PHILLIES PLAY DOUBLE-HEADER WITH PIRATES TODAY—ATHLETICS VISIT DETROIT

PENNSYLVANIA'S HOPE FOR SUCCESS ON THE GRIDIRON THIS YEAR CENTRES IN THIS GROUP OF HUSKY ATHLETES

The coaches, trainers and advisors are working like Trojans in an effort to develop a great football machine out of this band of aspiring Brickleys. The most difficult matter for the coaches now is to form a backfield that will be able to hold its own.

BY DEFEATING PIRATES TWICE TODAY PHILS CAN MOVE PEG

Double-Header Scheduled for This Afternoon at National League Park—Post-Season Barnstorming Tours Will be Taken by Only Eight Local Men.

While it is mathematically possible for the Phillies to overtake the Chicago club and move into fourth place, the odds against such a contingency are great. There is practically the difference between the local National League club and a first division place as there is between the Athletics and the Boston Red Sox; which means that the gap is too wide. However, the Phillies can and probably will top the second division. Just at the present moment Dooin's boys are in sixth place, but by successfully meeting the Pittsburghs today in the double-header the Pirates will be forced to exchange places with their Philadelphia rivals.

The miserable fielding game put up by the Pittsburghers is not likely to be repeated this afternoon in either game.

Taking issue with a contemporary is a pastime that is far from popular and generally speaking is bordering on the breach of sport writing etiquette, yet we are bound to take exception to the dubbing of the Pirates as "shiftless." If there is a club in the National League that is thoroughly and completely practiced in the art of shifting that club is the Pittsburgh organization. In the first place they have shifted all over the percentage map this season. At one time they were so far away in the lead for the flag that the other seven teams almost gave up hope. Not only have the Pirates been at the top, but they have adorned the bottom. Now they are in fifth place, and are likely to be shoved down the ladder one more rung by the Phillies.

It is noticeable that the bulk of the players who are to go barnstorming through the West after the world's series are not the ones who accompanied Charley Comiskey around the globe last winter. Those men have had enough traveling, and the majority of them realize that a rest throughout the winter months will do them more good than playing. Yet the Western trip, which will be surnamed the Athletics-Phillies tour will only last from about October 20 until the same date in December. The present roster of the two teams has only three Philly names on it and five Athletic players. The former are Alexander, Killifer and Byrne, and the latter are Bender, Bush, Schang, Murphy and Walsh.

No doubt several of the Mackmen were frightened away from participation in this invasion by the news that several games would be played in the Hawaiian Islands, which, owing to the lack of tube facilities, calls for an ocean voyage. That is just what the majority of Mack's men do not want and will not take. Led by Ira Thomas, the main body of champions has voted never to board a seagoing vessel if it can be avoided. The trouble was the Macks made a couple of trips to Cuba and the young men suffered mal-de-mere so severely that they have never forgotten it.

The easiest prediction, excepting, of course, that the Athletics will win the American League championship, is that the proposal of President James A. Gilmore to have his Federal organization play in the world's series will be turned down flatly and quickly by the members of the National Commission. In a letter to the three members of that august body the Federal head states that he would like to have an armistice declared, so that the winner in his league might indulge in a friendly tilt with the winner of the real world's series.

The main trouble with Mr. Gilmore's argument is that he does not and cannot prove to the satisfaction of anyone who knows, that the Federal League is of major league calibre. To be sure there are a number of good players in the league, but the "stars of world-wide fame" of whom he speaks, can be counted on the thumb and forefinger.

ATHLETICS WANT TO CLINCH FLAG AT EARLIEST DATE

Mackmen Begin Three-game Series in Detroit Today—Players Are in Good Shape to Conquer Western Clubs.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 17.—Resting with an eight-game lead over the Red Sox, the Athletics are here today to open a three-game series with the Detroit Tigers. Connie Mack's last visit here resulted disastrously as far as his intended record was concerned. At that time the speeding White Elephants were going at a forbidding pace, arriving here after having won nine straight games. They proceeded to capture the first three games of the series without difficulty, but were beaten out in what would have been their 13th successive victory.

