

# GOOD GAME ON LOCAL PROGRAM FOR SATURDAY---W. O. HICKOK WINS SHOOT---SPORTS

## GOOD GAMES ON SATURDAY BILL

Favorable Weather Is Needed; League Games at Island and Steelton

If "Jupe Pluve" quits monkeying with the sprinkling can Harrisburg fans may expect some good baseball on Saturday. With this week's heavy rainfall baseball diamonds look like lakes. Old Sol is in a position to put the fields in shape if he shows activity to-morrow.

One of the important semi-professional games is scheduled at Fourth and Seneca streets, West End A. C. will play the Hummelstown nine. This game starts at 3 o'clock. In the past four games West End has had walkaway victories, but Hummelstown will come here with a view to put a crimp in the local champs' stride. As the course of representatives from the lower end have been showing some speed a fast game may be expected.

**Game at Island**  
At Island Park Manager Jack Frey and his Motive Power team will be pitted against the New York team. This battle is of importance. New York won the game last Saturday and the local players will be out for revenge. The game starts at 3 o'clock.

**At Steelton**  
At Steelton Manager Shorty Miller and his Bethlehem League team will line up against the Pore River team. This contest will bring to Steelton one of the crack teams of the league. Play starts at 3 o'clock and it is probable that Osden will be on the firing line.

There will be no game at Rutherford as the Harrisburg division representatives are scheduled to play at St. Clair Richmond, thus far has been leading the Philadelphia and Reading League but during the past two weeks other teams have shown a pace and the finish is likely to furnish some interesting battles. Harrisburg is showing good work.

## Fox Terrier Escaping From Bull Dog Lodges in Pipe

Mechanicsburg, Pa., July 12.—It required the combined efforts of three men and advice of several doctors to bystanders to rescue Patch, the little fox terrier dog of a local mail carrier, little George Hershman, Jr.

In an effort to escape from a bulldog, ran for refuge into a sewer pipe at the corner of West Coover and South Frederick streets, last night. Neighbors witnessed the scene and assisted the owner to extricate the animal, who was so tightly wedged in the mud in the pipe as to be unable to move. Finally the men dug up the street, smashed the pipe and after an hour's work brought out a much dragged, sad-eyed dog, but who almost went wild with joy when restored to his special owner, little George, Jr.

## President Farrell Lauds Players and Owners

Syracuse, July 12.—John H. Farrell, president of the New York State League, has finished compiling the schedule of the six clubs now in the league. Mr. Farrell said:

"The State League club owners have again demonstrated their high-class, courageous sportsmanship by making necessary retrenchments and continuing the playing season. That the patrons of the game will appreciate their gameness in a substantial manner, no doubt.

"The government officials at Washington have done much to encourage the continuance of athletics during the present trying times. We hope to speak for the club owners a generous support for their unselfish efforts. The players are due high praise for the splendid spirit shown in the emergency. They have met the situation magnificently."

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## VETERAN AND BUSHER LEAD BATTERS OF TWO BIG LEAGUES



TY COBB

Ty Cobb, the Georgia peach, is still on the rampage, despite the fact that his record of hits in consecutive games was broken when he failed in one game last week to get a hit. He so far has made fifty runs, and leads both leagues. Walter Cruise, busher and now star of the National League St. Louis Club, was, when the last records were compiled, batting at an average of .347, and thereby leading his league. This is the first year Cruise has had a real chance to show in the big leagues.

**CALLAHAN IS OUT**  
Pittsburgh, July 12.—Jimmy Callahan, former manager of the Pirates, has finally succeeded in making a satisfactory settlement in finances with President Barney Dreyfuss. Callahan declined to tell how much he compromised for, but he said it would not have paid him to stay here and fight for more.

## Baseball Summary

### SCORES OF YESTERDAY

**National League**  
All games postponed; rain.

**American League**  
Cleveland, 3; Washington, 0.  
Boston, 1; Detroit, 0.  
Philadelphia, 13; St. Louis, 5.

**International League**  
Richmond, 1; Rochester, 0.  
Buffalo, 6; Newark, 4.  
Toronto-Baltimore—rain.  
Other clubs not scheduled.

