

# High Schools Expect to Hold Track Meet Next Wednesday on Satterlee Field

## AGAIN SHIFT DATE OF SCHOOLBOY MEET

Advisers Change Annual Affair for Third Time and Select Wednesday Next.

## WESTERN HOLDS AFFAIR

Red and White Athletes Make Arrangements to Hold Their Closed Events Monday.

By BRYAN MORSE.

Phones rang all day at the various high schools today when E. W. Matthews, faculty adviser of athletics at Western, tried to get in touch with the others to again change the date of the annual high school meet which was slated for Monday next at Satterlee Field.

According to present plans the high school affair will be held a week from today at Satterlee field unless there is a disposition on the part of the faculty advisers to again shift the date. It seems that all of them had reckoned without the knowledge that Western High School was scheduling a closed field and track meet, an annual affair for the boys of the schools, and that arrangements had been already completed when it was learned that the date, set for May 29, was shifted to next Monday.

The Western school made the arrangements with Caldwell and as there are so many other activities following next week the meet will be held on Monday. The three other schools were taken out of the Monday date so that Wednesday has been selected.

It was explained that the Monday date was a tentative one and that there was nothing final about it. It now seems that the annual affair will be the most movable of events, and from past performances in date shifting it would appear that the event may again be shifted.

Business is planning its hopes on a defeat of Eastern by the Western team, believing that Kelley, the star hurler, will be able to stand up to the best of the Red and White. Kelley has been pitching great ball for the First M. P. team in the East Washington League, and is looked upon as being able to duplicate the performance made in the Western game.

Eastern's kick is thought hardly sportsmanlike, in view of the fact that when the title depended upon the Western game two years ago Tech had no misgivings about partisanship, played the Red-and-White team on Georgetown Field and won.

Cornell and the Bankers are furnishing the same sort of sport as the Capital City League this year that the Pumping Station and the Paperhangers did last season. The Bankers have been strengthened by the addition of Zachary and Chief Greene, while Cornell has made up for the loss of several players from the champion Peppo team of last season, loom up considerably stronger.

After the high school games are through many of the players will affiliate with the Bankers and the Pumping Station. Many teams among the amateur players have strengthened in the past at high school level series and this year will be no exception.

The results in the amateur baseball league of yesterday's games follow: Capital City League—Bankers, 7; Cornell, 7. Central League—Printers, 6; G. E. O., 6. Departmental League—Interior, 6; Postoffice, 5. Federal League—Petworth, 7; Fairmont, 6. East Washington S. S. League—North, 1; First M. P., 1. R. E. Y. M. C. A. League—Expressmen, 12; Station, 4. Northwest S. S. League—Immanuel, 10; Whitney, 2. Treasury League—Federals, 11; Civil Service, 5. Southeastern League—Game postponed. Marquette League—St. Joseph, 4; Trinity, 3.

## Chris Jordan Makes Henry Gehring Quit

CLEVELAND, May 21.—Chris Jordan, Greek middleweight, wrestler, is in a position today to demand a chance at the title in his own territory. He has just won a victory over Henry Gehring, former champion, last night. After Jordan had secured the first fall in eight minutes Gehring forfeited the match by refusing to go on, claiming he had been injured.

