

IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

Sheckard, Cubs' Veteran Outfielder, Who May Be Traded.



Photo by American Press Association.

Rumors are now in circulation along the National League circuit that Jimmie Sheckard, the Cubs' veteran outfielder, will not wear a Chicago uniform next season.

New Australian Swimming Phenom. It took time to get here, but the Australian man finally brought the following, which is given unobtrusively: "For several years Australia has been remarkable for the production of fast swimmers, and the land of the kangaroo has maintained its reputation this season with another out and out phenom. Unlike the Cavills, Klernan, Wickham and Beaupaire, who took more or less time to develop into the championship class, this new man, or rather, boy, has earned record fame at almost his first header into the brine.

Jem Driscoll Now Bookmaker. Jem Driscoll, England's featherweight champion, has permanently retired from the ring to become a bookmaker's partner on the English turf. In a recent interview Driscoll said that he didn't believe his health would allow him to train again and that, furthermore, he was tired of the game.

Innovation For Cricket. An interesting innovation was tried in Edinburgh by playing cricket with a time limit. A team of professionals brought together by Plovering of the Academicals opposed a team composed of the best amateur players in that city, each side being allowed two hours to bat, the highest score deciding the match.

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Fletcher Duplicates Racing Success. The double success scored by J. Clarence Fletcher of Toronto in his Japanese racing last year, when he won the Emperor's cup and the Championship cup at the Nippon Race club's meeting with the Australian bred mare Woodbine, has been duplicated this season by the young Canadian. A mare called Blue Bonnets won both cups this year.

TROTTER UHLAN IS PARTICULAR PIECE OF HORSEFLESH.

Uhlán, the world's champion trotter, is a mighty particular piece of horseflesh when it comes to drinking water. Not so very long ago Tom Logan, who is proud of being Uhlán's valet, hit upon the plan of furnishing Uhlán with spring water to drink. Tom figured he would give the gelding a treat for a few days, but he had no intentions of continuing the practice.

STYMIE IS DOOMED.

Old Feature of Golf Likely to Be Eliminated. The gun fired recently in the west intimating a renewal of the attack upon the much abused stymie has been heard with conflicting emotions in the east. Just because a well known player in some important match happens to lose a hole at a critical point, through being laid a stymie, fails to change a situation or condition that has existed for generations, say the loyal supporters of the old school.

BURKE HAS MADE GOOD.

Brooklyn Middleweight Entitled to Be Classed With Crackerjacks. Why all the holler about Sailor Burke, lads? He cleaned Mr. Willus Papke just as well as any fighter was ever cleaned, and yet some writers refer to the tar as a third rater.

Heart on His Right Side. Bloomfield Boy Eleven Years Old Before Fact is Discovered. The fact that the heart of eleven-year-old William Stevens of Bloomfield, N. J., is on the right side of his body was revealed recently.

Mexico Fears Revolt. Calls Off Independence Day Festivity of Sept. 16. Fear of an uprising against the government on the anniversary of Mexican independence, Sept. 16, will result in almost all celebration being postponed this year.

Inspector of Sheets. Kansas Has an Official to Look Over Hotel Bedclothing. Kansas now has an official inspector of bedclothes. He is John Kleinhaus, who has been directed by the state board of health to see that Kansas hotel patrons get what the law says they are entitled to when they pay their money.

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DEAD AUTHOR WON A SUFFRAGE PRIZE.

Miss Taylor's Hymn Accepted Two Weeks After Her Demise.

A poem written by Miss Minetta Theodora Taylor, educator and author, of Greencastle, Ind., has been awarded the \$100 prize offered by the woman's suffrage party of New York for a national suffrage anthem.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION SUBMITTED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION, BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, AND PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

A JOINT RESOLUTION. Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, so as to consolidate the courts of common pleas of Allegheny County.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly, met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

Section 6. In the county of Philadelphia all the jurisdiction and powers now vested in the district courts and courts of common pleas, subject to such changes as may be made by this Constitution or by law, shall be in Philadelphia vested in five distinct and separate courts of equal and co-ordinate jurisdiction, composed of three judges each. The said courts in Philadelphia shall be designated respectively as the court of common pleas number one, number two, number three, number four, and number five, but the number of said courts may be by law increased, from time to time, and shall be in like manner designated by successive numbers.

In the county of Allegheny all the jurisdiction and powers now vested in the several numbered courts of common pleas shall be vested in one court of common pleas, composed of all the judges in commission in said courts. Such jurisdiction and powers shall extend to all proceedings at law and in equity which shall have been instituted in the several numbered courts, and shall be subject to such changes as may be made by law, and subject to change of venue as provided by law.

A JOINT RESOLUTION. Proposing an amendment to section eight, article nine, of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 2. Amend section eight, article nine, of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:—

"Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as heretofore provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation of property, without the assent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law; but any city, the debt of which now exceeds seven per centum of such assessed valuation, may be authorized by law to increase the same three per centum, in the aggregate, at any one time, upon such valuation," so as to read as follows:—

Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as heretofore provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation of property, without the assent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law; but any city, the debt of which now exceeds seven per centum of such assessed valuation, may be authorized by law to increase the same three per centum, in the aggregate, at any one time, upon such valuation, except that any debt or debts hereinafter incurred by the city and county of Philadelphia for the construction and development of subways for transit purposes, or for the construction of wharves and docks, or the reclamation of land to be used in the construction of a system of wharves and docks, as public improvements, owned or to be owned by said city and county of Philadelphia, and which shall yield to the city and county of Philadelphia current net

revenue in excess of the interest on said debt or debts of the interest on installments necessary for the cancellation of said debt or debts, may be excluded in ascertaining the power of the city and county of Philadelphia to become otherwise indebted. Provided, That a sinking fund for their cancellation shall be established and maintained.

