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# Threatening Tom Longboat's Record

## High Grade Runners in the 131 Entries for the Boston Marathon—Two Former Winners in the List—Four Indians and a Dozen Canadians will Run.

Boston, April 16.—Upon the weather and road conditions next Wednesday, Patriots' Day, depends, it is believed the success of the fourth assault upon Tom Longboat's record time for the Boston Athletic association's annual Marathon road race of 25 miles from Ashland to Boston. The coming 15th annual renewal of this classic event already has such an unusualy high grade field of runners that th mark set by the Indian in 1907—2 hours, 24 minutes, 24 seconds—is believed to be seriously threatened.

Up to tonight 131 athletes had signified their intention of starting. Two former winners of this classic of American running races are among the entries for Wednesdayös renewal. Sammy Mellor of Yonkers N. Y., who has been a competitor nearly every year since his victory in 1902, and Henri Renaud, the Nashua, N. H., mill hand who won as a dark horse on a sweltering day two years ago. In the attack on Longboat's record there will participate four Indians and a dozen or more Canadians.

### SATURDAY BASEBALL GAMES.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.**

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 3 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Philadelphia | 4 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Pittsburg | 2 | 1 | .667 |
| Brooklyn | 2 | 2 | .500 |
| Boston | 2 | 2 | .500 |
| Cincinnati | 1 | 2 | .333 |
| Chicago | 1 | 3 | .250 |
| New York | 0 | 3 | .000 |

**National League.**

New York 6, Brooklyn 3.
Chicago 3, St. Louis 3; 10 innings—darkness.
Cincinnati 2, Pittsburg 2.
Boston 5, Philadelphia 4.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.**

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 1 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Detroit | 2 | 1 | .667 |
| Washington | 2 | 1 | .667 |
| St. Louis | 2 | 2 | .500 |
| Cleveland | 2 | 2 | .500 |
| Boston | 1 | 1 | .500 |
| Philadelphia | 1 | 2 | .333 |
| Chicago | 0 | 2 | .000 |

**American League.**

New York 7, Philadelphia 4; 13 innings.
Detroit 2, Chicago 0; 8 innings—snow.
Cleveland 7, St. Louis 3.
Boston 9, Washington 2.

**College Games.**

At Nashville—Michigan 6, Vanderbilt 4.
At Baltimore—Harvard 6, Johns Hopkins 2.
At Ithaca—Cornell 5, Lehigh 2.
At Providence—Brown 6, Penn State 2.
At Northfield—Norwich University 2, Goddard Seminary 0.
At Washington—Catholic University 4, Columbia 2.
At West Point—West Point 3, Tufts 0.
At Exeter—Phillips-Exeter 7, Springfield Training School 0.
At Annapolis—Annapolis 2, Bucknell 0.
At Easton, Pa.—Lafayette 5, Holy Cross 1.

**Other Games.**

At Newark—Newark 10, Ironsides 3.
At Baltimore—Baltimore 14, Walbrook A. C. 4.
At Lowell—Lowell 10, St. Anselm College 2.
At Hartford—Hartford 6, Fall River 1.
At Lynn—Lynn 4, Boston American Celts 2.
At Wilkesbarre, Pa.—Wilkesbarre 11, Montreal 3.
At Worcester—Worcester 4, New Britain 1.

**Pittsburg Defeated Chicago 4 to 1.**

Chicago, April 16.—Pittsburg defeated Chicago 4 to 1 here today in the first game of the series. A pass, two sarfices and a single gave the visitors their first run. Two more were added on a single and a pair of errors. The last run was the result of a single, a double and a sacrifice. The crowd overowed into the outfild and a hit into this territory went for two bases. Score:

**Chicago.**

| | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Evers, 2b | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Sheckard, lf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Hofman, cf | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Chance, 1b | 3 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Schulte, rf | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Zim'rm'n, 3b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Tinker, ss | 4 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 0 |
| Arlier, c | 4 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 0 |
| Reon, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| *Kling | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 32 | 9 | 27 | 11 | 2 |