Naturally enough the members of the visiting club are a trifle riled over having their last winning streak broken, hence it is to be expected that the entire strength of the Mackmen will be used in the contests on the bid now.

Mack's men are in fine physical condition and believe by the time they have completed their 11 games in the West they will have reached a point where Boston cannot overtake them. This is just what Manager Mack wants, because he wishes to take all of the regulars out of the game as soon as possible to allow them to rest before the world's series begins. Last season the Athletics had some advantage over the Giants for this very reason. They won the pennant soon enough for the men to take just what rest they needed, and if Connie can accomplish this again he is going to do it regardless of the feelings of Detroit fandom.

The only really interesting thing about the Athletics-Detroit series is the struggle between Ty Cobb and Eddie Collins for the hitting supremacy. Today Tyrus leads Eddie by several points and is hitting better.

C. H. S. PAIR BEATEN

After working their way through the entire field in the Eastern Clay court tennis championships in doubles, Arthur Kerr and Robert M. Brookfield, the Central High pair, were at last forced to accept defeat yesterday on the Bellfield Country Club courts, falling before the superior play of I. S. Cravis and Charles Van Horn, the defenders of the title, in the challenge round. Score, 6-3; 3-6; 6-2 and 6-3.

The match was originally slated for the Strawberry Mansion courts, but owing to some improvements being made there, it was shifted to Bellfield at the last minute.

Elmira Beats Harrisburg Champs

HARRISBURG, Sept. 17.—The Harrisburg Club, champions of the Tristate League, lost the second game of the post-season series to Elmira, the New York State League title holders, yesterday by the score of 2 to 1. The game went 14 innings. Elmira's victory evens up the series.

TWO HARNESS MEETS ARE SCHEDULED TO STIMULATE INTEREST

First Is to Be Held Next Saturday on Chamounix Speedway — Second Is Planned Wednesday at Belmont.

Followers of horses are taking an interest in the two race meets which are to be held in this vicinity Saturday, September 19 and Wednesday, September 23. The third of the fall racing series of the Road Drivers' Association will take place September 19. It will be Knights Templar Day on the Chamounix Speedway and the feature event should be the free-for-all contest for which a handsome trophy is being offered by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Knights Templars. In this race Hoke's Margaret, by Hokes Jr., the most consistent trotting mare in the stable of Edward Cassidy, chairman of the racing committee of the Road Drivers' Association, will be matched against Millie W. by Bohemia Boy, owned by E. C. Durell, Owen O'Neil, by John G. Corlish, owned by Root, which is an ex-speedway champion, and others of similar calibre.

The greatest trotting event of the season will take place next Wednesday at the Belmont Driving Park, Narberth. The sporting sweepstakes for a $500 purse, winner taking all, will more than likely be the feature event of the day. Three other sweepstakes are listed which will bring together the blue blood of this section.

The free-for-all trot race over the mile track at Belmont Driving Park, Narberth, yesterday afternoon, proved to be the most exciting contest.

Millie W., by Bohemia Boy, from the stable of E. C. Durell, was beaten to the wire in the first heat by Strawberry, the bay gelding of Joseph Davenport. In the second heat it came home a winner. In the final heat both trotters came down the homestretch neck and neck. Just as the wire was reached Millie W. pushed her nose across, winning by inches.

James Bell, vice president of the Road Drivers' Association, picked up two firsts and a second in the meet at Narberth yesterday. His bay mare, Nina R, ran two, one, two in the class D pace, capturing second ribbon. George M after finishing third in the first class F trot, won the next two heats. Direct Omer, a consistent black gelding, won in straight heats from Ed. Ball in the class B pace contest.

MT. AIRY TO PLAY PROFS

One of the best games of the season between local teams will be played next Sunday afternoon at Chestnut Hill between the Chestnut Hill Professionals and the Mt. Airy nine. This is the second game of a series of three to decide the championship of the Northeast section of the city, Chestnut Hill winning the first of last Sunday by the score of 7 to 3. Johny Barker will occupy the box for Chestnut Hill with his brother, Charlie, from the Trenton Tri-State team on the receiving end.