**Blue Ridge League**  
Hanover, 5; Hagerstown, 3.  
Cumberland, 2; Martinsburg, 1.  
Frederick-Gettysburg—rain.

### WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

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

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

**New York State League**  
Scranton at Elmira.  
Wilkes-Barre at Reading.  
Syracuse at Binghamton.

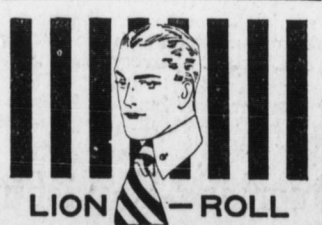
### WHERE THEY PLAY TOMORROW

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

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

### STANDING OF THE TEAMS

American League			
Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	47	28	.627
Chicago	48	29	.623
Cleveland	43	37	.538
New York	38	34	.528
Detroit	38	38	.500
Washington	21	43	.329
Athletics	28	45	.384
St. Louis	30	49	.380
National League			
New York	45	23	.662
Philadelphia	38	40	.559
St. Louis	40	35	.533
Cincinnati	43	39	.524
Chicago	41	39	.513
Brooklyn	32	37	.464
Boston	28	40	.412
Pittsburgh	23	47	.329



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### WAR SONG OF SUMMER

Sing your song of summer for the golden glow of June;  
Sing it for the music of a thousand birds in tune;  
Lift your voice gayly for the azure of the sky,  
Star-lit in the shadows as the dusk wind whispers by;  
Send the echoes rollicking of lovers in the lane,  
Building air castles in the phantom realm of Spain;  
Sing its many glories—but the melody for mine  
Is the corn upon the coblet and the melon on the vine.

Sing your song of summer for the harvest of the field,  
The magic wealth of nature and the bounty of her yield;  
Sing of rills, rock-fretted, where the ever singing streams  
Ripple in their music through the land of golden dreams  
Sing ye of its roses of its daisied fields of white,  
The sweetness of its morning and the splendor of its night;  
Far echo of all its wonders—but the song that goes for mine  
Is the corn upon the coblet and the melon on the vine.

### TY'S GREATEST CAMPAIGN

Despite Cobb's wild rush through June and early July, when he sallied forth upon his famous batting rampage, there is hardly a chance that he will equal his greatest campaign—back in 1911.

Six years ago Ty delivered the greatest assault ever known in baseball. In his 1911 campaign Cobb smashed all records by scoring 147 runs, making 248 hits in 146 games.

The record of 147 runs and 248 hits in a season has never been equalled, even approached.

So far Cobb has just passed the 100-hit mark and has scored in the neighborhood of 50 runs in a trifle over 70 games. In the 80-odd games that remain he must pound out over 140 hits and score over 100 runs to climb up to his 1911 peak. This can be done, but it is well beyond probability, unless Ty can maintain his June and early July spurt the rest of the way. This will call for a batting average the remainder of the season around .450. Yet for the last six weeks he has been up around .460, in one of the most remarkable demonstrations ever known.

### THE RED SOX IN THE WEST

The Red Sox are now facing an important tour through the West. Heretofore they have played their best ball in the Western country, and it is there they have always fought their hardest.

If they maintain their old standards on this trip and stick around the crest, they must still be considered pennant favorites, as for the last two years they have done all their best work from the start of the stretch. The club starts West in fine condition, well placed in the race. It has not been called upon to bear the burden of pacemaking, which is a burden in a pennant race, just as it is in any other sort of running.

The White Sox look more formidable this season than they have ever looked before, but they still have a fine ball club to beat, a club that undoubtedly will hang on to the finish. The sprint between these two is sure to be the season's leading feature.

### QUIMET'S APPEARANCE

The competitive appearance of Francis Ouimet in the Western amateur at Middletown this week will be an interesting addition to golfing lore. It has been two years now since Ouimet fell before Jimmy St. Louis, of Detroit, in the amateur championship, and this defeat marked his last appearance in competition.

Since that date the Bostonian has played any amount of rare golf, but none of this has been given in tournament competition. There would be greater national interest if both Evans and Gardner were entered but as it is Ouimet will have a hard field to overthrow before finishing first.

If Ouimet should win, the complication ensuing would be abnormal. We would then have the Western amateur champion living in the East, but unable to compete in the East as an amateur.

If this isn't complex enough we are offered for a rebuttal.

### LIMERICK OF THE LINKS

A golfer who topped all his mashies,  
And cut the golf ball into dashes,  
Exclaimed with each miss—  
But in telling you this  
I am forced to use x x x and ---

### NOT YET

War may have dislocated many enterprises, especially those attached to sport. But so far it has failed to upset baseball.

The game so far has known more than average prosperity, with the attendance fully up to normal marks in past years. Baseball and racing have both moved along without suffering any setback. And the indications now are that these conditions will last out the year. Just what will happen when American troops start "over the top" and the big army now to be built leaves for the front is something else again. Just what will happen when the casualty list starts is beyond guessing.

