BACKGROUND SHOULD BE CHANGED IN OUTFIELD AT BOSTON AMERICAN LEAGUE PARK

FACING GRAY BACKGROUND AT FENWAY PARK WILL BE BIG HANDICAP TO VISITING TEAMS

Great Pitching Staff of World's Champions Will Be Hard to Hit Unless Customary Green Is Substituted

BEFORE the present season is much older, there is likely to be a strenuous kick raised by American League clubs over the background painted on the concrete wall in centre field at Fenway Park, Boston. It is customary, though not compulsory, to have the fence directly behind the pitcher in deep centre field painted green and almost every field in the major league circuits conforms with this custom. The green background enables a player to see the ball better.

If there is any color that is hard on the eye it is army gray. This color is worse than black and the fence at Fenway Park has been painted that color. Just why this was done is a mystery, but we have an idea that it is to make the great pitching staff of the world's champions even more effective.

With Speaker gone the Red Sox attack will not be nearly so strong as it was last year and if Carrigan's team is to win the American League pennant, the pitching staff must turn the trick. Pitching 77 games out of a schedule of 144 on a field which gives them a decided edge on opposing batsmen should make the famous staff twirlers doubly effective.

When the Red Sox become accustomed to batting against the gray background, visiting teams which play only 11 games at Fenway Park will not have much chance to star as heavy hitters.

Boston Has Speed-Ball Artists

Boston has a staff of fast ball pitchers, barring Foster, who is speedier than the average hurler, and visiting teams will find it hard to hit under any condition. On a dark day batters unaccustomed to this background will constantly be in danger of being hit if Ernie Shore or "Dutch" Leonard is on the mound for the Red Sox.

On opening day in Boston the Athletic players complained that the ball was upon them before they knew it. They believed that Ruth was faster than they had ever seen him or that their lack of practice caused them to swing late. But after a few innings of the second game with Shore pitching, the Mackmen discovered that he was keeping his fast ball high and that every pitch was coming out of the background.

Unless President Johnson forces the Boston club to paint the fence green or some color other than army gray, the Red Sox will have a great and unfair advantage over visiting teams. Not much of an offense will be needed for the Sox to win at home, as the defense will be wonderful if the pitchers have this advantage.

Red Sox Do Not Look Strong Without Speaker

Even with this great advantage—if they are permitted to get away with it—the Red Sox do not look strong enough to repeat in the American League. The season only has started and Clarence Walker may play such sensational ball that the other players may forget Speaker's loss. But at the present time, however, Boston does not look like the same team.

Speaker's absence from the gr "s has impressed upon Bostonians that the famous outfielder means to the Red Sox what Cobb does to Detroit; Collins to Chicago; Alexander and Cravath to the Phillies, and Johnson to Washington. Often a team makes the player, but after seeing the Red Sox without Speaker, one must come to the conclusion that Speaker made the world's champions.

There is little ginger, despite the fact that the team has been playing the lowly Mackmen. Every one on the team is encouraging Clarence Walker and the fans are pulling for him, but it is evident that Speaker's departure has left a hole which cannot be filled.

Speaker Was An Important Factor

It is said that there was friction between Speaker and certain members of the team, but if such was the case, the bad feeling was never apparent on the ball field and the famous outfielder fit in perfectly with the machine-like play of the veteran aggregation and he was easily the most important cog in the machine.

As one Boston scribe puts it, the Red Sox will have to be favored with superhuman pitching to win the pennant without Speaker. Last year Carrigan's young staff showed wonderful form and really carried the team through. It is possible that the additional experience will make this staff even more effective this season, but it is hard to imagine a corps doing better work than it did last year.

As said before, Bostonians are beginning to realize what Speaker meant to the team, and some of the Royal Rooters who have been fairly close to the big men of the game do not hesitate to blame President Ban Johnson for the deal which sent Speaker to Cleveland. They argue that President Lannin did not want to part with Speaker, but that it was done "for the good of the league."

A Nasty Rumor Being Circulated

Another rumor which is gaining headway in Boston is that President Johnson owns a great deal of the stock his former secretary, Robert McRoy, is said to own in the new Cleveland Club, and that Johnson was helping himself as well as "the league" in making the deal. Rumors of this sort naturally will be circulated where there is such general dissatisfaction prevailing, and some one is always ready to deny them.

