

EISENBERGER IS STAR IN COMMONWEALTH VICTORY --- LEVAN LOSES HIS FIRST BATTLE

Eisenberger Is Puzzle to Motive Power Sluggers

By the score of 6 to 1 the Commonwealth Travelers trounced the strong Motive Power team on the West End league grounds at Fourth and Seneca streets last evening. The crowd was one of the largest of the twilight league season, spilling over into the playing space of the team.

The Commonwealth batters gathered 11 hits off Bamford and Ramsey, 8 off the slim South Harrisburg moundman and a quarter of a dozen off the former Tri-State League hurler. Four of the 11 hits were three baggers, the heavy clouters Smith, Fields, Eisenberger, Gerdes and Walter Smith. McCurdy also hit one of Eisenberger's slow balls for a triple. However, the heavy-hitting backstop for the Motive Power team, rapped out a double.

Motive Power scored its only run of the game in the final inning. Weaver romping across the rubber when McCurdy hit for three bases. Weaver got on first base with a class A single. He went to second when Minnich sacrificed, the latter going out at first when Eisenberger fielded his infield bingle to Klugh. Ramsey who followed Minnich, was hit by Eisenberger. L. Bell ran for him, and was caught at second on a quick peg to Walter Smith. Eberly ended the game when he hit to Boss, who made a splendid throw to Klugh.

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LEVAN LOSES TO ROSEWOOD TEAM

First Defeat For Reading Twirler in Allison Hill League

Reading, July 17.—East Waterford kept up its winning streak by taking the scalp of the Spruce Hill A. C. at Spruce Hill, after a twelve-inning battle. The score: EAST WATERFORD A. C. AB. R. H. O. E. Drolsbaugh, cf. 7 1 2 0 1 C. Long, c. 7 1 1 9 0 Kirk, 2b. 7 1 1 3 1 Hinebaugh, 1b. 7 1 2 12 0 R. Long, lf. 6 0 2 1 0 Jacobs, 2b. 6 2 2 5 0 Wertz, ss. 6 1 4 2 0 Harvey, p. 6 1 2 4 0 Given, rf. 6 1 1 0 0 Total. 58 9 18 36 2

For the first time this season "Lefty" Levan, captain and pitcher for the Reading Railways nine was given a defeat in the Allison Hill League after having gone through 11 weeks of the season without once having tasted defeat. Rosewood emerged the winner by a 7 to 0 tally.

Rosewood started the bombardment in the third inning and kept up the barrage in each of the next four innings, combining singles with a quartet of doubles. "Lefty" Chalenger was at his best for Rosewood and fanned 10 of the Readingites. He was ably supported by Catcher Cocklin, who is rapidly coming to the front as one of the very best. A No. 1 back stop.

"Dutch" Conner, who injured his right knee recently while pitching, was forced to retire from his place in left field when he again injured the member in chasing after a fly in the fifth inning. Eisenberger, the Reading short stop, showed his interest in the work when he took the field in his working clothes, after having come in from work on the railroad.

"Tally" Davies reached into the air and picked out a ball labeled for a homer in the fifth with much of the abandon displayed by any "kid," reaching up for a juscious sample of the Burbank's plums. Rosewood played errorless ball and deserved to win. Challenger struck out the side one, two, three in the second. "Bill" Reiff, center fielder of the Galahads in years gone by, saw the game from the grandstand. "Bill" has just returned from two years overseas. Reiff was always one of the league's leading hitters, and he may try out in the game to-night against St. Mary's.

Rosewood started its scoring in the third inning when Harle singled to right field and stole second. Dunkle drove him home with the first run of the game with a timely single. In the fourth round Emanuel singled to left field and pilfered second bag. Thompson sent him across the rubber with a well-placed drive to center field.

Four runs came across the platter in the fifth. After Harle fled out to center, Fortna singled. "Bill" came home when Dunkle doubled, the ball getting away from Conner who injured himself at this stage of the game. Bender, Emanuel and Thompson doubled in succession, making the fourth successive two-base hits, clinching the game. Levan struck out the next man and the inning ended. Harle reached second base on Davies' error of a fly, and raced home with the final score of the game when Fortna doubled. This latter play is now being the ball over the 400 mark, and last night had three hits in four trips to the plate. The same teams play again Friday night and Reading will be out for revenge. The score: READING AB. R. H. O. A. E. Swartz, c. 3 0 1 6 0 0 Conner, lf. 3 0 0 1 0 0 Levan, p. 3 0 0 1 0 0 Swartz, H. 3b. 2 0 0 0 1 0 Eisenberger, ss. 3 0 1 3 3 0 Brady, 2b. 3 0 0 0 1 0 Davies, cf. 3 0 0 0 0 1 Yentzer, rf. 3 0 0 0 0 0 Bowman, 1b. 3 0 2 7 1 0 Hocker, lf. 3 0 0 0 0 0 Total. 26 0 5 18 7 1

ROSEWOOD AB. R. H. O. A. E. Harle, 2b. 4 2 1 0 1 0 Fortna, cf. 4 1 3 1 0 0 Dunkle, lf. 4 1 2 1 0 0 Shafer, 3b. 4 0 0 1 4 0 Bender, 1b. 3 1 1 7 0 0 Emanuel, ss. 3 2 2 1 0 0 Thompson, rf. 3 0 3 0 0 0 Cocklin, c. 3 0 0 10 0 0 Challenger, p. 3 0 0 0 2 0 Total. 30 7 12 21 7 0 Reading. 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 Rosewood. 0 0 1 4 1 x-7 Two-base hits: Bowman, Bender, Emanuel, Thompson, Fortna, Strick out, Levan, 6; Challenger, 1. Stolen bases, Emanuel; Harle, 2. Passed ball, Swartz. Umpire, Dick Nebinger.