COLLINS TO WRITE BIG SERIES FOR EVENING LEDGER

Famous Athletic Second Sacker Will Review Each Game of World's Baseball Classic in Day Following Play.

No man in the country, with the possible exception of Connie Mack, is half so well qualified to write inside baseball as Eddie Collins, the world's premier second baseman and extra-base slugger. Eddie has consented to write a review of each game of the approaching world's series for the Evening Ledger and it is safe to say that his comments on that baseball classic will be more widely read than that of any other writer in America.

During the past year Collins has written a number of excellent articles which have appeared from time to time in various magazines. His "Mack and His Mackmen" and "Pitchers I have Faced" made a big hit with the baseball public because they were splendidly written and contained facts which no one but a great ball player himself could know. Needless to say Collins writes his own articles. Furthermore he writes on a standard typewriter with all the ease of the finished reporter. When all of the public realizes that McGraw's ideal of a baseball player is able to comment on the game as ably as he can play it, the name of Edward Trowbridge Collins will be raised to an even greater height in the eyes of the fans then hitherto.

That the Evening Ledger is fortunate in having Collins to write the world's series is not to be questioned. These articles will appear in all editions of the Evening Ledger.

PERSONAL TOUCHES IN SPORT

When Terry Turner first became a Nap fans used to make him doff his cap to see his whitened top. Compared to fieldin' stunts he'd stage his hair seemed to belie his age—'twas like a cotton crop. Ol' Time can't seem to work his tricks on Terry. For he's 36 an' still plays classy ball. At short an' third an' second base he's given scores o' kids a race an' put it on 'em all.

The stork in Sandy Lake, Pee-Ay, came 'round to Turner's folks one day an' left the bantam kid. As soon as he was 21 he hiked to Greenville an' began to make his baseball bid. The little white-head tore around at short so fast that he was found that year by Pittsburgh scouts. He couldn't quite beat Wagner's gait an' so for Cleveland he pulled freight to star in Napland bouts.

The Kinz at second, Tuck at short for years showed Cleveland high-class sport an' gilt-edged infield play. His steals were one o' Cleveland's prides. His famous diving, head-first slides were thrillers every do. New blood has come in every spring to not in the end o' Terry's fling an' send him to the bush. Short, second, third he's switched about—but young stars can't quite shove him out no matter how they push.—Copyrighted by A. M. Corrigan.

A story comes here to the effect that Shibe Park has been decided upon as the scene of the Army-Navy football game. Unquestionably Philadelphia is the place for the game, but Shibe Park is for the spot for it. The Athletics' home seats a few more than 20,000. To accommodate the crowd which would clamor to see the middies and soldiers battle at least 35,000 seats would be necessary. Where would the extra 15,000 be placed at Shibe Park? It is practically impossible as any one familiar with the grounds knows. It would be impossible without putting new decks on the right and left field pavilions to build seats for more than 6000 persons. As there is not the remotest chance of the pavilions being upper-decked, the proposition is absurd.

Received a letter from Harry Edwards, president of the Olympic Athletic Association, in which he states it has always been the policy of the Olympic Association to play fair. The reason Harry penned the note is because he feels that he has been done an injustice, he says so himself. The trouble arose when Jimmy Dougherty, manager of Jack Blackburn, saw fit to attempt to make a speech regarding the Blackburn-Coleman match difficulty at the Williams-Louisiana fight Monday night. Dougherty wanted to explain some matters of interest about that bout, but could not do so because of the ensuing confusion. Here is what Edwards has to say, and it is only fair to print it for him:

"I have nothing to do with all of the details of the Young Coleman-Jack Blackburn match. Eddie Bolland had charge of the affair, and he knows his mind. If Blackburn injured himself while training the club would have lost the match for us for forfeits were posted and there is no way that the club could have compelled Blackburn to box if he had been injured. He could have an injury days the day of the fight and then called it all off, if at the last minute he could not have boxed. Coleman has played fair and he will not regret it.

