Splendid Contests in Both Leagues Awaken Keen Interest-Athletics Almost Sure to Represent American League.

One prediction can be safely ventured at this time, and that is the world's series of 1911 will surpass in interest any ever played previously, no matter which teams win the pennant in the American and National leagues. The terrinc lights in both baseball organizations for the champlonship have keyed the "tans" up to a sixty-horse power pitch of excitement and the series of games for the world's title is bound to reap the ben-

At present it looks like a 50 to 1 bet that Connie Mack's Athletics will represent the American league in the battle. Who will represent the National league is a mooted question, and the man who would pick the winner of the pennant in the senior organization would be gambling with fate. But, granting that the Mackmen are pretty sure winners, let's look the field over.

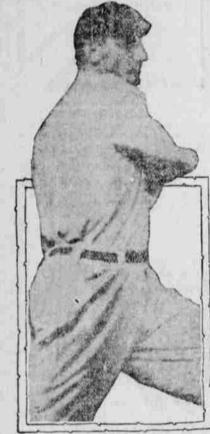
Chicago last year met the Athletics in the world's series a 3-to-2 favorite in many circles. The men who fought for Connie Mack made the Cubs look bad, winning four of five games played. It was a surprise and a shock to Chicagoans. But they have not forgotten. Nor have they been convinced that the machine of Frank Chance's building was working smoothly.

And if New York should be the opponent of the Athletics. Gracious! Philadelphians have not forgotten the drubbing "Muggsy" McGraw's Giants handed the Mackmen in 1905. They want revenge. In fact, many "fans" are hoping New York will be the National league contender so that Connie Mack and his crew can get back at the Giants. The short ride between the two cities would also be a factor in making the series a wonderful suc-

RUNTS AMONG LEAGUE STARS

Many Leading Players Today Are Short in Stature-More Midgets Than Ever.

"Give the little boys a chance." Can we ever forget that small poem of our Fourth Reader days. Apply it to baseball and think of the heart pangs of the little fellows of by-gone days who were turned away by the big league managers with the statement: "You're all right, but too



Manager Bobby Wallace.

small to make good in fast company Times innumerable has that remark binsted the hopes of some promising player who was given the cold shoulder because he did not weigh so-andso or was not of such and such a height.

The scene seems to be changing. however. The season of 1911 saw more midgets performing in the big leagues than ever before. And they were not the weak members of the teams with which they played. On the contrary, some of them were the stars of their clubs.

In almost every position on the diamond the little fellows were represented by some star. Some of them

Outfield-Josh Devore, New York Giants; Birdle Cree, New York Yankees; Tommy Leach, Pittsburg. Second base-Miller Huggins, Cardinals; Knabe, Philadelphia Nation-

Shortstop-Manager Bobby Wallace, St. Louis Americans; Hauser, Cardinals; Owen Bush, Detroit.

Third base-Bobby Byrne, Pittsburgh Pirates; Elberfeld, Washing-

Pitcher-Jack Warhop, New York Yankees.

Catcher-Jimmy Stephens, St. Louis Americans.

Every one of these is a bona fide midget star.

Bustling Busy Browns.

Mordecal Brown of the Cubs and "Buster" Brown of the Rustlers will their honors as the leading Brown curvers in the fast set. President Bob Hedges of the St. Louis Browns has riety halls from Burlington of the Cen- Moose Jaw and Matt Stanley Caltral association and appears to be the gary. original "Strike-Out Kid." Among his an eighteen and a nineteen strike-out game to his credit. "Righty" Brown twenty out of twenty-four games to ing to have Clarke up before the Na season, had his support not failed him

POSITIONS OF HARD HITTERS AT PLATE



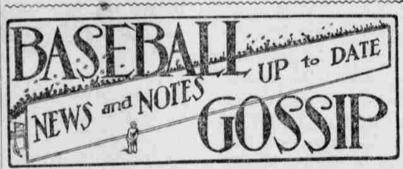
Many good batters keep their feet | fers at balls over his head or across other, both pointing out toward the field. diamond. Apparently he carries the Another star hitter, Eddie Collius, is not gracefully, co-ordinated.

his swing and his arms more so. Some- Pirates, hits the ball almighty hard. times he swings so hard he all but ing over the plate and occasionally of- eye.

