

RED CROSS IS BOOSTING GOLF AND BASEBALL; WILLIAMSPORT FOLKS WELCOME COCKILL

RED CROSS BOOMS SPORT

Golf Clubs Respond Gladly to Medal Trophy; Ball Players Abroad Equipped

The American Red Cross is giving vast encouragement to sports, the wholesome, health-giving outdoor sports which, no doubt, Red Cross officials realize make for better quality of manhood and womanhood.

The association has agreed to keep the matter on a high plane. The medal is inexpensive, handsomely wrought in bronze, and is described in Recognition of Aid to the Cause of Humanity.

Where these medals are awarded, Red Cross certificates will be given as second and third prizes in minor tournaments.

The plan has met with such favor from golf clubs that it is proposed to extend it to tennis and other similar organizations that will contribute to the Red Cross the funds which would otherwise be spent on trophies.

The Red Cross is just as active abroad in establishing baseball for this game has been found to appeal intensely both in England and France. In a recent cable, Harvey D. Gibson, Red Cross commissioner to France, requested the shipment of baseball equipment, exclusive of uniform, sufficient for two hundred diamonds.

In conformity with the above request, the War Council has appropriated the sum of \$49,980 to provide for the supplies desired in France, and the sum of \$67,737.85 for the purchase of the equipment to equip the American boys and football teams among the American boys in England. Bids to cover the entire baseball supply abroad have been negotiated through B. B. Johnson, president of the American League of Professional Baseball Clubs.

What They Did Yesterday; Where They Play Today

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League: New York, 3; Cleveland, 2. St. Louis, 7; Athletics, 2. Chicago, 6; Boston, 2. Washington, 6; Detroit, 2.

National League: Pittsburgh, 3; Brooklyn, 1. Cincinnati, 6; New York, 5. Boston-St. Louis, to be played Saturday. Other clubs not scheduled.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Table with columns for American League, National League, and various teams with W, L, and Pct.

SCHEDULE FOR TODAY

West End Cancels Steelton Game; Will Play at York

Because of a misunderstanding and conflicting dates in the schedule of the West End field, the game with the Steelton Giants, which was to be played to-morrow afternoon on the West End field, has been cancelled.

Play Safe-- Stick to KING OSCAR CIGARS

Snoodles



Home Folks Welcomed George Cockill But Treated Him Almighty Rough

Cheer up! There are others. While Williamsport was showing its tender hospitality by welcoming Manager Cockill and his Steelton stars yesterday, the gay Lebanon leaguers were being trimmed by a squad of soldiers at Camp Merritt, 6-1. Lebanon has its strongest lineup, just like Steelton, but Steelton did not have a Rube Bressler pitching against her nor a George Whitted at first base.

The Steelton visitors lost by only one run and they gave such a lively exhibition that Lebanon fans had the time of their life. Tom Phillips practiced lost the game for Cockill, allowing the Locoming chaps five hits in a row. The Bethlehem sporting writers who have a bit of the green monster sparkling for Cockill because Bethlehem is flopped out of the race comment:

MULTITUDE PAY TRIBUTE TO KING HORSE AT BELMONT RACES

The program at Belmont track, where the Grand Circuit trotters of America are competing, was the richest yesterday of any one day in the meet. The purses aggregated \$15,397. The Matron stake, feature of the fourth day's events, was won by David Guy, owned and bred by the first going to Nella Dillon, owned and bred by A. B. Cox, of Paoli, Pa., and driven by Joe Serrilli.

Legal Vultures Fatten on Soldier Dependents

Washington—Legal vultures and shysters in Washington are seeking to fatten at the expense of the insured dependents of our soldiers who find their graves in France. To this end, they are offering to collect the insurance due them from the government for 20 per cent. of the amount obtained.

AMPUTATED BRAKEMAN'S FOOT

Robert Young, aged 35, brakeman in the Harrisburg yards of the Pennsylvania railroad, had his left foot amputated at the Harrisburg Hospital yesterday. The foot was crushed when it became caught between two cars near 8K hump Wednesday.

WHERE GENERAL PERSHING WAS A SCHOOL TEACHER AT PRAIRIE MOUND

He Thought He Was Missing Some of the Rough Stuff



Cellar Champions Crawl Out at Expense of Newsies

A voice from the cellar last night turned out to be the Evangelicals, who made a terrific effort to crawl out of the pit at the expense of the Newsies. Their judgment was good for the Newsies all played like a one-armed paper hanger afflicted with the hives. Six runs in one session off Pitcher Ensweller sort whetted the cellar champion's appetite, so they kept on pacing around to the following result:

Table with columns for Industrial League, Evangelical, and various teams with W, L, Pct.

