

# NEWS from the WORLD of SPORTS

The managers who sought easy trades from John L. Taylor in the American league, are downcast over his retirement.

Sam White, Princeton's champion pig-skin snatcher and captain of Old Nassau's nine, will play on the Maryland Athletic club nine next summer.

George Schief is looking better than he has for a long time. He is in perfect shape and ought to be of great help to the Cubs, with whom he has signed for this season. He expects to take his regular turn behind the bat with Jimmy Archer.

Captain Mike Mitchell may decide to spend a few weeks at Charleston before joining the Reds for spring training at Columbus, Ga.

Clarke Griffith is finding it a hard task to find a suitable man to lead off in the Washington batting order. "Oh, for Bob Bescher," sighs Griff.

Harry Wolverton is after some of the Pacific coast stars for his Highlander team.

Lou Ritter, a Harrisburg boy, is the only pitcher Indianapolis has for next year. Manager Burke is losing much sleep in worrying as to where he will get another pitcher target.

Some club might do worse than pick up Detective Burns as a scout.

Charley Hemphill says "inside baseball will be drilled into the heads of my Atlanta team this season."

Jimmy McAleer says that he has got a team in Boston with corking good pennant chances and declares he will be satisfied with nothing but first place. According to Connie Mack and Hugh Jennings, McAleer will be a most dissatisfied man next fall.

### Delaney, Trainer, Dead.

William F. (Billy) Delaney, the famous light trainer, died at his home in Oakland, Cal., Friday afternoon after a lingering illness. He was not felt right since he came east a year ago, catching cold at that time and for the past four months he has been confined to his bed. He was 58 years old.

Most of the great fighters in the past twenty-five years were brought up by Delaney, the last of his charges being Jack Johnson, who seems to have no equal in the ring.

Mr. Delaney was born in California and made his home in the west, though he had traveled the world over and was known to followers of the prize ring in every large city in his country. He was a retiring man, not much given to speech. Despite his influence on the careers of Corbett, Jeffries, Britt and Johnson, he made little money out of pugilism. He was never known to make a large wager and was not interested financially in pugilistic ventures.

A splendid boxer, Mr. Delaney was the first man to impress upon his pupils the value of footwork in the ring. He began by training "Joe" Thoyanski and when James J. Corbett defeated the latter in California, Mr. Delaney, quick to see Corbett's possibilities, took him up and trained him for his successful encounter with John L. Sullivan. Mr. Delaney broke with Corbett before the latter's defeat by Fitzsimmons. When the young giant, Jeffries, appeared, Mr. Delaney took him up, taught him to be nimble on his feet and skilful with his powerful arms and soon had him at the top of the pugilistic ladder.

George W. Cockill, first baseman and leading batsman of the Tri-State league last season has been elected manager of the Harrisburg club for the coming season and last week signed a contract. Cockill will work for the new owners of the Harrisburg franchise, the Pennsylvania Amusement Company.

For several months the deal to purchase Cockill to Harrisburg to manage the destinies of the Senators has been under way but it was only last week that the popular athlete was able to dispose of his holdings in the leading club and secure his release. Cockill last season was a part owner of the championship Reading club and was its president. With Bill Laughlin, the manager and Thomas Gray, the secretary, Cockill owned two-thirds of the stock, but he disposed of his entire holdings to Tom Gray and is now ready to pitch in and give the Harrisburg baseball fans the best of his ability as a manager.

Possibly no better selection could have been made by the new owners of the Harrisburg club.

George Stovall is still a member of the Cleveland Naps, although he will probably be used in a trade before long.

Connie Mack thinks pretty well of the Highlanders pitching staff. He says that Ford, Caldwell, Warhop, McConnell and Vaughn will keep the McKees in the race all season.

In regard to the losing of Pitcher Salmon, Roger Bresnahan says: "Well, I never did like fish, anyhow."

There is many a player who strolls up to the plate swinging three bats who can't swing one successfully.

The first month of the new year is almost gone and we have not yet heard that Cy Young has pitched his last game, nor that Hans Wagner has retired from the game. This bids fair to be an unusual season.

Mike Donlin admitted that he is one of the oldest ball players in point of service in the National league. Mike has seen 34 summers.

President Hedges, of the Browns, would like to engage an experienced track man to help train his men in baserunning.

Washington writers are preparing a soft place for Clark Griffith to light, by telling the National fans that they must not expect a first division club out of their team in the coming American league race.

### NORWAY TO DEVELOP NAVY.

Cabinet Proposes to Construct Ships and Fortifications.