**Pittsburg.**

| | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Byrne, 2b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Leach, cf | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Clarke, lf | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Wagner, ss | 3 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Miller, 3b | 3 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 0 |
| Hunter, 1b | 4 | 0 | 11 | 2 | 0 |
| Wilson, rf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Gibson, c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Camnitz, p | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 5 | 27 | 14 | 0 |

*Batted for Brown in 9th.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1—1 |
| Pittsburg | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0—4 |

Runs, for Pittsburg Byrne 2, Miller, Hunter, for Chicago Evers; two base hits, Sheckard, Clarke, Schulte; sarcifice hits, Leach, Wagner 2, Sheckard; left on bases, Chicafo 8, Pittsburg 5; first bare on balls, off Brown 2, off Camnitz 2; struck out, by Brown 5; time, 1:40; umpires, O'Day and Brennan.

**St. Louis 5, Cincinnati 2.**

Cincinnati, April 16.—Sallee was in fine form and had no trouble during any part of today's game. St. Louis hit Gaspar hard. Bresnahan's batting and the fielding of the entire St. Louis team featured. The score:

**St. Louis.**

| | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Huggins, 2b | 3 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 0 |
| Ellis, lf | 5 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Mowrey, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Konetchy, 1 | 3 | 1 | 15 | 1 | 0 |
| Evans, rf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Bresnan, c | 4 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Oakes, cf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Hauser, ss | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Sallee, p | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Total s. | 32 | 9 | 27 | 17 | 0 |

**Cincinnati**

| | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Beecher, lf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Bates, rf | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Hoblitzel, 1 | 4 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 0 |
| Mitcgell, rf | 4 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Grant, 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Altizer, ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Downey, 2b | 3 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 3 |
| M'Lean, c | 3 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 0 |
| Clarke, c | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Gaspar, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Keefe, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| *Northern | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals. | 31 | 5 | 27 | 14 | 3 |

*Ran for McLean in 9th.

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | —5 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | —2 |

Runs, for St. Louis Bresnahan 2, Evans, Konetchy, Huggins, for Cincinnati Bates, Hoblitzell; two base hit, Bresnahan; three base hit, Hoblitzel, Bresnahan, Grant; hits, off Gaspar 9 in 8 innings; sacrifice hits, Mowrey, Oakes; stolen base, Huggins; double plays, Altizer to Downey to Hoblitzel, McLean to Downey to Hoblitzel to Sittzer to McLean; left on bases, St. Louis 9, Cincinnati 4; bases on balls, off Garpar 4, off Keefe 1, off Sallee 2; hit by pitched ball, by Gaspar (Evans and Huggins), by Keefe (Konetchy); struck out, by Gaspar 4, by Keefe 1, by Sallie 4; time, 2:27; umpires, Finneran and Rigler.

**Detroit 5, Cleveland 2.**

Detroit, Mich., April 16.—With Lively, a recruit, pitching, Detroit defeated Cleveland today, 5 to 2. Doubles by Lajoie and Jackson scored Cleveland's runs. Detroit bunched hits off West in the first and sixth, and in the eighth Krapp, who relieved West, with two men on bases and no one out, was found for a double by Delehanty, which gave Detroit two tallies. Score:

**Cleveland.**

| | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Graney, lf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Turner, 3b | 3 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Jackson, r f | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Lajoie, 2b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Easterly, rf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Stovall, 1b | 4 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith, c | 4 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 0 |
| Knapp, ss | 3 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| West, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Krapp, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals. | 31 | 7 | 24 | 16 | 1 |

**Detroit.**

| | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jones, lf | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Bush, ss | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Cobb, r f | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Crawford, rf | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Delhanty, 2b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Moriarty, 3b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Gainor, 1b | 3 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 1 |
| Stanage, c | 3 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 0 |
| Lively, p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals. | 30 | 11 | 27 | 12 | 1 |

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 |
| Detroit | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | * | —5 |

Runs, for Cleveland Graney, Jackson, for Detroit Jones 3, Cobb, Lively; left on bases, Cleveland 3, Detroit 4; two base hits, Lajoie 2, Jackson, Delehanty; hits, off West 10 in 8 innings, off Krapp 1 in 1 inning; sacrifice hit, Bush; stolen base, Moriarty; double plays, Jones to Stanage, Delehanty to Bush to Gainor; struck out, by Lively 5, by West 2, by Krapp 2; bases on balls, off Lively 3, off West 1, off Krapp 1; time, 1:48; umpires, Perrine and Sheridan.

