transfer of the Grand Rapids Central League baseball club to this city are completed. W. E. Essick, manager and part owner of the club, and E. W. Dickerson, league president, closed a deal leasing the old South Michigan playing field for the remainder of the season, and the team, which is now on the road, will open here Sunday in a series with Evansville.

Whether the transfer will be made permanent depends upon the sale of tickets for a booster game next week. Ownership of the club remains with William Essick and E. J. Noblett, of Grand Rapids.

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