

CITY SENIOR LEAGUE ARRANGE SCHEDULE OF POSTPONED GAMES

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TO WIN TROPHIES

Will Carry Into The
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THE City Senior League drew up a schedule for its postponed and tied games at a meeting last evening and this will be carried out, even though it interferes with the date set for the closing banquet. It was felt that in order to give every player an equal chance for the various trophies that these games should be played. There are also games altogether and the following schedule for them was drawn up and agreed to by all the teams:

Aug. 1, Baptists vs. Watermen, N. E. (July 17).
Aug. 3, Baptists vs. Saint Johns, N. E. (June 29).
Aug. 4, Trojans vs. Royals, S. E. (June 29).
Aug. 5, Trojans vs. Saint Johns, N. E. (July 10).
Aug. 5, Baptists vs. Royals, S. E. (July 17).
Aug. 6, Saint Johns vs. Royals, S. E. (July 2).
Aug. 7, Water Dept. vs. Royals, S. E. (July 29).
Aug. 7, Baptists vs. Saint Johns, N. E. (July 29).
Aug. 8, afternoon, Baptists vs. Royals, N. E. (July 31).
Aug. 8, evening, Saint Johns vs. Royals, S. E. (July 17).

As had weather is bound to interfere with this schedule, it was further decided to run the league over into the second week in August, if necessary, to play all games. This decision was unanimous. The teams were represented as follows: St. John the Baptist, P. Barrett and Joe Fitzgerald; Water Dept., A. Snodgrass; Saint Johns, Thomas Campbell and G. Logan; Trojans, Walter Golding; Royals, J. H. Gay.

Schedule Runs Out.
The league schedule ran out last evening and the showing made in connection with playing off the league games was considered by the meeting to be excellent. The schedule ran through two months and one week, commencing on May 24 and ending July 31. In that short period 88 of the 80 scheduled games were played off, leaving 7 postponed owing to bad weather. The total is brought up to 9 through two tied games. Taking out Sundays in that postponed period, exactly 60 playing days to be used. In other words, 88 per cent. of the games were played as scheduled. Considering the bad weather that has been served up during the last two months this is considered an excellent showing.

JACK DEMPSEY IS HIS OWN MANAGER

Says He Has Not Agreed to Fight Anyone But Harry Wills.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—According to his own admission in a telegram to the New York State Athletic Commission, Jack Dempsey today is his own manager. An airplane letter to the board, Dempsey wired, "best explains conditions of clearing up my affairs with Jack Kearns." The telegram also said: "Mr. Kearns now knows that I will hereafter act for myself for my professional engagements."

Asks Indulgence.
Dempsey also declared he had not yet agreed to fight anyone but Wills and asked the indulgence of the commission in the matter his delayed appearance before, but he failed to set forth his willingness to fight Wills next July 4, as announced by his press agent in Los Angeles. Official action on the Dempsey case is expected to be taken by the board next Tuesday. If the definite information showing that steps have been taken to bring about the Wills-Dempsey fight, is not presented at this meeting, the board may vote to recognize Dempsey no longer as champion and order an elimination series for the title.

Richard Negotiates.
Anticipating that such a series would likely be limited to Gene Tunney and Harry Wills, Tex Rickard has already negotiations for the battle to be staged at this fall.
His terms were accepted conditionally by managers of the fighters yesterday, but Rickard announced that further steps by him to promote the bout would depend on the action of the commission next Tuesday on Dempsey's case.

Hoppe Wins Match
NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Willie Hoppe, former 182 balling champion, defeated Arthur Cohen, 60 to 22, at three-cushion billiards last night. The match went 64 innings. Hoppe had the high run of 6, while Cohen's best attempt was 8.

TROJANS BADLY BEATEN.
In the South End the Saint Johns smothered the Trojans with a deluge of hits and runs. In one inning alone they collected no less than 11 runs. The score at the end of the slug-fest showed 21 to 6. The Saint Johns fattened their batting averages, making 28 hits. One of the features of the game was a one-handed catch made by Cyril Moore.

LOUIS GREEN'S FOR PIPES
Save The Coupons

Rain Helps New York Giants Reduce Lead of Pittsburgh Pirates

Along The Sport Trail

By RAY HANSEN

LOCAL FANS who have watched some of the heavy hitters in the City League slam the ball out of the lot are prone to agree with the contention that the baseball as manufactured today is more lively than heretofore. However, this is apparently untrue for an analysis made by a chemist at the mid-summer conference of the owners of the National League clubs held in New York a few days ago showed that there was no difference in its construction as compared with those turned out in 1914. Close followers of the game seem to be unanimous in the opinion that baseball is a changed game from what it was and the ball is not responsible. The analytical examination by a professor of chemistry should be convincing for he had nothing to gain one way or another. If the truth was known the man who deserves credit for the change is Babe Ruth, the mighty "king of swat." He made such a tremendous hit all over the circuit and received such a magnificent remuneration that he soon had others trying to tear the cover off the pill and get some of the easy money. "Get up there and hit," is the slogan in baseball today.

