DRAFTS DISAPPOINTING TO NEW YORK STATE LEAGUE MANAGERS--SHORT SCORES

HAL CHASE LEADS; DAUBERT THIRD

Speaker Leads Cobb by Thirty Points; Leading Major Twirlers

Chicago, Sept. 16. — Hal. Chase has taken the lead in the race for the National League batting championship, according to figures published here to-day which include the records of last Wednesday's games. Jake Daubert, long the leader, has dropped to third place, into a tie with Hornsby, while Wheat went into second place. Carey, Pittsburgh, leader in stolen bases, now has fifty; Flack, Chicago, in sacrifice hits with 85; Williams in home runs with 12; Wheat, Brooklyn, in total bases with 238; Burns, New York, in runs scored with 86, and Brooklyn in team hitting with .258. Leading batters who have played in half or more of their club's games:

Chase, Cincinnati, .322; Wheat, Brooklyn, .320; Daubert, Brooklyn, .317; Hornsby, St. Louis, .317; Wagner, Pittsburgh, .312; Hinchman, Pittsburgh, .309; Robertson, New York, .305; Stock, Philadelphia, .296; Whitted, Philadelphia, .291; Long, St. Louis, .291. Leading pitchers for 23 games:

National Twirlers

	W.	L.	Pct.	E.R.
Hughes, Boston	16	3	.842	2.23
Alexander, Phila.	28	10	.737	1.54
Rixey, Phila.	19	8	.704	2.21
Pfeffer, Brooklyn	21	10	.674	2.09
Marquard, Brooklyn	10	5	.667	1.76

In the American League Tris Speaker ran his margin over Cobb to 30 points a gain of eight in the week. Rumler, the Southern League slugger now with the Browns, is outhitting Cobb, with .360, but has taken part in only 15 games, hence does not appear in the records. Cobb leads in stolen bases with 55 and in runs scored with an even 100. Weaver, Chicago, is ahead in sacrifice hits with 38; Pipp, New York, in home runs with ten; Jackson, Chicago, in total bases with 271, and Detroit in club batting with .263. Leading batters:

Speaker on Top

Speaker, Cleveland, .389; Cobb, Detroit, .359; Jackson, Chicago, .348; Strunk, Philadelphia, .314; Gardner, Boston, .308; Veach, Detroit, .303; Sisler, St. Louis, .300; E. Collins, Chicago, .299; Nunamaker, New York, .292; Felsch, Chicago, .292. Leading pitchers for 23 games:

	W.	L.	Pct.	E.R.
Cullop, New York	13	4	.765	2.03
Faber, Chicago	15	6	.714	2.12
H. Coveleskie, Det't.	22	9	.709	1.86
Morton, Cleveland	13	6	.684	2.77
Benz, Chicago	9	5	.643	1.96

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DRAFTS AFFECT FEW STATE STARS

Majors Pick Four From Farrell Circuit; Fittery Returns to Philadelphia

Players in the New York State League were not popular with the major league scouts. According to drafts made yesterday at Cincinnati, most of the drafts were pitchers. It is the belief that class AA and class A teams will go after New York Staters. Detroit landed Daugherty, a Wilkes-Barre twirler. Haas, the Barons' left fielder, will go to the Chicago Americans. Gerner, the star pitcher of Reading, was drafted by Cincinnati. O'Rouke, shortstop for Utica, was landed by Cincinnati. Bigler, a Gettysburg star, was grabbed by St. Louis Americans.

Paul Fittery, a former Harrisburg twirler, was picked by the Phillies. He has been a star southpaw with Salt Lake City.

Under the rules of drafting the winning major league club having first choice has five days in which to make a selection. In case the winning club does not choose to exercise the draft the club getting second choice can make the selection, and so on to the club having third choice.

American Leads in Drafts

Seventy-four minor league players were drafted by the major leagues at the meeting of the National Baseball Commission and representatives of every major league club in Cincinnati yesterday.

Of this number, the American League obtained forty-seven and the National twenty-seven. These latter figures do not signify that the American League was proportionately more lucky in the draw than the Nationals, but that President Johnson's organization had in a large majority of the draft.

That the minor league field has been picked over rather thoroughly for good material through the process of purchase was indicated by the fact that in no individual case was there an exceptionally keen competition, the majority of the players being drafted by a single club. The Cleveland club originally drafted Haas, of Wilkes-Barre, but waived their draft on him, and he was obtained by the Chicago Americans. The same thing happened to McTigue, of Toronto, who was originally drafted by the New York Nationals, but went to the Chicago Nationals.