## Record Entry List For Golf Tournament

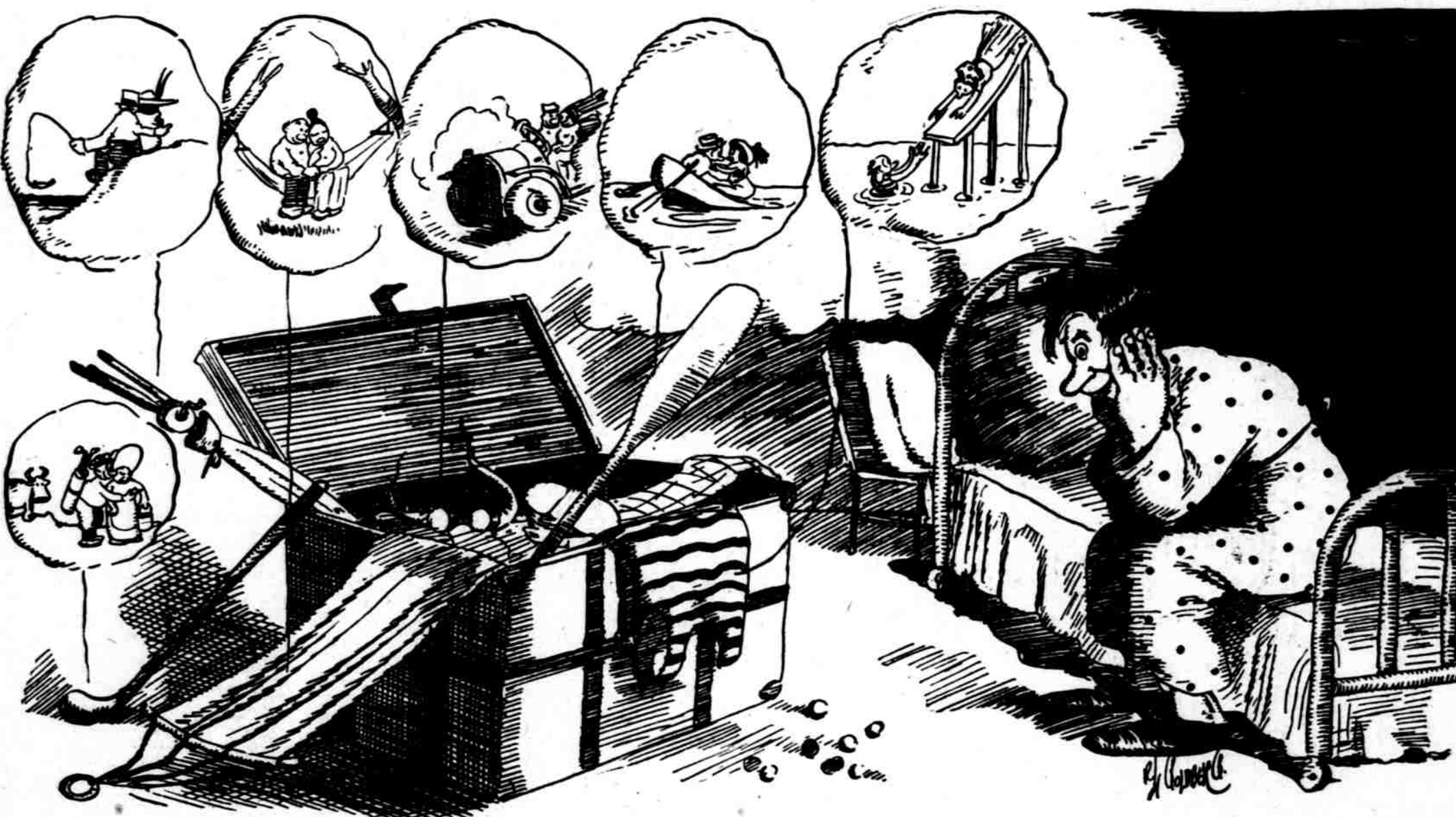
O. J. De Moll and L. C. Brooks will pair off in qualifying round of the middle Atlantic States golf tournament which is scheduled to start tomorrow morning at the Columbia Golf Club. The entry list of 144 is noted as the record for the club.

Golfers from Baltimore, Richmond, Norfolk, and Wilmington with the local cracks will try conclusions for the title. Owing to the large entry list, the qualifying round will be limited to eighteen holes, instead of thirty-six.

## Seats Now Ready for Game With Athletics

Tickets for the game with the Athletics at Nationals' park on Friday are now on sale at all the downtown offices of the club, where they can be procured until noon of that day. Sam Steinberg's, Saks & Co., Henderson's, on New York avenue, T. Arthur Smith's and Ham Adams are the five branches.

## A TRUNK FULL OF MEMORIES



Big League Biffers of a Day.

	A.	B.	T.	R.	Pet.
Cobb, Tigers.....	3	3	7	1,000	
Carisch, Naps.....	1	1	2	1,000	
McAllister, Browns 1 1 2 1,000					
Phelps, Dodgers.....	1	1	1	1,000	
Huggins, Cardinals.....	4	4	5	300	
Laporte, Climbers.....	4	3	3	750	
Chase, Yanks.....	4	3	3	750	
Cree, Yanks.....	4	3	3	750	
Mitchell, Cubs.....	3	2	2	467	
Kann, Braves.....	3	2	2	467	

## BINGLES AND BUNTS

By Grantland Rice

**Beyond the Game.**  
We may not see beyond the game—Where hills lean across the day—How broken there—how long or deep Where life's lost winds kneel down to pray.  
The future League that lies in store. No football comes—no given sign—No backswing—no backward glance Where fame's dead robes guard the line Beyond which life may not advance.

