

MELROSE GRAMMAR BOYS PLAY GOOD FOOTBALL---TINKER IS SURE OF OLD JOB

TINKER SEEMS SURE AS MANAGER

Stockholders Fail to Select New Man; Re-elect Weeghman President

Chicago, Nov. 14. — Stockholders of the Cubs yesterday cast their ballots for the old directors, which will mean a solid delegation in the Bruin electoral college for the present officers. This indicates that President Weeghman will remain at the head of the party, which he guided through the stormy times of the Federal League invasion, not to mention the equally stormy period of last season. Political vicissitudes also see a reappointment of Manager Tinker as pilot of the Cubs next season.

The election was held in the LaSalle Hotel, as the Cub offices in the Otis building were not considered roomy enough for the numerous stockholders who were expected to attend. Only about fifteen showed up, and these were told the good news that the Cubs made money last season despite the exceptional expenses under which the organization labored. According to President Weeghman, the meeting, outside of the voting was a simple affair. The question of a manager was not raised, which indicates that Joe Tinker is assured of another term in the dugout. Officers were not elected as these are appointed by the directors, who will meet next week to go through the formality of reappointing Charles H. Weeghman, president; William M. Walker, vice president and treasurer, and Adolph Spielman, secretary. These three are also directors and the other six re-elected were Adolph Schuttler, A. D. Plamondon, A. D. Lasker, R. A. Cavanaugh, Charles McCulloch and William Wisley, Jr.

WELLESLEY GIRLS PLAY STRENUOUS BASKETBALL



WELLESLEY BASKETBALL. Basketball as played at Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass., is not so mild a game as some persons might suppose. Incidentally, the Wellesley College team is "some" team, for the girls who compose it know how to play. They expect to make a clean-up this season. The photograph shows Miss Cora Lee King, center of the 1917 team and Miss Marjorie Stickney of the 1918 team, battling for a goal.

MELROSE ELEVEN PLAY STAR GAME

Lost One Contest This Season; Victory by Large Scores; Keifer in Charge

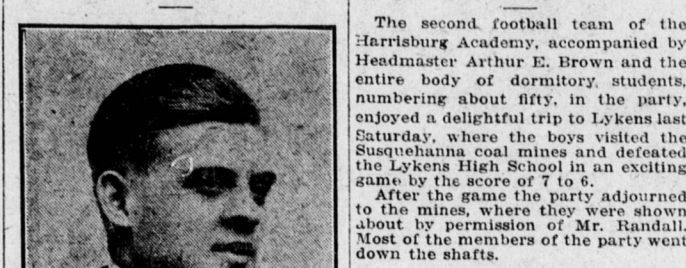
With a record of nine victories out of the first ten contests played the Melrose Grammar School football eleven will make a strong bid for the city championship among the younger athletes. The team is coached by Professor E. D. Keifer, the new principal at Melrose. He was a football and basketball star at Millersville State Normal School a few years ago. The Melrose lads hope for a contest with the Woodbury eleven, and if they are successful in landing this contest they will play the Camp Curtin team for the city championship.

Only One Defeat

Winning all but one of ten contests is no small feat for any team to feel. The Melrose lads, however, have shown more than usual form. The lion's share of the honor falls to Arnold, a lad with 180 pounds of avoirdupois. He uses his weight to good advantage and when he enters one of the high schools next fall he ought to make good back field material in his freshman year. The grammar school team from the eastern end of the city has run up scores of 50 on more than one occasion.

RECORD CROWD IS SATURDAY DOPE

Bucknell and Gettysburg in Fine Shape for the Annual Battle at Island Park



HAROLD A. HOUTZ The football game between Bucknell and Gettysburg on the Island Saturday has aroused interest not only in the two college towns, and this immediate vicinity, but through Central Pennsylvania. The followers of this sport are looking forward to this contest. The attraction is due, perhaps, to the fact that a close and fiercely contested battle is expected, since the teams are about evenly matched.