"I don't see why Mr. Dougherty's date provided he posts a good stake forfeit for weight and appearance and that Coleman does the same. The club will cut up $5 on every one the failures year. I will be in my office at 4 o'clock next Monday afternoon, and I invite every local paper to send a representative to learn the truth of the match. Coleman will be present. If Dougherty means that will speech of his let him come and talk turkey, post a forfeit, agree on terms, and if only the others are present the Olympic A. A. will stage that match.

"Hundreds of people asked me what Dougherty was trying to say on Monday night. I invite all the papers and people who desire to witness my personal efforts to give Dougherty just what he has requested. The time is 4 o'clock, the date September 21."

THE WORLD'S SERIES without EDDIE COLLINS

would be a bit on the order of the cart without the horse. It was after the New York Giants had been so completely routed by the Athletics last October that John McGraw said Eddie Collins was "the most valuable player in the game."

Therefore the World's Series of 1914 without the

EVENING LEDGER

will be far from complete. For EDDIE COLLINS will write an aftermath of each game for Philadelphia's new afternoon newspaper.

Of course the Athletics will represent the American League in the baseball classic—nobody doubts their ability to cross the finish line an easy winner. The National League winner may be—well, that's a matter of guesswork or opinion. Anyhow, this much is certain—

EDDIE COLLINS and the EVENING LEDGER will be necessary adjuncts to the World's Series of 1914.

EIGHT WOMEN NOW REMAIN IN NATIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Four Philadelphia Representatives Are Hopeful of Landing Top Honors in Glen Cove Test.

GLEN COVE, N. Y., Sept. 17.—Two women golfers from the west still were in the running when the eight players fighting for the women's national golf championship began their play to land in the semi-finals this morning. Both are from Chicago. One of them is Miss Caroline Painter, former western champion, who has been playing consistent golf and who is picked by many to carry off the crown this year. New Yorkers' only hope is centred on Miss Lillian B. Hyde, metropolitan champion. Of the other five players left, four are from Philadelphia and one from Boston.

The matches today were:

Mrs. H. Arnold Jackson, Oakley, vs. Miss Caroline Painter, Midlothian.

Miss Ethel M. Campbell, Overbrook, vs. Mrs. C. H. Vanderbeck, Philadelphia.

Miss Elaine Rosenthal, Ravisloe, vs. Miss Florence McKeeley, Merion.

Mrs. Ronald H. Barlow, Merion, vs. Miss Lillian B. Hyde, South Shore.

Record for McNichol Entry

DETROIT, Sept. 17.—The feature of yesterday's Michigan State Fair races was the running of the Philadelphia gelding, R. H. Brent, owned by Senator James P. McNichol, which won the sixth and deciding heat of the 2.01 pace, with a new world's record of 2.03¼.

BASEBALL CONDENSED

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Detroit, 8; Cleveland, 3.
St. Louis, 2; Chicago, 1.
St. Louis, 3; Chicago, 1 (second game).

Today's Games.

Athletics at Detroit.
New York at Chicago.
Boston at Cleveland.
Washington at St. Louis.

Tomorrow's Games.

Athletics at Detroit.
New York at Chicago.
Boston at Cleveland.
Washington at St. Louis.

Club Standing.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Athletics	88	46	.677	Chicago	63	71	.470
Boston	79	53	.598	St. Louis	61	72	.459
Detroit	74	62	.537	New York	60	75	.444
Wash'gt'n	68	63	.519	Cleveland	43	92	.319

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Phillies, 3; Pittsburgh, 2.
Boston, 6; St. Louis, 3.
New York, 8; Cincinnati, 1.
Brooklyn, 7; Chicago, 2.

Today's Games.

Pittsburgh at Philadelphia (2 games).
Chicago at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Boston.
Cincinnati at New York.

Tomorrow's Games.

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

Club Standing.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Boston	71	55	.563	Pittsb'gh	62	69	.473
New York	74	59	.556	Phillies	63	71	.470
St. Louis	71	63	.530	Brooklyn	59	73	.447
Chicago	71	64	.526	Cincinnati	56	76	.424

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Baltimore, 3; Kansas City, 2.
Indianapolis, 2; Brooklyn, 0.
Chicago, 7; Pittsburgh, 4.
Buffalo, 7; St. Louis, 2.