The cabinet has resolved to propose to the storting that it vote an extraordinary credit of 16,500,000 kroner (\$4,125,000) for the development of Norway's naval defense. The plan is to add to the present navy two armored cruisers and a flotilla of torpedo boats and includes also the construction of fortifications along the western coast.

The general feeling through the country is in favor of protecting Norwegian waters, which, it is believed, will be the battle place in a future war between great powers.

### BISMARCK'S FRIEND DEAD.

Joseph M. von Radowitz Assisted in Building German Empire.

Joseph M. von Radowitz, formerly German ambassador to Constantinople and Madrid, is dead. He was probably the latest surviving colleague of Prince Bismarck in the building up of the German empire. It was he who laid the foundation of German influence in the Turkish empire while he was ambassador at Constantinople.

He retired from active service in 1908.

### Useful.

A breezy western lumber salesman stopped at the Walton for a few days, returning from a trip abroad. In the course of his second evening he had made friends with half a dozen men from other cities.

"Yes, boys," he said, insisting that they take wine. "I can well afford to pay for the bubbles. Why, when I was in Europe I pulled off a little deal that will net me more than the cost of a thousand trips over the pond."

"You see, I trade principally in white woods free from knots. Of course pine knots are waste, only good for firewood. But I just made a deal with a Swiss toy factory, and I'll send all the knots and knotholes!"

"What do they use 'em for?" asked the inquisitive one.

"Ear holes for wooden horses," came back the answer.—Philadelphia Times.

### Seasonable Comparison.

There are down in my cellar a couple of meters  
And two or three kinds of coal,  
A barrel or two, and a laundry stove,  
And, bless my soul,  
There isn't a great deal there beside,  
Which is for a cellar a pity,  
Considering what a cellar's for!  
So much for the city.

But I know a fellow whose cellar is full of  
The things that a cellar should hold  
Along in the fall, when the days are soft  
And the nights are cold.  
It is fragrant with cider and apples and  
seeds,  
And the winter can do him no harm,  
Or blow as it will, or snow as it will.  
He lives on a farm.  
—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

### Reference to Age Riled Her.

Mr. Wibbles—What fine dark hair you have, Miss Knox. My wife, who is younger than you are, has her hair quite gray.  
Miss Knox—Yes, and if I'd been your wife no doubt my hair would have been gray too.—Boston Transcript.

### Like Mother Used to Make.

You may sing of apple fritters  
That the cooks have learned to make,  
You may long of apple dumplings  
That your wife puts in to bake,  
You may have your brand new dishes  
That are made to please the eye,  
But you'll never find a substitute  
For good old apple pie.  
—Spokane Spokesman-Review.

### A Memory Gem.

I love to pick the flowers sublime  
That grow beyond the river,  
But when it comes to dinner time  
I'd rather dine on liver.  
—New York Globe.

### She Stopped Him.

"I started to tell my wife about a woman who made her own gowns."  
"Well?"  
"She capped my story with one about a man who made \$1,000,000 and bought his wife \$11,000 worth of gowns."—Washington Herald.

### Sporting Item.

Five little men went hunting  
Out where the rabbits roam;  
Three little men got in the way,  
And two little men came home.  
—Birmingham Age-Herald.

## For the Children

A Little Girl's Fine Valentine For Papa.



Photo by American Press Association.

See what this little lady fair has drawn upon her slate—a heart for papa's valentine. He'll surely appreciate it very much when he sees the picture. It was pretty hard work to get the lines just right, but you can see how well she succeeded. And little brother helped some too. He didn't bother a bit while the artist was at work. He just looked on and wondered at his talented sister's skill. He would have made a valentine, too, but somehow the pencil wouldn't go right and kept sprawling all over the slate. Perhaps by next year he'll be able to draw a beautiful valentine.

### Lincoln's Kind Heart.

One cold winter day Abraham Lincoln came upon a poor man who had been hired to chop up an old but into firewood. The poor fellow was barefoot, thinly clothed and shivering from the cold, and he was so weak that he could hardly raise the ax.

Lincoln stopped the man in his work and said, "How much are you getting for this job?"

"A dollar," said the woodchopper, "and with it I must buy myself a pair of shoes."

"You go inside and warm yourself for a few minutes," said Lincoln as he took the ax from the woodchopper.

Then he swung the ax mightily and soon had the old but split up into kindlings. He had done it so quickly that the man could hardly believe his eyes. The poor woodchopper received his money and bought his shoes and never forgot the kindness of Abraham Lincoln.