close together, but Birdle Cree, one of the plate from him. On a hit and run the best, keeps his wide apart. He play he and Chase have been known faces the pitcher with body as well as to lunge across the plate and clout a head, his feet, one in front of the near wild pitch safely past the in-

weight on the forward foot and bats loose and shambling at the plate. His off of one leg. He makes a flagpole movements, however, are under perout of the bat and waves it, grasping fect control. He hasn't the quiet it at the end. He gets his whole poise of the more statuesque Lajoie, weight in his blows, but without being and his bat is held in various posia body swinger. Body, legs and arms | tions, though he doesn't wriggle it as all play their part effectively, though do some batters. Wherever held, he brings it into use with the swiftest Wagner's "form" varies according of motions when ready to hit He is to his mood. Usually the great Dutch- absolutely unconstrained at the bat, man stands with his feet well apart, the picture of unconcern, but for all but he can hit from any position and that alertly confident. Though comsometimes changes. His body is in paratively small, he, like Byrne of the

Ponderous or agile, awkward or falls down if he doesn't land, and graceful, style and form are of as sometimes he takes a slow swing. He much variance among the best batters is a batting genius who can afford to as there are batters. One thing they disregard canons about the ball com- have in common, the discriminating



Mentioning recent "comebacks"what's the matter with George Mui-Double-headers seem to mean uni-

formly two games won for the Athleties. Quinn, a young catcher from Manchester, Mass., has reported to the

Whenever Walter Johnson isn't

pitching the Senators to victory, he's winning games for thom by his pinch

The White Sox have sent Catcher Cooper to Dubuque. First Baseman Jack Beatty of the Dubuque team has been bought by the Sox. Pitcher Swindell of the Naps, who

halls from the Winston-Salem team, has the strikeout record of his league -the Carolina association.

Rube Oldring, in the Athletic-Boston double-header of September 6, made eight hits in ten times up, five

The Cincinnati Reds have no champlouship games on October 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, and will make a trip through Kentucky if satisfactory dates can be arranged.

Out of all the criticism of Philadelphia's apparent efforts to help Chicago, the Curtis-Rowan trade seems to be one in which the Phillies really

got something. Lewis Simmons, who was killed by a motor truck at Reading. Pa., rehave to go some next season to hold cently, was years ago, manager of the old Athletics of Phlladelphia. He

was seventy years of age. The Western Canada league closes picked up two Browns for trials next with Moose Jaw a winner and Calspring, a "Lefty" Brown and a gary second, Edmonton third and Sas-"Righty" Brown. The southpaw va- katoon fourth. Bill Hurley managed

again. In connection with his talk of wonderful ball this season, and if games in two days, while he also has putting Earl Moore on the market. Manager Chance and several of the Fred Clarke told him he couldn't trade other members of the club are to be Moore without the consent of Charley believed, "Lurid Lew" should not Murphy. Just for that Horace is go- have been beaten but one game all tional Commission

Rube Waddell's strikeout record will go shattered if Marquard can keep on at his present gait. Detroit has signed a Providence lad

named Emmett Crotty, who has played good ball for Dean academy. Lonergan is said to be fielding brilliantly for Boston, but he fails to cover second on force plays in a way

a player should. The Phillies now have but one first baseman, and if Luderus were injured

they would be in a hole. But the Cubs had to have help. Lee Hart, an infielder sold by the Fulton Kitty league team to the Phil-

adelphia Nationals, makes the fourth Kitty leaguer to go to the Phillies. Centralla wins the Washington State league pennant. Centralia has won every series, taking 17 out of the

18 games with the South Bend team. The National commission in the case of Player David Rowan, sustainin the first game in five times at bat. ed his claim for salary from the Peoria club of the Three I league from June 30 to July 19.

"Win or lose, I've got a team that is doing the best it can," said John J. McGraw. "They're out there trying, and if they succeed they are better pleased than their friends."

Pitcher Ed Stack may be wild at times, but the opposing side find his delivery anything but easy to hit. The Phillies might have worked him soon er to their own advantage

It is rather amusing to read in the Baltimore papers that Connie Mack paid Jack Dunn \$7,000 for Catcher Egan, when the fact of the matter is. that Mack loaned Egan to Baltimore under an agreement which gave him the privilege to recall him.

Lew Richie, the joke of baseball for several years, is now the pennant Horace Fogel is in the limelight nope of the Cubs. Richie has twiried

The Life-Giving シックラックラウラ Stream

THE NEWS OF

PENNSYLVANIA

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Freeland.-Steve Harlack was kill-

ed by a fall of coal and Michael

Welchko, his laborer, was fatally in-

jured in the Jeddo mines of G. B.

getting into a vaccination wound.

Diehl for reckless running.

in a fit of anger.

Stiffer were destroyed.

ward course.

was discharged.

mitted that he shot his wife while she

was asleep in bed and that he did it

Hollidaysburg. - Duncansville was

the scene of a destructive fire, and

for a time the entire eastern portion

of that town was threatened. A ware-

house and stable, owned by Norman

Wilt, and dwellings owned by Oliver

Stultz, William Gamble and L. D.