**St. Louis Easy for Chicago.**

St. Louis, April 16.—Chicago won the first game of the opening season with the local team today by a score of 7 to 1. Walsh struck out eight men. In the eighth inning McIntyre went into the overflow bowl and made a sensational ath of Clarke's long drie. The scre:

**St. Louis.**

| | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hoffman, rf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Austin, lb | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Murray, rf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Laporte, 2b | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Clark, c | 4 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 0 |
| Newman, lb | 4 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 0 |
| Williams, lf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Wallace, ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Gregory, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Pfeiffer, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals. | 35 | 7 | 27 | 11 | 2 |

**Chicago.**

| | ab | h | po | a | e |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| M'Con'ell, 2 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Zeider, ss | 3 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| M'Intyre, cf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| D'gherty, lf | 3 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Mclean, rf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Tan'hill, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Jones, 1b | 3 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 0 |
| Sullivan, c | 4 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 0 |
| Walsh, p | 4 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Totals. | 32 | 7 | 27 | 12 | 5 |

Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —1 |
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | —7 |

Runs for Chicago Walsh 2, Zeider 2, McIntyre, McConnell 2, for St Louis Wallace; two base hits, Wallace, Walsh; sacrifice hits, Zeider, Dougherty, Mclean; double play, Dougherty to Zeider; stolen bases, Dougherty, Zeider; bases on balls, off Gregory 3; struck out, by Walsh 3, by Gregory 1, by Pfeiffer 4; hits, off Gregory 8 in 4 innings, off Pfeiffer 1 in 5 innings; left on bases, St. Louis 7, Chicago 4; time, 1:50; umpires, O'Loughlin and Dineen.

**Giants Win by Heavy Batting.**

Newark, N. J., April 16.—The New York Nationals batted the ball hard today and defeated the Newark team by the score of 14 to 6. McGraw presented his regular team with the exception of Fletcher, who played third base in place of Devlin. Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 1 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 14 | 15 | 2 |
| Newark | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 10 | 4 |

Batteries, Rudolph and Hartley; Lee, Sykes, Flater and Cady; umpire, Bedford.

**Boston Americans 3, Baltimore 2.**

Baltimore, April 16.—The Boston Americans today won a closely contested game with Baltimore of the Eastern league, the score being 3 to 2. Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —3 | 9 | 1 | |
| Baltimore | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 | 9 | 2 | |

Batteries, Pape and Madden; Dygert, Vickers and Byers.

**Chase Goes Into the Box.**

Jersey City, N. J., April 16.—The New York Americans defeated Jersey City today by a score of 10 to 1. The locals played miserably in the field, and were helpless before the pitching of Brockett. Manager Chase pitched the last inning and struck out two men. Score by innings:

| | | | | | | | | | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 1 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2—10 | 9 | 1 | |
| Jersey City | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0— 1 | 3 | 6 | |

Brockett, Chase and Walsh; Bartley, Jones, Walker and Tonneman, Wells.

**Albany's Manager Resigns.**

Albany, N. Y., April 16.—Manager William J. Clarke of the Albany, N. Y., State league baseball team resigned his position today. No reason for his action is given, but it is said he has signed a contract to coach the Princeton university team for three years.

## SUNDAY BASEBALL RESULTS

**Exhibition Games.**

At Providence—Providence 8, Boston Nationals 3.
At Albany—Springfield 2, Albany 1.

## JIMMY CLABBY HOME FROM ROUND THE WORLD

### But Former Norwich Boy Net Heard From in His Native Town.

Looks as if Jimmy Clabby, the Milwaukee welterweight, is going to give Norwich, his native town, the go-by this time. Clabby, accompanied by Ray Bronson, the lightelight, and T. S. Andrews, their manager, arrived in New York from Europe on Saturday, after a six months' tour which has included Australia and Europe.