Annapolis, Md., Nov. 14. — Every practice at the Naval Academy during the remainder of the season will be secret, according to the statement of Head Coach Ingram, and numerous precautions will be taken to insure that those who get within sight of the squad are loyal navy people and none others. It was stated that the lines were not drawn as strictly as they should have been last week, and in consequence they tightened a good deal this afternoon. There are special plays which will be uncovered only when the Army team is met, but the main reliance will be put upon the speed, spirit and intelligence of the young team, which has been brought together. Hope grows that this will be the year for the Navy to win from Army and break the long chain of defeats. The coaches are still changing the team frequently, but more with the idea of insuring experienced and capable men for every position. The work of the backfield, with such men as Welch, Orr, Perry, Ingram, Davis and Martin, is most encouraging, and there is no doubt that the squad is stronger than for years in this particular.

Both Teams in Shape

Upon the eve of this annual struggle, both teams are in the best physical condition. The coaches will spend this week perfecting the new formations and drilling the squads so that the plays may be run off with clock-like precision and accuracy. Nothing but the best is expected of the teams, and Reagan giving his attention to the line. The greatest trouble was found on the defense, as the Gettysburg backs, in the second half, made big gains through the line, and almost around the ends. Diggle played a good game at quarterback and Bennis may decide to keep him there permanently, moving Charley McCuekin back to his old position as halfback. McCuekin's field goal on Saturday was Villanova's only score of the game, and was his third of the year, the other two coming against Muhlenberg and Lebanon Valley.

VILLANOVA IN BAD SHAPE

Villanova, Pa., Nov. 14. — The Villanova eleven finished the Gettysburg game last Saturday in a somewhat battered condition. Bill Breenan had his ankle hurt in addition to the one which was injured at Lebanon Valley. Chambers, who took his place, received a bad kick in his side. Many other bruises of a minor nature were also received, but in spite of these, nearly all the squad was out on the field for practice this afternoon. Coaches Bennis and Reagan spent most of the afternoon in correcting faults which they noticed in the play of the team on Saturday. Bennis, as usual, taking care of the backfield, and Reagan giving his attention to the line. The greatest trouble was found on the defense, as the Gettysburg backs, in the second half, made big gains through the line, and almost around the ends. Diggle played a good game at quarterback and Bennis may decide to keep him there permanently, moving Charley McCuekin back to his old position as halfback. McCuekin's field goal on Saturday was Villanova's only score of the game, and was his third of the year, the other two coming against Muhlenberg and Lebanon Valley.

COMPENSATION PRECEDENTS SET

Important Decisions Given by the Members of the Board in This City

The State Workmen's Compensation Board has held that a woman living apart from her husband, not dependent upon him for support, is not entitled to compensation although she has received some money at irregular intervals from him. The opinion was given by Commissioner John A. Scott in the case of Mrs. S. Varga vs. Carnegie Steel Co., Varga having been fatally hurt in February. It was found that the pair had been living apart since the woman in Passaic, N. J., since May 1914, the woman supporting herself. "No actual support from the earnings of the husband can be said to have ceased because of his death," holds Mr. Scott.

In an opinion by Commissioner Ezech the Board has awarded compensation to Mrs. Ingeborg Z. Hoagland, of Wilkes-Barre, who was injured by a wind-whistle coal co. in an unusual case. The husband was a wireman and was forced to change his place of residence so that his family in the serious illness might have the services of a physician. To do this he temporarily accepted work in another mine employed for eighteen years previously in one mine. To obtain his temporary employment he had to accept a lower wage until the foreman could accept his efficiency. The Board says that it must hold the employer lower wage, at which he was working when fatally hurt, must govern the compensation.

Chairman Mackey has ruled that an employee who appears at the place of employment intoxicated and does not report to work and subsequently is discharged by the employer is not liable for compensation. The case was that of Charles Washington, Pittsburgh, against J. A. Evers, also of Pittsburgh. The ruling will act as a precedent. It was found that Washington appeared at McKeesport High School where he had been employed as a hod carrier on some work in progress. He went to the roof of the boiler house and went to sleep, falling through the window and landing on a running track in a gymnasium, sustaining broken limbs and injuries which prevented him from working from April until July. The claim made for compensation was not allowed and an appeal taken was dismissed by the Board. The Board has upheld the award of Referee T. J. Dunn in the case of Elizabeth Hall, Monongahela, against the Pittsburgh Coal Company in which it is found that she was dependent upon wages of her son.