President Lannin says he did not want Speaker and that he had outlived his usefulness with the Red Sox; but in the next breath he declares that Speaker is worth every cent the Indians spent to purchase him. If Speaker is worth $50,000 to Cleveland, then he was worth triple that amount to a team which locked like a pennant winner with him, and whose players realize that they have been weakened 50 per cent. when he was taken away.

If the move was made "for the good of the league," it is likely to prove a boomerang. Boston is a better baseball city than Cleveland and the American League owes much of its success to the loyalty of the fans of that city. What is more, Speaker alone cannot make a pennant winner of the Indians.

It May Prove a Costly Deal to Sox

If the Red Sox should lose the American League pennant by six or seven games, it will prove a costly deal for Lannin, as the famous outfielder saves a greater number of contests with his fielding each season and is directly or indirectly responsible for the winning of twice that number. As the difference between a pennant winner, with the world's series spoils, and a second place team is something like $100,000, to say nothing of the additional attendance throughout the season, it is hard to see how Lannin could make the deal at this time. It was not a case of saving him from the Feds, who no longer exist, and there may be quite a lot of truth to the opinion expressed by the Bostonians.

Detroit Pinning Faith in Coveleski

Detroit's chances for a pennant this season depend largely on the form and consistency shown by Harry Coveleski, the veteran left-hander, who let the White Sox down with a trio of singles in the opening game. Coveleski at present is in wonderful form and apparently has everything that he had when he pulled his famous Giant-killing stunt while a member of the Phillies' hurling staff.

When Coveleski is right, there is not a better pitcher in the game. He has all the speed, control and knack of crossing the batter that is possessed by the best hurlers in the country today. But Covey has always been erratic because of his varying physical condition. Apparently his arm never troubles him, but at times he gets in such bad shape that he cannot stand the pace. This was the reason why he was shunted off several times to the minors after making a really wonderful showing in the majors.

As long as Veach, Cobb and Crawford keep up their safe volleying, Jennings need not fear of losing many close games. But he must have good pitching to win, just as any other club must, and to have this during the present campaign it is essential that Coveleski keep in condition to take his turn in the box.

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The Pennsylvania State League has decided to retain the salary limit of $2500, which was adopted at the last meeting. This is an unusually high limit for a league of this sort, and if the clubs, in searching for the best available material, go the limit, the fans can rest assured that they will see high-class minor league ball. There are at least two cities in the circuit as composed now which never have been able to support teams with a larger salary limit than that carried by the old Tristate League, but with greater interest being shown in the game everywhere, each may enjoy a prosperous season.

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Manager McGraw is so well pleased with the work of his Federal Leaguers that he has signed another. The veteran Bill McKechnie, who managed Newark Feds last season, is McGraw's latest addition. He has been signed because McGraw fears that Hans Lobert has played his last game. Lobert's legs have been in poor condition for two years, and the dislocation of the knee, which has troubled him for several seasons, probably will finish the former Philly player as a major league player. McKechnie must do a whole lot better than on his previous trials in the big show, or he will not strengthen McGraw's team any.

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Charley Herzog has started overworking his pitchers already. Apparently there is no such a thing as a relief twirler, whose special duty it is to stop rallies, as Herzog has two of his stars on the mound each afternoon. The Reds have a pitching staff which may make them mighty dangerous if Herzog does not lose sight of the fact that the race is of 154 games and not one month.

HINTS TO GOLF BEGINNERS

Referee Gets Walloped When He Gives Decision to Louisiana's Opponent

KANSAS CITY, April 15.—A series of free-for-all fighting followed Referee Charley Pierson's decision in favor of Carlos Fanning, of Oklahoma, over Louisiana at the end of their 12-round bout here last night.

Some one smote Pierson in the mouth and in a moment the ring was full of flying fists. The police finally quelled the trouble.

Consensus of opinion was that Louisiana won seven of the 12 rounds.

HERMAN MEYER GETS AUTO

Given Present by Friends of Northwestern Assembly

Herman Meyer, secretary of the Middle Atlantic Association of the Amateur Athletic Union, has been presented with an automobile my his friends in Northwestern Assembly of the Artisans' Order of Mutual Protection.

