HUGE CROWDS AT HILL GAME AND WEST END; RIVER SPORTS STARTED LAST NIGHT

RIVER SERENADE BRINGS BIG CROWD OF WATER PATRONS TO RIEST'S

The resistless city drive for a great Susquehanna basin to be used by the general public in the cause of recreation and nealth, as suggested vividly in an editorial in the Telegraph recently, was started in full swing last night at "Admiral" George Riest's boathouse, at the foot of Locust street, where several hundred Harrisburgers of both sexes gathered to give the drive a running start. Before the entertainment had long proceeded far, part of the city woke up to what was going on and a big concourse quickly gathered. They were drawn partly by an exceedingly delightful vocal program put on by the courtesy of Manager Hopkins of the Majestic, four singers of the weekly bill rendering some ripping melody as they were moored in canoes out in the center of the stream. The medley of trained voices carried far and wide so that trolley cars crossing



Fabric 6,000 miles.

Boston at St. Louis, Philadelphia at Chicago. New York at Cleveland

The top deck of one of Riest's big boats was converted into a temporary soft drink emporium and here flocked a large number who were so captivated with the whole affair, with the moon very bright and a soft cool air sweeping the broad river, that it was midnight before any left for home. Mr. Forrer was more than pleased at the intense enthusiasm and he said it signifies that the Kipona on next Labor Day will be the gainer by this preliminary demonstration.

Nearly every noted swimmer, man

demonstration.

Nearly every noted swimmer, man and woman, came to the jubliee and tales of achievement in water sports were the topic of the night. Conspicuous in the groups was Ed. Rauch, the veteran sculler, who with the late Charley Etter, put Harrisburg on the national map in years ago with winning of championships.

The proposition to found a life

center of the stream. The medley of trained voices carried far and wide so that trolley cars crossing the bridge halted to hear the unusual concert.

By 8 o'clock nearly two hundred canoeists who keep their craft at the Riest boathouse were getting together. The Park Department, under V. Grant Forrer, was ably represented and this city actively co-operated in every way to make the night attractive for the Park Department is keen to bring about up-to-date water facilities. Hundreds of Chinese lanterns were rigged up on the canoes, for and aft, and with war candle illumination the huge basin looked like fairy-land. Electric lights from the city plant had been adjusted several days ago and passers by along Front street quickly responded to the novelty of enjoying an impromptu

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Unofficial Fight Receipts Are Placed at \$452.00

Toledo, July 9.-Gate receipts

BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results
New York, 8; St. Louis, 1.
Chicago, 5; Philadelphia, 4.
Brooklyn, 2; Pittsburgh, 1.
Boston, 9; Cincinnati, 2 (first me).

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	W.	L.	F
New York	43	21	
Cincinnati	45	24	
Chicago	38	31	
Brooklyn	35	32	
Pittsburgh	35	34	
St. Louis	27	41	.:
Boston	25	39	
Philadelphia	18	44	
Schedule For T	o-day	7	
Cincinnati at Boston			
Pittsburgh at Brookl	yn.		

Chicago at Philadelphia. St. Louis at New York.

AMERICAN LEAGUE Yesterday's Results Cleveland, 4; St. Louis, 2.

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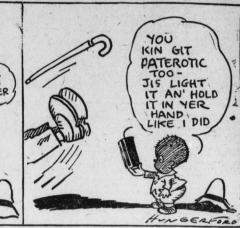
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HARRISBURG TELEGRAPH





By Hungerford

WEST END BEATS **GORDON FORD**

Famous Athlete Pitching For Engineers and Firemen Meets His Waterloo

LEAGUE STANDING
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West End 12 7 .631

S	Motive Power 11 8 .578
f	Commonwealth 9 10 .473
	E. and F 6 13 .315
8	Gordon Ford and "Ed" Stricker
	clenched in a pitcher's battle last
	evening at the West End park be-
1,	evening at the West End park be- fore a huge crowd which saw West End triumph over to the Engineers and Firemen, 4-1. It was another step in the ladder toward winning of title for West End which put up a consecutive brilliant game so that the foe could tally only once near the end of the game.
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	McKeever, l.f		0	3	0	0
	Bell, 2b	0	0	1	2	10
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	Cochlin, c	0	0	1	0	(
0	Strickler, p	1	1	1	3	(
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38	E. AND F					
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	Rote, 3b	0	0	2	2	1
ce,	Bennett, 1b	0	0	9	0	(

Toledo, July 9.—Gate receipts of the heavyweight championship contest between Jack Dempsey and Jess Willard here July 4, were unofficially announced to-night at approximately \$452,000. The attendance Promoter Tex Rickard said, was between 20,000 and 21,000. These approximate figures were authorized by Rickard because of the delay in arriving at the official attendance and receipts. Revenue agents are checking up the figures to determine the amount of war tax due the Government and they proably will not finish the task until late to-morrow. Promoter Rickard left for New York to-night without knowing exactly how much money the contest drew.

