BASE BALL

The Effectiveness of Hodson Enables Us to Win Another Game.

READING TAKES IN HAZLETON

The "Only Meany," of the Harrisburgs, Again Bobs Up Serenely to Retard King Kelly's Upward Progress—Standing of the Respective State League Clubs—Various Base Ball and Sporting Notes That Are Not Too Lengthy for Hot Weather Perusal.

THE State league games played yesterday did not result in changing the standing of any of the respective clubs with the exception of Pottsville and Scranton changing places, the latter moving up into fifth position. As the first season is rapidly drawing to a close, the clubs are all making strenuous efforts to maintain the position at present held by each, and if possible to advance further up the ladder toward the championship goal.

The following table gives the percentages of the clubs, together with the number of games won and lost by each, and their standing in the championship race:

	Won.	Lost.	Per C't.
Harrisburg	24	11	.756
Hazleton	26	19	.578
Allentown	27	20	.574
Reading	26	24	.520
Scranton	23	23	.500
Pottsville	21	23	.488
Altoona	17	26	.395
Easton	7	36	.163

SCHEDULE FOR TODAY.

Pottsville at Scranton.
Harrisburg at Allentown.
Reading at Hazleton.
Altoona at Easton.

PITCHER WILSON WAS TO BLAME.

The Pottsville Star Was in Bad Form Yesterday.

Mr. Wilson, the star pitcher of ex-Phenomenal Smith's Pottsville aggregation of base ball artists, was not on good terms with himself yesterday. He was sour of visage and acted as if "that tired feeling" had obtained a strong hold on him.

It is not surprising therefore that the Pottsville boys lost the game and allowed Scranton to pass them in the League race.

To begin with, Mr. Wilson was wild, no less than seven members of the local team walking to first base because the Pottsville star imagined the home plate was several sizes larger than the league regulations require.

True Mr. Wilson has speed, lots of it, but it is unaccompanied by that amplitude of curve that the successful pitcher finds of such great service to him in mystifying the bateman.

Patchen found these straight, swift balls just to his liking and in the fifth landed on one of them for three bases. In the seventh he again became enamored of one of these swift balls and he greeted it squarely with his bat. The ball started on its outward passage, flew over the center field fence, landing many feet on the other side. It was the first time a ball had ever been knocked over that fence and the cheers that greeted Patchen as he trotted across the home plate were deafening. By that bit of stick work Patchen won a silk hat.

MORE TROUBLE IN THE NINTH.

In the ninth inning Mr. Wilson suffered the greatest humiliation. Four singles were made off him in succession which with a long fly by Massey allowed three runs to be added to the Scranton score making a total of nine. Westlake played a brilliant game, making two stops that were phenomenal.

Hodson again proved that he is the king of State League pitchers. In the first inning he struck out Golden, the first batsman, and Potts reached first on Westlake's error. Potts attempted to steal second and Patchen threw the ball into center field over Phelan's head. Potts thought it was a wild throw and started for third. Hogan had backed Phelan up and when the ball ploughed through the atmosphere about the latter's head, Hogan seized it, shot it to Westlake at third, where delicate Mr. Potts was put out. Tighe went out on a fly to Hogan.

In the fourth the visitors made their first run. Potts was given a base on balls and Tighe flied out to Hogan, while Potts was cut off at second a moment later. Fuller made a two-base hit, Ellis was given a base on balls and on Hill's single Fuller scored.

The visitors rallied again in the seventh. Diggins odened with a single and reached second because Wetzel failed to hold the ball thrown by Patchen. Humphreys went out from Westlake to Massey, Diggins scoring on Wetzel's failure to properly judge Wilson's hit. Golden died on a fly to Westlake and Potts was given first on balls. Just then Tighe came to the rescue with a three base hit on which Wilson and Potts scored. Pottsville did not increase its total in the eighth or ninth. Score in detail:

SCRANTON.

	B.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Hogan, c. f.	0	0	4	1	0
Wetzel, ss.	1	1	2	2	2
Patchen, c.	3	3	6	1	0
Rogers, rf.	1	3	0	1	0
Phelan, 2b.	0	0	2	4	0
Staltz, 1. f.	2	1	0	0	0
Massey, 1b.	2	2	10	0	0
Westlake, 3b.	0	1	3	3	0
Hodson, p.	0	1	0	1	0
Total	9	12	27	14	2

POTTSVILLE.

