

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1926.

in the World of Sport.

BASE BALL

BASE BALL CHAT.

Popular Dan Murphy, the second baseman of the Athletics, made only two misplays in 31 games.

Stanley, the outfielder of Washington, mentioned in connection with the Boston American league club outfield, made one hit in 14 times at bat.

Lajoie has not made a misplay in 19 games. Guess there is no doubt at all about his superiority as an infielder this year.

Third Baseman Bradley has left all others in the lurch by his work this season. He has played in 30 out of 32 games with out a misplay. Playing just a little, that!

Shortstop Turner hit safely in 12 out of 14 games.

First Baseman Jones of the St. Louis Americans made only one error in 28 games.

George Stone of the St. Louis Americans leads the American league with a batting percentage of .336. Hemphill of the same club has hit for .331. Both are Boston cast-offs, and both would come in very handy just now.

Haverhill has lost games by one run, Fall River and New Bedford four, Lawrence two, Lowell one, Lynn and Worcester three, Manchester five.

Strided made only two errors in 23 games.

"Jimmy" Schreckard, of the Chicago Cubs, played errorless ball in 39 out of 40 games.

Outfielder Jack Barry of the Cincinnati hit safely in 18 out of 19 games, and batted for .315.

TARTARS TO PLAY HERE.

Manager George Dunham of the St. John's has arranged for two games of baseball this week with the Fredericton Tartars. They will play on the Victoria grounds Friday and Saturday afternoons at three o'clock. This will be the opening of the semi-professional ball season, and as the St. John's have been putting in some good hard practice they feel confident they will make a good showing against the team from the capital.

There has always been considerable rivalry between the Tartars and the teams from this city and some of the best games ever played here were the ones in which the Fredericton boys and the old Roses or Alerts participated.

Point to the games of Friday and Saturday being fully as interesting as any ever played here.

The St. John's line-up will be—Miller, c; Ouse and Nesbitt, p; Carson, lb.; Kelly, 2b.; Cooper, 3b.; Long, a. s.; Woods, l. f.; O'Leary, c. f.; Britz, r. f.

"Pete" McAllister will hold the indicator and the game will commence at three o'clock.

For next week two games with the Roxbury, Mass., team have been arranged.

THE WEST SIDE LEAGUE.

The Independents went down to defeat before the Vims last evening in a well played game 12 to 5. Relations between the Vims and the Independents have been a little wildness at times, played in a friendly way. There was a large crowd present.

The Vims have improved considerably since their last game and should stand a good show for the pennant. The teams were:

Society League Tonight.

The Y. M. C. A.'s and St. Rose's league will play this evening in the inter-society league on the Victoria grounds.

National League—Morning Games.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 7; Boston, 2.

At Chicago—Chicago, 4; St. Louis, 2.

At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh, 9; Cincinnati, 1.

At Brooklyn—New York, 6; Brooklyn, 2.

Afternoon Games.

Philadelphia May 26—Philadelphia shut out Boston in the afternoon game. Lush allowing the visitors to hit.

At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh, 9; Cincinnati, 1.

At Chicago—St. Louis, 6; Chicago, 1.

American League—Morning Games.

At Boston—Boston, 5; Philadelphia, 1.

At Cleveland—St. Louis, 7; Cleveland, 2.

At Detroit—Detroit, 4; Detroit, 1.

At New York—New York, 3; Washington, 1.

Afternoon Games.

Boston, May 26—Bunched his in the fifth inning won for Boston this afternoon, 5 to 2.

Sender was invincible except in the fifth inning and Winter was effective throughout.

At Detroit—Chicago, 4; Detroit, 1.

At Cleveland—St. Louis, 6; Cleveland, 4.

At New York—Washington, 6; New York, 7.

Eastern League—Morning Games.

At Buffalo—Buffalo, 6; Montreal, 1.

At Rochester—Rochester, 3; Toronto, 1.

At Jersey City, 5; Newark, 1.

At Providence—Providence, 3; Baltimore, 2.

At Newark—Jersey City, 5; Newark, 1.

Afternoon Games.

At Buffalo—Buffalo, 6; Montreal, 1.

At Rochester—Rochester, 3; Toronto, 1.

At Jersey City, 5; Newark, 1.

At Providence—Providence, 3; Baltimore, 2.

At Newark—Jersey City, 5; Newark, 1.

New England League—Morning Games.

At Worcester—Worcester, 4; Lowell, 3-1 innings.

At Lawrence—Manchester, 11; Lawrence, 8.