### About St. Valentine.

How our simple valentine customs ever came to be connected with so noble and revered a person as St. Valentine has ever been a mystery. There are many theories as to how this came about, but the most probable one is that the custom descends from the ancient Romans and can be traced to their festivals of the Lupercalia, which came on the 14th of February. At this celebration names of young women were put into a box, from which they were drawn by young men.

The fathers of the church put their veto on these personal drawings and in place of the young women's names substituted the names of the saints, each person thus choosing a patron saint for the coming year. This change (by chance) was made one St. Valentine's day, the anniversary of the martyrdom of Valentine, an old time saint.

### A Lincoln Story.

A young sergent distinguished himself by his gallantry at Donelson and was recommended for promotion. He was summoned to appear before a military board at Washington and closely questioned by West Point graduates. None of his answers was satisfactory. When the report reached President Lincoln he fidgeted for a moment, laid the paper on his desk, then, taking one gaunt knee in his hands, said: "I don't know what to do with this case. Here's a young fellow who knows nothing of the science of losing battles. He doesn't even know the technical name of the fortification on which he ran up the stars and stripes in the face of the enemy." He thought a moment, then indorsed the report, "Give this man a captain's certificate."

### Conundrums.

When may a man be said to breakfast before he gets up? When he takes a roll in bed.  
What is the difference between a tunnel and a speaking tube? One is hollowed in; the other is hollowed out.  
When is a sick man a contradiction? When he is an impatient patient.  
What is taken from you before you get it? Your portrait.  
When is a horse a victim of the inquisition? When it is fastened to the rack.

### A Happy Valentine.

If I could be a valentine  
I know what I would do—  
I'd get into an envelope  
And travel straight to you.  
And if the postman didn't know  
Your name is Baby Dear  
And where you live I'd shake his bag  
As soon as he was near.  
And then with all my might I'd jump  
And run across the street.  
I'm sure that he'd jump too to find  
A valentine had feet.  
I'd ring the bell and ring the bell  
A minute and a half,  
And when you came and saw 'twas I,  
Oh, my, how we would laugh!

### STATEMENT OF

#### HONESDALE BOROUGH ACCOUNTS

For the fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1911

GEORGE W. PENWARDEN, Treasurer,  
In account with the Borough of Honesdale,  
DR.

To cash from	\$ 1562 20
G. M. Genung, Treas.	40 00
Kretzner for sewer connection	6 00
Nickel for license	10 00
John Torrey est. cleaning walks	10 00
H. Schuerholz, on taxes 1910	900 00
County Treasurer, liquor license	2100 00
H. H. Dietrich, license to Dec. 1	12 00
J. J. Canivan, dog tax	62 25
Show Houses	12 00
Net proceeds National Bank note	208 75
Fred Saunders, com on 39 licenses	200 00
Net proceeds National Bank note	1492 70
Fines and licenses	18 00
H. Schuerholz, tax col., 1911 tax	8000 00
For store	7 50
State Treas. Foreign Fire Ins. Co.	307 25
Anna Keen, part payment on sewer	30 00
	\$16999 57

### CR.

By disbursements as follows:

Labor & team work on streets & parks	\$ 2961 45
Honesdale Electric L. & P. Co.	3027 00
Honesdale Gas & Water Co.	825 30
Police service, Degrad.	530 00
Police service, Insurance	450 00
Kraft & Conger, coal and carting	175 91
Consolidated Telephone Company	130 00
Bell Tel. Co., Dec. 1, 1911	31 00
G. J. Mueller, treas state ins fund	307 25
Kretzner Bros. for lumber	12 25
W. B. McGinnis	6 15
J. H. Bowen, stone	72 60
M. J. Hanlan, recording petitions	6 50
Interest on notes and bonds	498 00
Honesdale National Bank note	200 00
Honesdale National Bank note	1500 00
Honesdale Nat'l Bank note, int.	6 50
Seaman, Irwin & Brennan, use of roller	2070 60
Wayne Co. cooperative Ass., soda	12 00
G. M. Genung, for incidentals	3 20
J. B. Robinson, insurance	30 00
L. S. Collins, surveying	12 00
Premium on Treasurer's bond	97 00
Seal for duplicate ground	2 25
Record & deed of ground	12 00
Texas township for use of crusher	200 50
Record & deed duplicate	30 00
W. B. Holmes, seeds	2 50
Fire Department expenses:	
Repairing hose truck	\$ 1 75
Work on hose cart	4 00
Fire	5 00
Work on hose Knoll fire 2 50	
W. B. Holmes, for flag	2 00
Bittenbender Co., repairs flag	21 25
J. M. Lyons, salary chief en-	
gineer to Jan. 1, 1912	75 00
John Carrick, salary assist-	
ant engineer to Jan. 1,	
Chas. Truscott, salary stoker	37 50
	18 75
Advertising and printing	20 90
Book for script	21 75
J. P. Brady, pole for flag	2 00
Cortright & Son, street sprinkler	7 50
G. A. McCarty, at'y. sal. Jan. 1, 1912	8 00
W. J. Barnes, post for dumping	6 50
Repairs on City Hall	79 25
Chas. Bullock, dynamite	12 10
Mrs. W. J. VanKeuren, work on	
script	110 95
J. M. Lyons, work on planks	4 50
Andley general state tax	45 32
H. Hartung, audit	2 00
Thomas Fuller, auditor	4 00
F. F. Ham, auditor	4 00
Frank P. Condit, auditor	4 00
Erk vros, sundries	11 60
Donation to G. A. R.	25 00
Samuel Morrison, sundries	25 00
Horses for Fire Department	150 00
Secretary's salary to Jan. 1, 1912	52 10
Treasurer's salary to Jan. 1, 1912	60 00
Salary of Sec. of Board of Health	50 00
Graham Wain, sundries	8 50
Atlantic board for tramps	7 50
Express	5 00
Atlantic Heating Company for oil	18 00
Wm. Penwarden estate, lumber	41 75
	\$13293 31
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1911	1079 26
	\$14372 57

