

FINALE THIS WEEK IN LOCAL TOURNAMENTS NEARBY LANDS FLAG--SPORTS

STEALING HOME HELPS STEELTON

Wilmington Takes Count in Final Home Game in Bethlehem League Series

In the Bethlehem Steel Corporation League series Saturday Steelton won from Wilmington, score 6 to 3. It was a lively pitchers' battle. Steelton had the goods. Fast base running was a factor in the victory. "Shifty" Miller stole home twice. One other league game was played at Sparrows Point. Lebanon was the loser; score, 5 to 4. Pie wavy's curves and a lightning double play unassisted by Kolseth at first, with three men on bases, featured the game. The Steelton score follows:

WILMINGTON

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Winters, r.f.	0	0	0	0	0
Cole, 3b.	0	0	0	1	0
Wright, ss.	1	2	2	1	0
Grubb, c.f.	0	0	3	0	0
Bass, p.	1	1	2	1	0
Kelly, c.	0	1	7	2	0
Wingate, l.f.	0	1	3	0	0
Walters, 2b.	0	2	2	2	0
Hamilton, p.	0	0	1	0	1
Totals	3	5	24	7	2

STEELTON

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Robinson, r.f.	2	2	1	0	0
Miller, c.f.	2	0	1	0	0
Carris, c.	1	1	7	0	0
Murray, 1b.	2	12	1	0	0
Cannon, l.f.	0	0	0	0	0
McGeehan, 2b.	0	3	0	3	0
Corneg, 2b.	0	0	2	4	1
McGuckin, ss.	0	2	2	2	1
Zellers, p.	0	1	2	1	1
Totals	6	3	27	14	3

Wilmington took 2000 1010 0-6. Two-base hits, McGeehan, 2. Sacrifice hit, Miller. Struck out by Zellers, 7. By Hamilton, 2. Base on balls, of Zellers, 2; of Bass, 1; of Hamilton, 0. Left on base, Steelton, 6; Wilmington, 8. Hit by pitcher, Murray, 6. Stolen bases, Robinson, Miller, 2. Murray. First base on errors, Steelton, 2; Wilmington, 2. Passed balls, Kelley, Carr, TAODIU 2 hours. Umpire, Taggart.

STEWART HAS BIG SCORE

In the weekly shoot of the Motive Power Gun Club of the Philadelphia Division, Pennsylvania Railroad, held at Lucknow Saturday, M. B. Stewart was high man. In a two-man 125-bird race Stewart broke 110 and J. Neidhamer, 60. Stetsgar, 57; Etnow, 51; Hawbecker, 66; Lotz, 5; Watson, 40. Fifty targets—Hepperle, 42; Schatt, 39; Crossley, 23; Shapely, 24; Kulp, 26.

AMUSEMENTS

Paxtang Park THEATER
Playing Only the Best of Vaudeville and Motion Pictures.
Mr. B. D. Berg presents his latest musical comedy success,

An Heir For a Night
Featuring Arthur West, Cecil Renard, Fred Raymond, Jr., and a Big Ziegfeldian Beauty Chorus

Mons Herbert
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Funny Stories and Parodies
Special 3-reel Feature Film "THE KING OF THE RAILS"

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The Sportlight by Granland Rice

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THE RECORD BREAKER

Here are the greatest words ever recorded: "Crown Prince is beaten again!" Words that make others look pallid and sordid: "Crown Prince is beaten again!" Words that gleam with the flame and the fire on: "Crown Prince is beaten again!" Words that ring over the bomb-bursting iron: "Crown Prince is beaten again!" Words that outlast Keats, Shelley and Byron: "Crown Prince is beaten again!"

These are the words that shall ring down the ages: "Crown Prince is beaten again!" Words that shall echo on history's pages: "Crown Prince is beaten again!" Words that are far more than gracious or clever; words that no epoch or era can sever; words that shall boom on for ever and ever; "Crown Prince is beaten again!"

Here are words greater than Shakespeare could utter: "Crown Prince is beaten again!" Words that leave Plato adrift in the gutter: "Crown Prince is beaten again!" Words that are sweeter than sugar and honey, words that are dearer than health, fame and money, words that leave midnight silent and sunny: "Crown Prince is beaten again!"

