

# FRANK ERNE GETS BAD BEATING FROM SILAR; DEMPSEY CELEBRATES 24th BIRTHDAY

## Some Game Thursday When Hill Stars Meet Klein Chocolate Celebrities

The most attractive baseball contest of the season is scheduled for Thursday night of this week at the Allison Hill League at Chestnut streets, when the pick of the Allison Hill Baseball League will oppose the famous Klein Chocolate Company, of Elizabethtown.

Manager John Breckenridge, himself the hero of many a Harrisburg game in the good old days, and a Hill resident with the interests of the Allison Hill League at heart, though the Klein Brothers made the liberal offer to bring on his band of de luxe players to give Harrisburgers a chance to glimpse the best team on the map in this section of the State.

Like Caesar, who fought many battles and never lost one, is this team of chocolate eaters. After mopping up the teams in this vicinity, a trip was made last week to Philadelphia and vicinity, where they won other victories. Like Alexander, they are now sighing for further conquests, and feel confident that they can trim the pick of the Hill League.

With five years of experience to back it, this Hill organization will make a desperate effort to make good showing against this New York State and International band of stars. Walsh, Cranston, Trout, Harned, Berger et al., have been known as clever players for years past. Now they are adding to their laurels, and giving Elizabethtown a brand of ball that is making those staid old Lancaster county farmers shout their heads off.

The Seventeenth and Chestnut street diamond will be placed in the top shape for the battle, and the

Standing of the Clubs			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Reading	9	3	.750
Galahad	8	6	.571
Rosewood	8	9	.463
St. Mary's	3	9	.250

To-night—St. Mary's vs. Reading.  
Tuesday—Galahad vs. Rosewood.  
Wednesday—Rosewood vs. Reading.  
Thursday—Klein Chocolate Co. vs. Allison Hill All-Stars.  
Friday—St. Mary's vs. Reading.  
Umpire—"Dick" Nebinger.

local lads are cocky enough to think that they will win. Every one rather suspects that Pitcher Mellinger will be given a chance to hand out some of that Uranus brand of ball that he has been twisting over the plate for a dozen strikeouts a game. He is a newcomer in local ranks and if he takes the mound will be sure to make a good showing.

Every game in the league will be represented, and at the close of the regular games this week the team that will represent the Hill Thursday night will take the field to develop team work for the big battle.

The big grandstand has been taxed to its capacity every night, but when this game is pulled off, the largest crowd of the season will be sure to be on hand. "Dick" Nebinger will call the plays. He is satisfactory to both teams, being the regular arbiter of the league.

## SNOODLES



## By Hungerford



## WEST END BATTLE TO FINISH GIVES VICTORY TO COMMONWEALTH

With probably 2,000 people looking on, the Commonwealth team of the West End League defeated the Engineers and Firemen at the Seneca street grounds last evening. When the session ended the score was 3 to 2 in favor of the railroads. Throughout the entire game the interest was keen and it was anybody's old ball game until the last man was out in the seventh inning.

The opposing twirlers were Gordon Ford and Earl Waltz, the latter of whom had insisted that if a red-headed youngster with a cast in his eye would move from the right hand benches to another spot he might be able to put the game on ice. It was his first victory out of six efforts. It developed after the game that the sorrel-topped jinx is at home with the meates, therefore the downfall of the railmen. The train men collected 8 hits off Waltz's pitching, while the Commonwealth came out of the battle with a total of 10. Ford, who is no relative of Henry's, and doesn't relish being associated with flippers, pitched good ball, although J. Lightner and Earl Killinger walloped his curves for healthy bingles to the outer garden and just at times, too, when his helped the score. Madden, a lusty youth who covered first base for the Engineers and Firemen, connected with one of Waltz's shoots for a stinging two-base clout.

There is nothing certain about how balls will behave after being sent their journey out of the diamond. For example, Mr. Gerdes, the Commonwealth third sacker, hit what would not have been more than a single toward the score board. Norman Ford set himself to get the ball on a bound, but with all the coquetishness of a woman the pesky spheroid would not have been more than a single toward the score board. Mr. Gerdes romped joyfully around the bases for the home plate, which he reached before the ball could be returned. He scored the first run of the game.

In the second inning Walter Smith drew a pass from his friend Ford. He waited a bit to see what J.

