

VETERANS DOING WELL THIS SEASON

By JACK VEIOCK, International News Sports Editor. New York, June 11.—When a ball player commences to bat over thirty in O. P. Father Time's league it is the general belief that he has seen his best days.

The rolling years take the youthful snap and ginger out of the arms and legs of the average player past thirty years of age, and he turns into the path which leads him back to the minors or to retirement.

But there are exceptions to every rule, and in the major leagues today there is a sprinkling of players well past the thirty-year mark who are still blocking Old Dad Time's lusty wallops and getting away with it.

Among them are Gus Wagoner, Tony C. Meyer and Buck Herzog among the past-thirty players in the National league, who are still in their winning their winks on the diamond, while Terry Turner, Eddie Plank, Stanage and Jimmy Austin are American league veterans who refuse to be downed by the sycophant of the white-headed old gent who turns the hands of the clock.

But two of the most remarkable players in many respects are Gavvy Cravath and Dode Paskert of the Phillies, both outfielders, and both apparently good for a few more seasons in the big show.

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FATE OF COLLEGE GAMES IN DOUBT

Whether or not we have intercollegiate competition in the East this fall, and its extent, will be decided at a meeting of the National Collegiate Athletic association to be held in Washington next August.

It was the original intention of this body to merely have a meeting of its executive committee in August, but the pressure has become so strong from so many sources that it is now almost certain that the meeting will be general, with representatives present from all the leading universities and colleges of the United States.

All this is the outcome of two meetings in New York recently, one a session of the graduate managers of the Eastern universities, the other the spring meeting of the committee on football officials.

At the session of the graduate managers there was a very full discussion of the situation at each of the institutions represented. All the big universities, Yale excepted, had their managers present.

At the conclusion of the debate it was the consensus of opinion that there is at present no reason why athletics should not be resumed in the fall.

In all the discussions the graduate managers took a most creditable patriotic stand. In no case were athletics advocated as a means of making money.

On the contrary, nearly all the managers admitted that they expect to conduct athletics at a loss. In this connection the remarks of Major M. J. Pickering, Pennsylvania's graduate manager, were most interesting.

Because Pennsylvania was the largest Eastern university that insisted on maintaining athletics, the experience of the Quakers was most interesting. Major Pickering explained that due to the war excitement the attendance at all contests fell off a half or more.

The great two-day relay carnival which usually earns a profit failed to pay expenses, while the attendance at all baseball games was hardly a third of what it is under normal conditions.

LIBERTY BOND DAY FOR A. O. F. JUNIORS

Every member of the Young Men's department of the Association of Commerce will buy a Liberty bond tomorrow and in addition each will go out and solicit other subscriptions.

A circular letter was sent out yesterday to the membership urging all to subscribe to the loan and attend the luncheon. In reviewing what the department already has done the better states-in part:

The members of the Young Men's department have met this crisis in a spirit of self sacrifice and patriotism that each one of us should be proud of.

More than one-half of our entire membership have already enlisted in the army, navy, officers reserve camp and state militia for active service.

Practically all the rest of us have either been rejected because of physical defects, or else are married and have dependents. We, who are not fortunate enough to be physically capable of fighting the battles of our country can in the next best thing by giving our money and our labor.

What a little thing for us to do when our brethren and our friends are willing to give their lives in order that Prussian militarism shall not strangle the democracy of the world.

Grand Vazier says victory is assured by International News Service. Vienna, June 11.—Talaat Pasha, the Turkish grand vazier (prime minister), has returned to Constantinople absolutely convinced that the war will soon end with a victory for Germany and her allies.

What I saw and heard fully convince me that the German front in the west can never be broken, and that a full victory of the central powers is only a matter of a comparatively short time.

My confidence is further strengthened by the detailed information given to me by the German naval authorities in regard to the submarine war, which has surpassed all expectations and is slowly and surely strangling England.

RAIN INTERFERES WITH MANY GAMES

SOUTHERN LEAGUE. Birmingham, 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 5 5 3. Chattanooga, 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 3 6 5. Columbus, 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 8 11 0. Nashville, 1 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 4 12 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. Boston, 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 2 7 4. Pittsburgh, 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 2. Cincinnati, 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 4 2. Philadelphia, 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 3 7 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Philadelphia vs. Detroit, game postponed, rain. New York vs. Chicago, game postponed, wet grounds.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. Minneapolis, 0 0 1 0 2 0 1 0 0 4 10 1. Columbus, 0 0 0 0 4 0 1 0 0 5 6 2. Birmingham, Williams, Louisville, Kan. City, 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 7 4 1.