ABANDON TWO-OFFICIAL SYSTEM

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 13. — The Eastern League at a meeting held in the armory here to-night decided to abandon the two-official plan of conducting its games, and starting Wednesday at Camden will return to the old plan of referee only. The decision was arrived at only after a heated discussion in which Trenton and Camden supported it. Every club in the league was represented, there being present Berliner of Reading; Henry of Camden; Adams, of De Neri; Kennedy, of Jasper; Bailey, of Greystock, and Kuser, of Trenton. President Scheffer was also at the meeting.

COUNTY AID TO FAIRS CUT OFF

Dauphin Commissioners Can't Assist Gratz Nor Middletown, Clerk Is Told

Gratz and Middletown fairs next year can expect no financial help from the Dauphin county unless the State Legislature provides an appropriation from the county. The county commissioners are not to be reimbursed for any funds they might advance. E. H. Fisher, chief clerk to the county board, said that word yesterday from the State authorities when he conferred with officials relative to a return of the sums that had been advanced for the fairs this year. Following its usual custom the commissioners this year paid out \$1,714 to the two fair associations on the end of the year. The county money. This the Commonwealth has failed to do and inquiry yesterday revealed the fact that there is no balance from which to draw from and that there will be no more money unless the Legislature provides some more. Furthermore, the chance of refunding this year's money is lost by the repeal of the act governing it. Forrer at Desk Soon. — V. Grant Forrer, assistant superintendent of parks, who was recently operated upon for appendicitis, is recovering rapidly and expects to return to his desk within a week.

Commissioner Stine Returns.

County Commissioner H. M. Stine yesterday returned from Port Dupont, Del., where he had gone to be mustered out of the United States service as the local recruiting officer. Lower Pay For Bridge. — Lower Paxton supervisors have been notified by the county commissioners that the county cannot be considered liable for payment of any share of the cost of the construction of a bridge near Oakdale schoolhouse. The supervisors presented a bill for \$778.97 and asked the commissioners to share the cost on a fifty-fifty basis under an agreement which they contended they entered into last year with the old board of commissioners. The township officers have not been regularly authorized by them following the report of viewers appointed by the Dauphin court.

Fill Jury Wheel November 28.

The Dauphin county jury wheel for 1917 will probably be filled out for the initial terms of 1917. These will serve at quarter sessions and common pleas. COMMANDER BOOTH RECOVERS. New York, Nov. 14. — After an illness of several weeks during which "ceaseless prayer" was offered for her in Salvation Army circles throughout the country, Evaneth C. Booth, commander of the Salvation Army in the United States, is reported to-day as well on the road to recovery. It is announced that she will be able to resume work within a few days.

KINGS CONGRATULATE WILSON

Washington, D. C., Nov. 14. — Re-election congratulations have been received by President Wilson from rulers of several foreign nations but their names will not be given. The President's re-election is formally conceded by the Republicans.

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WELLY'S CORNER

From the West comes a suggestion that minor leagues cut salaries. This has been urged for sometime. If there is to be money made in Class B baseball, one thing must be stopped, high-salaried stars. Minor leagues should be run for the purpose of developing youngsters. Good, fast games would be the order.

Rivalry between teams often brings violation of rules. This is one reason the salary limit is overlooked many times in minor leagues. What ought to be done is to have every manager and player make an affidavit to the correctness of the contract. If found the sworn statement is false there is redress for perjury.

If there is any doubt as to the popularity of bowling in Harrisburg glance at the scores of the games played last night. Six leagues were in operation. This is not all leagues located in Harrisburg. Some play every Saturday, others twice a week. The scores indicate that stars are being developed. Now is the time to get together for a local tournament.

Football dopsters are anticipating a close battle at Island Park Saturday. The Academy then braced and by a succession of line plunges and an end run by Wolfe tied the score. Gebhard kicked the goal.

National Association in Session at New Orleans; Important Questions Up

New Orleans, Nov. 14. — The National Association of Baseball Leagues met in annual session here to-day. Among the important questions expected to come up for decision were the new demands of the Baseball Players' Fraternity, including one re control over injured players. The annual report submitted by Secretary John H. Farrell, showed that 28 league organizations, embracing 132 cities and towns in the United States and Canada, and employing 4,723 players during the playing season of 1916 had qualified for membership. Of the 26 leagues 25 started and 23 finished, one league was disqualified. The Canadian league did not open on account of war conditions. The attendance this year as a whole exceeded by far that of the 1915 record.