## OLD FRANK ERNE GETS BEATING OF HIS LIFE

Venerable Frank Erne who has been a pugilist since padded mits were invented, got the lacing of his long career last night from Young Silar, a patron of Joe Barrett, who promoted the entertainment at Quarter Hall in the remote regions of Steelton. It was a six-round affair, and the Silar had made a mighty good impression for his aggressiveness and energy. He was on top of the old boy at tap of gong, and not in years has Steelton seen as fast and furious scrapping. In the first round Frankie hit the saw dust, but was up in a jiffy, with the fans howling for Silar to go after the veteran.

## Finds Literature Dedicated to Animals

Dublin, June 24.—Dr. Douglas Hyde, professor of Irish in the National University of Ireland, has been delivering a series of lectures on Irish folklore at Alexandra College, Dublin, and has made an interesting new discovery. He said there must have existed in the Middle Ages in Ireland a whole cycle of literature dedicated to famous animals. He had recorded some surviving specimens of it and translated them for the first time.

He showed that the ancient Irish were familiar with the transmigration of souls and that even in the last century some traces of the belief remained. In County Roscommon a poem was written a century or a century and a half ago telling of a pig which, having eaten an Irish manuscript, spoke and told the owner how it had been a great singer among the Turks, fought at Aughrim against the Irish and been a hickler in France.

ITALY WILL SIGN, PAGE SAYS  
Paris, June 23.—Thomas Nelson Page, United States Ambassador to Italy, who arrived in Paris to-day is confident the changes in the Italian Government an dthe peace delegation will not prevent Italy from signing the German treaty, and advised member of the American delegation to this effect. Mr. Page expects to leave for London on Wednesday.

## NO-HIT GAME ON THE HILL

"Dutch" Conner, pitching for Reading Railways, twirled the first no hit, no run game of the season in the Allison Hill circuit, when he blanked St. Mary's by a score of 7 to 0. It was the second successive white wash that the railroaders have given by the identical score. The victory gives Manager Pressler's nine a tighter hold on first place.

The only semblance of a hit came in the sixth when O'Connell was given a hot one to handle at third corner. It was chalked up as an error in the opinion of the scribes. The only other runner to reach first base was on the single base on balls that "Dutch" issued to a St. Mary's runner.

Wagner in right field for the losing aggregation, made several brilliant catches that won the applause of the spectators. Boyles was also the pivot of a fast double play that he started, completing the play to Books at first.

George Swartz had his batting togs on tapping out three nice singles. Reading had eight hits and all were of the single variety. Bunched hits in the second, third and fifth won the game. To-night Galahad and Rosewood will oppose each other.

Much interest is centering on the Klein Chocolate game for Thursday night, when the crack Lancaster countians will come to the Hill diamond to play the pick of this organization. They have a string of 12 straight victories. The best of the Hill League will oppose this crowd, and a record attendance for the city is predicted. The score:

READING					
	AB.	R.	H.	O. A. E.	
Shurtle, lf	3	1	0	0	0
C. Swartz, ss	4	0	1	2	0
Mellinger, cf	2	1	0	0	0
Conner, p	3	2	1	1	0
Levan, 2b	3	1	1	2	0
G. Swartz, c	3	1	3	1	0
Bowman, 1b	3	1	7	0	0
H. Swartz, rf	3	0	0	0	0
O'Connell, 3b	3	0	0	0	1
Totals	27	7	8	21	8

ST. MARY'S					
	AB.	R.	H.	O. A. E.	
Zerance, 3b	3	0	0	0	0
Newbaum, cf	3	0	0	0	0
Books, 1b	2	0	0	0	0

## RIFLE SHOTS IN STATE CONTEST SHOW BIG SCORES

Hang Up Encouraging Total in National Association Match

The second match of the season between the National Rifle Association Clubs in the Pennsylvania State Rifleman's League was shot off Saturday on the home ranges of the various clubs throughout the State. Those composing the league are the Fort Pitts Rifle Club of Pittsburgh, the Franklin Rifle and Revolver Club, the University Rifle Club of Reading, the Keystone Rifle Club of Harrisburg, and the Harrisburg Rifle Club. As these matches were shot on the home grounds of the respective clubs, only the scores of the Harrisburg Rifle team are available at this writing, the agreement of the various teams being that the respective scores shall be attested by a commissioned officer of the Army and mailed to each of the other contesting teams.