South Bethlehem -- Monroe B. Har-

wick, a former local Justice of the

Peace and one time member of the

State Legislature, while suffering from

an attack of melancholia, killed him-

self with a bullet that sped from a

revolver into his jaw and took an up-

South Bethlehem.-Because the offi-

clais of the Gabriel Hoslery Mills, at

petition of its employees that they be

not compelled to pay for damaged

socks and broken needles, 100 girls

went on a strike. Miss Edna Huns-

Blanchard was fatally injured at Pan-

scaffold making repairs to a dam over

broken Straw creek. The scaffold

broke and the men fell to the creek

bottom. Button fell on Blanchard. A

huge rock on the scaffold fell and

Pottsville.-Geo. Ople filed charges

saving of \$900 for the contractor.

struck the struggling man.

confessed the crime.

were reached and released.

a free man. Since his imprisonment

prison by the United States Patent

saving device or preserver for avia-

can manufacture his model, a patent

upon this will also be granted him,

and there will be no more deaths of

refused \$50,000 for his life-saving in-

ventions, and will hold out for double

Pittsburgh.-Vaccinated twenty-one

days ago upon entering school, Albert

G. Glass, aged six, dled at his home in

New Brighton, from lockjaw. The

vaccination, it is said, became infect-

ed a few days ago and tetanus de-

Bethlehem.-Five robbers waylaid

James Beller, of East Macungle, while

on his way home from Emaus and, be-

coming enraged at not finding any

money on his person, beat him ter-

ribly and threw him down an embank-

ment, where he was later found in an

Altoona.-While seated at the table

eating with the family, Annie Lech-

ner, aged seven, suddenly gave a

piereing cry, tumbled from her chair

and lapsed into unconsciousness, with

blood gushing from her mouth and

nose. She died of internal hemor-

Pottsville. - John Bock, son of

Mahlon Bock, a prominent hotel keep-

rhage before a doctor arrived.

apidly recolving circular saw.

unconscious condition.

are now three furnaces in blast in

that vicinity, with the prospects of

Markle & Co., in Jeddo.

Specially Arranged for This Paper

TIME—This prophecy of the Life giv-ing stream was written B. C. 57%, "in the beginning of the year." It was near the middle of the 70 years' captivity (605-536). The earlier prophecies of this second part of Egeklel were written 12 or 13 years be-

Norristown. - Elva Tarbutton, of of Ezeklel were written in or in years before in 536, 5.

PLACE—It was written at Tel-abib on the river Chebar in Babylonia, to the exiles scattered throughout that region.

PLACE IN HISTORY—It belongs to the second part of Ezeklel's prophecies, the object of which was to prepare the people for their return. It was like leaven working during the M years before the people were first to write apart in Palestine. Penn street, Camden, died at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. A. R. Tarbutton, from tetanus, caused by dirt Reading.-The torch was applied to the stack of the Empire Iron & Steel Company, at Topton, Thursday. There

another going in some time this fall. Easton.-The jury impanelled by Coroner Fetherolf to inquire into the death of Miss Catherine Warner, of this city, who was killed last week in an auto accident, found a verdict that it was due to excessive speed and reckless driving. Parents of the dead girl have entered suit against Diehl for \$5,000 damages, and District Attorney McKeen is looking into the case with a view of proceeding against Reading -- Matthew E. Vanaman, who was found guilty of the murder of his wife, Mary E. Vanaman, last February, was sentenced to be hanged by Judge Endlich. When asked if he had anything to say, Vanaman ad-

> herd. Their former rulers, whom God had placed as shepherds over his people in their own land, had proved false, and instead of leading them to the green pastures and still waters of obedlence and righteousness, bad done ought to do. They killed the flock instead of feeding it. They reglected the sick. They left the flock to be torn by wild beasts. They let them be them." Now God promised them a

Ezekiel became one of "the Society of Encouragers." The new day was yet nearly 50 years in the future, but the promise and the hope and the goal were from this time before their eyes. Coopersburg, refused to listen to the The possibility of redemption, of a new life of blessing, of a glorfous and perfect heaven, is one of the first essentials for escaping from a life of sin. The assurance of a perfect earth, of berger, who represented the strikers, the transformation of this world into the kingdom of heaven, is strength, Corry.-Isaac H. Button, of James- courage, success for those laboring for

In order to attain this hope, and ama. The men were standing on a realize this promise, it was absolutely necessary that they should have a change of heart. The heart in Scripture denotes the center of man's personal activities. It is the organ of thought, the seat of the affections, and all moral impulses, of choice, and love. From a right heart flows a right that the new county insane asylum life, from a wrong heart flows a wrong

to sorious charges concerning this church hours of Bible study and worbuilding, which will cost \$500,000 be ship, sacred days, some forms of servfore it is completed, now declares that | ice or ritual, persons set apart for rethe steel work is being boilted instead | ligious teaching-are essential to the of riveted as specifically required by cultivation of religion and the progthe contract. Opic says this involves ress of the truth. These forms and airs must indeed be filled with the York.-While his employer was at spirit. They that worship God "must worship him in spirit and in truth.'

