#### Jeff Says It Was Worth the Money









By "Bud" Fisher

# SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME

BOWLING

BASEBAL

On Black's Alleys, had 95 4-5.

Local Games. The Coopers defeated the Doves in an exciting game on the Elm street grounds last evening, 13 to 1. Batter-ies—Dever and Morgan; Harrington and

They say that Bob Ganley has strong aggregation under his wing again. An able general is Robert.

Let's hope that St. John will strike a winning gait at the outset. There is one thing sure, they will be loyally backed by the Winter Port fans.

Joe Page has done well by the N. B. and Maine League of last season in this year's Spalding Guide.

Riley and O'Brien in the inital game will give us some one to cheer for until the new men work their way into our good graces.

At Rochester—Newark 3, Rochester 2. Batteries—Enzmann and McCarty; Wilhelm and Jacklitsch.

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Batteries—Hearne and Graham; Johnson Will turn out in force and give the players a good reception for their first game here.

It is hoped to see the Marathons hit a winning streak from the start. However, the opening game will help to ever, the opening game will help to week.

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New York, May 17—Arthur Shafer shortstop of the New York Nationals, failed to report for work at yesterday's game with Pittsburgh and the club officials believe that he has quit the team. According to the players, Shafer has been morose of late, refusing to converse with them, and was also incensed because Manager McGraw on last Saturday moved him to the outfield, putting Fletcher in his place at short.

Connie Mack Recruit Killed.

#### NOULD THE AUTHORITIES STOP FOOTBALL, BAJEBALL OR AUTO RACING IF FATALITIES OCCURRED?

Would the authorities have stopped all ball games had the same lad been killed on the ball field while playing? And still it might be well to mention that three deaths have occurred so far this season from young men being hit by baseballs.

Would the state authorities have prohibited auto racing had the same lad been killed in an accident of that kind? And still there were numerous auto drivers killed last summer and fall where they were driving their cars at dare devil speed.

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Why the authorities should always pick the boxing game out is hard to fathom, unless it is that there are not enough defenders of the sport to give the officials worry. What a howl would go up should they attempt to stop football, baseball or auto racing!

It only proves more conclusively than ever that we are badly in need of a law to govern the sport of boxing; a law that will make it possible to control the sport properly and thus lessen the chance of serious accidents. If the law makers really want to prevent such accidents the surest way is to put the sport under proper control, where all boxers will have to undergo thorough medical examination, where rings are properly padded and where referees will be amenable to the authorities for infractions of the rules.

That boxing is popular goes without saying. The thousands who attend the shows two or three times a week in most big cities is ample proof of the popularity of the game. What we want now is a law that will help to prevent just such accidents as cited.

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> Editor Page Has Made it of More Than Ordinary Interest to The Local Fans

Spalding's official Canadian Baseball Guide for 1913, edited by Joe Page, has reached the Times' sporting editor's desk and is welcomed. It opens with an article by Mr. Page reviewing the las Pottsville, Pa., May 16—Clarence H. Irwin, a star baseball pitcher of this vicinity, who was signed by Manager Connie Mack of the Philadelphia American League club, and who was to report for duty May 23, was instantly killed yesterday by tripping and falling in front of a Philadelphia & Reading locomotive near Cressona. He was employed as brakeman and was in the act of turning a switch.

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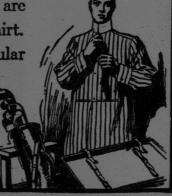
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