### BOROUGH INDEBTEDNESS.

T. & J. Finnerty, note dated Feb 10 1908, at 6 per cent.	\$1500 00
John Page Estate, note at 4 per cent.	1800 00
J. M. Lyons, note dated Aug. 12, 1892 at 6 per cent.	500 00
	\$3800 00

### BONDS AT 4 PER CENT.

Nathan Houck Estate	\$ 250 00
John W. Miller	250 00
John L. Miller	1500 00
Wm. Wain	500 00
John M. Lyons	500 00
Wm. Lemminger	500 00
Geo. W. Penwarden	500 00
J. D. Houck	500 00
John L. Miller	1000 00
	\$2500 00
	\$12500 00

### STATEMENT OF BOROUGH TAX.

1909.	
Bal. due from H. Schuerholz, subject to exonerations, commissions, etc., March 1, 1911	\$ 963 40
1910.	
Bal. due March 1, 1910	1865 50
April 6th, reg'd.	\$ 500 00
Dec. 1911.	60 00—\$900 00
Bal. due less exonerations, commissions, etc.	\$ 960 50
1911.	
Duplicate	
Less cash paid Sept. 8th	\$ 1000 00
Oct. 6th	5000 00
Nov. 3rd	2000 00—8000 00
Bal. due subject to exonerations, commissions, etc.	\$ 1862 85

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the receipts and expenditures for the borough of Honesdale, for the year ending Dec. 31, 1911; also of the liabilities and balances due from tax collectors as per statement herewith.

GEORGE W. PENWARDEN, Treas.

We, the undersigned, auditors of the borough of Honesdale, have examined the accounts of G. W. Penwarden, Treas., and find the same to be correct according to statement showing cash in the hands of the Treasurer to be \$1079 26.

T. FRANK HAM,  
FRANK TRUSCOTT, (Auditors,  
THOS. M. FULLER.)

Detailed cost of re-building streets, viz:  
Main Street, 40 ft. wide, 5 in. thick..... \$103 75  
Park Street..... 92 75  
Court Street..... 284 75  
Terrace Street..... 24 75

250 tons crushed stone..... \$890 12  
For steam roller..... 500 00  
Labor..... 605 00  
\$1995 77

### NO REASON FOR DOUBT.

A Statement of Facts Backed by a Strong Guarantee.

We guarantee complete relief to all sufferers from constipation, or, in every case where we fail, we will supply the medicine free.

Regular Orderlies are a gentle, effective, dependable, and safe bowel regulator, strengthener, and tonic. They aim to reestablish nature's functions in a quiet, easy way. They do not cause inconvenience, griping, or nausea so easily that they may be taken by any one at any time. They thoroughly tone up the whole system to healthy activity.

Regular Orderlies are unsurpassable and ideal for the use of children, old folks, and delicate persons. We cannot too highly recommend them to all sufferers from any form of constipation and its attendant evils. Three sizes, 10c., 25c., and 50c. Remember, you can obtain Regular Remedies in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store.

A. M. LEINE.

### SLEEPERS ARE WELCOME AT CAMBRIDGE CHURCH.

Pastor Says They Are Harmless and Don't Criticize Sermon.

