

TECH AND READING IN BATTLE FOR FIRST PLACE; HAL CHASE TRIAL IN GOTHAM TODAY

TECH AND READING TIED IN BITTER BASKETBALL RACE

Victory by York Tonight and Lebanon Tomorrow Would Break the Handcuffs; Complete Averages Up to Date

Table with columns: LEAGUE STANDING, W. L. Pct., and a list of teams with their respective records.

Camp Hill Girls Score 91 Points on the Foe

Chambersburg which is considered one of the hardest games on the Camp Hill schedule.

Middletown Throws Hooks Deep Into Marietta

Table showing basketball game statistics for Middletown vs Marietta, including points, fouls, and rebounds.

Has Bill to Punish Anarchists

Washington, Jan. 30.—Drastic punishment for persons spreading historic propaganda is provided by bill introduced in the House.



AMERICA GIVES RECOGNITION TO NEW POLISH RULE

Lansing Sends Message to Paderewski, the New Premier Washington, Jan. 30.—Recognition of the provisional government of Poland has been accorded by the American government.

Hal Chase, De Luxe First Baseman, on Trial Today For Gambling

Hal Chase, greatest first baseman the game ever saw, was put on trial at New York today in National League headquarters.



HAL CHASE A trade unless Squire Ebbets insists on it most strenuously.

MAY POSTPONE NEXT LOAN DRIVE BECAUSE OF LENT

Plan Would Begin Campaign April 21 Instead of on April 6 Washington, Jan. 30.—Because the Lenten season this year does not end until April 20, the Treasury is considering postponing the opening of the next Liberty Loan campaign.

State College Five Was Mangled By Sweeney & Co., of Old Penn

The Red and Blue five last evening carried on with Coach Bedzek's State College huskies, winning, 24-13. State showed a decided lack of knowledge of the intercollegiate rules.

AROUND THE BASES

A couple of old codgers got into a quarrel and landed before the local magistrate. The loser, turning to his opponent in a combative frame of mind, cried: "I'll lay you to the Circuit Court."

U. S. Not to Change the Wheat Guarantee, Flour Dealers Assured

New York, Jan. 30.—Julius Barnes, president of the food administration grain corporation, announced yesterday that he has arranged a conference with the Civic Bureau of the Board of Trade.

Say Laws Pending to Regulate Packers Are Unnecessary

Washington, Jan. 30.—While Louis P. Swift, president of Swift & Company, was being cross-examined yesterday before the Senate agriculture committee as to whether the five big packers had combined to control meat prices.

Merchant Marine Now Biggest Question Declares Secretary of Navy Daniels

Baltimore, Jan. 30.—"The biggest question in the United States today is the merchant marine question," said Secretary of the Navy Daniels.

Approve Plan to Keep Ypres as a Memorial of War

London, Jan. 30.—The decision of the Belgian government to maintain Ypres, the scene of several battles between the British and the Germans, in its present condition.

Germany Still Has Organized Army of Over 300,000 Men

Coblenz, Jan. 30.—According to estimates made by intelligence officers of the American Third Army, based upon reports from all parts of Germany, the organized German army now located in various depots numbers from 300,000 to 500,000 men.

Trade Between America and Japan Bound to Be Great, Jap Baron Says

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Baron Kondo, president of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha Steamship Company of Japan, stopped here for a brief rest and expected to leave to-day on his way to other Peace Conference.

Railroad Men Are Urged Not to Sell Their Liberty Bonds

Washington, Jan. 30.—Railroad employees are cautioned by Director General Hines not to sell Liberty Bonds below the current market price, as published in newspapers.

British Naval Men Are Given a Bonus

London, Jan. 30.—The admiralty announces that pending the conclusions of the committee of inquiry on the subject, it has been decided to increase the pay of all naval men, ranging from an extra shilling per day for ordinary seamen to six shillings for captains and higher ranks.

Food Administration Will Have No Part in the Wheat Prices

Washington, Jan. 30.—The food administration will have no part in carrying out the government's guaranteed price for the 1918 and 1919 wheat and very probably will have passed out of existence before this year's crop is harvested.

Majority Socialists in the Hun Assembly Fight Have Captured 98 Seats

Berne, Jan. 30.—Partial results from the Prussian elections show that the majority Socialists have won 98 seats in the new parliament; Independent Socialists, 21; Democrats, 44; Christian People's party, formerly the Centrists, 49; National Liberal, 11, and Conservatives, 21.

Each Yankee Division Is to Have 768 Rifles and 224 Machine Guns

With the American Army of Occupation, Jan. 30.—The task of supplying the eight divisions of the third American army with Browning machine guns and automatic rifles was begun recently.

Emergency Deficiency Bill Passes the House

Washington, Jan. 30.—Without a dissenting vote, the House last night passed the emergency deficiency bill with its rider repealing appropriations of \$7,179,156.900 and authorities of \$8,221,029,290, made during the war for the army and navy departments.

Says British Army in Rhine Will Be Smaller Than French or U. S.

London, Jan. 30.—The British contribution to the allied armies of occupation in the Rhineland, says the Times in an editorial, will be less numerically than that of either France or the United States.

Propose Erection of Memorials to Roosevelt

Washington, Jan. 30.—Erection of memorials to Theodore Roosevelt, was proposed in bills introduced in the House yesterday by Representatives Hicks, of New York, and Farr, of Pennsylvania.

Sentences Murderer

Bedford, Pa., Jan. 30.—Judge Thomas F. Bailey yesterday sentenced Rafael Giordani to a term of not less than six years nor more than eight years in the Western Penitentiary for the murder of Guy Insalaca, at Woodvale, this county, on January 2, 1918, and Sheriff Dodson conveyed his prisoner to that institution.

Advertisement for King Oscar Cigars, featuring the text 'The Peace Time Quality of King Oscar Cigars' and 'John C. Herman & Co. Makers'.