

The pitcher called the catcher. He held a conference in his ear. Said the pitcher to the catcher, "Where'll we go from here?"

We credit a horse for lots of speed For the mile that he can do, But naught goes to the jockey lad, Who does the same mile, too.

### BIG FIGHT ON AT PITTSBURGH REPORTS STATE

Story Carried in Pittsburgh Paper This Morning--To Build Big Arena.

According to a story carried in a Pittsburgh paper this morning, Harry Greb, Pittsburgh's pride, light heavyweight champion of America, will meet Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, in a bout to be staged in Pittsburgh on Labor Day. Few details of the match were carried in the West Virginia edition of the paper, which goes to press early. The story says that announcement of the match was made last night. A special arena will be constructed for the event. The fight it is said will be under the auspices of the Motor Square Garden Fight Club.

If the report is true, it will be one of the biggest sporting events in that city for a long time. It will be close enough to this city to give all the local fight fans a chance to take in the bout.

Game on Sunday. Another good baseball game is promised the fans at Blackshear Park on Sunday. Manager Port Knight of Ida May having arranged a game for his tossers with the Star City team. This aggregation is well known in this section as it has been putting up some remarkably good baseball this season.

The Ida May team has arranged now and expects to land the battle. The game should prove an interesting one for the local fans, who can leave on the 2 o'clock Mannington car and reach the park in ample time for the game.

In Church League. Jack Bunner's team in the East Side Church League lost the first game they have played by dropping one to the Palatine Baptists last night 18 to 4. The team had been formed on a few hours' notice and the boys were away off in their fielding. They hope to do better next time. The feature of the game was the heavy hitting, five home runs being made.

Sunday Oper. So far the Grant Town baseball team has been unable to book a game for Sunday. Any good team in the county wanting a game for this date at home or abroad should call 715 Fairview. Grant Town has a good team and would be a good card at diamond. The manager of the Grant Town team would like to get the Norway team for this date. The Norway manager is requested to call the above number before 5:30 p. m.

Plays Thursday. Thursday evening the Norway team will go to Kingmont where they will meet the fast team of that place in what is expected to be a real battle. Last Friday the Norway team defeated the Kingmont boys by the score of 10-4 in a game staged at the Watson diamond. Welch will likely be on the mound for Kingmont. A large crowd will be out to see the contest.

Glasses Lost. Monongah Glass was defeated Sunday at Star City by the score of 9-7 "Rat" Long was on the mound for the Glasses. Burns, Decker, Trader and Scagnelli were missing from the Glasses lineup.

Twin-Bill. On the fourth of July the Norway team will play a double-header at Middleton meeting the strong Middleton nine. The first game will be played in the morning starting at 10:30, while the afternoon game will be started at 2:30. A big dinner will be given the players. A big crowd will likely be out for the games.

EVANS TEES OFF KANSAS CITY, Mo. June 28.—(By the Associated Press)—Match play for the western amateur golf championship began today at the Hill-Crest Country Club with "Chick" Evans of Chicago, six times title holder and present champion, sending out his first drive from the 237 yard par-3 No. 1 hole, and Eddie Held of St. Louis shooting against him.

85,000 VOTES COUNTED. DETROIT, June 28.—(By the Associated Press).—Tabulators working on the strike vote at the headquarters of the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employes and Railway Shop Laborers here started speeding up on their check today, in an effort to get the bulk of the vote compiled by the end of the week. Approximately 250,000 ballots were on hand here today, and of these only 85,000 had been tabulated. The vote thus far has shown strongly in favor of a strike in protest against the wage cut ordered by the United States Labor Board for July 1, provided other unions whose wages have been cut, join in as the ballots already counted are considered fairly representative of the general sentiment.

### HOW THEY STAND

#### RESULTS YESTERDAY NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pittsburgh	6	Chicago	1
Pittsburgh	7	Chicago	6
New York	7	Philadelphia	1
Brooklyn	7	Boston	3
St. Louis	9	Cincinnati	3
*Called in sixth inning, rain.			
†Eleven innings.			