Sleeping men are welcome at Union Congregational church, Cambridge, Mass., of which the Rev. Allan A. Stockdale is pastor. Dr. Stockdale says: "It isn't because men are afraid they will go to sleep in church that so many of them do not attend, but they hate to be nudged by their wives and are afraid of the consequences after they get home."

"Let them go to sleep if they want to. They are harmless when they are asleep. Do not poke or nudge or pinch them. Sleeping men in the pews when I am preaching do not worry me at all. On the other hand, they often cause me pleasure. The sleeping man can't find anything to complain about in my sermon or write indignant letters to me afterward."

"There are many reasons why men go to sleep. Many of them have been hustling during the week, and when they come into a warm church and restful pews they can't avoid sleeping. Heavy air and heavy sermons are also responsible. The music is soothing too. Let the man fall asleep. The rest will do him good perhaps."

### \$400,000 REALIZED.

1911 Sale of Red Cross Seals Established a Record.

Greatly increased income for the fight against tuberculosis resulted from the sale of the Red Cross seals in the Christmas season. Four hundred thousand dollars' worth of these seals which were purchased by the public and placed on the back of letters last December have been distributed. This means 40,000,000 seals at 1 cent each, an increase of 10,000,000, or 33 1/3 per cent, more than the amount disposed of during the holidays of 1910.

The seals were sold under the general direction of the National Red Cross and the National Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis. These organizations reserve together 12 1/2 per cent. The cost of printing the posters and various charges are paid out of this allowance, and what remains of that percentage is divided between the two national organizations for their work.

### NOTICE OF APPEALS.

The Commissioners of Wayne county, Pa., have fixed the following days and dates respectfully for hearing general appeals from the assessment of 1912 at the Commissioners' office, Honesdale, Pa.:

Tuesday, Jan. 30, 1912, Honesdale and Texas.

Wednesday, Jan. 31—Berlin, Damascus, Manchester, Buckingham, Lebanon, Oregon.

Thursday, Feb. 1—Scott, Starrucca, Preston, Mt. Pleasant, Cherry Ridge, Dyberry, Bethany.

Friday, Feb. 2—Chinton, Canaan, South Canaan, Prompton, Waymart, Lehigh, Dreher.

Saturday, Feb. 3—Salem, Sterling, Lake, Hawley, Palmyra, Paupack.

Real estate valuations cannot be changed this year except where improvements have been made, some noticeable depreciation or errors.

Persons who have complaints can mail them to the Commissioners' office, Honesdale, Pa., and they will receive consideration by the Assessors and Commissioners.

JOHN MALE,  
EARL ROCKWELL,  
NEVILLE HOLGATE,  
Commissioners.

Thomas Y. Boyd, Clerk 32013  
Honesdale, Pa., Jan. 17, 1912.

### SHERIFF'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of process issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Wayne county, and State of Pennsylvania, and to me directed and delivered, I have levied on and will expose to public sale, at the Court House in Honesdale, on

FRIDAY, FEB. 16, AT 2 P. M.,

All the defendant's right, title, and interest in the following described property—viz:

All the right, title and interest of Henry Cole during his lifetime and the estate of said Henry Cole, deceased, in and to all those certain pieces, parcels or tracts of farm and timber land, situate in Clinton township, county of Wayne and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described

THE FIRST BEGINNING at a post west line of the Elk Forest tract and is the southwest corner of land conveyed to Lorenzo L. Sweet; thence along the said line of Elk Forest south ten (10) degrees east to a post and stones the northwest corner of land surveyed by Philander Beatty; thence by the land last mentioned north eighty-eight and one-half (88 1/2) degrees east sixty-eight and four-tenths (68.4) rods to the south-west corner of land bargained by Samuel Stone to Thomas Clark; thence by land last mentioned north ten (10) degrees west one hundred and eighteen and one-half (118 1/2) rods to a corner in the south line of the aforesaid land surveyed by Philander Beatty; thence along the line last mentioned south eighty-nine (89) degrees west sixty-eight and one-half (68 1/2) rods to place of beginning. Containing fifty (50) acres.

THE SECOND BEGINNING at a stones corner of Benjamin Simpson's land; thence by the Elk Forest Tract south nineteen (19) degrees east one hundred and sixty-nine (169) perches to an ash stump south twenty (20) degrees east ninety-six (96) perches to a stones corner; thence south seventy (70) degrees west nine and six-tenths (9.6) perches to a stone; thence by land of James Chapman north forty-four and one-half (44 1/2) degrees west one hundred and eighty-four and one-half (184 1/2) perches to a stone; thence by vacant land north ten (10) degrees west two