

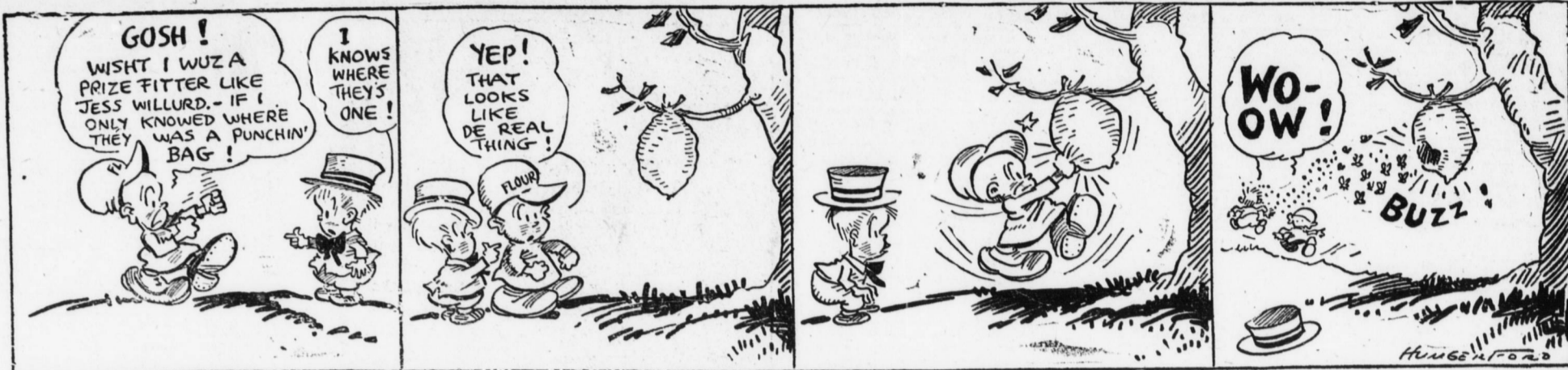
PITCHER DON WERTZ WINS WITH HOME RUN; FORTUNE FOR JESS WILLARD, WIN OR LOSE

DON WERTZ DAY'S HERO SNOODLES

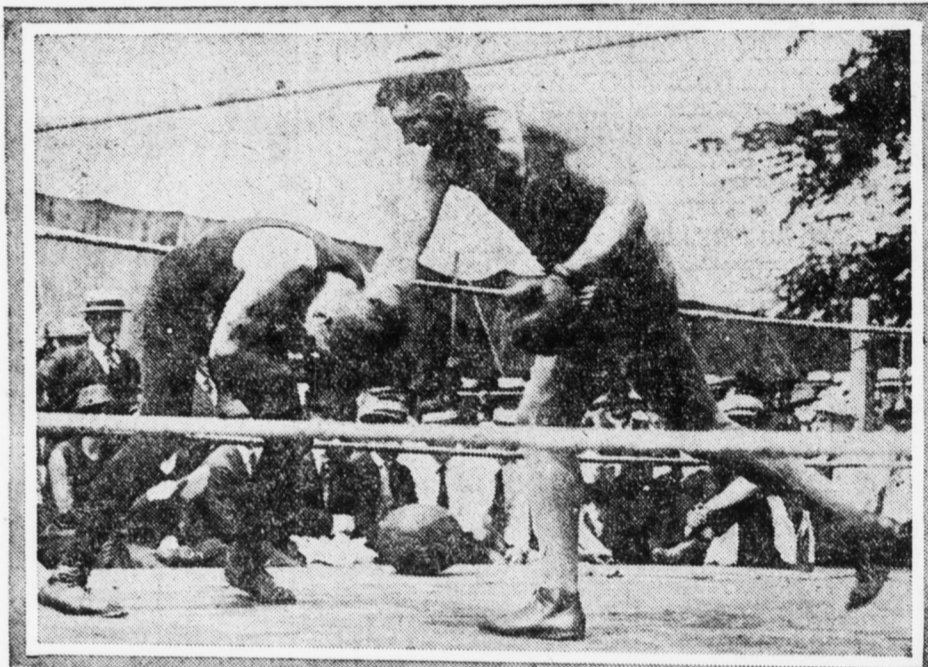
By Hungerford

What Wagner did to a grooved ball that Wertz fung across the plate in the first half of the seventh inning at West End ball park last evening in the fading light of the June p. m. Wertz himself did to one of "Moe" Eweler's straight ones over the rubber, only Wertz performed with a man on the sacks. Furthermore, Wertz's four-bagger won the game for the Motive Power, his hit sending McCurdy home ahead of him.