The Giants could hardly lose the pennant now, even if they started one of those Hindenburg "strategic retreats."

A PLAN FOR FOOTBALL

In regard to collegiate football for the fall campaign, we are possessed of an idea which at least seems to carry a fair amount of reason. The idea is this: Since most of the regulars upon varsity eleven have left college, why not build up teams to consist entirely of men who have never made the first eleven?

This arrangement would serve two useful purposes. It would, first, yield a fine athletic opening for those who have remained upon the side lines or have adorned the scrubs. In the second place, it would even up matters and prevent any one college from having a big advantage by retaining seasoned material to play against some rival whose regulars had gone to war.

Under this system freshmen would, of course, be eligible. What few first team regulars were returned could act as assistant coaches. All teams would start from the same spot—there would be fine development of new talent, and those who need exercise most would get their opportunity without having to compete in vain against seasoned material. This would solve the problem which seems to have upset Yale, Harvard and Princeton. The teams would be carried on by those who need the work and the recreation and the inspiration of representing their colleges. There could be no collision with military duty, as most of these would be the younger men not yet ready to enlist.

If colleges are to be opened and students are to come, football will be needed. Football has sent more well-trained men to the army and navy than any other sport. There can be no manner of successful football training without competition. The government wants football to go on. The system suggested above should solve the problem. In any event, Yale, Harvard and Princeton, if they are to remain open, can hardly afford to drop behind where all the others are carrying on.

COBB'S SPEED

Cobb has now been traveling at heading speed for a matter of thirteen campaigns. He was supposed to be at the point where the slowing up process arrives. No one figured that a ball player could hold the pace he has maintained for so many campaigns.

But a day or two ago the test was made. Cobb hammered a drive to left center in the Polo Grounds, which is only three-base hit territory for the average player. Only the fastest of the sprinters can turn this into a home run against fast fielding. The ball was fielded back perfectly, and at top speed, yet Cobb was over the plate and two strides on his way to the bench when the throw got home. He couldn't have been a stride faster ten years ago.

"Tigers have made more hits and runs than any other club in the league," Butthelohoffisttheyhave'twomoregames.

BASEBALL REFRAIN

If fifteen Giants soon dropped dead
Some other club might forge ahead.

An intersectional world series would be in the nature of a pleasant variation. But an international war still has a faint, thin edge in the way of general importance.

California Girl Wins Over Norwegian Star

New York, Aug. 13.—Miss Mary Browne, of California, ex-woman's national champion, again defeated Miss Molla Bjurstedt, the present champion, in a one-set match yesterday by the score of 6-4. The game was played at the Crescent Athletic Club in connection with the United States Tennis Association is raising. The victory of Miss Browne was anticipated, as Miss Bjurstedt has been showing considerable faltering in her play during the last few days. She appears to need a rest and a recovery from "staleness."

Miss Browne, however, was spectacularly brilliant, and the Norwegian girl could not cope with her, no matter how she tried. In a mixed doubles match Miss Browne again triumphed over Miss Bjurstedt. Teamed with S. Howard, Voshell, the national indoor champion, she vanquished the national champion and Karl H. Behr, the veteran Davis cup player, 4-6, 6-4, 6-2.

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Baseball Summary

RESULTS OF SUNDAY GAMES

National League
Chicago, 3; Pittsburgh, 2.
Cincinnati, 7; St. Louis, 0 (first game).
Cincinnati, 7; St. Louis, 6 (second game).

American League
Detroit, 3; St. Louis, 0.
Chicago, 4; Cleveland, 3 (thirteen innings).

New York State League
Syracuse, 6; Scranton, 3 (first game).
Syracuse, 2; Scranton, 0 (second game).

International League
Toronto, 5; Newark, 4 (first game).
Toronto, 7; Newark, 2 (second game).

Blue Ridge League
Cumberland, 3; Frederick, 1.

SCORES OF SATURDAY GAMES
American League
Philadelphia, 8; St. Louis, 2 (first game).
St. Louis, 4; Philadelphia, 1 (second game).
Boston, 7; Detroit, 2 (first game).
Detroit, 5; Boston, 0 (second game).
Cleveland, 4; New York, 1.
Washington, 3; Chicago, 2.