	B.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Golden, c. f.	0	0	2	0	0
Potts, lf.	1	2	0	0	0
Tighe, 2 b	0	1	5	4	0
Fuller, 1 b.	1	1	8	0	1
Ellis, 3b.	0	1	3	1	1
Hill, r. f.	0	2	1	0	0
Diggins, c.	1	1	7	2	2
Humphries, ss.	0	1	1	2	2
Wilson, p.	1	0	0	5	0
Total	5	9	27	14	5

Scranton.....1 1 2 0 1 0 1 0 2—9
Pottsville.....0 0 0 1 0 0 3 0 0—4

Earned runs—Scranton 4, Pottsville 1. Two base hits—Fuller, Hill. Three base hits—Patchen, Tighe. Home runs—Patchen. Sacrifice hit—Westlake. Stolen bases—Hogan, Westlake 3, Patchen, Staltz 2, Potts, Ellis, Diggins, Humphreys. Double plays—Phelan to Wetzel to Massey, Tighe to Fuller. Struckout—By Hodson 5; by Wilson 3. First base on balls—By Hodson 4, by Wilson 7. Hit by pitcher, Tighe. Time—2.05. Umpire—Rinn.

OTHER STATE LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Hazleton—
Hazleton.....0 1 5 0 0 0 2 0 2—10
Reading.....2 0 0 7 0 1 0 4 x—14

Hits—Hazleton, 16; Reading, 16. Errors—Hazleton, 3; Reading, 4. Batteries—Jordan and Moore; Rhoads and Fox.

At Allentown—
Allentown....1 2 2 1 0 1 1 0 0—8
Harrisburg....0 3 2 0 5 0 1 0 x—11

Hits—Allentown, 8; Harrisburg, 15. Errors—Allentown, 4; Harrisburg, 3. Batteries—Baldwin and Milligan; Meaney and Wente.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Pittsburg—
Pittsburg.....0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—2
Boston.....0 0 3 0 0 0 1 0 3—7

Hits—Pittsburg, 5; Boston, 9. Errors—Pittsburg, 2; Boston, 0. Batteries—Ehret and Merritt; Nichols and Ryan. Umpire—Lynch.

At Cleveland—
Cleveland.....3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—4
New York.....0 0 3 1 0 0 0 2 0—6

Hits—Cleveland, 4; New York, 7. Errors Cleveland, 3; New York, 1. Batteries—Griffiths, Clarkson and Zimmer; Rusie and Farrell. Umpire—Stage and Hartly.

At Chicago—
Chicago.....2 3 5 1 1 0 0 3 0—15
Philadelphia..1 3 1 5 0 2 3 0 2—17

Hits—Chicago, 18; Philadelphia, 20. Errors—Chicago, 7; Philadelphia, 5. Batteries—Stratton, McGill and Schriver; Carsey and Buckley. Umpire—McQuaid.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

Wilkes-Barre, 3; Providence, 1.
Binghamton, 8; Springfield, 10.
Erie, 2; Troy, 3.

GLINTS FROM THE DIAMOND.

Breitenstein has expressed a willingness to pitch regularly alternating games for St. Louis.

George Smith, of Cincinnati, has the lowest batting average of any shortstop in the league.

The South Side Boys will play the Senators of Green Ridge, next Saturday at the Driving park.

The West Side Stars play the Providence Stars a game of ball July 4th, at 11 o'clock on the Little Wood's grounds.

The Actives, of Green Ridge won another game from the Mixtures by a score of 13 to 7. The Actives will play any club under seventeen years of age. First come first served. E. Young, manager; J. Gavarn, captain.

Allen, the shortstop of the Phillies, who has been laid up on account of injuries, is the son of a very wealthy banker in central Ohio. Latham tells the story that Allen's father had agreed to give his son $20,000 if he would quit playing ball.