The commission finally decided to leave the world series tickets proposition to Chairman Herrmann. If on September 21 Chairman Herrmann believes it would be wise to have the tickets printed in order to save time, he was given the power to notify the management of the three teams who are then leading in the two races, the National and American Leagues, that they were privileged to have the tickets printed. The draft awards follow:

Players Drafted

Athletics—Johns, Columbus; Bassler, Los Angeles; Schauer, Louisville; Jennings, Minneapolis; McGaffigan, Vernon; Noyes, Portland; Hill, Waco; Smith, Oklahoma City; Naylor, McAllister, Okla; Batchi, Muskegon; Horn, Wellsville, N. Y.; Anderson, South Bend.

Cleveland—Choice of Indianapolis players; Harris, Chattanooga; Miller, Omaha; Petty, San Antonio; Yerkes, Atlanta; choice Baltimore team; Dickerson, Dothan, Ala.

New York Americans — Rawlings, Toledo; Munro, Memphis; Knaupp, Shreveport, La.; Manda, Fort Worth; Schaw, Macon.

Chicago Americans—Mulligan, Kansas City; Kopf, Buffalo; choice of Richmond team; Henry, Petersburg, Va.; Ray and Lake, Newport News; Gray, Wichita; Teague, Rocky Mount; Kirkham, St. Joseph; choice of Montreal team; Breen and Carlson, Rockford.

Detroit Americans—Dyer, of Denver; Daugherty, of Wilkes-Barre; Heatley, Tulsa.

St. Louis Americans—Kenworthy, Oakland; Bigler, Gettysburg, Pa.; Pennington, Lawrence, Mass.; Plitt, Portland, Me.

Washington Americans—Choice of St. Paul and Rochester clubs.

Philadelphia Nationals — Fittery, Salt Lake City; Carmichael, Paris, Texas.

Pittsburgh Nationals—Ellis, Fargo; Gleason, Lynn; King, Wheeling.

Cincinnati—Eller, Moline, Ill.; Gerner, Reading, Pa.; O'Rourke and Ring, Utica.

New York Nationals—Witterstautter, Newark; Cansey, Waco.

Chicago Nationals—McTigue, Toronto; Dilhoefer, Milwaukee; Wuehel, Birmingham; Flannigan, Muscatine; O'Farrell, Peoria; Reuther, Spokane; Wofl, Duluth.

Boston Nationals—Massey, New Orleans; Hammon, Springfield, Mass.; McCandless, Dallas.

St. Louis Nationals—Deace, Topeka; Gardiner, Newport News.

Brooklyn Nationals — Fabrique, Providence; Guerning, Portland, Me.; Fitzsimmons, Butte; Snyder, Macon (subject to investigation).

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Baseball Summary; Where Teams Play Today

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

National League

Chicago at Philadelphia, two games.
Pittsburgh at New York, two games.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn, two games.
St. Louis at Boston.

American League

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

SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY

National League

No games scheduled.

American League

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

WHERE THEY PLAY MONDAY

National League

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

American League

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

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY'S GAMES

National League

Brooklyn, 8; Pittsburgh, 1, five innings, rain.
Other games postponed, rain.

American League

Cleveland, 3; Philadelphia, 2.
Detroit, 4; New York, 2.
Chicago, 3; Washington, 2.
Boston, 8; St. Louis, 3.

International League

Buffalo, 6; Toronto, 1.
Other games postponed, rain.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	80	54	.597
Philadelphia	77	55	.584
Boston	75	55	.577
New York	68	62	.523
Pittsburgh	64	72	.471
Chicago	62	76	.440
St. Louis	60	79	.432
Cincinnati	53	86	.381

American League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	79	58	.576
Detroit	81	60	.574
Chicago	80	60	.571
New York	72	66	.522
St. Louis	73	68	.518
Cleveland	72	69	.511
Washington	68	68	.500
Philadelphia	30	106	.221

Brooklyn Wins Out; American Race Close

The activities of the well-known Jupiter Pluvius enabled the Brooklyn Robins to increase their lead in the National League pennant race yesterday. The pacemakers managed to win a saturated contest from Pittsburgh, while neither the Phils nor the Bostons would work in a struggle with their respective opponents. As a result the Robins are two full games ahead of the champions and three score sheets in the lead of Boston. Standing of the three rivals this morning:

	W.	L.	P. C.
Brooklyn	80	54	.597
Philadelphia	77	55	.583
Boston	75	55	.577

The three contenders for premier honors in the American League won yesterday and consequently there is no change in the aspect of the race. The Boston Red Sox still lead the procession, topping the Detroit Tigers by a margin of two points—the fractional part of a game. The Chicago White Sox are in third place, half a box score in the rear of the pacemakers. The Bengals have played four more games than Boston and the White Sox three more than Boston.