National League
Philadelphia, 4; Pittsburgh, 3 (first game).
Philadelphia, 3; Pittsburgh, 2 (second game).
Boston, 4; Cincinnati, 4.
Chicago, 4; Brooklyn, 3.
St. Louis, 3; New York, 1.

New York State League
Wilkes-Barre, 3; Binghamton, 0.
Syracuse, 5; Scranton, 2.
Reading, 8; Elmira, 3 (first game).
Elmira, 3; Reading, 1 (second game).

International League
Toronto, 7; Newark, 1.
Rochester, 9; Richmond, 2.
Montreal, 4; Providence, 1 (first game).
Providence, 10; Montreal, 0 (second game).
Baltimore, 5; Buffalo, 2 (first game).
Buffalo, 6; Baltimore, 3 (second game).

Blue Ridge League
Martinsburg, 6; Hanover, 0 (first game).
Martinsburg, 1; Hanover, 0 (second game).
Hagerstown, 2; Gettysburg, 1.
Cumberland, 4; Frederick, 3.

Dauphin-Perry League
Newport, 4; Duncannon, 2.
Millsburg, 5; Marysville, 3.
Dauphin, 1; Halifax, 0.

Bethlehem Steel League
Sparrows Point, 5; Lebanon, 4.
Steelton, 6; Wilmington, 3.

P. & R. R. League
Harrisburg Division, 2; Reading Car Shops, 0.
Spring Garden, 5; Port Richmond, 4.
Reading Division, 1; Reading Locomotive, 0.
Atlantic City, 14; General Office, 2.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

National League
Philadelphia at Boston.
Brooklyn at New York (2 games).
Pittsburgh at Chicago.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

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

WHERE THEY PLAY TOMORROW

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

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

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

American League

	W.	L.	P.C.
Chicago	68	42	.618
Boston	66	44	.610
Cleveland	62	48	.566
Detroit	57	52	.523
New York	57	52	.505
Washington	48	63	.433
Philadelphia	40	68	.388
St. Louis	40	70	.364

National League

	W.	L.	P.C.
New York	65	32	.670
Philadelphia	52	44	.542
Cincinnati	52	44	.522
St. Louis	52	44	.522
Chicago	55	50	.509
Brooklyn	49	52	.485
Boston	43	58	.429
Pittsburgh	33	70	.320

International League

	W.	L.	P.C.
Toronto	67	48	.583
Providence	65	45	.591
Newark	62	46	.574
Baltimore	63	47	.573
Rochester	62	48	.564
Buffalo	44	64	.429
Richmond	44	64	.407
Montreal	43	72	.374

New York State League

	W.	L.	P.C.
Wilkes-Barre	22	5	.710
Syracuse	19	10	.658
Elmira	18	15	.545
Binghamton	13	15	.464
Scranton	10	21	.323
Reading	9	24	.273

Blue Ridge League

	W.	L.	P.C.
Martinsburg	49	23	.636
Hagerstown	45	31	.592
Gettysburg	36	37	.493
Hanover	37	39	.487
Frederick	25	45	.358
Cumberland	29	51	.363

Dauphin-Perry League

	W.	L.	P.C.
Newport	16	3	.843
Dauphin	12	5	.706
Duncannon	10	8	.556
Halifax	7	11	.389
Marysville	7	11	.389
Millsburg	3	15	.166

Bethlehem Steel League

	W.	L.	P.C.
Bethlehem	7	1	.875
Lebanon	7	2	.778
Sparrows Point	6	3	.667
Ford River	3	8	.375

RAP SHOOTING SAFEST SPORT NO ACCIDENTS

BY PETER P. CARNEY

Editor National Sports Syndicate
Despite the fact that guns and powder are necessary requisites of trapshooting, the sport is singularly free from accidents, in this respect being far in advance of football, baseball, golf or even tennis.

The reason for the absence of accidents is the fact that the very first thing impressed upon the mind of a new shooter is that the careless handling of a shotgun is exceedingly dangerous both to users and those near or within 100 yards of him.

The management of most trapshooting clubs provide fines for the infringement of certain rules relative to the intelligent and safe handling of shotguns. A second offense usually means expulsion from club membership.