Table with columns for Newsies, R, H, O, A, E, and various players.

Two Mayors Lose at Quits, Says Scorer

The two mayors lost the title of champion quill throwers after successfully meeting all comers at the Chamber of Commerce outing yesterday. Mayor Keister and ex-Mayor Bowman were the star actors in this field of sport until after supper, when a series of five games was played with J. W. Brown and L. V. Fritz. This contest was a close one, each side winning two games and in the fifth the score stood 19 to 15 when the opposition scored the two points which entitled them to the title of champions. Vouched for by Benson, official scorer.

BELMONT VS. LYKENS TOMORROW

The strong Belmont baseball club will travel to Lykens on Saturday, where they will meet the winning Lykens team. The receipts from the gate are to be given to the Red Cross. The following players should report at the Pennsylvania Railroad Station at 9:30 a. m.: Minter, Parit, Rosenberger, Black, Klineyoung, Machner, Schriener, Fissel, G. Davies, T. Davies.

Ernest Shore, former pitcher for the Boston American League Club, pinner his examination at the Harvard school for ensigns with such high marks that he was one of the five picked to take a special course at the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., who enlisted in the navy with other teammates many months ago, was later transferred to the ensign school at Harvard.

When Rufe Turner was knocking them all dead in Stockton, Cal., a fellow showed up in the gymnasium one day and asked that Rufe don the gloves with him.

Cincinnati is the toughest town ever known for a baseball manager. No one ever satisfied the fans there. Now they are blaming Matty for the direct loss of the game during the season. The critics have Matty's mistake down to where they know exactly the number of games Chris Ross had pitched. They blame it all on Rufe to act as a relief pitcher. Perhaps had Matty played such a role his work would have been responsible for 24 defeats instead of a mere dozen.

By Hungerford



AROUND THE BASES

Fred Fulton is again in the camouflage business. Touted as the juxta and lower ends will play a series for the championship of the county, and it will be a battle royal between the Scotch-Irish and the Dutch. The first game scheduled is for Saturday, August 17, at Ephrata, and a big crowd will be in attendance. Ephrata by the way, has Sunday baseball, and crowds numbering 2,000 are attracted from points as far distant as Reading and Lancaster, Downingtown and Middletown.

Pound of Flesh Daily Boy's Gift to Country

San Francisco.—A pound of flesh a day for fifteen days will be the sacrifice made to his country by Jack Charles Read, of this city. Read attempted to enlist in the U. S. Marines here, but was told that he was fifteen pounds overweight. He immediately declared that he would remove the fifteen pounds of fatty substance within fifteen days by taking a course in dieting and exercises prescribed by his physician and would then reappear at the Marine Corps recruiting station.

THE ASBESTOS ROASTER

When camping take with you a large asbestos cone made from a square of asbestos cloth or paper. You will find it indispensable for roasting potatoes, apples, corn on the cob, etc. The food is placed inside, and the pointed end of the cone is inserted in the camp-fire, wedged between two stones to keep it in place. Do not attempt to stand the cone upright, but lean it on its side with the apex of the cone toward the fire.

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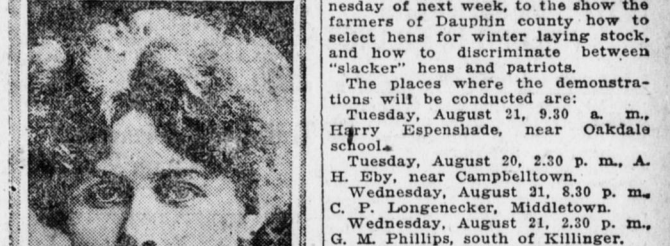
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American Duchess Gets Gold Medal For Service



The Duchess de Choiseul, daughter of the late Charles Couderc, of New York, has been awarded the French gold medal for activity in war hospital work, according to word received from Paris. The Duchess de Choiseul has been active in relief work since the beginning of the war, devoting her attention particularly to the care of tubercular French soldiers.

OSBORNE

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TO SHOW HOW TO PICK "SLACKER HENS"

H. C. Khandel, of the Poultry Extension Department of State College, will conduct a culling and capomizing demonstration on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, to show the farmers of Dauphin county how to select hens for winter laying stock, and how to discriminate between "slacker" hens and patriots.

The places where the demonstrations will be conducted are: Tuesday, August 20, 2:30 p. m., A. H. Eby, near Campbelltown. Wednesday, August 21, 8:30 p. m., C. P. Longenecker, Middletown. Wednesday, August 21, 2:30 p. m., G. M. Phillips, south of Killbuck.