	W.	L.	P. C.
Boston	79	58	.57664
Detroit	81	60	.57447
Chicago	80	60	.57143

Bits From Sportland

According to the report on yesterday's drafts the major league want pitchers. Star infielders and outfielders appear to be a glut on the market. Hitters are also needed. This may explain why the New York State League stars were overlooked. There were few .300 hitters on the Farrel circuit.

Marysville and Duncannon wind up the season to-day. During the coming week Manager Harry Stees will whip his team in shape for the series with Williamstown, winners of the Dauphin-Schuylkill championship.

The Tigers to-day met Harvard for the Intercollegiate golf title. Princeton yesterday defeated Yale and Harvard won from Cornell. Harvard is a favorite in to-day's matches.

The Carlisle Fair is on next week's program. The list of entries is the largest in years and many fast horses are included. G. W. Snyder, of Harrisburg, has entered his bay mares, Allie B., and Uneeda Patchen. Both have been doing good work this season.

The Reservoir Park Tennis Club will meet Monday night at the Park Commissioner's office in Calder building. This afternoon the local players met Middletown.

Once more comes the announcement that Reading will remain in the New York State League. This was told a week ago when Dr. Tate left for his home at Albany.

John Evers will be operated upon for the removal of a tooth embedded in his jaw. It is the belief that his grouchy disposition has been due to this annoying molar.

Rosewood, champions of the Allison Hill League with Whitey Winters on the mound, this afternoon oppose an all-star team from the Galahad, Stanley and Reading teams. The game was played at Island Park and attracted a large crowd.

Football started this afternoon when the University of California lined up against the Olympic Athletic Club of Berkley. Eastern teams will not get into action for two weeks. Practice games will be in order next week.

The Penbrook All-Scholastics, an aggregation that furnished excellent football last season is again in the field. A reorganization was affected last night and the squad will get into action Tuesday. Coach Fields will have a bunch of promising youngsters. Manager T. E. Meckley is anxious to schedule games with strong teams in Harrisburg and vicinity.

ANNOUNCEMENT PREMATURE

Announcement was recently made that E. Miller would act as assistant coach of Tech High football team, which was prmature. No definite arrangements have yet been made and none can be made without the aproval of the advisory committee of John Y. Boyd Memorial Building, of Pine Street Presbyterian Church.

CARLISLE FAIR, SEPT. 19-22

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PENN-STATE IS HUNTING GUARDS

Head Coach Harlow Loses Big Star; Large Squad at Work

State College, Pa., Sept. 16.—Early-season football dope at Penn State suffered a slump this week when it was announced that Joe Gill, the big substitute guard of the last two years and who was expected to fill McDowell's place on the right side of the center, had been forbidden to play by his parents. Gill was ripe for the varsity line and his absence has aggravated Heach Coach Harlow's problem of building up the center of the team. There seems to be little hope of obtaining Yeager's release from military duty on the Mexican border, and Whitey Thomas has definitely decided not to attend college this year. To top off these upsets in his plans, Harlow announced to-day that Painter, the varsity center, was having trouble with his studies, and there is a chance that he may not wear the Blue and White this season.

Candidates For Guards

Harlow will pick his guards from the following men: O'Donnell, Smith, Kraft, Sneiderman, Robinson and Locke. O'Donnell's improvement has been particularly noticeable. The big westrner reported in excellent shape, and Harlow attributes O'Donnell's good showing to his superb physical condition.

To fill up the gap in the line at left tackle, Harlow believes his three best men are Crushank, the former Bethlehem Prep. player and shot-putter, Tavener, formerly of Delancy School, and Parrish, the varsity wrestler.

Coach Harlow is dissatisfied with the punting. Outside of Captain Clark none of the backs is booting the pigskin to suit him. Bortz, Beck, Lindquist, Hess, Robb, Unger and Jones are receiving instruction in kicking from Whitney, but Harlow says their work does not compare with that of Berryman and Manown last season.

Lebanon Valley Squad Is Fast Rounding Into Shape

Annville, Pa., Sept. 16.—The football squad at Lebanon Valley College, which has now reached forty-three in number is fast rounding into shape. Two practices were held daily throughout the week. The forenoon workout was light, consisting of preliminary training such as falling on the ball, form blocking and tackling. In the afternoons Coach Guyer had the men breaking up plays from last year's formations, also running down punts and tackling. He finished up the week by a light scrimmage in which he tried out some new plays. On one side he had a team composed almost entirely of last year's varsity men and opposed to them he tried out all the new material. With the opening of school on Monday only one practice will be held each day which will be mostly in the form of scrimmage.