IF WEATHER conditions are favorable this afternoon local fans should see a wonderful game of ball between the leading contenders for the City League championship. The game is one of the most crucial of the series and should be a thriller.

THE FANS of Somerville, Mass., the home town of "Pie" Traynor, third baseman of the Pittsburgh Pirates who are battling so gallantly for the National League flag these days, are holding a field day at Braves Field, Boston, on August 25, in honor of their native son and among those who will attend will be "Steve" Matthews, of this city, uncle of "Pie." Of the Pirate line-up, experts all agree none are better than this youngster who guards the hot corner for the National League leaders. His batting is also well up to average while his fielding borders at times on sensational. Traynor has an exceptionally large pair of hands. In addition to the fans, the Mayor of Somerville and the Masonic lodge of the city, to one of which Traynor belongs, are making suitable presentations on that day. It should be a gala day for "Pie" Traynor and none will be more proud of him than his uncle.

MEMBERS of the City League have certainly had every incentive to work hard this season. Beautiful trophies have been offered for leading pitchers, leading batters, base stealing and in fact for every department. So far seven trophies are up for competition.

JUDGING from the following article which was published editorially in the Boston Post, Champion Jack Dempsey is certainly losing a lot of his popularity.
"Says Grantland Rice, one of New York's ablest and most far-sighted sport writers: 'A few days ago we stepped into one of the largest of the Broadway moving picture houses where a moment later Jack Dempsey was shown on his arrival from Europe. There was first dead silence—followed a second later by a salvo of hisses. Dempsey has stepped into ground as rough as even Jack Johnson was called in. His continued statements that he was keen to fight and his refusal to do so have put him in the attitude of kidding the public, and the public in turn has turned against him. He now ranks with Jack Johnson as being the most unpopular of all heavyweight champions.'"
The Post adds: "It is a bitter harvest, but through deserved. It should have been expected by a 'champion' who will not fight his peers and who wants millions to fight men he is sure he can defeat. It is any wonder that the people's thoughts are going back to the elemental, but willing John L. Sullivan?"

Champion Tilden To Appear Before Tennis Body Tonight

SEABRIGHT, N. J., Aug. 1.—Willie Tilden, national tennis champion, will appear before the Executive Committee of the United States Lawn Tennis Association this evening to discuss his practice of giving interviews on tournaments in which he plays. The Philadelphia acknowledged that he had received a request to appear and stated he was willing to talk the matter over.
The outcome of the conference is thought with significance. Next week

HORSES INJURED

Unusual Number of Casualties at Saratoga Track—Flying Ebony Out For Season

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 1.—There have been an unusual number of casualties among the horses in training here for the month of racing. Gifford A. Cochran's famous three-year-old Flying Ebony, winner last May of the fifty-first Kentucky derby, has broken down, and it is doubtful if the black son of The Fint and Princess Mary will be seen under silks again this season.
The Idle Hour Farm's Stables crack three-year-old Broadway Jones, winner of the Latona Derby, has been placed in the shed and is not likely to appear in the stakes in which he is engaged. The Parkview Stable yesterday lost its hopeful stake candidate through the death of Ben H., two-year-old son of Eternal and Almadine II.
Eager, in the same stable, is also very sick and will be unable to fill his engagements. Dunks Green, Walter J. Salmon's cross-country star, is another casualty.

Leading Batters In The Major Leagues

Team	AB.	H.	Pct.
Speaker, Cleveland	359	144	.401
Rice, St. Louis	224	87	.389
Helmsman, Detroit	346	134	.387
Cobb, Detroit	315	121	.385
Sisler, St. Louis	428	158	.369

Team	AB.	H.	Pct.
Hornsbury, St. Louis	320	127	.397
Wilson, Philadelphia	195	75	.385
Stock, Brooklyn	340	130	.382
Bottomley, St. Louis	394	149	.378
Fournier, Brooklyn	327	123	.376

St. George's Win Out
Last evening on the West Side grounds in the Soft Ball League the St. George's defeated the Presbyterians by a score of 23 to 21. Batteries were: For the winners, A. Purton and E. Biltzard; for the losers, A. McVoor and H. Bradley.

ACCEPT CHALLENGE.
The Hawks accept the challenge of the Dodgers to a game of ball to be played on the West Side Athletic Grounds Monday evening at 7.15.