Mr. Meyer has been manager of the athletic teams of Northwestern for many years and has won every championship in the organization, including bowling, tug-of-war, baseball and track and field.

Amateur Baseball Notes

Taskiana A. C., first-class negro traveling team. Manager James Early, 1519 South 29th street. Phone Dickinson 3016 J, between 6:30 and 8:30 p. m.

Bellmar A. C., 15-16-year-old. Manager, Hard R. Mof it, 2337 South Bancroft street.

West Collingswood H. S. 1. First-class home. Manager, Charles Keen, Jr., West Collingswood, N. J.

Philadelphia Professionals, first-class traveling. Manager, William Gray, 2751 North 9th street. Phone 3250 during day, or Kensington 1562 after 8 p. m.

First Dutch, first-class traveling. Manager, E. S. Ritter, 5484 North Park avenue. Phone Diamond 5942 W between 6 and 7 o'clock.

April 29 open.

Federal Reserve Bank, 19-20-year-old traveling. Games wanted for Saturday afternoons and weekdays after 4 o'clock. Manager, J. D. Goodman, 408 Chestnut street.

Athletarian B. C., 16-17-year-old. Manager, Jasper, 873 North 6th street.

Chestnut Hill first-class traveling. Manager, Charles H. Mitchell, 29 North 50th street. Phone Belmont 4887 between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Tennis Season Opens Monday

The first tennis match of the 1916 outdoor season will be played at St. Martin's on Monday between teams of Harvard University and the Philadelphia Cricket Club. The collegians will be led by former National Champion R. Norris Williams, 2d, of Philadelphia. Williams will play Willis E. Davis, the California State outdoor champion and Philadelphia and district indoor titleholder.

Baker and Drew Win

NEW YORK, April 15.—Homer Baker, former holder of the international championship in the half-mile run, won the 1000-yard special race for the Murray Hulbert prize last night at the first indoor games of the Young Men's Democratic League, held in the 71st Regiment Armory. The time was 2 minutes 26 4-5 seconds. Howard Drew, the negro sprinter, won the 45-yard special race. His time was 7 seconds.

Baseball Summary

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	PC.		W.	L.	PC.
Boston	1	0	1.000	New York	1	1	.500
Cincinnati	2	1	.667	Pittsburgh	1	2	.333
St. Louis	2	1	.667	Chicago	1	2	.333
Phillies	1	1	.500	Brooklyn	0	1	.000

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	PC.		W.	L.	PC.
St. Louis	2	0	1.000	Detroit	1	2	.333
Washington	1	0	1.000	New York	0	1	.000
Boston	2	1	.677	Athletics	0	2	.000
Chicago	2	1	.667	Cleveland	0	2	.000

SCHEDULE FOR TODAY

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York at Philadelphia—clear.
Boston at Brooklyn—clear.
Chicago at Cincinnati—clear.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis—cloudy.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington at New York—clear.
Athletics at Boston—clear.
St. Louis at Cleveland—clear.
Detroit at Chicago—clear.

YESTERDAY'S SCORES

NATIONAL LEAGUE

St. Louis, 5; Pittsburgh, 3.
Cincinnati, 4; Chicago, 3.
Other games postponed; rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Chicago, 7; Detroit, 2.
Other games postponed; rain.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Mobile, 6; Atlanta, 4.
Nashville, 0; Chattanooga, 3.
New Orleans, 6; Birmingham, 3.
Memphis, 2; Little Rock, 5.

FIVE GUNNING CLUBS HAVE TARGET SHOOTS

S. S. White, Mt. Moriah, Clearview, Phila. Association and Cedar Park Hold Matches

Many shooting clubs will offer attractive cards for their members and friends for today's sport at the traps. Five clubs in the vicinity of this city will cater to the target shooters.

At Holmesburg Junction the champion of the Trapshooters' League race, the S. S. White Club, will hold its regular monthly competition. A special team race between squads to be selected by H. L. Appleton and E. T. Davis for a silver trophy will undoubtedly be instrumental in bringing out a big turnout of nimrods.

The Mount Moriah Club has listed a good program for the club's week-end sport at 63d street and Railroad avenue. At Darby the monthly test of the Clearviews is scheduled. The program calls for 50 clay targets per man from the 16-yard rise. Several members of the Meadow Spring Association have also signified their intention of competing.