LAST BIG TRACK MEET

Newark, N. J., Sept. 16.—The final Amateur Athletic Union track and field championship event of the season will be held at Weequahic Park, here, this afternoon with the all-round championship. Seven of the leading all-round stars of the country have entered the competition, which will consist of ten separate events, ranging from the 100-yard sprint to a mile run on the track, with weight and jumping contests on the turf.

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LOCAL SHOOTERS HAVE LOW SCORES

"Klondike" Morgan Is Big Winner in Westy Hogan Event; New Officers

Atlantic City, Sept. 16. — Shooters from the Capital City of the Keystone State are still below their average. Scores yesterday were the lowest during the week. Harrisburg scores were: J. G. Martin, 143 out of 150; O. K. Eshenour, 120; W. S. Hoar, 143; H. B. Shoop, 134; West Fairview, M. B. Stewart, 135; S. S. Hoffman, 130, W. E. Hoover, 115.

Morgan Big Winner

R. Douglas Morgan, of Washington, D. C., won further fame in setting the new straight-run record for the Westy Hogans at the annual tournament here. The newly-crowned champion broke 233 targets during his remarkable performance, beating by far the former mark of Jay Graham, of Chicago, who registered 190 before missing out at the tournament six years ago on Young's old pier.

Morgan, who is popularly known as "Klondike" Morgan, by reason of his exploits in the gold regions, soon celebrates his fifty-fourth birthday.

The East beat the West in the team championship carried on here the last three days. The winners won by 16 targets in the race of 2,500. Each member of the representative squad shot at the total of 500 targets. Scores of the Easterns were: G. N. Fish, of Lindenville, N. Y., 489; Allen Heil, of Allentown, 486; Frank S. Wright, of Buffalo, 484; Charles H. Newcomb, of Philadelphia, 481; and R. L. Potts, of New York, 479. Total, 2,419.

Western scores were: Fred Harlow, Newark, Ohio, 491; C. D. Coburn, of Mechanicsburg, Ohio, 481; Woolfolk Henderson, of Lexington, Ky., 478, R. H. Bruns, of Brookville, Ind., 478, and H. E. Smith, of Columbus, Ohio, 475. Total, 2,403.

Professional Honors

H. S. Welles, of New York city, was high in the professional division for the three days. He broke 487, 4 less than Harlow in the Simon-pure class. J. Mowell Hawkins, of Baltimore, collected 484, and Lester German, 481. T. H. Fox, of Lynchburg, Va., was high professional in to-day's events, with 148 out of 150.

H. E. Smith, of Columbus, Ohio, won in doubles yesterday in surviving the second shoot-off. He topped the third odd entrants in the original event with A. L. Chamberlain, of New Haven, Conn., each smashing 46 in the 25 pair. Both scored 16 in the 10 extra pair. Smith cracked 19 and Chamberlain 16 in the next string.

Atlantic City again won the Westy Hogan tournament for next September. Neaf Apgar, who has held the chair ever since the organization of the popular shooting body, was re-elected for his tenth term. The other officers also renamed are: Vice-president, J. M. Hawkins, of Baltimore; secretary, Bernard Elsessor, of York, and treasurer, J. Leonard Clark, of New York city. New members admitted were Henry Winchester, of Wilmington; E. R. Galvin, of Wilmington; J. F. Carraher, of Fulton, N. Y., and E. O. Zealey, of New York city.

All-Philadelphia Polo Team Meets Midwestern

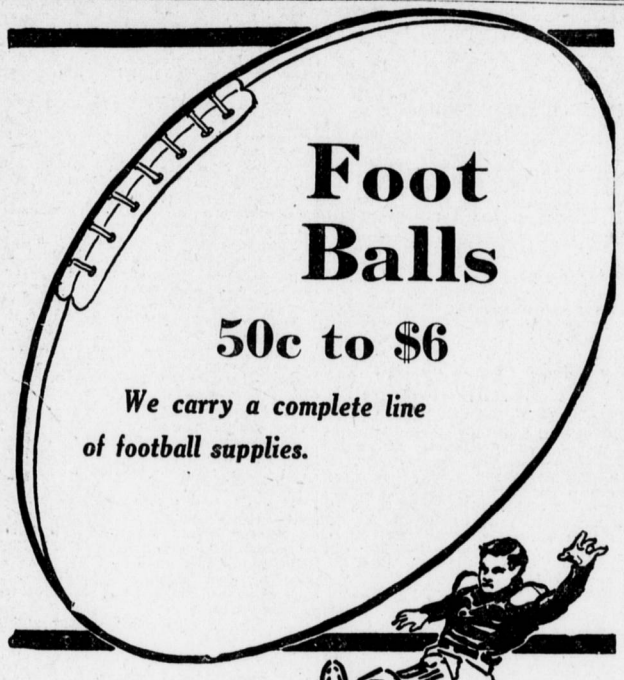
Philadelphia, Sept. 16. — The all-Philadelphia polo team representing the southeastern section was to meet the midwestern team in the first team match of the intersectional tournament which began to-day on the grounds of the Philadelphia Country Club.