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Philadelphia	4	Boston	2
Philadelphia	6	Boston	4
Chicago	9	Detroit	5
Cleveland	9	St. Louis	7
Others not scheduled			

#### STANDING OF THE CLUBS NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
New York	40	23	.635
St. Louis	35	28	.556
Brooklyn	36	30	.545
Pittsburgh	31	31	.500
Cincinnati	33	33	.500
Chicago	32	35	.478
Philadelphia	24	37	.393
Boston	24	38	.387

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	40	29	.580
New York	38	31	.551
Detroit	35	32	.522
Chicago	34	33	.507
Washington	32	34	.485
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(Others not scheduled)

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Boston at Philadelphia
(Others not scheduled)

#### MIDDLETON WINS FROM FARMINGTON

Middleton defeated Farmington at Middleton last evening in a well played game 10 to 5. The lineup and summary:

FARMINGTON	AB	R	H	P	A	E
Powell, 3b	3	1	1	1	0	0
Keener, 2b-cf	4	2	2	3	3	0
Hupp, 1b	4	1	5	0	1	0
Beverage, 2b-p	4	0	1	2	1	0
Nelson, c	4	0	3	0	0	0
Marton, ss	4	0	2	0	0	0
Springer, lf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Delagato, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Caudill, mf	3	1	3	1	0	0
Freeland, p-mf	1	0	0	0	0	1

Totals 35 5 14 24 6 3

MIDDLETON	AB	R	H	P	A	E
Melton, c	4	1	5	0	0	0
Talbot, ss	4	1	2	0	0	0
Sacamon, mf	3	0	1	0	1	0
Paton, 1b	5	2	4	0	0	0
Vanmeter, 2bc	4	2	6	8	0	0
V. Demary, rf	5	3	0	0	0	0
Martin, lf	5	0	3	3	0	0
Davia, 3b	5	0	1	2	0	0
Satterfield, p	4	0	2	0	0	0
S. Demary, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greynolds, mf	1	0	0	1	0	0

Totals 40 10 15 27 15 2

Two base hits—Paton 2, Vanmeter 2, Martin, Merton 2.

Base on balls—Satterfield 2.

#### NUMEROUS CONTESTS IN NORTH DAKOTA PRIMARY

FARGO, N. D., June 28.—With candidates endorsed by the Non-Partisan League, nominations on both tickets, Republican and Democratic voters of North Dakota went to the polls today to make nominations for United States senator, congressmen, state officers and executive and county posts.

First interest centered in the contest for renomination of Senator Peter J. McCumber, who is opposed for the Republican endorsement by Lynn J. Frazier, former governor and Non-Partisan League choice, and Ormsby M. Charge, one time secretary to McCumber. The polls opened at 9 a. m. and will close at 9 p. m. Returns are not expected to be decisive until tomorrow.

#### LABOR LEGISLATION URGED.

CLEVELAND, June 28.—Organized labor should answer recent decisions of the Supreme Court with a campaign to secure enactment of a law which will protect it from suits for damages by employers instead of denouncing the laws, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers stated in a bulletin issued today.

The Coronado decision, holding that labor unions are liable for damages, is a challenge to the workers to seek legislative protection for their unions similar to that given labor organizations in Great Britain, the bulletin contends.

#### BOAT TRIPS

Lauch Emily Leaves B. & O. Pier Sundays 1:00-3:00-6:00 P. M. For special evening parties call Phone 1076-J or 1112-M

### COUNTY OFFICERS BEING KEPT BUSY

Eighteen New Deputies Being Used to Help Round Up Moonshine Still.

Special deputies employed to assist county officers in any strike emergency find that they are not allowed to loaf on the job. Sheriff J. D. Charlton had a carload of the new officers at Mannington this morning trying them out as prohibition officers. Others were put to the same work yesterday afternoon.

There are now about eighteen new officers, and twelve more will be employed if additional men are at all necessary. The men are divided into day and night forces. The grand jury room on the third floor of the courthouse has been fully equipped and is now being used as sleeping quarters for the new officers.

The added expense to the county because of the employment of the new men is more than \$100 per day. If Sheriff Charlton continues his present plan of using the new officers to round up prohibition violators while there is no mine disorder, it will mean that things will be just a little unpleasant in Marion County for such violators of the law.

County officers and Justices Blocher and Musgrave were not very busy yesterday, only a few cases coming to their attention.

Johnson Fined. Five dollars and costs constituted the fine imposed by Justice M. R. Musgrove yesterday afternoon when Charles Johnson was before him charged with an assault upon Delmar Starn, a boy about 19 years old.

Johnson was arrested upon a warrant sworn out by Starn a few days after the trouble occurred. At that time, Starn claimed that he had been attacked for an unknown cause. At the hearing yesterday it developed that the trouble arose after Johnson's daughters had reported that Starn had insulted them.