\$250 horse and buggy of Henry in fact, there grew up among the exlles, religious organizations, syna-Kurtzz, a farmer of Hopewell Towngogues, schools, Sabbath keepingship, with whom he had been employed. Leonard took the team during which prepared them for their return the early part of September. Detect and their restoration as the visible tive White traced him back to his people of God. The temple was the home and arrested him. Leonard symbol of God's permanent presence. The glory of the Lord came into the house." "The glory of the Lord filled Mahanoy City.-After being en ombed in a gangway at Tunnel Ridge | the house" and "his voice was like a noise of many waters; and the earth colliery for ten hours, John Melusky, shined with his glory." "And he said Adam Anthony and Robert Dennis were rescued none the worse for their unto me, Son of Man, the place of my experience. The three men were throne, and the place of the soles of caught last night behind a rush in the my feet, where I will dwell in the midst gangway. Their absence was dis- of the children of Israel for ever, and my holy name, shall be the house of covered and a rescuing force organized, which never faltered in the face Israel no more defiled. of grave perlls, until the three men

ed out of the jail doors here Thursday | through the centuries. On the east side of the Jerusalem he invented a life-saver, which is temple there is a valley which leads destined to be used as one of the to the Dead sea. The healing waters, safety devices on liners and every sort | "a soft flowing stream, regarded as a of maritime craft, and he was granted symbol of the silent and unobtrusive a patent upon it while he was in influence of the divine presence in Israel, came from God, through his sano Office. He has also invented a life- tuary, the source of all good, all power for salvation. So six centuries tors, and declares that as soon as he later the powers which have changed the world, the widened stream of salvation, came from the risen Saviour. It cannot be useless to insist upon aviators. Though penniless, he has a clear understanding of the relative positions of the threshold from be-

> and the Dead sea which is to be head ed thereby. as in the Mediterranean itself. It

> heals the heavy sulphurous waters and they are filled with living things. So the new life that God was bringing to the exiles, would change all their discouragements and hardness of heart, their tendencies to sin and idolatry, all their heathen surroundings and influences which had deadened their consciences and darkened their hopes into despair-all this deadness into life and love and hope and obedience, into new energy and activity of all the fruits of the Spirit.

ness of the sinful heart into the fullness of spirit blessing and activity in righteousness. In the words of Maclaren: "Every thing shall live whithersoever the river cometh.'-let or of this place, was cut in two at a the quickening effects of the entrance Southern sawmill and was instantly of the Gospel into the Dead sea of filled. He was visiting his uncle's stagnant and rotten heathendom be lantation in the vicinity of St. Augus | our comment on that jubilant proph-

Sunday School Lesson for Oct. 8, 1911

LESSON TEXT—Ezekiel 47, 1-12, MEMORY VERSE—9. GOLDEN TEXT—"Whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely,"—Rev.

ere fitted to begin anew in Palestine. Nebuchadnezzar, king of Babylonia. Daniel still living as a statesman.

In our last lesson we studied the warnings by which God, through his prophet Ezekiel, would persuade Israel to so repent and return to God, that it would not be necessary to permit Jerusalem and the Temple to be destroyed. The people refused. The city was destroyed. The Temple was burned, and its treasures borne away by the Chaldeans. The best of the people, those in which were the greatest possibilities of good, and the largest capacity for being trained, were sent into far distant exile, for their schooling; very much as their ancestors were disciplined and trained in the wilderness that they might be enabled to take possession of the Promised Land.

They were as sheep without a shepnone of the things a ruler-shepherd 'scatteged upon the face of the earth, and none did search or seek after true shepherd.

town, was instantly killed and Charles this object,

building at Schuylkill Haven is being | life.

slighted. Opie, who has previously A home of worship, a temple or

tending a funeral James Leonard, a Hence these visions of Ezekiel, And yours Baltimorean, drove off with the

One thing only was wanting, the waters of eternal life, the Holy Spirit, Pottsville.-Pardoned by the Gover- in each one who receives, a well of nor, George Haines, who was serving water springing up into everlasting sions were doing all that time! life. It is the stream of salvation, a long sentence in the Schuylkill county prison for horse stealing, walkwidening into the gospel, flowing

> The river brings life, wherever its waters flow. The Dead sea, wherein "it is impossible for any form of life to flourish, not even salt-water fish," it fills with fish as many and great

low which the waters proceed forth,

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Miss Oldgirl-What do you think of Fred proposing to me when he hasn't known me a week? Miss Frank-I think that's the rea-

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