Dr. Robert E. Coughlin, writing in the New York Medical Journal says that 945 lives were sacrificed on the fields of athletic endeavor in the ten years from 1905 to 1915, inclusive. Not one death is attributed to an accident in the quietness of a trapshooting range.

During the last four years 20,487,530 shots were fired in the tournaments registered by the International Association, and fully that many more were fired in club events. That means that more than 10,000,000 shots were fired in each of the four years, which you will admit is quite a few.

It is quite a few, which you will admit is quite a few. All of which causes us to make the assertion that trapshooting is the safest of all sports.

A movement was begun recently to secure the adoption of a uniform set of regulations by the trapshooting clubs with the thought of con-

tinuing the marvelous record of the last quarter century in this connection. "Jack" Fanning, of New York, offers the following rules, the observance of which will prevent accidents or incidents to mar the pleasure of contestants and spectators:

1. Do not place a cartridge in your gun except when standing at the firing line in your proper place in the squad and with the muzzle of the gun pointed in the direction of the trap house.
2. Place only one cartridge in your gun when shooting single targets and but two cartridges when shooting double targets.
3. When changing from position No. 4 to position No. 1 at the firing line be sure to have your gun open and unloaded.
4. When pointing a gun in the clubhouse or on the shooting grounds always open the gun and inspect same before pointing.
5. Do not question the referee's decision. Persistently making the least competent to judge the result of a shot as the result of the gun for an instant impairs the vision.
6. Avoid long hair getting into your place on the firing line.
7. Remain at your position at the firing line with gun open until the referee has finished shooting.
8. Do not converse with your neighbor while at the firing line nor use any expression that might distract others in the squad. Loud talking or other noises should not be indulged in by other contestants or spectators while a squad is shooting so that they can hear same.
9. Do not refuse a fair target. In competition a refused target is scored or not scored "Lost." The referee will decide what is a fair or unfair target.
10. Do not shoot at an imperfect target. Only those who are best of targets are to be shot at. An imperfect target is a "No bird."
11. Always carry from two to four extra shells with you to the firing line so that you do not delay the shooting in case you have to shoot at other targets on account of shooting at imperfect targets, etc., etc.

BETTING SHADES RE CROSS FUND

Detroit, Aug. 13.—Nearly six and one-half million dollars were bet in the rings of the three Windsor tracks during the four meetings of one week ended last night.

In almost exact figures the sum wagered in the mutual machines at Devonshire, Windsor Jockey Club and Kenilworth was \$6,462,821.

This amount was two and a half times in excess of the sum raised by generous Detroiters for the American Red Cross, which was approximately \$2,500,000.

It demonstrates that Detroit and environs is a marvelous betting community so far as the sums of the running turf are concerned. The amount bet during the two weeks at Devonshire last year the summer was more than \$2,300,000.

UP TO FINALS IN TENNIS PLAY

Finals in the Greater Harris Tennis Tournament will be a feature in this week's program at Reservoir courts. The officials of the Harris Tennis Association under whose direction the tennis is played, hope to finish the Vernon and Gager in the doubles Robert Shreiner and Glenwood Beard defeated Black and Koons, 6-4, 11-13, 6-4.

Mixed doubles, preliminary round, Miss Lucille Beard and Charles Fager defeated Miss Brinton and Robert Shreiner, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4; Miss Mildred Sheesley and C. Pollock defeated Miss Campbell and J. Campbell, 6-0, 6-3.

Men's singles, semifinal round, Charles Fager defeated Vernon Widder, 6-2, 6-3, 8-6; second round, Glenwood Beard defeated A. S. Black, 10-6, 7-5.

Men's doubles, first round, Jackson and Zeigler defeated Baturin and Baker, 6-3, 6-0; second round, R. Shreiner and Glenwood Beard defeated Black and Koons, 6-4, 11-13, 6-4.

Barney Oldfield Lowers Two World's Auto Records

St. Louis, Aug. 13.—Barney Oldfield lowered two world's automobile records for a dirt track in three sanctioned events against Ralph de Palma in the fifteen-mile race Oldfield's time was 12:04. The previous record was 12:23, made by the late Bob Burman.