Burka In Again. Sol Burka was arrested yesterday afternoon by county officers, charged with passing a bad check at Parkersburg. The warrant for his arrest charges a felony. The Wood County officers have been notified of his arrest, and Burka will be held in the county jail until the Parkersburg authorities come to get him.

Two Men Arrested. L. C. Layne and Pearl Rollins are in the county jail today on charges of having mash in their possession. The men were arrested when county officers went to their residence near Grant Town and in making a search of the house found considerable mash and some "pickhandle." The men will be held awaiting a hearing on charges of violating the state prohibition laws.

EQUAL RIGHTS APPROVED. GENEVA, June 28.—(By The Associated Press.)—The Holy See readily agrees that the Jews in Palestine must have equal civil rights with other nationalities, the Vatican declares in a letter to the League of Nations.



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### RIVESVILLE

#### Memorial Service.

The memorial service held by Felicity lodge No. 99, K. of P. which was held in the M. E. Church, South Sunday, was well attended by both the Knights and Pythian Sisters. The church was filled to overflowing. The pastor, the Rev. G. S. Thomas, preached a splendid sermon. Special music of an appropriate nature was also furnished for the occasion. There are two other deceased members of this order, their deaths covering a period of twenty-five years. The lodge members attended in a body.

#### Shower Party.

A number of young people called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rannie Merrill of Main street last evening and showered them with a collection of gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Merrill have lately gone to house-keeping their marriage being an event of early June.

#### Birthday Dinner.

A pleasant surprise was given to John Kennedy Saturday when his children and grandchildren arrived at his home to help him celebrate the seventy-fourth anniversary of his birth. A dinner was prepared for the occasion. His children and grandchildren, of whom there are twenty-three persons, were all present for the event. Mr. Kennedy received a number of appropriate gifts.

#### Fourth of July Plans.

Something of interest is being added to the Fourth of July plans each day. The committee on arrangements have been active in securing the talent for the occasion. The affair is being given under the auspices of the J. O. A. M. and the United Mine Workers and United Brethren Church.

The new United Brethren Church is in the hands of the plasterers this week. A concrete floor is also being made in the basement and concrete steps are being built. The church presents a neat appearance. The Rev. S. E. Bauman of Mannington is personally conducting much of the work.

#### To Summer Camp.

A number of young people of this vicinity motored to Colfax Saturday evening where they visited the summer camp of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Smith. Their party of about fifteen spent the evening in bathing, boating and other water sports.

#### To Tennessee.

Mrs. Nancy Smith left the first of the week for an extended visit with her mother-in-law who resides in Nashville, Tenn.

#### To Organize.

A special meeting will be held at the M. E. Church Thursday evening at which time it is hoped to have all the ladies of the community present. If a sufficient

number of names are given it is planned to organize a Woman's Missionary Society. The work of organization will be undertaken by Mrs. Ward Downs of Fairmont who is district secretary of the state organization.

#### Assumes Duty.

R. U. Myers, the recently appointed postmaster, has assumed his new duties in the local office. No definite arrangements has been made yet as to where the office will be moved, but it will probably occupy its present location until the new K. of P. hall is finished. Mr. Myers was formerly manager of the power plant store in the Green Town addition.

#### Rebuilding Property.

The Consolidation Coal Co. is making extensive improvements in one of the houses in this community. The house will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Campbell. Among other improvements the house is undergoing an entirely new interior decoration. A bath with hot and cold water service will also be one of the new features.

#### New Business.

The Allied Lumber Co. with offices at Fairmont is putting in a plant at this place. A new railroad siding and a branch office will be two of the new additions. A large lumber shed has been built on the Rivesville pike. The firm is handling all kinds of building supplies and a heavy stock of both yellow and white pine. It is composed of substantial business men of both Fairmont and Rivesville.

#### Hood Funeral.

Funeral services were held for the late Joseph Hood from the family home yesterday afternoon. The funeral sermon was preached by the Rev. C. W. O'Dell, a former pastor of the M. E. Church South of this city. The Rev. G. F. Thomas assisted with the service. Hundreds of people from different points in the county were in attendance. Interment was made in the Oak Lawn Cemetery.

#### To Little Falls.

The Rev. and Mrs. G. F. Thomas and Mrs. M. B. Barker motored to Little Falls Monday where they spent the day with relatives of Mrs. Barker.