Hogan, of the Scranton team, is said to be one of the coming outfielders of America. He is a Youngstown boy, and Jimmie McAleer is authority for the statement that he is faster than Tom Brown, Billy Sunday or himself.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

There will be two games of ball at the park on July 4 with Hazleton. The morning game will be called at 10 o'clock and the afternoon game at 4 o'clock. No carriages will be admitted to the grounds at these games. Admission to the grand stand 25 cents. Boxes reserved without extra charge at box office from 8.30 to 9.30 a. m., and from 2.30 to 3.30 p. m.

Treasurer Nick Young has received a check for $2,400 from Von der Horst, of Baltimore, to be paid to president Von der Ahe as soon as Gleason appears in an Oriole uniform. This was done to hurry the St. Louis president into making his peace with Gleason, who declines to sign until "der Poss" Ahe refunds the $500 Gleason claims the St. Louis boss unjustly withheld from his salary.

Secretary H. H. Diddlebock of the State league, says in the Philadelphia Inquirer: "Gossip about the State league continues to fill the base ball columns and it is not always true. According to some writers the State league has been on its last legs for a month or more, but it is still intact, and there is nothing to indicate that there will be a break in the circuit. The poor patronage afforded the Harrisburg club at home has been a source of worriment to President Meyers, but he has never had any intention of throwing up his franchise. The story that he was to take his club to Atlantic City was a little premature; as while he had received an offer to locate at the seaside resort he had never accepted it. The second championship season of the State league will begin on next Saturday, and it is probable that beginning with that date a number of the Harrisburg games will be transferred to Lancaster, Shamokin, Shenandoah and possibly Williamsport, but there will be no change of name or management."

CITY LEAGUE SEASON.

St. Thomas College Club Won the Championship.

The last scheduled game of the City league was to be played on Saturday at 3.30 p. m. by the St. Thomas and High School teams, but the High School team failed to appear on the grounds and the game was awarded to St. Thomas' by a score of 9 to 0 by the umpire.

The City league schedule was so arranged that each of the four clubs was to play ten games, and the club having the highest average would be declared the winner. The schedule was arranged by Professor Whitmore, manager of Wood's Base Ball team, assisted by the managers of High school, No. 36 and St. Thomas clubs.

The following is the standing of the different teams, stating the number of games won, lost, postponed, and the percentage of each:

	Won	Lost	Post.	Per
St. Thomas	8	2	0	.800
Woods	4	3	3	.572
No. 36	2	4	4	.331
High School	1	6	3	.143

NOTES OF THE PLAYERS AND TEAMS.

The fielding of the No. 36's was of the gilt-edged order.

In Lewis, of Wood's, is the making of a first-class ball player.

With a good pitcher the St. Thomas' club would become a very strong team.

The team from No. 36 school was the smallest club in the league and are deserving of much credit for the work they did.

Kelly, pitcher, of the High School, is a good player and would undoubtedly have won the games he pitched, if he was properly supported.

The St. Thomas club disbanded on Saturday. On account of the school being dismissed, the members living in different towns were not able to continue the team organization.

The pitchers of the City league were: Smith and Jason from No. 36; Kelly and Emerson, of the High School; Schives and Owens, of Wood's; Gibbons, Miller and Cusick, of St. Thomas.

The St. Thomas' under the management of Patrick J. Boland, played twelve games, ten in the city league and two non-league games, one with the Olyphant Browns and one with the Murray Hills, of Pittston. They were victorious in the games with the Browns and Murray Hills, defeating the former by a score of 15 to 6 and the latter by a score of 10 to 2.

BICYCLE OF FUTURE FOR WOMEN.

Sex Will Not Be Considered in Its Manufacture.

Two of the leading firms of bicycle manufacturers in this country have recently expressed the opinion that within five years there will be no difference between the wheels used by men and women. In other words, they believe the day is not far off when all women devoted to wheeling will discard skirts on the road and wear what is now usually referred to as the "rational" or "reform" dress. In other words the sex of the rider will cut no figure in the manufacture of bicycles, and women will no longer have to put up with wheels whose model, specially designed for skirt wearers, is necessarily inferior to those made for men in strength, lightness and ease of propulsion.

The courier of this new era in bicycling seems to have arrived. A wheel is just beginning to appear in the streets of this city and Brooklyn that is intended for women, though it has the diamond frame heretofore seen only in the safeties made for men. In no respect does it differ from the finest, high grade, and high-priced roadsters used by the sterner sex except that the diameter of both wheels is from two to four inches smaller than that of the men's machines, and the frame is accordingly much nearer the ground. The wheel is mounted by the step or pedal mount in vogue among men riders and is, of course, intended only for those women who wear the "rational" dress.