At New Bedford—Fall River, 4; New Bedford, 2.

At Haverhill—Lynn, 8; Haverhill, 3.

Afternoon Games.

At Fall River—New Bedford, 6; Fall River, 6.

At Lynn—Lynn, 5; Haverhill, 3.

At Lowell—Lowell, 2; Worcester, 6.

At Manchester—Manchester, 6; Lawrence, 2.

Connecticut League—Morning Games.

At Hartford—New Haven, 6; Hartford, 2.

At Holyoke—Holyoke, 6; Springfield, 7.

At New London—Norwich, 4; New London, 2.

At Bridgeport—Bridgeport, 3; Waterbury, 17.

17 innings, called to allow visitors to catch train.

Afternoon Games.

At Waterbury—Waterbury, 11; Bridgeport, 3.

At Norwich—Norwich, 4; New London, 2.

At New Haven—New Haven, 4; Hartford, 7.

At Springfield—Springfield, 5; Holyoke, 2.

NORTH END LEAGUE.

In the North End church league last evening the Portland street Methodist team defeated Victoria street Baptist by a score of 7 to 4.

WILL PLAY TONIGHT.

The Jubilees and Independents will battle for honors in the west end league this evening. Chase and Bootes will be in the points for the Jubilees and Smith and Wilson will officiate for the Independents. A good game is expected.

ST. JOHN BOYS IN C. B.

Glouce Bay was beaten by Dominion, Saturday, 12 to 3. A Glouce Bay despatch says: Dominion had all their imported St. John men on hand, while the Glouce Bay Nine were all locals with the exception of Hamilton, who arrived recently from Halifax.

THE TURF

AMHERST STAKE ENTRIES.

The Amherst Driving Park have received a splendid list of entries for their stake races, September 3 and 4. The list is as follows:

Manufacturers' Stakes, \$500—2:18 Trot and Pace.

J. T. Prescott, Sussex, N. B.

Nat McNair, River Louisa, N. B.

A. B. Elder, Amherst, N. S.

J. R. Lamy, Amherst, N. S.

A. H. Learmont, Truro, N. S.

Springhill Stables, Springhill, N. S.

Frank Boutiller, Halifax.

John C. Larder, Sydney.

H. L. Ramsey, Summerside, P. E. I.

Perrin Hotel, Amherst.

Merchants' Stakes—2:25 Trot and 2:27 Pace.

W. G. Fenwick, Bathurst, N. B.

S. D. Morton, Digby, N. S.

Nat McNair, River Louisa, N. B.

A. B. Elder, Amherst.

J. R. Lamy, Amherst.

S. N. Dawson, North Tynon, P. E. I.

Charles H. Chandler, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

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Ashland Farm, New Brunswick.

Fred J. Holmes, Amherst.

Richard Hebert, Moncton.

John C. Larder, Sydney.

Amherst Hotel, Amherst.

TWO YOUNG HORSEMEN.

CLEVELAND, O., May 26.—Two young men who have acquired considerable prominence on the running race track within the last few weeks are Paul Rainey and Eddie Burke of Cleveland. The first named, in fact, is one of the most prominent figures upon the eastern tracks in consequence of his purchases at large prices of some of the best colts on the turf, his \$35,000 purchase of De Mund having created a sensation.

Rainey is a great automobile enthusiast and a horseman of no mean repute.

Eddie Burke is the adopted son of the late Judge Stephen Burke, who was one of Cleveland's richest and most influential citizens when he died a few years ago.

Eddie has been prominent as a colt jockey, having been quarter-back of the football eleven and second baseman of the baseball team at Princeton several years.

Upon his father's death young Burke entered business and is now manager of the Corrigan & McKimsey Company, one of the largest vessel owning companies on the great lakes. He is now attending actively to business, and when asked if he intended following up his purchase of W. H. Daniel for \$35,000 by building up a large racing stable, said:

"I have no intention whatever of becoming prominently identified with the turf. I like horses and I liked W. H. Daniel very much. I liked him so well that I thought him a good investment at the price quoted. But I don't intend to buy any more. I spend very little of my day on the races, and in fact, have never been on a race horse in my life, and don't intend to. I am a business man first and last, and have had to give up baseball, as much as I love the game. The thought of becoming a second Rainey in the turf world is out of the question."

Both Rainey and Burke are between 25 and 27 years of age.

GUIDELINE WONDERS.

The average spectator at the country fairs who have seen one or more of the guideline wonders perform doubtless has been impressed by the intelligence shown by the performers and come to the conclusion that these horses must have been

usually level headed and pleasant tempered when raised, but the following story hardly bears out this version of the case.