Glen Willow will visit the Philadelphia Shooting Academy today for a friendly team match with the Northeast Club at the Wyoming avenue and D street firing grounds. Three prizes will be awarded to the high, low and middle scorers on each team. Up on the Old York road the Cedar Park Club will also stage target matches.

HIGH HEELS AT VASSAR

Girls Rebel at Flat Shoe Order and Win Out

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., April 15.—Just because a girl receives her diploma from Vassar she is not willing to relinquish any of the feminine joys of dress, and the seniors have foiled an attempt to prohibit them from wearing high heels on class day.

"High heels dig up the turf, and as our class day exercises are to be held in the new out-of-door theatre we must save the grass," pleaded Miss Bailey, the chairman of the Class Day Committee before a meeting of the seniors.

Now, class day is a time when every Vassar girl wants to look her prettiest. Dresses are selected with infinite care. Without high heels to set them off the effect would be disastrous, the girls declared.

Today this notice was posted on the senior bulletin board. "High heels may be worn on class day."

Racing Opens at Tijuana Today

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 15.—Racing will be resumed today at the Tijuana track of the Lower California Jockey Club. More than 400 horses are stabled there for the meet, which will continue 1 0 days.

Pitcher Main Maims Hand

TOLEDO, O., April 15.—Pitcher Miles Main, who had been selected to open the American Association game with Milwaukee here next Tuesday, will be incapacitated for two weeks as a result of a hand sprained in a practice game at Springfield, O.

Pirates Release Infielder Carmody

PITTSBURGH, April 15.—The Pittsburgh Pirates have released Third Baseman Michael Carmody. He will return to the Shreveport (La.) Club.

JOHNNY MALONEY HOME WITH WORLD'S LAURELS

Philadelphia Amateur Boxer Greeted by Big Crowd at Station

Johnny Maloney, 125-pound boxing champion, was greeted a la President Wilson when 2000 cheering admirers met him as he stepped from a train in Broad Street Station last night.

Maloney, with William Spangler, of New York, and John Karpenski, of Cleveland, arrived in New York on Thursday after a trip abroad, but stayed in the metropolis over night. While in Europe, Maloney won seven bouts and was awarded 12 prizes.

Johnny boxed in Norway, Sweden and Denmark. Maloney was accompanied by Karpenski, who will tarry here for a few days as Johnny's guest.

The little champion is to be tendered a reception by the Trenton branch of the A. A. U. Monday night and a banquet will be given in his honor here on the night of May 1.

Maloney in Amateur Tournoy

NEWARK, N. J., April 15.—John F. O'Hara, director of athletics for the 250th anniversary celebration, has obtained the promises of John Karpinski, of the Cleveland Athletic Club of Cleveland, Johnny Maloney, of the St. Rita's Catholic Club, of Philadelphia, and William Spangler, of the Pastime Athletic Club, of New York, to compete in the A. A. U. boxing championships which are to be held here in May.

FLASHES KNIFE AS SHE FLEES

Negro Woman, Accused of Stealing $40, Arrested on Trolley Car

A negro woman, accused of picking $10 from a man's pocket, eluded police and pursuers in Chester, and with an open knife in her hand managed to reach Philadelphia today without molestation on a car on the Chester Short Line. When the car reached 49th street and Woodland avenue, the conductor called to Policeman Ferguson, of the 65th street and Woodland avenue station, and the woman, who said she was Myrtle Long, 1308 Waverly street, was arrested.

Passengers on the street car, though they knew from the woman's appearance she was running away from something, stayed fast to their seats as she flashed the knife during the ride to Philadelphia. The woman will have a hearing before Magistrate Harris today.

Beall Plays Hartwell in Final

PINEHURST, N. C., April 15.—In the final of the mid-April golf tournament today C. A. Hartwell, Country Club, of Brookline, will meet E. C. Beall, of Uniontown, who won the qualifying round for possession of the president's trophy. Hartwell beat Dr. M. W. Marr in the semifinal.

Vaughan, of Yale, Is Hurt

NEW HAVEN, April 15.—Captain Vaughan, of the Yale baseball team, is out of the game for some time as a result of an injury suffered in an attempt to slide to second base Wednesday in the Fordham game. Vaughan suffered a heel bruise and sprained wrist.