Today's Games.

Kansas City at Baltimore.
Chicago at Pittsburgh.
Indianapolis at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Buffalo.

Tomorrow's Games.

Kansas City at Baltimore.
Chicago at Pittsburgh.
Indianapolis at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Buffalo.

Club Standing.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Indianap's	75	59	.560	Buffalo	67	63	.515
Chicago	75	59	.560	Kan. City	62	70	.470
Baltimore	70	63	.526	St. Louis	58	75	.436
Brooklyn	67	63	.515	Pittsb'gh	52	77	.40

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Toronto, 8; Montreal, 2.
Buffalo, 2; Rochester, 1.

Club Standing.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Buffalo	91	50	.600	Toronto	69	68	.511
Rochester	86	58	.597	Newark	62	76	.449
Provid'ce	86	58	.597	Montreal	57	84	.404
Baltimore	72	67	.511	Jer. City	46	96	.324

WEST CHESTER FAIR IS PROVING HUGE SUCCESS THIS YEAR

Record Crowds Have Been in Attendance at the Grounds—Exhibits Attract Lots of Attention.

WEST CHESTER, Pa., Sept. 17.—This is the big day at the fair of the Chester County Argicultural Association and the attendance is even greater than was expected. Last year, the same day, there were about 8000 persons on the ground, but the number today exceeds that by a considerable figure. Good weather has prevailed on every day of the exhibition, and even if rain falls tomorrow the organization will have cleared more money than at any exhibition it has held since it was formed.

The judges of cattle have about completed their work and are summing up the results, as are those of other exhibits, including the poultry. Those having charge of making awards in the horse show, the big feature of the fair, which is under the management of R. Penn Smith, commenced their work today and will complete looking over the animals tomorrow. Among the exhibits are some of the finest ever seen in this place, and all classes are well contested.

The big race of the fair is to be staged this afternoon, when Joe Boy, the fast West Chester entry, and Pickles, his rival, belonging to James Bell, of Philadelphia, meet in the free-for-all. Other races on the card are the 2:21 trot, 2:19 pace and 2:11 trot.

The events for tomorrow are as follows:

2:40 trot, purse $500—Rosa V., ch. m., James B. Joseph, Woodstown, N. J.; Fountain Penn, b. g., Harry Graham, Kimberton, Pa.; Banata, b. m., Joseph Hilton, West Chester; Elkton Boy, b. g., E. J. Cann, Kennett Square, Pa.; Irma, s. m., E. E. Hart, Duffryn Mawr, Pa.; Lajo, ch. g., Ed. Brown, Rising Sun, Md.; K. Tuck, sorrell, Hermann Auth, Frankford, Philadelphia; Bondy Boy, b. g., F. Leitchnamer, Norristown; Lena Zembro, b. m., Henry Button, Wilmington; Count Keller, br. g., Henry Button, Wilmington; Baron See, b. g., Joseph Sparks, Philadelphia; Johnie O'Brien, g. g., Joseph P. Shinn, Camden; Alton Bell, b. s., Chester Mourer, Spring City; Spinola, b. m., James Bell, Philadelphia; Lord Brook, b. s., Joseph Kleckner, Cynwyd; Fair Laura, b. m., Joseph Kleckner, Cynwyd; Bourbon Chimes, b. s., F. B. Shreeves, Lancaster; Mary E., s. m., Daniel Leary, West Chester; Burton Hall, b. g., Daniel Leary, West Chester; Mary Jane, g. m., Glen Gable Farms, Wyndbrook, Pa.; King Red, b. g., Albert N. Kline, Reading, Pa.