The Government will receive nearly \$41,000 in war tax.

PASSEDALL DECLITE.

Offer From Atlantic City

Atlantic City, July 9.—Local promoters have practically abandoned hope of inducing Jack Dempsey, new heavyweight champion, to box Willie Meehan here at the Inlet Ball

new heavyweight champion, to box Willie Mechan here at the Inlet Ball Park.

Dempsey was offered \$30,000 to box eight rounds, which is more than he got for whipping Jess Willerd. The Atlantic City promoters wanted Dempsey to box Labor Day. Dempsey is being deluged with vaudeville contracts and moving picture offers and feels he should be entitled to collect all the perquisites of a new champion.

Leon Rains, of Philadelphia, and Jimmy Dougherty, of Leiperville, are said to have Dempsey's promise to box in Philadelphia the first time he dons the gloves. Dougherty is an intimate friend of Dempsey. The bout probably would be held at the Phillies' Ball Park on the evening of Labor Day.

Mechan is the man the public would like to see Dempsey go against. Mechan is more of a clown than a fighter, but he has received a decision over Dempsey, which all the "explaining" of the latter's manager does not alter. The next time they meet Dempsey will put everything he has behind a wallop to Mechan's law to even the score.

BIG LEAGUE BALL AT ALLISON HILL WHEN **KLEIN CONQUERS STARS**

contribution, and I thank you for it."

That Elizabethtown is back of the team was in evidence last night by the great crowd that made up an auto party to this city. They were headed by William and Fred Klein, who were among the spectators. The crowd was pleased with the game played by the visitors, and when Connie Mack brings his team to this city the latter part of the month, everybody will be rooting for the Chocolate tossers.

Clad in white suits with chocolate trimming, the entire outfit looked nifty, and played big league ball from start to finish. The Hill League was fortunate in securing this attraction, and the fact that the Klein Brothers brought the team to this city and gave the candy gratis, sis indicative of the good sportsmanship on the part of the managers of the team. The score:

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t	Brown, lf	4	0				-
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	Harned, p	3	0	0	0	0	
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Middletown Ball Players 'Panned' by Hummelstown

The peaceful and ancient city of Hummelstown, once noted for its tranquillity and harmony, has been

Before a crowd that was conservatively placed at \$,000 fans, the celebrated Klein Chocolate Company, of Elizabethtown, won last light from the pick of the Allison Hill League by a score of 8 to 2. The spacious Reading Railway grounds at Seventeenth and Chesting the circulation of the last work of the condition of the capacity, and standing room was at a premium. It semed as though the circulation of the local aggregation aggregation, that has been winning form all comers.

If First Baseman Walsh pulled a time trick of the Chocolate management by deserting, but he was a most of the local aggregation made a credit. The condition of the fans of this city and "Bill" made good, as kay has led the New York State League as leading batter more than has "Ty" Cobb in the American League, And plat to shw york with his strange. The collection of the league in the fifth inning by Mayor Keister. The sum will be used to liquidate the debt on the grandstand. In presenting the thing the most critical moments that in the hird base foul line and on the strange of the collection of one of the best contribution of the league in the fifth inning by Mayor Keister. The sum will be used to liquidate the debt on the grandstand. In presenting the money to the president of the league in the debt on the grandstand. In presenting the money to the president of the league. Mayor Keister said: "At the league, Mayor Keister said: "At the debt on the grandstand. In presenting the money to the president of the league. Mayor Keister said: "At the collication of one of the best in the president of the league. Mayor Keister said: "At the debt on the grandstand. In presenting the money to the president of the league. Mayor Keister said: "At the debt on the grandstand. In presenting the money to the president of the league. Mayor Keister said: "At the debt on the grandstand. In presenting the money to the president of the league. Mayor Keister said: "At the debt on the grandstand. In presenting the money to the president of the league. The president o field.

The umpire also stated that the player had no right to come out from the bench and ask for the ball. This caused the Middletown play ers to blow up and walk off the field after having a lead of two runs on the fire company.

Middletown has given Hummels town the worst deals in the past games ever staged before a crowd of rooters, at Middletown. The best citizens of that borough told Manager Strickler he was a foolish man were representing; but he had made arrangements for the crowd at

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