HERMIT KEPT WOMAN'S CLOTHES Los Angeles, Cal.—While investigating a burglary in the home of the late James Borge, better known as "Blak Charley," a recluse, Ontario officers found a trunk filled with a woman's apparel of the sort fashionable thirty years or more ago. Pioneers recalled that when Borge came to Ontario in the latter eighties, he discovered that his fiancée, who had preceded him, had married another man. He got possession of her trunk, and that was all he ever had to remind him of his blasted romance.

GOLD CROWN ON DOG'S TOOTH New Castle, Pa.—"Fay," a dog owned by Harry G. Kiser, a dog fancier of this city, now sports a gold tooth. One of her front teeth being bad, the services of a local dentist were secured. The old tooth was ground down and the gold cap placed in position without a whimper.

East Waterford Winner Over Spruce Hill Team

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SPRUCE HILL A. C. AB. R. H. O. E. Kline, rf. 5 0 0 0 0 Taylor, 2b. 6 0 1 5 1 Long, cf. 6 1 0 3 0 Esh, ss. 5 1 2 0 2 McClure, p. 5 0 1 2 0 Crawford, c. 5 0 0 9 2 Culbertson, 1b. p. 5 0 1 12 2 Souders, rf. 5 0 1 2 0 Brackbill, 3b. 5 0 2 2 0 Kennedy rf. 3 0 0 1 0 Total. 50 2 8 38 7

Waterford 0002000000007-9 Spruce Hill. 001010000000-2 Struck out—McClure, 6; Harvey, 8. Base on balls—McClure, 1. Wild pitches—McClure, 2. Stolen bases—Drolsbaugh, Kirk, Hinebaugh, 2; R. Long, 2; Jacobs, Given, Taylor, McClure.

Baseball Summary on League Contests NATIONAL LEAGUE Yesterday's Results All games postponed, (rain). Standing of the Clubs W. L. Pct. New York. 46 23 .666 Cincinnati. 49 25 .662 Chicago. 42 33 .554 Pittsburgh. 38 36 .514 Brooklyn. 37 35 .514 St. Louis. 39 44 .397 Boston. 28 44 .271 Philadelphia. 19 47 .270

Schedule For Today Pittsburgh at Boston. Cincinnati at Brooklyn. Chicago at New York. St. Louis at Philadelphia. AMERICAN LEAGUE Yesterday's Results Cleveland, 3; Boston, 1. Washington, 11; Chicago, 1. Detroit, 5; Philadelphia, 4. St. Louis, 5; New York, 0.

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Schedule For Today New York at St. Louis. Washington at Chicago. Philadelphia at Detroit. Boston at Cleveland. LOCAL SCHEDULE West End League Engineers and Firemen vs. West End, on Fourth and Seneca streets grounds, at 6:30 o'clock. Allison Hill League St. Mary's vs. Galahad on Seventeenth and Chestnut streets grounds, at 6:30 o'clock.

WOMAN BREAKS BACK Pottsville, Pa., July 17.—Rushing to see where the fire was for which an alarm had just been turned in, Mrs. Jacob Rodrian fell from a third-story porch at Third and Sanderson streets yesterday and is in the Pottsville Hospital dying from a broken back. The falling which should have protected the woman, broke under the pressure of her body.

The Country Faces a Serious Coal Shortage Next Fall Thousands of miners are quitting their work and returning to Europe, and coal production has fallen off considerably. There are no men to take their places. Harry A. Garfield, U. S. Fuel Administrator, speaks authoritatively when he says: "A shortage of many millions of tons looks probable."

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Connie Mack's Regulars Will Play at Island Park

Local baseball fans are talking about the coming game between the Philadelphia Athletics and the Klein Philadelphia Company team. All regulars in Connie Mack's lineup will be here. The Quakers will be enroute to Washington, D. C., and having a day off will stop over here for a game at Island Park.

Manager Mack is popular with the local fans even if he is directing a tail end team. One thing is certain he always has a bunch of comers, and his youngsters are worth seeing in any game. With former league stars in the Klein lineup the Athletics will have to travel some to win out. The game will start at 8:45 and will be played on H. A. C. diamond, Wednesday, July 23.

McGraw Releases Schupp to St. Louis Cardinals New York, July 17.—After a long conference between Manager John J. McGraw, of the Giants, and Branch Rickey, of the St. Louis Cardinals, which ended at an early hour this morning, an important baseball deal was completed which may be the foundation of other transactions. McGraw released Schupp, who has been with the Giants for six years, to go to the Cardinals in exchange for Catcher Frank Snyder.

The passing of Schupp long has been expected. He made a wonderful record as a lefthander when he helped the Giants to win twenty-six straight games in 1916 and also when he was a big factor in pitching the New York team into the World's Series, of 1917. Schupp's last winning game for the Giants was in the last big clash with the White Sox, whom he shut out at Polo Grounds. Schupp's arm suddenly became use-

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less a year ago last spring and refused to respond to treatment. In the morning game of last Decoration Day Schupp as a relief pitcher made a splendid showing against Brooklyn for seven innings and created the impression that he was about to recover his remarkable skill. But in subsequent attempts to come back he failed, and last week McGraw concluded that the Louisville kid's case was hopeless. Schupp, however, has insisted that if no can pitch twice a week he will regain control of the ball. This control has been of the infrequent times he has started in regular games.

SHE HAS MANY GRANDCHILDREN Sabetha, Kan.—Mrs. Bertha Marcum Perkins of this town, has reached her ninety-fourth birthday. She reared ten children and has sixty-nine grandchildren, 112 great-grandchildren, and twelve great-great-grandchildren.

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