2:25 trot, purse $300—K. Tuck, sorrell, Hermann Auth, Frankford, Philadelphia; A. G., Harry Todd, Lancaster, Pa.; Bondy Boy, b. g., F. Leitchnamer, Norristown, Pa.; Baron See, b. g., Joseph Sparks, Philadelphia; Spinola, b. m., James Bell, Philadelphia; Gen. Covey, b. s., Niels Carlson, Lincoln Park, N. J.; Kinsette, b. m., W. W. Eck, Hightstown, N. J.; Mary E., s. m., Daniel Leary, West Chester; Burton Hall, b. g., Daniel Leary, West Chester; King Red, b. g., Albert N. Kline, Reading, Pa.

2:30 pace, purse $300—Birdie B., b. m., Wm. Beaver, Haydens; Patchen Dillon, b. g., James Healy, Lyndell, Pa.; Red Jacket, s. g., John E. Baldwin, West Chester; Hal, br. g., Harry Todd, Lancaster, Pa.; Viola Wilkes, b. m., Harvey Darlington, West Chester, Pa.; Nellie Direct, b. m., John Florey, East Downingtown, Pa.; Baron Red, s. g., Alonza Criswell, Chatham, Pa.; Joe Barnes, b. g., Henry Button, Wilmington, Del.; Gillespie, b. g., Concordville Stock Farm, Concordville; Halbert, b. g., Charles Faulks, Coatesville, Pa.; J. K., s. g., J. F. Mathues, Wilmington, Del.; Sid Dillon, blk. g., John Thompson, Williamstown, N. J.; Hendricks, g. g., E. F. Rosenshine, Norristown; Harry V., b. g., Brubaker Drifters, Winchester, Va.; Glen Gable Farms, Wyndbrook, Pa.; Rochester Bird, b. g., Daniel Leary, West Chester; Hush Boaze, b. g., Daniel Leary, West Chester.

BRYN MAWR SHOW ENTRIES EXCEED FORMER RECORDS

Nine Hundred and Forty-five Horses and Ponies in Ninety-nine Clases to Be Judged September 21.

Analysis of the entry lists for the Bryn Mawr Horse Show, to be held September 21, emphasizes the fact that this 26th carnival event will far exceed in size and importance any previous exhibition. There are 945 horses and ponies entered, comparing with a previous record of 825. When the post entries in the various classes in which such entries are accepted will be added, the total should be well over 1000.

Of the total of 99 classes, 53 are for hunters and jumpers and in these classes there are 551 entries. In other years the number of entries in any one class never exceeded 25, but this year the jumping class for green hunters has 46 entries, the jumping class open to all, has 43 entries, and two other jumping classes have 36 entries each.

In the 31 classes for harness ponies there are 199 horses entered and in the 15 classes for saddle horses the entries total 149. The many new horses are entered for prizes, 66 in all, have attracted a record number of 36 entries. Considering the fact that this is the first time that draft horses have been invited to exhibit at Bryn Mawr, the 17 entries in the five draft classes is also a representative showing.

Entries for the first annual Bryn Mawr Hound Show, totaling 289 dogs, far exceed the expectations of the organizers of this first attempt ever made in America to provide an opportunity for competition among fox hounds and beagle hounds. The hound entries are divided as follows: American hounds, in the ten classes, 105; English hounds, eleven classes, 41 entries; American-bred English hounds, six classes, 19 entries; half-bred hounds, nine classes, 29 entries, and in the eleven classes for beagle hounds there are 81 entries. In the special class for the best "working fox terrier" there are seven entries.

BACK FIELD DEVELOPMENT TASK FOR PENN COACHES

Football Experts Concentrating all Thought and Energy Along Those Lines—Harvard, Dartmouth and Cornell Favored in This Respect, as 1913 Quartets are Intact.

By EDWARD R. BUSHNELL

While the coaches at Franklin Field are concentrating all their thought and energy upon the development of a ground-gaining back field, Harvard, Dartmouth and Cornell are giving thanks that their veteran back field quartets of 1913 are intact, and promise to be better this year than ever. While these universities have merely to hold their back field men together, the Quakers must fill every one of these four positions with a new man.