**Back in March Mr. Murphy** deftly opined that "pitching strength wasn't everything in a ball club, anyway." Probably not. But, just the same, he can now appreciate the logic of the old Pickwickian melody, viz: "Stone walls do not a prison make; Bah!—what tommyrot; They may not make the prison, But they help an awful lot."  
"Why all this talk about Johnson being the greatest pitcher of the game?" writes in J. K. F. "What else has he got besides speed?" What else has A. Carnegie got besides \$400,000,000? Not a cent in the world.

## The Trust-Busters.

We understand the bill against the baseball trust has been buried waist deep in committee. If it is ever revived again one glance at a certain name in both standings of the clubs will show said committee exactly where to impart the first official blow.

Frank Chance, batting for two men in one inning, tore off a victory. But some fans are never satisfied. One writes in to know just why the P. L. can't bat for all nine of his men and blow himself to another pennant.

But Mr. Murphy still insists that he intends to dig up a cluster of new slubmen at once. As for instance?

**Technical Is Proper.**  
In other words, the Cub magnate is now in a highly technical position—highly technical being the only proper phrase. He has two of the greatest receivers in baseball—with little or nothing to receive. What does it profit a mogul to have the greatest catcher in the world where only 1 per cent of the thrown balls manage to reach the catcher's waiting glove?

## The Cleveland Uplift.

The order must have changed in Cleveland after all, despite the recent flood of accidents.  
Charley Somers, proprietor of the Naps, dropped into town a day or two ago. Despite the fact that Lajoie had a brace of cracked fingers and Birmingham was hobbling on a shattered leg, the Cleveland mogul could hardly be restrained from giving three cheers.

"We have a regular ball club now," he announced, "and that means a ball club that isn't to be stopped by one or two losses. In the old days we curled up under the first mishap. Now the bunch is out there fighting harder than ever. Birmingham has not only made good, but several doubtful propositions have come through far beyond our hopes. Whether we win this season or not, the old days of Cleveland baseball are gone, and this season means a start, at least."

In so far as world series ambitions are concerned, we have but one or two left. One is to see Nap Lajoie in one at least—after seventeen years' service. The other is to see Walter Johnson turned loose in a seven-game series, keyed up to the exact angle. Cobb, Walsh, Wagner, Mathewson, Baker, etc. have had their splash. The other two haven't—and both are due.

## NOTRE DAME TEAM BOASTS THREE STARS

Kelly, Lathrop, and Mills Are Sought by Big League Clubs and Will Get Trials.

These stars of the Notre Dame team coming here tomorrow to meet Catholic University are expected to break into big league company when their college courses are over. Kelly and Lathrop, pitchers, and Mills, outfielder, are the trio sought by the Detroit, Pittsburgh, and Brooklyn managements.

Recently Hughes Jennings gave Jean Dubuc a holiday to visit the Indiana college and watch them work out. Dubuc, himself a Notre Dame product, reported back that they looked good. Pittsburgh then sat up and took notice. A few days later McCarty, another Notre Dame product, now on the Pittsburgh squad, was back on the college campus cultivating their acquaintance. Sutton, of Brooklyn, and Hugo Bezdek, of Pittsburgh, followed a few days later.

Although the youngsters stoutly denied any intention of quitting until they had annexed their college degrees, their schoolmates felt a good deal relieved when they were safely started on the big eastern trip which winds up the college season.

Notre Dame is out for vengeance on Catholic University. Captain Williams having declared that he wants to take this game above all others on the present trip. Last year the Indiana boys came here on the fog end of a long journey with an unbroken string of victories to their credit, only to suffer disaster in a fiasco game on a sloppy field. This year they begin their Eastern trip again with a clean record of victories, and will tackle Catholic University in the early part of the journey.

Fred Williams, last year's captain, is coach of the squad. He is signed up to join the Cubs when he gets his degree in architecture in June.

## Veteran Trainer Found Starving in Box Car

NEW YORK, May 21.—Edward Congalton, seventy-six years old, was being cared for by friends here today after being found starving in a box-car in Hoboken. Congalton declared that at one time he was head trainer for the New York Athletic Club, trained John L. Sullivan, and later managed Kid Lavigne.