The first man up for the Engineers and Firemen in the seventh was this self-same Wagner. The score was even, Wertz was going good, almost too good to suit the rooters for the Motive Power rivals. The tall twirler first discerning Mr. Eweler's straight ones over the rubber, only Wertz performed with a man on the sacks. Furthermore, Wertz's four-bagger won the game for the Motive Power, his hit sending McCurdy home ahead of him.



Fortune For Jess Willard Whether He Wins or Loses; Biggest Purse Ever Offered in Ring



Willard boxing with Hempel, one of his huskiest partners. Hempel is shown ducking one of Willard's swings.

With everything set for the world's championship pugilistic gonfalon on Friday next, there is keen interest to know just what the financial end means to the various participants. There is no question but that this feature was the first discussed, for it is certain Willard would never have chucked up his business to enter the ring again had the reward not been something beyond the ordinary.

Willard stands to-day with the capital chance to become really a rich man. By winning from Jack Johnson at Havana, Cuba four years ago, Willard was placed in a position to begin building up an immense fortune, and should Dempsey capture the title there is no telling how much wealth he may accumulate in these days of high finance, when sport promoters talk of the "sky" as the limit for big events.

Aside from the actual purse money of \$127,500 signed for by the two pugilists, \$100,000 of which is guaranteed to Willard, win, lose or draw, the enormous amount of cash which will be handled in connection with the coming bout dwarfs all previous ring contests into financial oblivion. The "gate," from the sale of tickets and concessions, is expected to pass the one million dollar mark, which would make the receipts of previous athletic carnivals look very small in comparison.

Rickard Deals in Big Figures. Tex Rickard, the daring promoter who is bringing the two men together in this bout, generally does things on a large scale. He secured the Johnson-Jeffries fight for a guarantee of \$105,000, and at Reno his receipts amounted to \$270,000. Of course, the promoter was at an enormous outlay

in bringing that contest to an issue, having been forced almost at a moment's notice to move from California to another State in order to secure a battle ground. Rickard's outlay for the coming battle, including guaranteed purse, cost of arena construction, advertising and other expenses, will amount to a vast sum. The casual observer might think that the promoter will still have a big margin of profit out of the charge for admission. At first glance, it seems reasonable, but Rickard is going to pay the regular war tax of ten per cent on all tickets purchased and his guaranteed the local authorities a percentage also. The United States Government, however, will have a big claim for income tax, so that when everything is deducted from the "gate," Rickard's margin of profit probably will fall far short of the results he attained in some of his previous ventures.

Some changes have been made in the conditions governing the bout since the original articles were signed, the most important being the limiting of the contest to twelve rounds and the reduction of the size of the ring to twenty feet square. Originally the men were to have twenty or more rounds and the intention was to have a regulation twenty-four foot ring. Otherwise the agreement stands as signed by Rickard, Willard and Dempsey, each being entitled to a third of the moving picture privileges. Willard is to receive \$100,000 and Dempsey \$27,500.

Big Following For Each. When the two men step into the ring on Friday each will have a big following of partisans. Those who rely on Willard's retaining his title insist that he is invulnerable to punishment and that Dempsey will fail to reach his burly opponent with an effective blow. Many of them also claim that Willard has never hit a human being with the full force of which his huge frame is capable. It is said that once during his preparation for a previous contest Willard lost his temper on being stung by the blow of a sparring partner. Then the big fellow landed a vicious swing which sent his opponent to the ground, and that the "partner" needed medical attention for many days afterward.

Dempsey's friends, and they are legion confidently state that no man, however big and strong, can withstand the impact of a full sized hook or swing from either of Jack's fists. They look for a quick ending, with Dempsey a winner. They say that Jack can land on Willard's jaw just as effectively as he did on Fred Fulton's last year. They rely on Jack's fearlessness as a big asset, in conjunction with his heavy hitting power. Dempsey's youth also is one of the arguments his adherents advance as being a decided factor in his favor, as Dempsey is 24 years old. There are conflicting statements as to Willard's exact age, but it is general belief that the Kansan has passed the 40-year mark.