## SAWYER WINS IN RECORD CONTEST

Beats Yale Star in Western Tourney; Sets New Figures

Chicago, July 12.—A world's record, extra-hole match was staged yesterday in the second match round of the western amateur golf championship at Middletown, Ned Sawyer, of the Bobolink Club, Chicago, defeating Robert Markwell, Yale University star, on the forty-second hole after having been five down at the twenty-seventh hole. It took par golf for the veteran Sawyer, western champion in 1906, to overtake his younger opponent, who was dormie three after thirty-three holes of splendid golf, but the strain finally told on the young collegian.

The other seven matches were not close and three were one-sided. Francis Ouimet, of Boston, defeated J. T. Henry, of Chicago, 4 to 2, in a rainy finish. The former national champion barely kept square on the first nine with a 37, one over par, but gained three holes on the second nine.

Henry again held his own on the third nine, but slipped a hole on the last lap, losing 4 down and 2 to go. Kenneth Edwards eliminated Reuben Bush, the last southern contender, 3 and 2, the former southern champion never gaining a lead over the Middletown player.

**LUTHERANS TO CELEBRATE**  
Marietta, Pa., July 12.—Thursday next, July 19, the Lutheran congregations of Marietta, Bainbridge, Columbia, Wrightsville and Maytown, will celebrate the quadricentennial of the Protestant Reformation at Chickies' Park with special exercises. A chorus of one hundred voices will render music under the direction of Prof. C. N. McHose, of Lancaster. The Rev. I. Chaney Hoffman, of Philadelphia, and the Rev. Dr. T. C. Billheimer, of Gettysburg, will be among the speakers.

## Jack May, Argentina champion, had no trouble in ousting E. Hoover Bankard, of Chicago, 6 and 5, and Peter Burnet, of New York, 3 and 2.

**Runaway Match**  
In a runaway affair, Jesse P. Guilford, Massachusetts champion, defeated G. Decker French, of Rock Island Arsenal, 13 and 12, being 10 up at the end of the first round.

In another lop-sided contest, Donald Edwards, of Middletown, medalist in the qualifying rounds, defeated, 10 up and 8, the only British contestant, J. S. Worthington. John G. Anderson, of New York, hitting par golf on the second round, defeated Robert Bowker, of Chicago, 8 and 7, after the public links expert had held the eastern player even on the first eighteen holes.

The match between Sawyer and Markwell was followed by a large gallery, whose members hung breathless on every shot until the Yale expert finally put himself hopelessly in a trap on the sixth extra hole. Sawyer, who had shot extra holes of splendid golf, but the strain finally told on the young collegian.

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## WELLY'S CORNER

Indications point to rough sailing in the New York State League. Players are kicking and there is a howl loud and long from the umpires, who have had their salaries cut. According to reports Umpire Carney was doublecrossed by other indicator men. He is out. Johnson, Lewis and Pfirman remain. Carney was considered a good man, better than at least two of the other men who have been retained.

The Baker A. A. will go to Carlisle Saturday for a game with the Lindner team of that place. The Bakers have been doing good work all season and ought to give the Carlisle nine a hard chase.

Catcher Haddock, who was on the Harrisburg list, has been taken over by Elmira. Don Brown is also a member of the Colonels, but it is now coming out that he is a player with many contracts and there may be trouble if he plays. President Farrell will have to do the untangling.

**GOODE BREAKS COLLARBONE**  
Milwaukee, July 12.—Wilbur Goode, erstwhile Phillie and Cub, fell and broke his collarbone while trying to trap a hit in the second inning of yesterday's game between the Brewers and Kansas City, and will be out of the game the balance of the season.

**SUSPENSION FOR TINKER**  
Chicago, July 12.—Joe Tinker, manager of the Columbus club of the American Association, who yesterday was fined \$100 for spitting in an umpire's face, yesterday was suspended for three days by President Hickey. The suspension is the result of Tinker's continued wrangling with umpires, Hickey said.

## The George Chaney-Johnny Dundee death grapple slated for Shibe Park, Philadelphia, last night, was set back until to-night because of the rain. This is the second postponement but the scrap will be staged to-night, providing the weather doesn't interfere again.

It will not be long before the control of the St. Louis Cardinals will pass into the hands of Robert Lee Hedges, who sold the Browns to Philip Ball. At least that is the story, and there seems to be a basis for it. Hiram Mason, who is a nephew of Hedges and always was close to him in baseball affairs, has withdrawn from the position of assistant secretary of the Browns, which he has held for many years, and will accept a similar position with the Cardinals.

George B. Bender, foreman of the paint shop, was chosen president of the Lucknow Clerks' Athletic Association, at a closely contested election held yesterday. He will succeed Charles E. Gray.

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**BECOMES HOSPITAL NURSE**  
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