KEEPS UP GOOD WORK.
Managerial duties don't seem to affect the all-round play of Dave Bancroft, Braves' pilot. He's been putting up a nifty class of pastime ever since the start of the season. His work as a field has been especially noteworthy.

LEAGUE LEADERS HAVE HARD TIME HOLDING ROYALS

Narrowly Escape Being Defeated by Make-shift Team

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST team, leaders in the City League, narrowly escaped being defeated by the Royals last evening on the North End diamond, the score ending 5-5. The Saints secured an early lead over their opponents, who took the field with a make-shift team, but in the closing stages the Royals started a rally resulting from ineffective pitching by Murphy and loose fielding on the part of his teammates. About 2,000 fans were in attendance and both teams apparently had a large following.

Deserved To Lose.
The Saints deserved to lose, first because when Earl Nelson resented a decision of Umpire Pinnamore hurled the ball out of the lot with men occupied on second and third, neither taking advantage of this opportunity to score, and again when Pitcher Murphy apparently forgot about a runner on third and took a wind up which allowed Nelson to steal home. Only fast fielding on the part of Tack Dalton saved the day.

Short of Players.
The Royals appeared on the field short of players and used their bat boy in centre. Later when Young, their first sacker, injured his ankle attempting to score they had to send a boy in to replace him. The gap, Paul, the Royals star third-sacker, was admirably conducted on the field and his good playing.

Nelson pitched well, fanning 18 batters. Murphy was effective during the early stages of the game, but weakened in the last two innings.
The official score and summary follow:
Royals—A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
H. Wilson, 2b. 5 1 1 0 1 0
H. McAleer, cf. 4 1 1 1 0 1
Harper, ss. 4 0 0 2 1 1
Paul, 3b. 1b. 5 1 1 4 0 0
Nelson, p. 3 1 2 2 1 0
Young, 1b. 2 1 0 1 0 1
W. McAleer, rf. 4 0 1 0 1 0
K. Nelson, p. 3 1 2 2 1 0
Brown, lf. 4 0 0 0 0 0
St. John, 2b. 3 1 0 0 0 0
Stewart, cf. 1 0 0 0 0 0
87 5 10 22 5

St. John Bapt.—A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Moran, 1b. 4 1 2 0 0 2
Dalton, lf. 4 0 2 0 0 0
Fitzgerald, c. 3 1 1 1 0 1
Murphy, p. 2 1 0 1 0 0
Young, 1b. 2 1 0 1 0 0
Berry, cf. 3 0 0 0 0 0
Gaynes, ss. 4 1 2 0 1 1
Callaghan, 3b. 4 1 0 2 1 1
82 5 7 24 8 3

Score by Innings:
St. John Bapt. 00120000-3
Royals 00011012-9

Summary: Two base hit, Gaynes. Young, H. McAleer and Austin. Three base hit, Dalton. Sacrifice hit, Harper. Stolen bases, Paul and Callaghan. Left on bases, Baptists, 7; Royals, 10. Base on balls, off Nelson, 2; off Murphy, 2. Struck out by Nelson, 19; by Murphy, 9. Hit by pitcher, Murphy 2, by Nelson. Passed balls, Austin 2; Fitzgerald 1. Time of game, 1 hour and 40 minutes. Umpires, Pinnamore and Ramsay. Scorer Robinson.

Sharkey Wins Bout From King Solomon

BOSTON, July 31.—Jack Sharkey, of Boston, tonight won a close decision from King Solomon, of Panama, in a 10-round bout fought in a drizzle of rain in the open air here.

All was about even until the final round when Sharkey cut loose with a terrific body attack which slowed the king down. Sharkey weighed 190 pounds and Solomon 186.

Model Yacht Race Held on Lily Lake

Although the wind was fluffy on Lily Lake last evening there was an interesting race held in the "C" class by the Saint John Model Yacht Club. The "Ayre," owned by G. B. B., crossed the line first, with "O. B." owned by C. L. Moffard, second, and "Whispering," owned by E. Hampton, finished third. It was an exciting race from start to finish and greatly pleased the spectators.

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Jack Dempsey Sends Word To Commission

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 1.—Jack Dempsey has telegraphed the New York Boxing Commission asking its indulgence in the matter of his delayed appearance before it, and fifty denying he had "slipped" or consented to box anyone other than Harry Wills, the commission's choice of an opponent for him.

MILLTOWN LEADING

Defeat Calais 5 to 2 and Strengthen Their Hold in First Place.