By his relatives in this city, it had been expected that Clabby would take a side trip up here before the departed for the west, but up to Sunday night he had not arrived or been heard from. His local relatives explained that they thought he might be staying over in New York to see the Murphy-McFarland bout Tuesday night, or else he was going straight west, as they knew he had been notified to get out there as soon as possible, as he was to referee a bout in Chicago and that town was all plastered with posters billing him as one of the attractions for the fight bill, and the promoters were probably urging him to get out there as soon as possible.

## CHAMPION FRANK KRAMER DROPPED OUT EXHAUSTED.

### Ouadeor Bicycle Racing Season Opened at Newark.

Newark, N. J., April 16.—The outdoor bicycle racing season opened today at the new Velodrome track in Varesburg, near here, with the defeat of Frank Kramer, the American champion, in the feature event of the day. In the five mile race, open to professionals, the champion dropped out exhausted after the fourth mile. A northwest wind made it difficult for all the riders and uncomfortable for the big crowd of spectators.

The winner of the day was Joseph A. Fogler of Brooklyn, who won the five mile event over Paddy Hehir and Alfred Goulet of Australia, after Kramer dropped out, and also took the mile handicap.

The new track is a six lap, steep banked affair, and is said to be the finest track of the sort in toh world.

## KICKERS' LINEUP PICKED FROM PRACTICE SQUAD

### Outlook Is Good—"Doc" Gadie for Manager.

Coach "Pooch" Maloney had his squad of ball tossers out for practice on the Shetucket campus, Saturday afternoon, and a great display of stars was in evidence.

After about two hours of hard work Manager Rudd Gadie announced the following lineup:

The string of catchers was reduced to two, Savage and Johnson being selected. Johnson is a new find, hailing from one of the suburbs of Boston. Farrell, Downing and Covelliski are to look after the flinging position, to be backed by the following stonewall infield: Cummings, 1st base; Sweeney, second base; Onley, third base; Farrell, shortstop. For the outfield, Grady, Downing, Super and Maloney were signed to cover the positions. "Doc" Rudd Gadie was the choice for manager and Grady and Sweeney were the committee appointed to represent the club at the meeting of the Mill league to be held in the Occum A. C. rooms Thursday evening of this week, when a schedule is to be adopted.

## MADE THE DINGBATS LOOK A TRIFLE SLOW.

### Laurel Hills Take Their Basketball Game by 34 to 9 Score.

A combination of the Jewett City Dingbats and the Jewett City second team felt as if it had monkeyed with a buzz saw after a basketball game with the Laurel Hills on Saturday evening at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, losing to this fast Norwich bunch, 34 to 9. The Norwich boys had the visitors stonped at all stages of the game, leading them in the first half, 14 to 3, and stepping away from them at a lively gait in the second period.

The game puts another nice scalp in the Laurel Hills' belt and looks good as an addition to their already fancy record for the season.

## CENTRALS AND MOOSUP TROT A FAST HEAT

### Opening Game Went 12 Innings, Moosup Winning 3 to 2.

The Centrals, who are to represent Norwich in the Eastern Connecticut league, opened their practice season with a game at Moosup on Saturday, playing the Moosups, champions of the amateur league last season. The contest was a fast one and went twelve innings, with Moosup winning, 3 to 2.

This was a close and exciting game, the Centrals tying the score in the ninth inning. The feature of the game was the fine pitching of Simcox of the Centrals, who pitched the twelve innings, five hits being made off him. Manager Calkins was satisfied with the all-around team work.

## TWO MINNEAPOLIS MEN IN ROLE OF MERKLE

### Base Runners Start for Club House After Hit in Ninth Inning.

Joe Sugden tells of a game between St. Paul and Minneapolis in the American association, where a game was nearly thrown away because the men on base started for the club house without completing the circuit after a safe drive had been made. It was in the ninth ining, and the score was evenin. Minneapolis had a man on second and third. The batter slashed a safe one to the outfield. Both the men on the bases started to run for the club house as soon as they saw the ball land safely. Joe Sugden, who was catching for St. Paul, ran out on the field, yelling at the top of his voice for the ball, and Cantillon was tearing around the field like a wild man, howling for the runners to come back. They beat it back to the bases before Sugden got the ball, and saved themselves from a seat in the bonehead class, but it was no fault of theirs that the game was saved.