The effectiveness of Harvard's back field ought to be greatly increased this year, if such a quartet could do more deadly execution than that wrought by Brickley, Mahan, Logan and Bradlee. About all Head Coach Percy Haughton has to do is to keep these men in shape and think up new plays for them. Unless something now unforeseen happens no possible change could strengthen this group. Every man is a star of the first magnitude in his particular position, and the four work together with the greatest precision. It is idle to dwell upon the good points of these men because every one knows how wonderfully Brickley can drop and place kick, run the ends and buck the line; how Mahan can punt, run back kicks and sprint around end; how Bradlee can hit the line, and Logan run the team.

But Pennsylvania men are probably more interested in the strength of Dartmouth and Cornell behind the line because the Quakers have to play both of these teams. Dartmouth is every whit as well fortified here as Harvard. Last year Llewellyn and Ghee alternated at quarterback, but Ghee was the better man. Llewellyn has graduated, leaving Ghee in full charge. Dartmouth's other three backs are on hand again. These include Captain Whitney and Curtis at the halfback positions, and Murdock at fullback. There isn't much to choose between the Dartmouth and Harvard back fields. That indicates how strong Dartmouth is. In some respects Whitney is a better player than Brickley. He is every bit as fast, and as a line bucker he is superior to the Harvard captain. Only in kicking is Brickley his superior.

Ghee is a better man to operate the forward pass than Logan. Likewise he runs his team faster and is a better individual player. Mahan is superior to Curtis, but there is nothing to choose between Murdock, of Dartmouth, and Bradlee, of Harvard. But think what a load is taken from the minds of the Dartmouth coaches when they realize that they now have a back field which can't be improved!

Dr. A. H. Sharpe, of Cornell, may try to improve his back field, but he will be pretty well fortified even if he decides to stand pat on his present quartette, which did so much to win from Pennsylvania last year. Last year's back field was made up of Barrett at quarterback, Collyer and Phillipi at halfbacks and Lahr at fullback. On the offense Fritz, now graduated, was brought back to a halfback position. With the exception of Fritz this offensive machine is still available. It is a pretty well rounded combination, too, and directed by Barrett, who is one of the best quarterbacks, punters and drop kickers in the country.

There is no disguising the fact that at this writing the outlook at Pennsylvania is not very bright behind the line. There are plenty of candidates for each position who show individual skill, but four new men will have to be welded together to act as a unit, and it would be little short of miraculous if they should show strength comparable to that of the Dartmouth backs. So far not a man is sure of a position here. It will require several days more of signal drill and even some scrimmaging for the coaches to select even a tentative backfield.

Finding a good quarterback still remains Coach Brooke's big problem. He has been trying Ballou, Irwin and Merrill here and all give promise, though Ballou is by far the most finished player of the lot. If the quarterback problem is solved soon it will be an easier matter to find three running mates for him.

To Pat Dwyer has been assigned the task of finding a centre to succeed Simpson, of last year's team. He is now considering three men for the position, Captain Journeay, Borie, of last year's freshman team, and Butler, who played the position on the scrubs. The position is new to Journeay, but there are so many big men for guard and tackle and the need of a centre so pressing, that Journeay hopes to win the pivotal position by the time the first game is played. What Journeay needs more than anything else is speed, for the Pennsylvania style of playing this position requires a man of great activity who can take care of himself and then lend a hand wherever he is needed.

Coach Brook, of Pennsylvania, has picked a provisional team and plans to send them through a few simple formations today. The lineup of yesterday gives some indication of the probable makeup of the team today. Captain Journeay, as was predicted, is to play centre. He is the only man definitely placed. Flanking him for guards in the present lineup will be Witherow and Nowald; at tackles, Harris and Russell; and ends, Carter and Rockefeller. Irwin is to start out at quarter and Moffet at fullback. Gotwels and Jones will fill in. This combination will be shifted frequently. Murdock and Tucker alternated with Carter and Rockefeller at end yesterday. Mike Dorizas continues to improve and is pretty sure to make a place. Ballou and Merrill had turns with "Doc" Irwin at the pilot position. Vreeland did not put in an appearance, as he is studying for an examination. Mathews relieved Moffet at intervals. He is big and speedy and as consistent a drop kicker as there is on the field. Gotwels at half made a good impression. He is a little light, but his wonderful speed makes up for that deficiency. Hughes is likely to be a dark horse. Although in school last year, he did not play. He caught on the freshman baseball team last year.