Dempsey has taken part in many ring contests during the last four years, while Willard has fought only twice within that period. Jess won the championship from Johnson at Havana, Cuba, in April, 1915. That battle lasted 26 rounds. Just 11 months later Willard met Frank Moran, for 10 rounds at Madison Square Garden, New York. This was a no-decision contest, but Moran was so far outclassed on that occasion that there was no question as to Willard's having won decisively. Since that time, March 25, 1916, Willard has not defended his title. Thousands of athletic patrons believe that this protracted absence from fighting has a deteriorating effect on the big champion's abilities, while Dempsey, having been in ring action almost constantly, will be in much better condition.

Dempsey a Knockout. Dempsey fought 18 ring battles last

HYGIENIC NOW IN JUNIOR LEAGUE

Swatara Rapped St. Mary's With Shearer Flinging His Fifth Straight Win

Swatara downed the St. Mary's Juniors of Steelton in their second game last evening in the City Junior League.

Shearer twirled his fifth straight victory for Swatara and only allowed his opponents two hits and fanned 11 men. "Mose" Swartz was again in the spotlight with his cud of tobacco, three times he drove men in home when runs were badly needed.

Swatara tightly nailed the game down in the fifth inning when Shearer fanned. Nickey singled to right, Hocker fanned. Swartz singled. A double steal was next pulled off and Kurtz's hot grounder was too much for Farina and Nickey and Swartz scored. Matter fled to Daley.

This evening the new Hygienic Juniors of Steelton will take part in their first game with the league leaders, the East End nine. The Hygienic team has been playing some fast ball and expect to make the City Junior League fighten up a little more.

The score: SWATARA AB. R. H. O. A. E. Nickey, lf. 4 1 1 1 1 1 Hocker, lb. 3 1 2 3 0 0 Swartz, 2b. 3 2 3 1 2 0 Kurtz, ss. 4 0 0 0 1 0 Matter, 3b. 4 0 0 2 1 1 De Santis, rf. 3 0 1 0 0 0 Snyder, c. 3 0 1 12 1 0 Motter, cf. 1 0 0 0 0 0 Shearer, p. 3 0 0 0 0 0 Prowell, cf. 2 0 1 0 0 0 Totals 29 4 9 21 6 2

"Cooties, Prohibition and the Flu," All We Got From the War

Just a moment before Don Wertz, the phenomenal pitcher of Motive Power team, slammed out his homer last evening, winning his own game, two fans back of third base got into a fierce wrangle about what "America got out of the war."

The heavy jawed, bulging eyed rooster maintained that we saved democracy and the rest of the world, but he could not convince the more slender wild-eyed Bolshevik who screamed at the top of his voice: "What did America get? Nothing but cooties, prohibition and the flu." Simultaneously Don Wertz smashed the horsehide and the wild shrill applause cut off further conversation.

St. MARY'S JR'S. AB. R. H. O. A. E. Marney, c. 3 1 0 7 1 1 M. Zerance, ss. 3 1 0 0 0 0 Farina, 3b. N. 4 0 0 1 1 1 F. Dolinar, p. 3 0 1 0 2 0 W. Dalley, 2b. 2 0 0 4 1 0 F. Newbaum, cf. 0 1 0 0 0 0 J. Dolinar, lf. 3 0 1 2 0 0 Zerance, rf. 3 0 0 1 0 0 Gustin, lb. 3 0 0 5 1 0 Total 27 2 2 21 6 2 Swatara, 1 0 4 0 2 0-4 St. Mary's Jr. 2 0 0 0 0-2 Two-base hit, Hocker, F. Dolinar. Struck out by Shearer, 11; by Dolinar, 8. Base on balls, off Shearer, 3; off F. Dolinar, 2. Left on base, Swatara, 3; St. Mary's Jr. 2. Hit by pitcher, N. Zerance. Stolen bases, Nickey, Hocker, Swartz, Marney, N. Zerance. Innings pitched, by Shearer, 7; by F. Dolinar, 7. Time, 1 hour and six minutes. Umpire, Moore.

BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE Yesterday's Results New York, 7; Boston, 4. Cincinnati, 4; Chicago, 0 (first game).

Standing of the Clubs

Table with columns for Club, W. L. Pct. New York 36 19 .654 Cincinnati 27 22 .527 Pittsburgh 32 27 .542 Chicago 32 29 .524 Brooklyn 29 29 .500 St. Louis 28 33 .448 Boston 19 35 .352 Philadelphia 18 35 .339

Schedule For To-day

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE Yesterday's Results

New York, 7; Boston, 4 (first game). Philadelphia, 4; Washington, 3. Detroit, 6; St. Louis, 1. Chicago, 5; Cleveland, 2.

Standing of the Clubs

Table with columns for Club, W. L. Pct. New York 35 18 .660 Chicago 35 18 .660 Cleveland 33 24 .578 Detroit 30 26 .535 St. Louis 27 28 .491 Boston 24 31 .436 Washington 24 33 .421 Philadelphia 14 39 .267

Schedule For To-day

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

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MOUNTAIN WINS FOR ROSEWOOD

Big Twirler Mows Down Foe at the Hill Game, Pushing Galahad Down Stairs

ALLISON HILL LEAGUE Yesterday's Result Rosewood, 5; Galahad, 2. To-night's Game St. Mary's vs. Reading. League Standing

Table with columns for Club, W. L. Pct. Reading 11 3 .785 Galahad 9 7 .562 Rosewood 7 9 .437 St. Mary's 3 11 .215

Tom Mountain was on the Hill-top last evening and he fired down into the camp of the Galahads with such steam that Rosewood came through with flying colors and a 5-2 victory. Friend Mountain made his "rep" on the old East End team and it appears that he has more than most fingers will count. Back of him were the two best port, while Pitcher Black had a contend with some of the errors that took the juice out of his delivery.

The run-making for Rosewood did not get underway until the fourth, but was fast enough then, Stroud whooping her up with a single, clean as a hound's tooth. Thompson played the game with a safe bout; Black handled it badly. Mountain perished on a fly ball, but Reiddell had a wallop in his sleeve long enough to score Stroud and Thompson. Fortna played the rest of the inning, lone-

hand, getting to first on an error, swiped second and scored on a sour pop. These three tallies would have been enough, but two more registered in the sixth.

Mountain had an elusive curve which kept Galahad hitters popping up and lone runs in the first and sixth were all to be had. The score: GALAHAD R. H. O. A. E. Cobough, lf. 0 0 2 0 0 0 Stary, ss. 0 0 1 2 1 1 Klermer, lb. 1 1 1 0 0 0 Petrow, cf. 1 1 1 0 0 0 Lutz, c. 0 0 7 1 2 2 Clark, 2b. 0 2 2 1 1 1 Reilly, rf. 0 1 1 0 0 0 Cobough, lb. 2 2 6 1 0 0 Black, p. 0 2 1 0 1 1 Totals 2 9 21 8 5

ROSEWOOD R. H. O. A. E. Reiddell, 2b. 0 2 2 0 0 0 Fortna, cf. 1 1 0 0 0 0 Bender, lb. 0 0 4 0 0 0 Mell, c. 0 0 4 1 1 1 Stroud, ss. 0 1 1 0 0 0 Geary, 3b. 0 2 4 0 1 1 Stroud, ss. 2 2 4 3 1 1 T'pson, lf. 1 1 2 0 0 0 Mountain, p. 1 1 2 0 0 0 Totals 5 9 21 7 3 Rosewood A. C. 0 0 0 3 0-5 Galahad A. C. 1 0 0 0 1-2 Two-base hits, Thompson, Petrow, Fortna; three-base hit, Reilly; struck out by Black, 6; by Mountain, 5; base on balls, off Black, 4; off Mountain, 4; stolen bases, Klermer, Mell, Cobough, 2; Thompson, Black, 2; Mountain; wild pitch, Black; umpire, Dick Nebinger.

On Saturday afternoon at 4.30 the Reading team, leaders of the Hill League, will meet the Electrical Department team of the Bethlehem Steel League. The Electrical Department has a strong team and will put its best against Reading.

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