## SILVER LOVING CUP TO DANNY MURPHY

### Daniel Then Produced Three Hits, One a Double.

Danny Murphy was presented a silver loving cup when he stepped to the bat for the first time in the game between the Philadelphia Athletics and the New York Americans at Philadelphia on Saturday. Danny proved himself worthy of the gift by knocking out three hits in the game, one of them a double at a time whe nit did the most good.

**Spalding's Athletic Almanac.**

Now that the public and the athletes are becoming interested in all matters pertaining to the forthcoming Olympic games in Stockholm, Sweden, Spalding's Official Athletic Almanac will be found doubly interesting, containing as it does, a diagram of the stadium in which the contests will take place a complete list of Olympic games winners since 1896, and records of all foreight athletes. It also devotes liberal space to international meets from which comparisons can be made.

It will be sent to any address in the United States or Canada by the publishers, the American Sports Publishing company, 21 Warren street, New York city, postpaid upon receipt of ten cents.

**High Duckpin Single.**

Bill McClafferty set a safe mark for duckpin high single at the Rose alleys on Saturday when he rung up 151. It stood the test and took the daily prize.

## YANTIC HAPPENINGS.

### Effort to Reorganize the Loval Brass Band—Easter Plants for Sunday School.

John Adams of Palmertown was the guest of friends in town Sunday.

Kinney Bentley and daughter, Alice, of Naytic, R. I., were Easter guests at the home of N. Bentley of Highland avenue.

**Flowering Plants Presented.**

At the afternoon services in Grace church on Sunday each child was presented a flowering plant, a custaom practiced for years on Easter Sunday.

Dr. H. N. Haine spent Easter at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Arnold of Pomfret.

**To Enthuse Musicians.**

There is to be a special meeting of the Yantic Brass band before long, when there is to be an effort made by the leaders to reorganize the band and keep the musical circle of the town interested during the coming summer. It is mainly through the untiring energy of M. F. Ladd that the meeting is to convene.

Miss Emma Counterman is the guest of friends at Narragansett Pier, R. I.

Mrs. H. N. Haine is spending the Easter period at the home of her daughter Mrs. Charles Arnold of Pomfret, Ct.

Friends of Milton Beckwith are sorry to learn of th esevere attack of illness which is confining him to his house, in Franklin.

Miss Bennett of New Haven is the guest of Mrs. David Smith of Church street.

## PARISH RECTORY.

### Home Needed for Pastor of New Catholic Church at Waterbury.

Rev. Terrence J. Smith, the newly appointed pastor for the new Catholic church in this city, was here Tuesday and accompanied by Michael Guilfoile spent some time in viewing the tract of land purchased by the bishop and which is situated on the corner of Robbins street and Merrill street. Several pieces of property were also looked over with the intention of securing a home for the pastor on his arrival here about May 1.

After visiting some of the clergymen at the Immaculate Conception church, Father Smith left for Danbury. It has been decided to hold services in St. Patrick's hall on East Main street until the new edifice for which plans have been let to a local architect is completed.—Waterbury American.

# Brief State News

**Bristol.**—Mrs. Wallace H. Miller, who has been active in the order of Rebekahs for some years, has been elected president of Crescent Rebekah Past Grands' association.

**New Haven.**—N. H. Regan has been appointed superintendent of the New York and Eastern News company, with headquarters in New Haven, succeeding Thomas F. Dolan.

**Shelton.**—Under the leadership of Mrs. J. S. Junket there will be a chorus choir in the local M. E. church, consisting of twenty or more voices. This will be a vested choir.

**South Norwalk.**—The will of David Banks, who died March 11, filed for probate in New York Thursday, bequeaths $5,000 each to Isaac S. Jennings and George A. Jennings of South Norwalk.