It seems that Captain Boyce and Benie Kenney were swapping stories at the Cleveland track one rainy day recently.

"Did you ever know how these guideline wonders originated?" said Ben. "Well, I will tell you. Several years ago Roy Gentry was driving a patent called Happy Jack, and he was about the worst puller ever hooked to a sulky. After driving Happy a heat, Roy's arms would be almost paralyzed, and he would be almost ready to drop with exhaustion. One day he became so disgusted with the horse that he threw down the lines and said: 'Go, blame your old hide!' and he let the old gelding go without driving."

"There never was a guideline wonder that I ever heard of," said Capt. Boyce, "who was not an awful puller, and nearly all these guideline wonders were horses that were such bad ones that it was impossible to drive them with any degree of comfort."

GOLF

GOLF GOSSIP.

Open Champion Willie Anderson is playing in great form this spring and will be heavily backed to retain his title in the national open event, which he is to play at the Royal Montreal Golf Club, at Lake Forest, Ill. Last Thursday he played the Ontario course three times, making 74, a 74, and a 75, equalling the 18-hole record, held by Fred McKenzie; lowering the 36-hole record six strokes and making a new record for the 54 holes.

The new golf house which the city of New York is building on the public links in Forest Park, Brooklyn, will cost \$30,000.

The Women's Golf Association of Boston will send a big delegation to the Grimsby cup contest and championship of the Women's Eastern Golf Association at the Nassau Country Club on Long Island next week. On Tuesday, June 5, the Boston team will meet the Philadelphians, and on the following day the winners will play the Metropolitan team.

Fred McLeod, professional at the Mid-Montreal club, has made a new record of 71 for the course. He played the second hole in 1. The same day—last Saturday—Dr. Richmond made a similar hole of the Aronimink course, near Philadelphia, in 1, and paid the customary penalty at the "18th hole" in the clubhouse.

In the semi-national team match, 15 players a side, at Quebec, the local golfers produced by the Royal Montreal Golf Club, 27 holes to 12.

YACHTING

A DANDY RACING YACHT.

BRISTOL, R. I., May 26.—The big racing schooner yacht Queen, which has been building at the Herreshoff shops for J. Rogers Maxwell of the New York Yacht Club, was successfully launched today by the Herreshoff yard.

The yacht is destined for considerable racing during the coming season and will be one of the participants in the King Edward cup race to be held at Newport in August.

Queen is 125 feet over all, 62 feet 6 inches water line, 14 feet 10 inches draught and 25 feet beam. She is equipped with a modified centreboard and will carry 10,000 cubic feet of sail.

After the launching today she was hauled alongside the wharf and the masts were stepped. It will be several weeks before Queen will be ready for delivery to Mr. Maxwell.

SWIMMING

A REMARKABLE SWIMMER.

Boston swimmers are discussing with considerable interest the work of H. J. Handy, a Chicago Y. M. C. A. athlete, who is being heralded as the coming swimming crack of the country. Certainly the number of records that he has placed to his credit this season would indicate that he comes pretty nearly being a record breaker.

Handy holds altogether no less than 31 records, with C. M. Daniels, the New York crack, a poor second with 18, and all of them have been made since the year under the direction of the Central Amateur Athletic Union's officials.

QUOITS

Game will be Friday Evening.

The first game in quoits league was postponed from last evening until Friday evening next when it will be played by the Brook and West End clubs in Carleton.

ATHLETIC

New York, May 26.—A new world's record at pole vaulting was established today by the American athlete, who cleared 12 feet 3 inches.

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MONEY FOR THE FARMERS

Cheese and Butter Advance Means Quarter of a Million to Them.

(Montreal Herald, Tuesday).

"The conditions which have prevailed in the Canadian produce market since the factories opened this season while rather unsatisfactory for exporters have brought large returns to the farmers and dairymen."

At the first of the month prices opened about 1 1/2c higher than last year and since then prices have been gradually advancing until at present they are from 2c to 1 1/2c higher than at this date last year.

It is estimated that as a result of these high prices an extra profit of over a quarter of a million dollars has passed into the farmers' hands since the beginning of the month.

The receipts of cheese since May 1 have been 125,348 boxes. Taking 1 1/2c as the average increase in price for the month, which is a low estimate, this means an extra profit to the farmers of \$131,825.40 for cheese.

The receipts of butter since May have been 1,186 packages. Estimating the average increase in price at only