McKechnie to Wear Giants' Uniform

ST. LOUIS, April 15.—William McKechnie, third baseman and former manager for the Newark Federals, has left here for New York, where he will report to the New York Nationals.

Scholastic Baseball Games on Tap Today

INTERACADEMIC LEAGUE.

Episcopal Academy vs. Penn Charter School, at 62d and Walnut streets, 10 a. m.

OTHER GAMES.

Drexel Institute vs. Delaware College, at Delaware College.
Brown Prep vs. Atlantic City High School, at Atlantic City.
Bryn Athyn Academy vs. George School, at George School.
Camden High vs. Girard College, at Girard College.
Penn Freshmen vs. Lawrenceville School, at Lawrenceville.
Pennsylvania Institute vs. Chestnut Hill Academy, at Chestnut Hill.
Villanova Preparatory vs. Peddie Institute, at Peddie.

MEETS.

Penn Charter School vs. Northeast High, at Northeast.
Media, Chester High and Williamson School, triangular meet.

CORNELL SCHEDULES OUT

Opens Golf Season at Binghamton, Tennis at Penn

ITHACA, N. Y., April 15.—The Cornell tennis and golf schedules were announced yesterday. The golf season will open with a match against the Binghamton Country Club at Binghamton, while Cornell will start the tennis season against Pennsylvania at Philadelphia on April 28. The schedules follow:

Golf—May 6, Binghamton Country Club at Binghamton; May 11, Amherst at Springfield, Mass.; May 12, Harvard at Cambridge, Mass.; May 13, Williams at Williamstown; May 20, Pennsylvania at Ithaca; May 27, Princeton at Ithaca (tentative); June 6, Binghamton Country Club at Ithaca.

Tennis—April 28, Pennsylvania at Philadelphia; April 29, Navy at Annapolis; May 3, Princeton at Ithaca; May 6, Colgate at Ithaca; May 13, Yale at New Haven; May 15, Harvard at Cambridge; May 20, Leland Stanford at Ithaca (tentative); May 27, Dartmouth at Ithaca.

Dalton and Chase to Join Reds

NEWARK, N. J., April 15.—Jack Dalton, who played with the Buffalo Federals last season and the year before with the Brooklyn Nationals, has left here for Cincinnati to join Charley Herzog's Cincinnati Reds. He received terms from Garry Herrmann yesterday, and immediately wired his acceptance.

CINCINNATI, April 15.—Owing to the presence of Mollwitz in the Cincinnati line-up, there has been considerable inquiry of the club officials as to the whereabouts of Hal Chase, who was purchased from Harry Sinclair last week. Garry Herrmann has asserted that Chase was not yet in town. Hal left San Francisco last Wednesday and was expected in town today. Chase will very likely be used on Monday.

Football Men to Be Dined

SYRACUSE, N. Y., April 15.—Walter Camp, dean of American football, and the members of his all-American team of 1915 will be the guests at the annual dinner of the Syracuse University Athletic Association tonight.

Opportunity for Player

Any baseball player desiring to join a 13-14-year-old team address H. Slater, 3015 North Hambrey street.

Keating Agrees to Yank Terms

NEW YORK, April 15.—Ray Keating has agreed to terms with the Yankees and nothing remains but for him to sign his contract.

Evening Ledger Decisions of Ring Bouts Last Night

LINCOLN—Leo Vincent defeated Fighting Bob. Happy McAleer drew with Frankie Hart. Whitey Fitzgerald won from Paddy Manley. Frankie Mullin beat Bill Hart. Young Ritchie knocked out George Smoker in the second.

QUAKER CITY—Young Diggins won from Johnny Kelly. Paddy Bedley beat Happy Davis. Kid West won from Eddie Dunn. Tommy Livingston defeated Young Manton. Goodie Welch knocked out Whitey Anderson in the first. Obie O'Brien stopped Tommy Welch in the second.

NONPAREIL—Barney Hahn beat Kid Scatton. Johnny Piazzi and Preston Brown drew. Joe Phillips drew with Charley Smith. Frankie Williams won from Young Dundee. Billy Donovan knocked out Johnny McAvoy in the fourth.

GAYETY—Tommy White defeated Kid Ritchie. Tommy Malone won from Kid Buck. Young Clarke stopped Frankie Day in the first. Teddy Murphy knocked out Clarence O'Brien in the second.