**Middletown.**—The Middletown Yacht club has elected Thomas Lleming Day, editor of The Rudder, an honorary member of the club. The local association followed the action of the Hartford Yacht club.

**Greenwich.**—The Rosemary corporation of Greenwich has incorporated to operate a school for girls; to start with $150,000; incorporated by Caroline Runtz Rees, Mary Elizabeth Lowndes, Julian W. Curtiss.

**New Britain.**—At the silver anniversary celebration of Stanley Woman's Relief corps last week Mrs. Alice C. Gladden, recording secretary since the corps was organized, gave a history of Stanley W. R. C.

**Hartford.**—The Hartford Yacht club has abandoned the propect to buy a houseboat to be used as a clubhouse on the Connecticut river. It has been decided to use the clubhouse at Saybrook as the quarters of the club this summer.

**Bridgeport.**—The board of education has voted to add $100 each to the salaries of 21 female teachers employed at the high school, four critic teachers at the city normal school and 10 principals who teach rooms in addition to their duties as principal.

## NORWICH TOWN

### Easter in the Churches and at the Sheltering Arms—Passover Home-Comers—Neighborhood Club's Debate.

Rev. H. J. Wyckoff of the Second Congregational church was in charge of the Sunday afternoon service at the Sheltering Arms. He took for his subject, Heaven as the Other Power. He said: Christ came back this Easter day to show us that death was only a door through which we should be eager to go. When God shall open the door and ask us in, eye hath not seen nor ear heard the things prepared for us—things that we have always hoped for. May nothing taake from our hearts this faith, that the gateway called death leads into the othe room which Christ has gone to prepare.

The hymns were sung by the grls' choir of the Second church, with Miss Ruth Lathrop Potter as accompanist. The members of the choir were Misses Ruth and Jane Breckenridge, Gertrdue Allen, Lillian and Dorothy Wyckoff and Margery Volkman.

**At Sacred Heart Church,**

At Sacred Heart church Easter Sunday there were beautiful flowers everywhere—daffodils in the windows, hyacinths, geraniums and begonias along the altar railing, the altar being surrounded with palms and cinerarias, and on it were Easter lilies, roses and carnations. The effective decorations were arranged by members of the Altersociety,including Miss Luetta Dowdall, Miss Mary White, Miss Teresa Connell and Miss Katie Casey. At the 8.30 mass the children sang: Welcome, Happy Morning, J. J. Calkin; Hail, Heavenly Queen, Hymnal; Holy God, We Praise Thy Name, Hymnal; Allelulia! Allelulia! Let the Holy Anthem Rise, H. Smart; To Jesus's Heart All Burning, Hymnal. At the 10 o'clock mass the senior choir, assisted by Miss Bessie Callahan and John Kivlin, soloists, rendered these hymns: Vidi Aquam, Gregorian; Kyrie, and Gloria, Matifield; Credo Cremer; offertory, Regina Coeli, Webb; Agnus Dei, Matifield. Miss Elilabeth Malone is organist. The Easter sermon was delivered by the rector, Rev. C. T. McCann.

**First Church Easter Service.**

The musical part of the service on Easter Sunday at the First Congregational church was in keeping with the spirit of the day, the selections by the choir being full of harmony and sweetness. Palms, ferns and Georgia pine were on either side the pulpit; massed in front were azaleas, begonias, pink and white stock with beautiful Easter lilies. The flowers were arranged by Miss M. E. Wattles, assisted by Miss Fanny Williams and Miss Natalie Allen. Rev. G. H. Ewing took for his subject The Ascent of the Soul. He said, i part: We shall not linger at the open tomb, but go forth into the resurrection life. The ladder from earth to heaven begins just where you are, but you cannot tell to what it leads. The natur eof the soul is to ascend, not to descend. Every child of God is bound to grow. Evolution has been in the ascending scale. Out of decay springs a living shoot. All nature ascends, but more especially when man co-operates. The prophets and priests of God frequently rise from obscurity. Sin is the parasite that attacks the life of the soul. Your fate depends upon your choice of what you shall be; you have an essential part to perform. The true Christian has the secret of ascent. The zest of life is to strive, to toil, to rise, to win. God reaches down into our lives and we are transfigured.

