

MERRY FIGHT FOR THE SEMIS

Peerless Will Try For a Fall Out of Madison This Time

Now that all the teams in the Semi-Professional League are playing classic ball, Saturday's games are exciting more than usual interest.

Peerless and Madison will clash on the Newport diamond and this should be the real stuff. Peerless has made Madison go the hardest to win than most the others and should have won all three games as they out played Newport every time.

Madison always had the luck to strike Peerless when they were without a catcher. Finger has always had them at his mercy and will again shoot them at the "Champs." Weidlin, whose catching has been more than was expected, will be his helpmate. Staib, whom Peerless tapped rather lively the last time, will be on the mound as he is anxious to get back.

Tremont and Newport will try conclusions at Rockford Park. Newport has made Tremont work to their utmost to win every time they have played and as Tremont is somewhat weakened owing to the King brothers being in Canada, it looks good for the "Villagers." Stewart is in fine form and is anxious to win which makes it sound like Tremont will have to more than hustle. McCall will be Tremont's slab artist.

Landlith, the "resurrected dead team," will show Highland that it is very much alive.

Hastings says he is tired of everyone rubbing it in and is going to have his men in the best of condition and the Highlanders will have to play to win as they never played before. He has not decided who will pitch. Both Logue and Coffin are anxious to show their strength.

Highland will send Knopf in to hold Highland's end up.

Sporting Queries Answered

Sporting Editor The Evening Journal: Let me know whether H. Chase of the Yankees is a better first baseman than Chance of Chicago Nationals in playing first base and in batting.

H. Thompson. Chase is considered to be the best all around first baseman in the business.

Sporting Editor The Evening Journal: Inform me the number of times Gans and Nelson met, also dates, location, and results.

Greg. J. B. They met three times, the first September 3, 1906, at Goldfield when Gans won on a foul in forty-two rounds. The second meeting was on July 4, 1908, when Nelson won by a knockout in seventeen rounds at San Francisco. Third meeting was at Colma, Cal., on September 3, 1908, when Nelson again won by a knockout in twenty-one rounds.

Sporting Editor The Evening Journal: State the date of the first "no hit," "no run" game on record (college or professional).

Robert Cross. The first no hit, no run game on record was pitched by Mann of Princeton against Yale, on May 29, 1875. The first no hit, no run game, professional, was pitched by Borden of Boston against Chicago on July 28, 1876.

AMONG OURSELVES

Being News and Views of the New Castle County League, Wilmington's Original Professional Baseball Organization. By Dave

Come out to-morrow! Hasn't some one got his fingers crossed?

An unbroken chain of defeats gets on a fellow's nerves. Those Gas Company lads make us feel a little picayunish.

Mossley certainly is the hard luck man. He'll play another new team to-morrow. Pierson will come out covered with bells to-morrow.

duPont would do well to take out an accident insurance before they face Wingate again. We fear Brookwood may not be able to overcome Gas Company.

With Crouch again on the duPont pitching staff the Millionaires would have a chance for the flag. Everson, the old reliable, and Murphy, a new man, will officiate in the Saturday games.

Although Wingate quit in disgust after the deal that was handed him last Saturday he is expected to come back to-morrow. That speed boy is needed.

Stung again, nit. Tri-State baseball will not be lost to Johnstown this season, at least. The board of directors of the Johnstown Baseball Association, at a recent meeting, decided to borrow enough money on the joint security of the board members to weather the storm for the remainder of the 1910 season and made an appeal to the sport-lovers for patronage.—Harrisburg Patriot.

The silver trophy offered by the A. J. Roach Company, to the County League winners is a piece of beautiful workmanship. It is on exhibition in Vandever's window and is attracting considerable attention.

Pardon, sir; but did you ever try a game of baseball to cure a case of low spirits or to counteract those annoyances, petty and otherwise, which constantly beset our paths, particularly after we make our debut into mature years? Didn't? Well, it is simply opposing the laws of nature, which ordain that every man, for his own good, should receive a generous voltage of that electrical, hair raising enthusiasm which can only be supplied at an exciting game of ball. Select some club, root for that club as loud as the city ordinance will permit,

enter into and bubble over with the spirit of the occasion, call the other club paste heads and lobsters, (don't let them hear you, though), in short, demolish as much quietness as the fans around you, and you will most assuredly find it a panacea for a large portion of the mental troubles which we all fall heir to. Meanwhile, don't forget for a passing period that there are mighty good clubs in the County League, all producing and dispensing the universal medicine referred to.

CHAMPIONSHIP RECORDS, American League.

Team	W.	L.	PC.
Athletics	58	30	.659
Boston	54	36	.600
New York	52	36	.591
Detroit	49	41	.544
Cleveland	38	45	.458
Washington	38	51	.427
Chicago	35	52	.402
St. Louis	25	58	.301

SCORES OF YESTERDAY'S GAMES, American League.

Washington, 6; Athletics, 5 (10 innings).
New York, 5; Boston, 4.
Detroit, 2; Chicago, 0.
Cleveland, 2; St. Louis, 1.

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR TO-DAY, American League.

Washington at Philadelphia.
New York at Boston.
Detroit at Chicago.

CHAMPIONSHIP RECORDS, National League.

Team	W.	L.	PC.
Chicago	55	30	.647
Pittsburg	48	35	.578
New York	48	36	.571
Cincinnati	44	43	.506
Philadelphia	41	44	.482
St. Louis	39	48	.448
Brooklyn	35	51	.407
Boston	33	56	.371

SCORES OF YESTERDAY'S GAMES, National League.

Philadelphia, 3; New York, 1.
Brooklyn, 1; Boston 0 (11 innings).
Chicago, 3; St. Louis, 0.
Pittsburg, 4; Cincinnati, 2 (14 innings).

