

MACLAY STREET PLAYGROUND STARS WIN CITY CHAMPIONSHIP --- SYCAMORE SECOND

MACLAY PUPILS WIN TRACKMEET

Sycamore Is Close Second; Contests Furnish Many Thrills; Summaries

With a record of 28 1/2 points, MacLay street yesterday won the city playground championship. The annual track meet was held on Island field.

Sycamore was a close second with 27 points. Rivalry was rather spirited from start to finish. Many thrills featured the contests.

Seven playgrounds furnished 200 contestants. J. H. Stine, scout executive was referee, and E. C. Ford, supervisor of playgrounds, official starter.

Records were kept by Miss Marcus and Miss Paul, instructresses at the playgrounds. While no records were broken, the future star athletes acquitted themselves admirably. The summaries follow:

Summaries of Events

- Twelfth Street, 31; MacLay, 29 1/2; Sycamore, 27; Reservoir, 16; Boas, 11; Lincoln, 10 1/2; Harris, 1.

PLANS COMPLETE FOR CITY GAMES

West End A. A. to Open Title Series With Reading Saturday

West End A. A. last night won the title and will play the first game with Reading Railway nine, Hill champions, at Fourth and Seneca streets, on Saturday. The second contest will be played on the same field, Monday afternoon, and the third on a field to be picked later, and played Saturday, September 8.

At a meeting last night representatives of the two teams discussed plans. Owing to the fact that no admission can be charged at Seventeenth and Chestnut streets field, it was decided to play on West End field. The Hill representatives were anxious to get at least one game, but suggested to Manager Charles J. Householder's suggestion that it would be a better-paying proposition to have an enclosed ballfield.

Regular Players Only

It was agreed that no player be in the game who has not been in the line-up of each team throughout the entire season. Ben Kline, who has been the star catcher with the Hill team, is the property of West End and will play with Manager Householder's aggregation. Killinger will do the catching for Reading.

It is probable that an umpire will be secured from the Dauphin-Perry League to officiate. George McCham will be official scorer for these contests. Special accommodations will be afforded women who attend. Preparations also will be made to handle large crowds as there is much interest in these contests.

NEWPORT'S CHAMPION BASEBALL TEAM PENNANT WINNERS FOR D. P. LEAGUE



Winning this season's pennant brought to Newport more baseball honors. This town has always been in the map as one of the most active in sports of all kinds, and has been a leader in baseball.

Harry Coveleski Is Returned to Minors



HARRY COVELESKI Detroit, Mich., Aug. 29.—Harry Coveleski, of Shamokin, Pa., the left-hand pitcher of the Detroit Americans, has been released to Providence, of the International League.

President Navin announced yesterday. Coveleski was one of the star pitchers of the league last season. His arm went back on him during the spring training trip and he has never recovered his effectiveness.

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Coveleski at one time pitched for the Phillies and earned the title of "Giant Killer" because he beat the Giants several times in one series and kept them out of a pennant.

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Suggestion to Eat Shark Meat Shocks

Shark meat will take the place of beefsteak and porkchops on American tables if housewives throughout the country follow the latest advice given by Herbert Hoover, National Food Administrator, sent to women here, and which has made them gasp with astonishment.

Boys Urge Ordinance Prohibiting Cigarettes

A committee of five boys representing the Boys' Wyandotte Club, appeared at the city hall, Kansas City, Kan., the other day and asked that the city officials frame and pass an ordinance in conformity with the State anticigarette laws.

Bones Identified as Those of Lost Settler

Bones identified as those of Samuel Willis, who disappeared in August, 1914, have been found near Dazgett, Cal.

Willis, who was 76 years old at the time of his disappearance, left his home in Long Beach, and with two other men, took up some land near Dazgett. Then he left his companions on the land and started after a load of supplies.

The Sportlight by Grantland Rice. Copyright, 1917, The Tribune Association (New York Tribune). ON FACING FATE

Far be it from me to suggest you keep grinning When Fate has bestraddled your neck; Or to say to you—"Smile!"—when the other man's winning

"The man who can smile" has come in for the praises Of more than one dealer in junk; Perhaps I am wrong, but I hold that the phrase is Of the bag; after considerable tossing back and forth

Dear Sir: In calling your attention to the record of the Birmingham club, which scored 3 runs in 2 days and won 3 games, another record was overlooked. Some years ago Cincinnati journeyed to St. Louis, and in a four-game series scored but 1 run, while St. Louis scored 11, yet the Reds got an even break on the series.

Here are a few other odd achievements I gather from my eight volumes of dope: A one year pitched one ball in a game—and lost it; Bluejacket with the Brookfords, did not make a single pitch, yet was officially credited with a victory.

The freakiest golf shot we ever saw was a brassie shot, hooked out of bounds, that crossed a road, struck a telephone post, bounded back in on the green and dropped into the cup for a 2. The same being no part of a myth, fable or fabrication.

A sedate bystander desires to know which has the better infield—the White Sox or Red Sox. Hobby and Gardner make a stronger combination than Gandil at first; Collins has a shade on Barry, but only a shade; both are stars; Scott has something on Risberg at short—enough experience to count. Gardner and Weaver are about 50-50—but Gardner knows more than third-base play.

"Willard has lost 20 pounds since he bought out the circus in which he was formerly employed." Jess might add another ring and get down to fighting weight without training.