NEW YORK—Jimmy Coffey beat Marty Cross. Memphis Pal Moore defeated Mickey Dunn. Jimmy Murray knocked out Terry Moran in the second.

READING—Alf Mansfield won from Jack Sayles. Willie Jackson defeated Young Weyman. Eddie Graham drew with Frank O'Brien. Dutch Mangle beat Jimmy Brown.

MINNEAPOLIS—Jack Dillon defeated Billy Miske.

DAYTON—Patsy Drouillard was knocked out in the 14th round by Hal Stewart.

ST. LOUIS—Sam McVey was outpointed by Jack Thompson.

KANSAS CITY—Carlos Fanning got referee's decision over Louisiana, but this did not meet with the approval of the spectators.

SCRAPPY SCRAPS ABOUT SCRAPPERS

Harry Donahue, the Peoria, Ill., lightweight and Johnny Nelson's opponent in the National's wind-up tonight, showed in a fast fray with Champion Johnny Kilbane in his last exhibition. The Westerner is a clever, two-handed boxer, and he has a lot of class. For the second time in the history of boxing here a "yellow peril" will invade this city when Ah Chung, Chinaman, boxes in one of the prelims. But this Oriental pug is said to be a much better battler than Young Togo, the Jap who appeared in local circles two years ago.

Although Eddie Revoire and Joe Borrell have opposed each other in several bouts, neither ever displayed much better form than the other. They seem to be two of the most evenly matched boxers in Philadelphia. They are hard at work in preparation for Monday's mix at the Olympia, and "I'll win by a knockout this time sure" each are quoted as threatening.

Pat Bradley is just bubbling over in his anxiety to direct his southpaw smashes at some one in the 24-foot ring, and he is the least particular who the some one is. If Patricius were picking an opponent he says Willie Ritchie would be just the fellow the Amalgamated Union of Barbers, Street Cleaners and Bootblacks would like to see.

The recent bout between Mickey Brown and One-Punch Hogan in New Orleans was stopped by the referee in the fourth round after the Philadelphian had been dropped four times and he was too weak to protect himself. Mickey's gameness pleased the N. O. fans. He scored a knockdown over the O. P. person after being dropped the second time.

Although articles for a 15-round mix between Battling Levinsky and Terry Kellar in Baltimore, May 22, are signed, the referee question is proving a hitch. Sammy Harris is holding out for a local man, Harry Jeffries, while Levinsky wants Jack McGuigan to officiate.

Benny Leonard vs. Johnny Kilbane probably will be the next big boxing bout to be decided. Kansas City fans want Charley White and Leonard to meet there, but a difference in financial consideration is keeping Benjamin from signing. It is said that negotiations for a Leonard-Kilbane tilt have been started.

Al Wagner, the Little Italy K. O. kid, has been boxing regularly upstate. He has been making a big hit with his aggressive and hard-punching style.

The Broadway and Nonpareil Clubs will remain dark next week on account of the holidays.

PENN TACKLES HAVERFORD ON FRANKLIN FIELD

Quaker Baseball Captain to Be Elected Previous to Contest Today

MOORE IS FAVORITE

College Baseball Games on Schedule for Today

Pennsylvania vs. Haverford, at Franklin Field.
Columbia vs. Yale, at New Haven.
C. C. N. Y. vs. Seton Hall, at New York.
Manhattan vs. Crescent A. C., at Bay Ridge.
Princeton vs. Brown, at Providence.
Harvard vs. Army, at West Point.
Cornell vs. Dickinson, at Ithaca.
Navy vs. Colgate, at Annapolis.
Georgetown vs. Johns Hopkins, at Washington.
Lafayette vs. Albright, at Easton.
Lehigh vs. Swarthmore, at South Bethlehem.
Penn State vs. Gettysburg, at State College.
Tufts vs. Catholic University, at Washington.
Syracuse vs. Rochester, at Syracuse.

Penn and Haverford play on Franklin Field this afternoon. It will be the first game for the Main Liners this season, all previous games having been called off on account of poor weather.

The delayed election for Penn's captaincy will take place before the contest. As the team will line-up gainst the Main Liners there will be only one man, Sam Moore, the third baseman, who is a veteran, and he is only a junior. All the others are playing their first year in a varsity uniform. Moore has been playing a bang-up fielding game at the hot corner and, in the contests in which he has acted as captain, has proven himself a good general. Larry Murdoch, who is the only senior on the squad, was recently replaced in right field by Ad Swigler.