**Home During Passover.**

A family reunion has been held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Rabinowitch of Wauwecus Hill during the eigth days of the passover. The two sons, Herman of Texas and Max Rabinowitch and his son, Jacob, of Philadelphia, and the daughter, Mrs. Maurice Bogkoss, with her little daughter, Grace, of New York city, are among those present.

**Defeated Yantic.**

The baseball team from the Town street school played a game with the Diamond Dusters on their grounds in Yantic Friday afternoon, the Town Street team winning the game by a score of 3-2. Walter Durr was shortstop and Joseph Hughes pitcher for the winning team; Jack Powers was shortstop and Harry Powers first base for the Dusters.

**Affirmative Won.**

The Neighborhood club met with Dr. and Mrs. N. G. Gray at their home, on Vergason avenue, Friday evening. An interesting debate, Poverty develops better character than riches, was conducted by four of the members. The affirmative side won. This was followed by a general discussion of social questions.

**Family Gathering.**

Nine were present at the family party Friday given by Mr. and Mrs. William E. Hough at their new home on the Scotland road. Out of town guests were there from Allyn's Point and New London.

**Brief Paragraphs.**

Miss Emily Perkins of Norwich came last week to make her home with Mrs. James Kelley of Elm avenue.

Miss Olive Lovell returned to Freeport, Saturday, after a week's visit with Miss J. G. Honney of Huntington lane.

Miss C. C. Calkins returned Saturday to her home in Brooklyn, N. Y., after a few days' visit here as the guest of Mrs. C. P. Pane of East Town street.

Miss Minnie Gray returned this week to her home in Colchester, after a week's stay with her cousin, Mrs. Herbert Mitchell, at her home on the Scotland road.

After two weeks' visit with his grandmother, Mrs. Edward Huntington, Harold Smith left Monday last for Eustis, Fla., which place he expected to reach Sunday.

## TAFTVILLE

### Sudden Death of Miss Annie Ford—Notes of Local Interest.

The death of Miss Annie Ford occurred suddenly Sunday morning at about 7.30 o'clock. She was taken sick Saturday noon and death was caused by congestion of the brain.

The deceased was born in Taftville on April 27, 1880, and has always lived here. She was the daughter of the late Patrick and Ellen Ford. She was a regular attendant at the Sacred Heart church and was a member of the Children of Mary. She was popular with the young people of Taftville, and her sudden death will be the source of sorrow to many friends. She is survived by her mother, two brothers, Joseph and Daniel Ford, and two sisters, Misses Nellie and Katherine Ford, all of Taftville.

**No Association Football This Spring.**

There will be no association football here this spring, as in years past, as the Providence street grounds are to be devoted to baseball. In the fall the team will probably be reorganized. On account of the lateness of the spring no football games have been played and baseball practice has already commenced.

**Notes.**

Miss Ducheneau of Willimantic is the guest of local friends.

Hermidos Durcotte of New Bedford is visiting friends in town.

Joseph Paquette of New London is spending a few days with John Bissonette.

Albert Taylor of Baltic is spending a week with local relatives.

Frank Beique and family spent Sunday with friends in Plainfield.

Joseph Caron of Providence spent Sunday at his home in Taftville.

Robert Brierly of Pittsburg, Mass., was a visitor in town on Sunday.

Miss Eva Roy of New Bedford is spending a few days with friends in Taftville.

Miss Marion Marcure has returned from a visit with relatives in Woonsocket, R. I.

Philip Hendrick of Columbia university is spending the Easter recess at his home here.

Elmer sBisonett of Hartford is spending a few days at his home on North A street.

Mrs. Michael Lamoreaux of St. Caesare, Canada, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lague.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jarry of New Bedford are spending a few days with relatives on Front street.

Existe Bernard has purchased four building lots on South street, Willimantic, and has let the contract for two new houses on the property.

The board of directors of the Naturalization club have voted to meet but once a month hereafter, instead of twice, as in the past. The meeting will come on the first Sunday of the month.

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