Jack Dalton, all-American quarterback on the Navy team, was out today to assist coaching.

Of last year's team, Crane, Simpson, Marshall and Peden were out. Mercer, the old American fullback of two years ago, was also present. Among the older graduates were noticed Dr. Robert Torry, Davisson Kennedy, Bill Young and Charlie Corson. Ben Cline, Swarthmore's captain, was also a morning visitor.

LOCAL MARKSMEN ARE ON EDGE FOR WESTY HOGAN TITLE

Great Improvement Shown by Griffith, Newcomb and Sloan Puts Them in Line for Amateur Singles Championship.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 17.—Interest centres here today on the amateur championship at singles in the Eighth Annual Tournament of the Westy Hogans. Without exception, this meeting has brought together the pick of the shooting fraternity in the country, and perfect scores will doubtless only figure in the major awards. Conditions are ideal again today for the trap shooters, and early rounds in this competition foretasted great shooting.

Woolfolk Henderson, national amateur champion at both singles and doubles, of Kentucky, looms up at the top of the field. He will have no mean task here, however, with the old cracks that are appearing from every squad. Jesse Griffith, of Philadelphia, has been credited with the best performance to date in his record of 99 breaks out of his century allotment in the State race yesterday. Charley Newcomb likewise seems to be rounding into his old-time form, and Harry H Sloan also promises to hold up the Philadelphia end.

It was this trio from the ranks of the Quaker City contingent that brought home the State title to Pennsylvania yesterday for the third straight time. The Keystone gunners netted the grand total of 486 out of the possible 500, the best set up to date. Al Heil, Allentown, and Walter S. Behm, Reading, made up the balance of the squad, but the former three excelled.

J. C. Griffith, of Philadelphia, and Jay Clark, Jr., of Worcester, Mass., tied last year for the championship at singles with 99 broken in the 100. Clark won the shoot-off by grassing 20 in a row. Dr. L. G. Richards, of Roanoke, Va., champion shot of that State, joined the ranks of the entrants in this race. Richards has just come up from the South where he had a perfect run of 100 to attain his title. C. B. Homer, Oklahoma State champion; A. B. Richardson, champion shot of Delaware; Behm, of Reading; William Ridley, of What Cheer, Ia., title holder in that State, and Dr. W. H. Matthews, New Jersey State champion shot, are among the other notables to start off on this classic. The G. E. Painter trophy, the Continental trophy and ten of the famous Westy Hogan watch fobs, go to the leaders in this event.

Five other events of 15 targets each open the program here today. These are considered separately, but the last five of 20 each are to also count for the Westy Hogan race as well as in determining the high guns.

Quite the feature of the tournament here has been the exhibition of Mrs. Harry Harrison, of Rochester, N. Y., and Miss M. W. Remy, of Anderson, Ind., which has had the effect of bringing out large women audiences. Mrs. Harrison yesterday broke 112 of her 175 targets as against 112 for her younger opponent.

Evers Robbed of Trophies

TROY, N. Y., Sept. 17.—Johnny Evers, field captain of the Boston Braves, lost many of the valuable trophies presented to him by admiring friends during his career on the diamond when it was learned here yesterday that his home had been robbed. A chest of silver presented to him by the fans of Chicago and several solid silver cups are among the articles missing.

SATURDAY NIGHT—SATURDAY NIGHT
National A. C. Jack Britton vs. National A. C.
GREAT BOUTS—FIVE GREAT BOUTS
EDDIE REVOIRE vs. TOMMY HOWELL
Four Other Bouts—Four Other Contests.

GRAND OPENING—GRAND OPENING
TOMORROW NIGHT — TOMORROW NIGHT
KEENAN'S KENSINGTON A. C.
FIVE GREAT BOUTS—FIVE GREAT BOUTS
See—Young McGovern vs. Neil McCue—See.