ROBERT MCAFEE, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

NOTICE OF UNIFORM PRIMARIES.

In compliance with Section 3, of the Uniform Primary Act, notice is hereby given to the electors of Wayne county, Pa., of the County, Township and Borough officers to be nominated at the Primaries to be held at the regular polling places in each election district from 2 to 8 p. m.

Saturday, September 30, 1911.

For county officers, each of the political parties is entitled to nominate as follows:

- One person for Judge of the Court of Common Pleas.
One person for Prothonotary and Clerk of the Courts.
One person for Sheriff.
One person for District Attorney.
One person for Register of Wills and Recorder of Deeds.
One person for County Treasurer.
One person for Coroner.
One person for Mine Inspector, 8th District.
Two persons for County Commissioners.
Two persons for County Auditors.
The terms of all Township and Borough officers who were elected in 1908 for a three-year term will expire the first Monday in December and their successors are to be nominated and elected as follows:
One person for Supervisor for 4 years.
One person for Constable for 4 years.
One person for Assessor for 4 years.
Two persons for Overseer of Poor for 4 years.
One person for Auditor for 4 years.
Two persons for School Directors for 2 years.
Two persons for School Directors for 4 years.
One person for School Director for 6 years.
One person for Judge of Election for 2 years.
One person for Inspector of Election for 2 years.
One person for High Constable in each Borough.
Town Councilmen to fill the place of those elected in 1908.
Justice of the Peace in place of those elected in 1906.
One Town Treasurer in Townships that elect them.
One person for Registration Assessor in each election district in townships that have two or more polling places.
If any Supervisor is holding office by appointment by Court, his term expires and his successor must be nominated for a two-year term.
School Director candidates must designate on their petitions for which year-term they are candidates.
Petitions for county office can be obtained at the Commissioners' office.
Petitions for Township and Borough office can be had of the party committeeman in each district or at the Commissioners' office.
All petitions for County, Township or Borough office must be filed in the Commissioners' office on or before Saturday, September 9, 1911.
Judicial candidates must file their petitions with the Secretary of the Commonwealth on or before Saturday, September 2, 1911.

J. E. MANDEVILLE, J. K. HORNBECK, THOMAS C. MADDEN, Commissioners. Attest: Geo. P. Ross, Clerk. 62eol 3.

SPECIAL ELECTION.

To M. Lee Braman, Esquire, High Sheriff of the County of Wayne, Greeting:

Whereas, in consequence of the death of the Honorable George W. Kipp, who was a member of the Sixty-second Congress, from the Fourteenth Congressional District, composed of the counties of Wayne, Susquehanna, Wyoming and Bradford, a vacancy exists in the representation of this State in the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States. Now, therefore, I, John K. Tener, Governor of said Commonwealth, in pursuance of the provisions of the Constitution of the United States and of an Act of the General Assembly, entitled "An Act relating to the elections of this Commonwealth," approved the second day of July, A. D. 1839, have issued this writ commanding you, the said M. Lee Braman, Esquire, High Sheriff as aforesaid, to hold an election in the county of Wayne, on Tuesday, the seventh day of November, A. D. 1911, for the election of a representative of the people of this Commonwealth in the House of Representatives of the United States, to fill the vacancy aforesaid, and you are hereby required and en-

D. & H. CO. TIME TABLE---HONESDALE BRANCH

Table with columns for A.M., P.M., Stations (Albany, Binghamton, Philadelphia, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Carbondale, Lincoln Avenue, Whites, Fairview, Canaan, Lake Lodore, Waymart, Keene, Steets, Prompton, Fortville, Seelyville, Honesdale) and times.

joined to give lawful notice, and cause to be held and conducted the said election, and make return thereof in manner and form as by law is directed and required.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State, at the City of Harrisburg this fourteenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven and of the Commonwealth the 136th.

JOHN K. TENER.

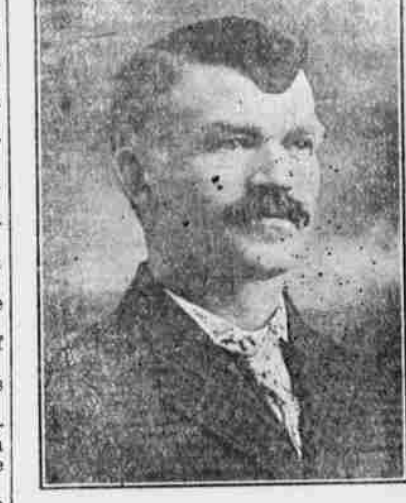
By the Governor: Robert McAfee, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

FOR TREASURER.



W. W. WOOD. I most respectfully solicit your support at the primaries September 30, 1911.

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