The Philadelphia team, consisting of Thomas Stokes, W. Stanley Stokes, E. Lowber Stokes and Robert E. Strawbridge, carries a team handicap of 17 goals, while the westerners, who have A. G. Miles, of the Back River Polo Club, Montreal; E. Y. Clausen, of the Portcheck Polo Club; J. L. Anderson, of West Chester County, New York, and W. P. Hulbert, Miami Valley Polo Club, Ohio, in their line-up, have an aggregate handicap of only 2 goals. The local team, therefore, conceded 15 goals to their opponents at the opening of to-day's match.

Harvard Is Assured of Retaining Singles Cup

Philadelphia, Sept. 16.—The intercollegiate lawn tennis tournament, interrupted yesterday by rain, was to be resumed on the courts of the Merion Cricket Club to-day. Harvard was assured of retaining the singles championship, as both the contestants in the final round wore crimson jerseys, while the two Harvard teams in the semifinals of the doubles were also expected to win their matches.

G. Colket Caner was to meet his teammate, J. S. Pfaffman, for the singles title, and, paired with R. H. Harte, Jr., opposed Eugene Warren and E. R. McCormick, of Southern California, in a semifinal match in the doubles. Pfaffman and Whitehouse, the other Harvard pair, were to meet Riker and Knox, of Princeton.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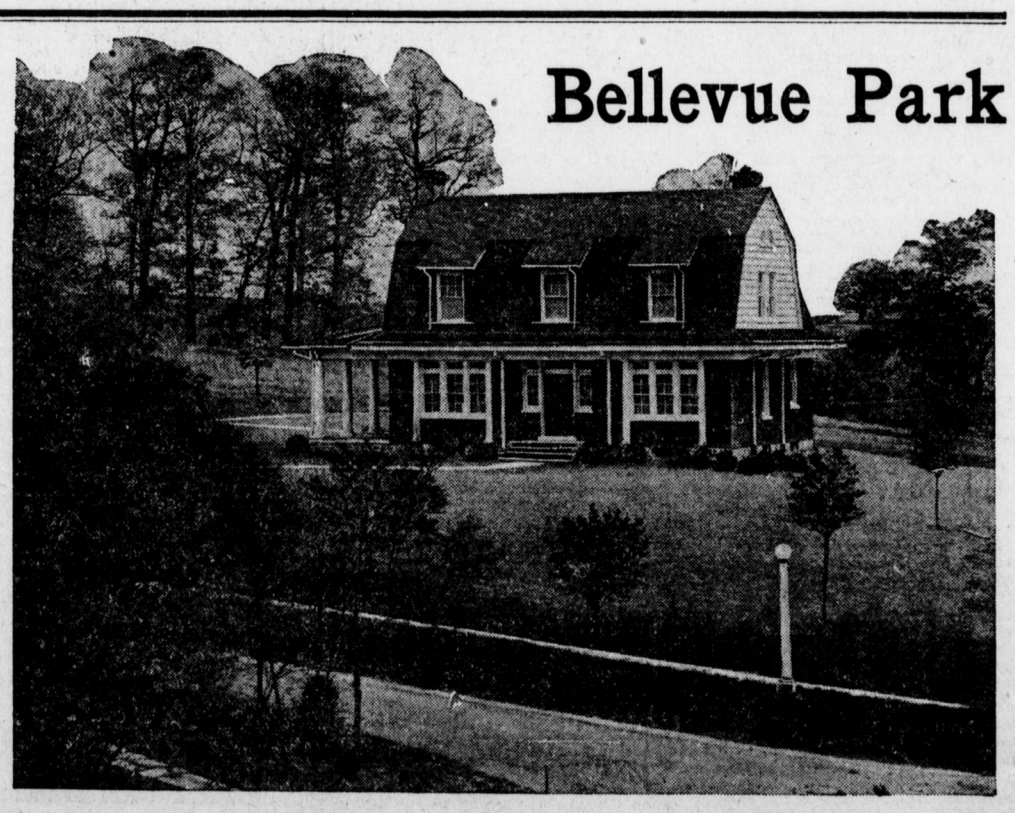

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