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR TO-DAY, National League.

Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
Boston at New York.
Cincinnati at Pittsburg.
Chicago at St. Louis.

RIFLES IN CAMP AT SHELLPOT PARK

Shellpot Park had another balloon ascension last night. There will be another ascension on Saturday evening, when a young woman will go up. Last night was Amateur Night in the Family Theatre and Miss Marie Levan won the first and George Stoddard the second prize in the amateur contest. Tonight the Mountain Spring Rifles, of Ephrata, will arrive at the Park to camp for ten days. They will camp on the Park grounds and live the life of soldiers for the ten days. The organization is considered one of the best drilled bodies of men in the country and their exhibitions will be watched with interest. A band will accompany the Rifles.

KIDDIES HAVE FUN AT SPRINGS PARK

Between 5,000 and 6,000 children were the guests of Brandywine Springs Park yesterday and the "kiddies" got all that was coming to them. The number of children together with the number of Philadelphia visitors who came here over the Wilson Line and the number of grown-ups who accompanied the children gave the park the appearance of a holiday celebration. There were especially large audiences at the Pirates of Penzance presented by the Aeolian Opera Company both afternoon and evening.

As a special compliment to the children Master Carl Kuhn, the eleven-year-old son of one of the members of the opera company, gave a singing and dancing act that was much enjoyed.

New Telephone Rate.

A reduction in some of the telephone rates to take effect on September 1 has been announced by E. P. Bardo, the new district manager of the Delaware and Atlantic Telephone Company. The company is reducing the direct line unlimited business from \$72 to \$60 per annum and the direct line residence telephone from \$39 to \$35. The present two-party residence rate, \$30, is left the same, but a four-party residence rate at \$14 is being added.

BABIES SUFFER FROM SUMMER SKIN TROUBLES

Immediately Benefited by Poslam, Which Soothes, Cools and Heals. Mothers and those having the care of infants and young children which are chafed and irritated by skin eruptions and rashes will appreciate the cooling, soothing and healing properties of poslam, particularly during the heated term, when these disorders are the principal cause of fretting and ill humor. Poslam contains nothing which can in any way injure the most delicate skin and may unhesitatingly be used in all cases. "My little boy had eczema on his head in the most dreadful form for three summers. We spent dollars on various medicines to no effect. After trying sample of poslam I saw an improvement, and in a short while his head was entirely healed," writes Mrs. W. E. Hunt, Kingstrees, S. C.

In all skin troubles poslam produces immediately noticeable results, stopping all itching and rapidly restoring the skin to normal condition. A special 50-cent package of poslam is prepared for minor uses and this, as well as the regular \$2 jar, is on sale by all druggists, particularly Miller Drug Co. and N. B. Danforth.

But no one is asked to purchase poslam without first obtaining a sample package, which will be sent by mail, free of charge, upon request, by the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West 25th street, New York City.

CHESTER HEIGHTS CAMP GETS STARTED

MEDIA, Pa., July 29.—The early morning meeting at Chester Heights camp-meeting yesterday was conducted by the leader, Robert McCartney, of Madison Street Methodist Episcopal Church of Chester, one of the veteran workers of the camp. The first regular preaching service was held with Dr. E. E. Burriss, the spiritual director, in charge. A sermon was delivered by the Rev. Robert McIlwain, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Media, who preached on "Palace Car Religion, or the New Pilgrim's Progress." The first of the children's meetings, led by Miss E. E.

Mauger, of Olney, was held at 1.30 o'clock.

The afternoon was devoted to the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. Dr. E. E. Burriss presided. Mrs. C. W. Green, wife of the pastor of Ebenezer Church, at Manayunk, spoke on "Individual response to the call for service in the foreign fields." Others present were Mrs. Curtis Sooy, secretary of the Philadelphia branch, and Mrs. J. B. McCullough, also of Philadelphia. Last evening a sermon was delivered by the Rev. R. H. Crawford, pastor of Fletcher M. E. Church, Philadelphia.

Accidents of a Day. Mary E. Duker was treated at the Delaware Hospital yesterday for a contused shoulder. Charlotte Richardson, aged 4 years, of No. 23 West Twelfth street, was

treated for abscess of the eyes.

Bayard Richards, aged 25 years, of No. 110 Pine street, a Sawyer of the Harlan and Hollingsworth Corporation, was treated for a cut on his fingers.

Emile Street, aged 31, of No. 1104 Heald street, was treated for contusions of the chest.

According to a member of the Royal Arcanum an appeal from the decision of Justice Kelly, of Brooklyn, N. Y., in the Green case will be taken to the appellate division of the Supreme Court of New York. Some time ago Samuel Green, a

member of the organization, secured an injunction restraining the order from collecting assessments after an increase of the rates had been made. Justice Kelly's decision upholds Green's objection, but allows the order to double the number of assessments.

WILL RUN COURT TO SUIT HIMSELF

Special to THE EVENING JOURNAL. MILLSBORO, Del., July 29.—Adjournment Court while Justice of the Peace Joseph Betts looked on in amazement, citizens of Millsboro discharged Ira Atkins, charged with contempt of Court, at the same time informing the Court that they wanted no

more such cases brought up.

There was an argument over the rights of negroes by Justice Betts and Atkins, as a result of which the latter was arrested because of remarks he made. It was then that the crowd took a hand, and would not allow the Justice to go ahead. It is understood that Justice Betts will appeal to the county authorities for assistance in running his Court to suit himself.

Vacation for Pastor Holloway. The Rev. Thomas P. Holloway, pastor of Second Baptist Church, and Mrs. Holloway, will leave on Monday for Overbrook, Pa., going from there to Chesterfield, N. J. They will spend part of the vacation in the Vermont Green Mountains, and in the New Hampshire White Mountains.

AUGUST SALE

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