#### Return Home.

The camping party which was taken to White Rock Hill by their Sunday school teachers, Raybourne Coogie, returned home Saturday. The boys had a fine time swimming, boating and fishing. The outing may be repeated in a few weeks.

#### Date Changed.

The Knight of Pythias, which had been having their meetings on Tuesday night, will meet hereafter on Saturday evenings. The

meetings are held in the Arnett hall.

#### Personals.

Miss Opal Toothman of Barrackville, was a week-end visitor at the home of Miss Marie Satterfield.

H. T. Wise and J. Alexander were at Wheeling and Beech Bottom on business the last of the week.

Mrs. R. E. Good has returned from a several weeks visit with relatives in Wheeling.

Mrs. E. S. Philipps and son, John Edgar, were business visitors at Fairmont yesterday.

### BENTON'S FERRY TO HOLD SCHOOL PICNIC

Benton's Ferry has a community Sunday school in Marion County. Presbyterians, Baptists, Methodist Protestants, Methodist Episcopal (North), Methodist Episcopal (South), Dunkards, Lutherans and Christians, all cast aside their denominational beliefs to study the same Sunday school lesson.

The Sunday school is planning a big Fourth of July picnic for the people of Benton's Ferry and vicinity. The picnic will be an all day affair and will be held in the grove around the church. Those in charge say that there will be plenty for all to eat and the best of refreshments.

A feature of the day's program will be a baseball game in the afternoon between the Fairmont post office baseball team and the fast Benton's Ferry nine. The Sunday school officers are Rev. I. A. Barnes, superintendent; Mary Clelland, organist; Alton Clelland, Marjorie Lynn Mary Lynn Russell Witt and C. C. Durrett, teachers.

### CHARLES V. REDIC SELLS OUT MORGANTOWN STORE

Charles V. Redic, former circulation manager of The West Virginian, who has been one of the proprietors of the Morgantown News Co. at Morgantown for three and a half years, has sold out his interests there to Fred W. Schompp, who became a partner of Redic when he purchased the interest of W. P. Redic in the news company last November. Mr. Redic has made no announcement of his plans for the future.

With the sale of the news company, the name of the firm has been changed to Schompp's News Store, and the agency of the United Cigar Co. has been obtained.

### CHURCH AT HOULT BURNS TO GROUND

Struck by Lightning During Electrical Storm Last Night.

The Hoult Methodist Episcopal Church was struck by lightning and burned to the ground during a severe electrical storm in the Fairmont section last night.

Lightning evidently struck the steeple of the belfry. When Hoult citizens first saw the fire, the belfry was in flames and soon after fell in. Members of the church made an ineffectual attempt to save the building from the flames but nothing could be done. The loss was about \$5,000 of which \$2,000 was covered by insurance.

The structure which was destroyed was built in 1893 and 1894, and was dedicated in the spring of the latter year. It was a typical, one-room, country church with vestibule and belfry.

Hoult residents expect it to be some time before they will be in a position to erect a new church as they are at present engaged in the construction of a new schoolhouse. Among the persons active in the building of the church which was burned last night were Elijah Hoult, Harmon Suter and Theodore McElfresh, of whom only the latter survives at the age of 86 years. The present pastor of the church is the Rev. F. E. Wiles. The church has a membership of about 100 persons.

Damage from the storm in the city was not great and is not believed to have been extensive in other parts of the county. Crossed and broken telephone wires in the rural districts held up communications during the morning hours, but the telephone repair crew was soon on the job and has obstructions cleared up.

Between 10 and 11 o'clock last night, electric lights in the city

went off for a few minutes, but the trouble was soon remedied.

### SURVIVORS OF MASSACRE TO BE CHIEF WITNESSES

CHICAGO, June 28.—Survivors of the Herrin massacre who reached Chicago safely after running the gauntlet of bullets, cold steel and clubs, will be the principal witnesses for the Southern Illinois Coal Co. in its suits against the United Mine Workers' union and "bloody" Williamson County, it was said today.

### STATE BOARD MEETS

CHARLESTON, June 28.—The State Board of Education met today to close up the business of its last two day sessions when it considered the affairs of various state institutions under its control. Final decisions on all these matters was held until the meeting today when the orders of the board will be drawn. Among the things on which it was expected action would be taken today was the salaries of members of the West Virginia University faculty and other institutions.

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