Coach Thomas probably will depend upon either Spielman or Cross to do the work from the firing line, while Haverford will use Busby. Cross twirled the last three innings against Cornell on Thursday and held the Ithacans hitless. Spielman has worked in only one game this season and is due for another tryout.

The probable line-up will be:

PENN.	HAVERFORD.
Moore, 3b.	Sautree, 1b.
Todd, 2b.	Carr, ss.
Berry, cf.	Chandler, 3b.
Smith, 1b.	Hannum, c.
Swigler, rf.	Busby, p.
Sullivan, cf.	Lukens, 2b.
Martin, ss.	Koons, lf.
Dolan, c.	Steere, cf.
Spielman or Cross, p.	Bowman, rf.

GOULD AND HUHN IN FINAL

Philadelphia Pair Play for Doubles Court Tennis Title

NEW YORK, April 15. — Jay Gould and W. H. T. Huhn, of Philadelphia, and Charles E. Sands and Payne Whitney, of this city, will meet today in the final round for the national court tennis doubles championship.

The Philadelphia men yesterday won three straight sets from C. S. Cutting and Lawrence Waterbury, of the home club, 6-3, 6-2, 6-1.

Danny Murphy Corrals Giant Kids

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 15.—Owner James T. Collins, of the New Haven nine, heard from Manager Danny Murphy, who is in Philadelphia with Connie Mack, looking over some of the Mackmen. Murphy wrote he had secured from the Giants a pitcher, catcher and outfielder, and that he has an option on another player. It is likely he will secure a couple of good infielders and a pitcher from Connie Mack. The Braves also promise two infielders.

Big Purses for Grand Circuit

SYRACUSE, N. Y., April 15.—Purses and stakes aggregating $42,000 are offered horsemen by the New York State Fair Commission at the meeting of the Grand Circuit in Syracuse next September. The stake events are as follows: 2:08 trot, the Empire State, purse $10,000; 2:11 pace, the Karnivals, $5000; 2:24 trot, the Kah-Noo-No, $2000; 2:07 pace, the Chamber of Commerce, $2000; 2:20 trot, the Governor's, $2000; 2:17 pace, the Syracuse, $2000, and 2:15 trot, the Devereaux, $2000.

Original Circuit for New League

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 15.—President Abraham Rosenbluth, of the Pennsylvania State League, has announced that the circuit arranged at the meeting in Philadelphia two weeks ago would remain intact. He said grounds had been leased in every city, but that considerable work would have to be done in York, Lebanon and Altoona before the season would start May 16.

Red Sox Get Thomas and Jones

BOSTON, April 15.—The Boston Americans will take Fred Thomas, an infielder, and S. P. Jones, a pitcher, from the Cleveland club as part payment for Tris Speaker. The players will report to the Red Sox within a day or two.

Cioni Sets Roller Skating Record

CHICAGO, April 15.—Roland Cioni, of Pittsburgh, is the holder of the world's roller skating record for five miles. At the championship meeting, now being held here, he skated the distance in 13 minutes 25 seconds, six seconds faster than the previous mark.

College to Stop Football

ANNANDALE, N. Y., April 15.—Intercollegiate football has been officially tabooed at St. Stephen's College, Annandale-on-Hudson.

Snow Causes Ball Postponement

HANOVER, N. H., April 15.—Dartmouth-Bowdoin game cancelled. Snow.

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Admission, Grandstand and Paddock, $1.50. Ladies, $1.00.
First Race at 2:30 p. m.

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MONDAY NIGHT—8:30 SHARP
ANDY BURNS vs. KID TEXAS
TOMMY O'KEEFE vs. BUCK FLEMING
YOUNG McGOVERN vs. JOE TUBER
FRANKIE BURNS vs. GUSSIE LEWIS
Joe Borrell vs. Eddie Revoire
Adm. 25c. Bal. Res. 50c. Arena Res. 75c. $1.

EVENING LEDGER MOVIES—YESTERDAY WOULD HAVE A GRAN' LI'L TIME, PLUVY, TO COLLECT THAT FLOCK OF IRON MEN