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## Among the Amateurs

**GAMES TODAY.** Capital City League—Waverley vs. Southlands. Central League—Y. M. H. A. vs. Printers. Departmental League—Agriculture vs. Interior. Federal League—Takoma vs. Tangewood.

E. Washington S. S. League—St. Agnes vs. United Brethren. R. E. Y. M. C. A. League—Southern vs. Car Department. Northwest S. S. League—Calvary vs. Mt. Pleasant. Treasury League—Open date. Southeastern League—Avondales vs. Congressionals.

## GORDON LOOMS UP FOR TENNIS TITLE

Wins Matches in Tournament Now in Progress on Courts of Chevy Chase Club.

Spencer Gordon, of the Chevy Chase Club, and former member of the Princeton tennis team, is today looming up as a possible contender for the Chevy Chase closed tennis title and the right to meet J. Upshur Moorehead.

In disposing of Graves and Hills, Gordon goes into the third round in the tournament now in progress on the courts of the Chevy Chase Club. The matches will continue today in the men's singles, men's doubles and mixed singles.

## Harvard Crew Ready For Race at Ithaca

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 21.—After a short spin today, the Harvard varsity and freshman crews leave tonight for Ithaca, where they meet Cornell's eight on Lake Cayuga Saturday. While the showing of the varsity eight has not been up to expectations, Coach Wray is confident that the freshman oarsmen will defeat the Ithacans.

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## WASHINGTON MAY HONOR JOHNSON

Plan Huge Celebration for "Smokeball King" on His Return Here.

Washington is going to have an opportunity to show its appreciation and admiration for Walter Johnson, the "Smokeball" pitcher who has already won nine games this season for the Griffins, and who is probably going to win several times that many before he is through with the Washington club. Every fan from the age when he learns to swing a bat to the oldest baseball enthusiasts of the city is going to have an opportunity to show his individual respect for the big Kansas Cyclone, for it is with the contributions from the fans that the big celebration in honor of the "prince pitcher" is to be held.

It is to be known as Walter Johnson Day, and to make it as complete as possible, Captain Newman, of the Walter Johnson Day committee, has telegraphed Hank Griffith, asking him to set a day for the celebration when he will allow Johnson to ascend the mound against whatever club may be opposing Washington at the time.

Present plans embrace a huge demonstration at the ball park, at which time a silver loving cup and many floral tributes will be presented to the Smokeball King. Funds are being received at the cigar store of J. B. Newman, 719 Fourteenth street.

## Georgetown Freshmen Meet Oxon Hill Team

The Oxon Hill Baseball Club, of Oxon Hill, Prince George county, Md., will entertain the people of that section with a picnic, baseball games, and dance on May 30. The gathering during the day will be on the athletic field of the club at Oxon Hill.

The Georgetown University freshman will send a team to the Maryland town to play the locals a double-header. The games will be played at 2:30 and 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon of Decoration Day.

## Minor League Results.

**International League.** Newark, 7; Buffalo, 2. Jersey City, 6; Rochester, 4. Other clubs not scheduled.

**Tri-State League.** York, 7; Trenton, 2. Harrisburg, 7; Wilmington, 5. Allentown, 10; Atlantic City, 2.

**Federal League.** Pittsburgh, 6; Chicago, 6. Covington, 6; Cleveland, 5.

**American Association.** Indianapolis at Milwaukee; rain. Columbus at Kansas City; rain. Toledo at Minneapolis; rain. Louisville at St. Paul; wet grounds.

**Southern League.** Chattanooga, 2; Montgomery, 0. Atlanta, 11; Memphis, 0 (six innings; rain). Nashville, 5; New Orleans, 3 (called off ninth inning; darkness). Mobile at Birmingham; rain.

**RACING BENNING** Washington Riding and Hunt Club's Spring Meeting STEEPLECHASING and FLAT RACING MAY 22, 24 and 26 First Race at 3 p. m. Admission, \$1.50 Club House Badges on sale at T. Arthur Smith's, 1327 F street.

**Tomorrow's Sports.** Notre Dame at Catholic University. University of Pennsylvania vs. Lafayette, at Franklin Field. Vermont vs. Dartmouth, at Hanover. New York-New Jersey Baseball League opens its season, with Kingston at Newburgh, Long Branch at Middletown, and Danbury at Poughkeepsie.