The new wheel weighs only twenty-eight pounds, which is two to five pounds less than most of the high grade men's roadsters of exactly the same strength of frame. This is the crowning advantage and it is secured by doing away with the skirt guards, which are the unsightly and not wholly protective feature of women's bicycles, and by saving the extra weight required for the unscientific and clumsy frames devised for riders wearing skirts. It is an interesting and an important question how to surmount the difficulties and make all men and women free and equal bicyclers.

We believe the solution of the problem will be found in a sensible bicycle costume for women. The young women who are perfectly certain that they would rather die than wear one of the modest and tasteful bicycle suits which are now seen by scores are likely, before they are married, to see them so commonly in use that they will not call for special remark. A while ago the bicycle costume was a topic in the mouth of every resident of Paris. Today the hoodlums of that capital are so ungallant as to hoot at the exceptional women who still insist on wheeling through the parks in ordinary street attire. We predict that the new bicycle, or something like it, will soon be a recognized feature in the wheeling world.—New York Sun.

GENERAL SPORTING NOTES.

The regatta committee of the People's Fourth of July regatta, which will be held on the Schuylkill on that day, are quite jubilant over the number of entries that have been received. A large number of men from New York and other eastern cities will compete

August 19 is the date settled for the running of the annual 100-yard dash for the professional championship at Denver. The purse will be $1,000, and among the entries are Thomas C. Morris, of California, the present champion; "Steve" Farrell, of Connecticut; "Jim" Collins, of Wisconsin; E. Donovan, of Massachusetts; W. H. Copple, of Nebraska; J. Engleman, of Pittsburg, and J. Gibson, of England.

George R. Gray, the champion shot-putter, who has entered for the all-around championships of the American Athletic union to be held on the grounds of the New Jersey Athletic club, is not a novice in that sort of work. In 1888 he went to England and competed in the international all-around championships, winning second place with twenty-seven points. His record in the contests was as follows: Throwing 56-pound weight, 26 feet 7 inches; 100-yard run, got second to Bulger by three yards; throwing 16-pound hammer, 82 feet 8½ inches; 16-pound shot, 43 feet 7¼ inches; standing long jump, 11 feet 10 inches; 440 yards, got second to Bulger by five yards; pushing 28-pound shot from shoulder, 30 feet 7 inches; standing hop, step and jump, 28 feet 8 inches. In 1889 Gray competed in the all-around against Jordon and Ford, but failed to qualify. On a percentage basis Gray feels that he will have a good chance of winning.

THE OUTLOOK NOT HOPELESS.

New York Tribune.

No intelligent man will deny that the municipality is the weak spot in our modern civilization. But this is so for special reasons that will not always exist. On the one hand the rich industrial and commercial that the city offers to the energetic man of business have for the time being made him selfishly negligent of his civic duties; and other, the movement of population has thrown into nearly every large city of the New World a mass of ignorance and latent vice that it may take several generations to purge and assimilate. No intelligent New Yorker at the present moment has any disposition to make light of the municipal corruption that has been exposed to public view. But, if he is wise as well as intelligent, he will understand that this corruption is merely incidental, and no part of the permanent life and developement of the city, which will throw it off, and that perhaps at no very distant day.

To Practice a Song.

A writer in The Etude says:

The student, when practicing, should stand firmly on both feet in an upright, easy position, the head erect, the chest well expanded, the shoulders kept downward. He should open the throat as wide as possible, but the mouth only moderately, drawing the lips rather tight, so as just to show the upper row of teeth, as in smiling, in order that the sound, striking a hard surface, says Signor Lamperti, may vibrate with greater intensity and give a ring and brilliancy to the voice.

It is a great mistake to open the mouth too much. It causes a thick, unpleasant sonority, and renders rapid and distinct articulation impossible. The tongue should remain at full length, so as to leave the largest possible space in the mouth.

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HERBERT L. TAYLOR, Auditor.

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E. J. LYNETT, Secretary.

Scranton, June 30, 1894.

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