Interest in Matches  
Much interest is being manifested in these matches by those interested in the shooting game, as the

members of the national team which will represent the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at the national matches at Caldwell, N. J., in August, will be chosen to a large extent from the 17 contestants with the highest general average for the season. Following are the scores of the Harrisburg Rifle Club:  
200 yards rapid fire—F. E. Unger, 47; J. R. Mattern, 44; S. T. Durbin, 42; F. A. Godcharles, 40; C. S. Landis, 43; G. W. Thompson, 45.  
500 yards slow fire—E. F. Unger, 46; J. R. Mattern, 44; S. T. Durbin, 42; F. A. Godcharles, 45; C. S. Landis, 45; G. W. Thompson, 43.  
Totals—E. F. Unger, 137; J. R. Mattern, 135; S. T. Durbin, 131; F. A. Godcharles, 128; C. S. Landis, 127; George Thompson, 126. Team total, 784.  
On Saturday the local boys will shoot the expert qualification course, and on July 4 the club's individual championship match will draw a large crowd of rifle enthusiasts.

CARPENTERS GO BACK  
Reading, Pa., June 23.—After conferences lasting nearly two months, grievances of the carpenters' union were adjusted and the men went to work to-day on a new scale of wages—70 cents an hour and eight hour day—granted by an arbitration board. The men at first held out for 80 cents.

## Hurrah! This State and Utah Are Tie in Trapshooting Skill

Pennsylvania and Utah shooters are tie away for the trapshooting average honors. Dr. A. H. Aber, of Dravosburg, Pa., and Sam Sharran, of Salt Lake City, have each shot at 550 targets and have broken 535, for an average of .9727. The other shooter over 97 per cent is R. A. King, of Colorado.

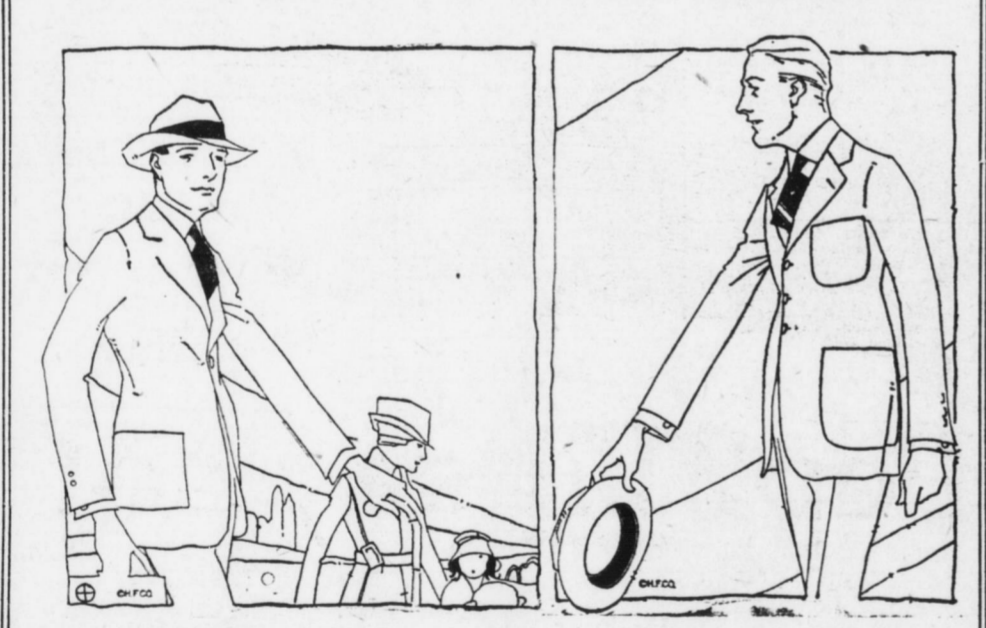
Dempsey Has Birthday; Willard Resumes Boxing  
Toledo, June 24.—Jack Dempsey, challenger for the world's heavyweight championship, will celebrate his twenty-fourth birthday to-day exchanging punches with his sparring partners in preparation for his title contest with Jess Willard here July 4. Children living in the vicinity of Dempsey's quarters, with whom he is a prime favorite, planned to surprise him with a birthday cake.

Willard planned to resume boxing to-day after yesterday's layoff. The champion said he was entirely satisfied with the progress he is making and thought that a change of idleness would be beneficial to his condition. Dempsey considers honors even for the jolting that Sergeant Bill Tate, a giant negro sparring partner, gave him in their workout Sunday. Dempsey knocked Tate out yesterday.

In the first round Tate went along easily, seemingly content to stay on the defensive and back away from Dempsey's driving attack. But when it came Tate's turn to face the challenger again, Dempsey tore into him and in less than ten seconds had him stretched on the canvas. It was the first time in three years that Tate had been floored.

Jack Malone, the St. Paul welterweight, made his first appearance as a sparring partner for Dempsey yesterday.

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