In the twenty-five-mile race, Oldfield broke the ten-mile record of 8:15-4.5, also set by Burman. Oldfield made the distance in 7:53-4-5.

In the twenty-five-mile race, De Palma led all the way and won by one-fourth lap. Oldfield's engine reared to work smoothly, it was announced. De Palma's time was 20:51-2-5.

U. S. Submarine Rams Excursion Steamer

Boston, Aug. 13.—A United States submarine collided with the Nantuxet Beach excursion steamer Mayflower in Boston harbor during a fog last Saturday. The navy yard officials said the material damage to the submarine was slight but that the Mayflower had a hole stove in her port side near the paddlebox. One seaman on the steamer suffered a broken leg.

Fifteen hundred passengers on board were transferred without accident to the steamer. The standstill and brought up to this city. Tugs took the Mayflower to a shipyard in East Boston, where she arrived with a considerable list to port.

P. & R. R. League

	W.	L.	P.C.
Port Richmond	11	1	.916
Atlantic City R.	11	2	.846
Spring Garden	9	3	.750
Harrisburg	5	5	.500
St. Clair	6	5	.545
Shamokin Division	6	7	.461
Reading Division	5	7	.416
Reading Car Shops	3	10	.230
Transportation	2	10	.220
General Office	1	11	.083

WELLY'S CORNER

All honors possible are due the Newport team, of the Dauphin-Perry League. In winning from Duncannon Saturday, those pace-making Perry county players made this year's pennant a certainty. For real work, Newport has been prominent all season. The team had the backing of loyal fans. When a new player was needed little time was lost in getting a star. Newport played a clean game and won because they offered the best baseball in the league.

Harrisburg's junior tennis tournament started today. The entry list includes one hundred promising young players representing four city playgrounds. Preliminary matches will be played on the courts at the various playgrounds. Interest is strong. Winners from the four districts will meet later to decide the championship.

At Lincoln, Neb., yesterday, Lincoln and Joplin teams played a 21-inning game. This was a season's record. Lincoln won, score 2 to 1. Gregory pitched the entire game for the victors, allowing but twelve hits.

At Panama yesterday Sam McVey won over Jim Johnson in a 20-round bout. It was a fast battle, both fighters giving and taking punishment.

Harrisburg shooters will join in the matches this week of the Susquehanna Trapshooters League, at Sunbury. Fred Godcharles is secretary of this league and he has prepared a great program.

Francis Guilmet says he is not a slacker and will answer any call to duty. He has enlisted as a yeoman in the Navy.

Marvin Goodwin, who was purchased by the St. Louis club from the Milwaukee club for the reported price of \$15,000, choked off the Giants' winning spurt Saturday by holding the New Yorkers runless for eight innings. He got into trouble in the ninth, and was relieved by Doak, who saved the game for the home team. The final score was: Cardinals, 3; Giants, 1. But one clean hit was made off Goodwin. The Giants had the bases full and but one down in the ninth, but failed in the pinch.

Bob Folwell will be the only paid football coach at Franklin Field this fall. This was decided at a meeting of the University of Pennsylvania Athletic Council \$2,545 and break-up of Vincent Campbell, a player, against the defunct Newark Federal League club. Christy Mathewson, manager of contract. Herrmann testified that the payroll for the Cincinnati team last year aggregated \$89,500, of which Christy Mathewson had received \$25,000. Herrmann, who was on the team, got \$12,000; Herzog, whom he succeeded, \$10,000, and Hal Chase \$8,000.

HARRISBURG IS BIG SENSATION D-P PENNANT

Win Shut-out Victory in Philadelphia and Reading League Series
Take Deciding Game From Duncannon; Dauphin Also Wins

In the Philadelphia and Reading League Saturday, two notable things happened. The Harrisburg Division team defeated the Reading Car Shops nine, score 2 to 0. Port Richmond, heretofore undefeated, Rums, 5 and 4, was defeated by the Spring Garden, losing by a score of 5 to 4.

The work of the Harrisburg division team in the game at Reading was sensational. For the best of the best exhibitions seen in that city this season, Winters was a big factor, fanning nine men. He let his opponents down with four hits. Harrisburg hit Kershner in bunches in two innings. Thompson's high running catch shutting off two runs for Reading was a big feature