ST. STEPHEN, Aug. 1.—Milltown took a better lead in the second section of the St. Croix League last night by defeating Calais by a score of 5 to 2. Batteries for Milltown: Fisher and Lewis; for Calais, Munro, Smith and Cole.
The standing of the second section follows:
Milltown Won
Calais 2
St. Stephen 1

WINS GOLF TITLE

Miss Edith Bauld of Halifax Defeats Miss Dorothy Page in Final Round.

YARMOUTH, N. S., July 31.—Miss Edith Bauld, Halifax, won the Maritime Ladies Golf championship here today by defeating Miss Dorothy Page, Halifax, 6 up and 5 to go in a thirty-five hole match. Other play was 18 holes. Mrs. Yorston, Truro, captured the second division against Mrs. McLaughlin, also of Truro, four and three.

Mrs. W. MacKean, Halifax, took the first consolation from Mrs. Campbell Mackay, Saint John, four and two; Mrs. Daryl Peters, Saint John, the second consolation by defeating Miss Elsie McDonald, Truro, five and three; and Mrs. Bernard Robins took the special nine hole competition from Mrs. Donald Lawson, both of Yarmouth, on the tenth green.

After the close of play today the prizes were presented by Miss Clara Gale, honorary president of the Ladies' Maritime Provinces Golf Association.

County League Game

In the Saint John County Baseball League series, last evening the Y. M. C. L. team defeated the Saint John Clippers by a score of 7 to 6. Features of the game were a home run by Gallagher of the Y. M. C. L. team in the fifth inning with the bases full. The score follows:
Saint John 6
Clippers 6

SETS NEW RECORD

Peter Malby Wins Two-Year-Old Trot in 2:13.14 in Binghamton.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Aug. 1.—A new world's trotting record for colts on a half-mile track was established in the Orange County circuit racing here recently when Peter Malby, Dickerson driving, traveled the distance in 2:13.14 to win the second heat of a two-year-old trot, also taking the event in straight heats.

GENARO WINS ON FOUL

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Frankie Genaro, American flyweight champion, won on a foul last night from Hilley Levine, Coney Island, in the 11th round.

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Thirteen victories and only two defeats is the record Stanley Coveleskie, veteran spitballer of the Washington team, boasts. Last season Coveleskie was unable to break even as a member of the Cleveland Indians. He won 15 games, suffered one more defeat.

Big Game Today

THE Water Department team and the Saint John the Baptists will clash in a postponed game on the North End grounds this afternoon in one of the most crucial games of the season.

HAD BIG DAY.
Johnny Mostil of the White Sox had a big day recently at the expense of the Detroit Tigers. In five times in the batting column and of late has been used by Manager Speaker in the cleanup position. He's far from younger but still can count.

George Burns of Cleveland has been hitting the ball at a good pace this season. He's up around the 380 mark in the batting column and of late has been used by Manager Speaker in the cleanup position. He's far from younger but still can count.

GREB WINS BOUT
TULSA, Aug. 1.—Harry Greb disposed of Olls Bryant of Chicago in a ten round bout here last night.

ONLY ONE GAME SEPARATES THE LEADING TEAMS

Kelly's Homer Was Responsible For Victory Over Cubs

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Midsummer sales fields, in casting their support among pennant leaders of both major leagues for the last month, have again freshened the drooping hopes of the New York Giants. By forcing inactivity on the part of the leading Pittsburgh Pirates in the National, rain drops which were generally sprinkled over baseball diamonds in many corners of both circuits yesterday, enabled the champion New York team to once more reduce the gap between first and second place to a single game. For while the Pirates were idle, the Giants rule on the wings of a home run by George Kelly to a triumph over Chicago, 4 to 3.

Fire hits proved sufficient for the Reds to pile up their seventh straight victory at the expense of the Boston Braves, 4 to 3. A wild pitch by Barnes scored Roush with the winning run, after he had tripled in the sixth.

Brooklyn rallied behind the speed ball king, Dazzy Vance, in the last two innings of a game with St. Louis, and then choked off a counter spurt by the Cards in their half of the ninth, to pull out a victory 9 to 4.

Only one game was played in the American League, Boston Red Sox amassing fifteen hits off Karr to beat the Indians 7 to 2.

SAYS CANADA HAS FINE GOLF COURSES

Walter Hagen is Enthusiastic About The Style and Quality of Links.

TORONTO, Aug. 1.—That Western Canada has some of the finest golf courses on the American continent, is the opinion of Walter Hagen, famous American professional, who has won in the last ten years practically every championship in the world, worth holding, and who is at the present playing in the Canadian open at Lambton. Hagen has just returned from an extensive tour through the west, and is enthusiastic about the style and quality of the courses. Golf in the west is enjoying a great vogue, and clubs are springing up everywhere, he says.

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