WILLIAMSTOWN HIGH WINS

On Saturday Williamstown high defeated the Harrisburg Juniors, score 26 to 7. Fickinger, Thompson and Franz were the individual stars. The line-up and summary: Harrisburg, Williamstown High, Murphy, f. Thompson, f. Bentz, f. Fickinger, f. Freeburn, c. Franz, c. Herr, g. Warlow, g. Stinner. Shearls, g. Drum, g. Parker. Field Goals—Herr 2, Murphy 2, Warlow 1, Thompson 4, Fickinger 5, Foul Goals—Bentz 1, Franz 1, Thompson 5. Referee—Haiston, Susquehanna University.

NEW MOTORCYCLE RECORD

Phoenix, Ariz., Nov. 14. — Don Johns, of Pasadena, Cal., broke the world's motorcycle record for five miles on a circular dirt track at the State Fair Grounds here yesterday. His time was 3 minutes 58 seconds.

Bowling Scores in Local League Contests

Cross-River League (Partnered alleys.)	
All-Stars	1397
Clerks	1230
Long (All-Stars)	1225
Long (All-Stars)	1219
Sovlay (Holtzman & Taylor alleys.)	
No. 1	1795
No. 2	1283
Mather	181
Mather	397
Academy (Duckpin)	
New Ideas	1574
Bitters	1562
Peffer (Bitters)	131
Fox (Bitters)	126
Julius (New Ideas)	126
C. Nelly (New Ideas)	355
Commercial (Holtzman & Taylor alleys.)	
Diener	2021
Bowman & Co.	1773
Mumma (Bowman)	164
Camp (Diener)	455
Casino (Duckpin)	
Strollers	1390
Andrews	1228
Smith (Strollers)	128
Smith (Strollers)	325
Casino (Tenpin) (Casino alleys.)	
Calumets	3624
Electric	2554
Barnes (Calumets)	210
Barnes (Calumets)	614
Standing of the Teams (Casino alleys.)	
Casino Tenpin—Won. Lost. P.C.	
Jolly Five	10 5 .666
Alphas	8 7 .533
Electric	9 9 .500
Calumets	9 9 .500
Orpheums	6 9 .400
Rovers	6 9 .400
Schedule for Tuesday, November 14	
—Rovers vs. Orpheums.	
—Cross-River—Won. Lost. P.C.	
All-Stars	11 7 .611
Regulars	9 6 .600
Dye Works	8 7 .533
Clerks	5 13 .278
Schedule for Friday—Regulars vs. Dye Works.	

Rifle Association Provides New Range Officer

The outcome of the meeting of the Harrisburg Rifle Association held in Wyeth building last evening was the decision to engage in a match on Thanksgiving Day with the Keystone team of Conewago on the latter's range. At the same time the local team is shooting in Conewago, the Reading rifle team will be competing against the Harrisburg team on the Reading range. Checking officers from each association will represent their respective teams in each city. The teams will fire the membership course and try-outs will be given between now and Thanksgiving for those desirous of making the team, which will be composed of ten men and two substitutes.

H. A. Douglas, president of the local association, appointed M. B. Doughten as an additional range officer primarily to look after the interests of the Harrisburg Military Association and to make the range accessible to greater numbers. The following committee was appointed to find a suitable location for a new range: Phil Schwartz, Dr. E. L. Denton, Samuel Wittenmyer, John C. Herman, Joseph V. McNary and M. B. Doughten. George W. Thompson was the only range officer previous to Mr. Doughten's appointment.

YALE IS WORKING HARD

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 14. — With the return of most of the "hospital squad," Head Coach Tad Jones of the Yale football team to-day marshaled his forces in preparation for the drive against Princeton next Saturday. Badridge, Galt, Taft and Jacques, who have been out of the game for some time were expected to play with the "varsity" against the scrubs this afternoon. It is planned to have hand scrimmage work until Friday, when the squad will leave for New York. The trip to Princeton will be made Saturday morning.

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