

NOT WISHING TO HOG ALL LAURELS, BRADLEY HOGG ONLY WINS BALL GAMES IN SEPTEMBER

CURTAIN WILL FALL TONIGHT ON BOXING'S BEST OPEN-AIR YEAR

Tendler and Cline Close Most Profitable Season in History of Game When They Clash at Shibe Park. More Than 100,000 Attend

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL Sports Editor Evening Public Ledger

The curtain will be drawn on the 1919 open-air boxing season tonight when a galaxy of stars will battle it out at Shibe Park.

There were no big surprises during the summer, no championship changed hands and no titleholder was flattened.

Tonight Tendler meets Irish Patsy Cline in the star hour and expects to show something.

After this show the regular indoor season will be in full swing.

IT LOOKS like a big year for boxing in Philadelphia.

This McGraw Minor League Product Faded Early

BASEBALL flowers that bloom in the spring, in the summer and wither under the hot summer sun, drop their heads and take the air through the first open exit.

Remember Earle Smith, the kid catcher purchased from Rochester by the Giants this spring?

Smith came into the league with all the noise, quiet and exclusiveness of a circus parade or a hard-working boiler factory.

Irwin treated Smith as the greatest free-swinging hitter he ever had seen.

But Smith is not to blame for his showing. He tried hard, but inexperience has been against him.

THE other day the batting averages came out and Smith's name was found near the end of the list.

Hogg Is Major League's Best September Pitcher

NOW, on the other hand, we have Bradley Hogg, who pitches occasionally for the Phils.

But when things looked dark and gloomy and the clouds had no silver linings, Hogg took a brace.

The trouble with Hogg this year was that he started late.

Hogg is a September pitcher. He always does his best work when the season is on the wane.

THE Phils now are in Cincinnati, assisting in the home-canning of the National League champions.

Carris Finds Going Rough in Pro Ranks

EDDIE CARRIS, former Swarthmore College star, who embarked on a professional baseball career last June when he joined the Rochester club, is home again.

"Eddie had a hard time of it with Arthur Irwin, according to his story.

"I started out as a catcher," he said, "but ended up as a real utility man.

CARRIS was a likely looking prospect at the start and was doing good work until he was switched around so much.

ACCORDING to latest reports, Benny Boynton, star quarterback of the Phils, will go back to his first love and not join the squad at Georgia Tech.

BEYOND YEARSLEY, former Phil catcher and present manager of the North York team, will have charge of the Conshohocken football team this fall.

SOMEBODY IS ALWAYS TAKING THE JOY OUT OF LIFE



TWILIGHT SEASON NEARING FINISH

Haggerty's Nativity Nine Plays Bacharach Giants Tomorrow in Virtually Closing Game

MULE WATSON TO TWIRL

Twilight baseball for the present season is nearing an end.

But before the curtain is drawn on the evening post-time Manager Phil Haggerty wishes to get a chance to play the Bacharach Giants.

The game will be staged on the Nativity field, at Miller and Ontario streets, and will begin at 5:45 p. m.

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The home club did not allow the visitors a single tally, with Sheffy in the best form of the season.

The game gave Disston the best of the series, two to one.

Amateur Baseball Notes

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East Park Sportsmen are without games for September 23rd and 24th.

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A first-class first baseman would like to see the remainder of the season with some seniors team.

Newton B. C. has September 20 and 27 open for engagements with traveling teams.

Blue Ribbon Without Game Due to a misunderstanding the Blue Ribbon A. C. is without a game for Sunday.

Narberth to Play S. & C. The Narberth & Cottler side will meet the Narberth Club of the Mat.

EAST SHOULD RETAIN TRACK CHAMPIONSHIP

Meredith Picks New York A. C. to Lift National Title on Franklin Field This Week

RAY AFTER MILE MARK

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PHILLY RECRUIT MAKES IMPRESSION

Lebonveau, Latest Cravath Outfielder, Scores in Bow at Cincinnati

SMITH BINGLES SCARCE

Cincinnati, Sept. 10.—To put it in futuristic language, it was a helluva day in Cincinnati.

George Smith pitched an ideal game yesterday. He held the mighty Reds to a pair of faint singles and only permitted four of them to find their way to safety.

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Recruit Makes Hit Lebonveau, the newest Phil, made a great impression.

The weight events will bring together the big New York heavies again.

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ADD BILL JOHNSTON TO SPORTS LIST OF COMPETITIVE SOULS

Chief Bender and Eddie Collins Also Are Star Members of Athletic Class That Shows at Best Under Supreme Test

IN THE SPOTLIGHT—BY GRANTLAND RICE (Copyright, 1919. All Rights Reserved.)

The First Division Marches The last to leave—the first to go— So is their laurel wreath;

Not all of them—Somehere in France, Beyond the mist-lung shore— Stained crosses mark the last advance

The gaps are filled—each in his place Will hear the wild acclaim; With all the valor of their race,

For those who march will turn to find Some ghostly mate in vain; Some buddy who was left behind

ANOTHER fan writes in to suggest that even nine games are not enough—

that the two world-series teams should play in every major league city, in order that every major league fan might get a short epy of the closing spectacle.

SOME days ago we listed Francis Quimet as one of the leaders in the list of Competitive Souls.

To this list the name of Bill Johnston, of California, belongs in expansive type.

AUSTRIA and the Athletics get the peace and world series terms together.

EVERY time they try to ring in a new home-run record on Babe Ruth he raises the ante by socking another baseball out of the lot.

Count that day serecked whose late descending sun Sees not Babe Ruth marked up with a home run.

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