Matty started from the South Pole this season. He hasn't worked his way to the North Pole yet, but he passed the Equator and has his Red's at last housed in the Temperate Zone. With a few additional supplies of Pennam and gum drops he expects to push rapidly on next spring and anchor for the summer somewhere above Baffin's Bay, at least.

Fred Toney, the Tennessee Turnout, or the Red Redoubt, will make a terrific effort to bag more victories this season than Alexander, who has led his circuit for a good many campaigns. He expects to reach 30 by the time he has been attaching 30 or more victories right along, but he is a trifle behind his old mark for late August. He is still within fairly close reach of the Red star, and the finish should be fairly well replete with fuzz.

The Browns and Pirates are now in favor of the government taking over the Standing of the Clubs and distributing the output to all alike. Why not?

"What good," asks G. L. F., "will it do to teach our soldiers how to box? I never heard of the Chinese Boxers winning many wars. Or didn't they?"

ORELAND KING. LEBANON WINNER. Takes Three Straight Heats in County Novice Race; Naomi Wins. Lebanon, Pa., Aug. 29.—The Lebanon County Fair and races opened yesterday with the promise of a successful four days' sport.

FAVORITES WIN IN CIRCUIT RACES

Ima Jay Pulls Down Feature Stake in Fast Time

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Aug. 29.—Ima Jay, the favorite, owned and driven by Harvey Ernest, of Kamms, Ohio, yesterday won the Poughkeepsie 2.11 trot for a purse of \$5,000, the feature event of the opening day of the Poughkeepsie grand circuit meeting.

The 2.13 trot went six heats before Jess Y., the popular choice, was returned a winner. Jess Y. won the first heat and the American Girl the second. A costly break in the third caused the latter to be shut out.

Basketball League Plans For Another Big Season

Reading, Pa., Aug. 29.—The Berks County Basketball League was organized here at the Hotel Penn last evening. Arthur A. Pink, of Reading, was elected president; Elmer D. Bader, of Leesport, secretary, and John W. Raugh, of Reading, treasurer.

TWO CLUBS AFTER MAISEL

Chicago, Aug. 29.—Fritz Maisel, infielder of the New York Americans, may become the property of either Chicago or Boston before the end of the day.

PRESIDENT TO HEAD DRAFT PARADE

Washington, Aug. 29.—President Wilson will ride at the head of a parade here next Tuesday of the drafted men of the District of Columbia, who have been accepted for service in the National Army.

WELLY'S CORNER

A big game is promised to-morrow against time. The average speed of Miss Mineapolis when she won the dash championship last year was 61.95 miles an hour.

The Athletics have lost Roy Bates, third baseman. Within the near future the hard-driving youngster will be wearing a uniform of Uncle Sam's instead of the Mackmen's garb.

A dispatch from Paris announces the death in an American hospital of Everett J. Wendell, of New York, a member of the Olympic committee. Wendell was noted both in Europe and the United States for his activity and interest in American track and field athletics, and also for philanthropic work.

Miss Detroit II, which won the gold challenge cup of the American Powerboat Association at Minneapolis on Sunday, yesterday won the North American one-mile championship, the closing event of the annual regatta, with an average speed of 61.72 miles an hour in her six one-mile dashes.

Stelton has as the attraction this afternoon the physical examination of the Lancaster County League. The Lancaster contingent are leaders this season and a great game is looked for.

Marcel Von Bereghy, a former Tech star and later with Lebanon Valley College, was a winner Saturday in the A. A. U. meet at Philadelphia. He captured first place in the 16-pound shot put.

GIRL GOLFERS BIG WINNERS OVER VETERANS. Chicago, Ill., Aug. 29.—Miss Lois Stumer, of Ravisold Country Club, Chicago, 16 years old, and Miss Frances Hadfield, of Blue Mound Club, Milwaukee, 17 years old, were successful yesterday in the first match round of the seventeenth annual championship of the Women's Western Golf Association at Flossmoor Country Club.

These young golfers overcame seasoned players by brilliant shots at various holes. Mrs. D. Gaut, of Memphis, losing to Miss Hadfield 2 down, despite a medal score of 87, one under par.

Mrs. Caleb F. Fox Gives Ambulance to Hospital. Philadelphia, Aug. 29.—Mrs. Caleb F. Fox, of Ogontz, one of the most prominent women golfers of the country, has donated an ambulance to the Pennsylvania Base Hospital No. 20, of which Dr. J. B. Carnett is major.

To Play Saturday. The baseball game between the Bethlehem Steel Company team and Lebanon, of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation League, to decide the championship, both being tied for first place, will be held Saturday, at Stelton.

REPORT EARLY FROST. Hazleton, Pa. Aug. 29.—Farmers in nearby valleys reported some of their crops had been nipped by an early frost. This is the first time in many years such a thing has happened before the end of August.

NIAGARA FALLS Personally-Conducted Excursions. September 7, 21, and October 5 Round \$10.70 Trip.

Your Morning Toast. Dauphin Electrical Supplies Co. 436 Market Street.

Civic Club's Second Fly-Swating Campaign. Closes Sept. 29.

Baseball Summary. SCORES OF YESTERDAY. National League Cincinnati, 9; Boston, 1.

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FRIENDSHIP COMPANY FESTIVAL. Myriads of electric lights will be strung in Third street between Chestnut and Mulberry for the ice cream festival and street dance given by the Friendship Company.

A Day's News. Its Making and Its Printing. MIDNIGHT. HERE your evening paper starts, where the paper you read at breakfast left off.

The Harrisburg Academy. The Junior Department reopens September 24th. The Senior Department reopens September 25th.