NEW ORLEANS MUST RAISE \$2000 FOR RIVER TRAFFIC. Appropriation of \$2000 toward the \$20,000 to be raised by New Orleans for the Mississippi Waterways association was made yesterday by the Board of Trade.

THREE MEN IN A ROOM. Police Found Them With Blank Pads and Racing Forms. Three men were arrested by Corporal Smith and Patrolman Kaufman in a room on the second floor at 728 Gravier street yesterday.

URGES ENGLISH SMOKE IN PLACE OF EATING. London, June 11.—"Smoke more and eat less!" This is the latest advice given to the British people in the food shortage situation. It comes from Sir John Rees, who says:

It is to be hoped that the increased tobacco duty will not reduce the quantity. The less people smoke the more they are liable to eat. It is well known that the grossed eaters are non-drinkers and non-smokers.

ACCUSED OF ESPIONAGE; ACCUSERS FIRED AT HIM. John Armstrong and George Hunt, negroes, and Harry Davis, another black, at Valmont and Ammoniation street and they accused him of being a "police informer." A quarrel followed, during which Hunt fired three ineffectual shots at Davis.

DRUIDS HOLD MEMORIAL. Memorial services for the 122 dead members of the Druids were observed Sunday afternoon, Rev. R. H. Harper delivered the memorial, following which a memorial program was given.

RACING ENTRIES AT MONTREAL

FIRST RACE—Purse, \$600 added; two-year-olds maidens; claiming; four furlongs. Fleetfoot, 113. Little Sweeper, 110. Impression, 110. "Start Right", 113. "Wichaka", 115. Producer, 115. La-y Gayety, 109. Lady Moore, 110. "High Notes", 104. Somena, 111. Ozle, 112. Hattie Croton, 109. Tocolapt, 102.

SECOND RACE—Purse \$600 added; two-year-olds foaled in Canada; four and a half furlongs. Peasure Bent, 113. Mighty One, 116. Thomas G., 116. "Scotch", 117. "Britain's Ally", 113. Asadhuwe, 113. "Benjamin", 113. "Tash Tash", 113. J. C. Wash, 108. P. Pierce, 108. "Alphie", 115.

THIRD RACE—Purse \$500 added; four-year-olds and up; steeplechase; about two miles. Hearts of Oak, 139. Early Light, 150. "Edmo", 150. Galax, 157. "Fifth Race—Purse, \$500 added; three-year-olds; one mile. Waukeg, 112. Easter Lily, 101. "Beebancock", 112. Sea Gull, 103. "Taird", 104. "Priscilla Mullens", 99. "Galar", 102.

SIXTH RACE—Purse, \$600 added; three-year-olds and up; selling; six furlongs. Lotus G., 109. Anita, 113. "Nourishin", 107. King Baggot, 100. Broom Corn, 104. The Busybody, 105. Hazlett, 103. Pump, 116. Fairy Legend, 113. Blue Fox, 101. Repetrate, 106. Merry Jubilee, 108. Dr. Nelson, 103.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse, \$600 added; three-year-olds and up; claiming; one and an eighth miles. Froissart, 101. Galt, 108. "Fuzzy Assum", 109. "Nobleman", 101. Paramount, 100. Arthur Middleton, 100. Tom, Jr., 103. Phocion, 103. Sparkler, 111. Purdy, 114. Also eligible: Sansyming, 117. Reserve, 107.

EIGHTH RACE—Purse, \$600 added; four-year-olds and up; mile and a sixteenth. Sun Maid, 100. Chief Brown, 105. John Hurrie, 111. Cliff Field, 114. Will Do, 102. Batchelor, 106. "Bowly Bowly", 111. Weather, clear; track, fast. *Apprentice allowance claimed.

NINTH RACE—Purse, \$600 added; four-year-olds and up; claiming; four furlongs. Olympian K., Fuert, 19.30. 6.80. 1.00; Butcher Boy, Goose, 2.90. 2.70; Ichiban, Moshan, 3.80. Time, 1:13.5. Scratched: Sasuta, Nib.

TENTH RACE—Purse, \$600 added; four-year-olds and up; claiming; three furlongs. Olympian K., Fuert, 19.30. 6.80. 1.00; Butcher Boy, Goose, 2.90. 2.70; Ichiban, Moshan, 3.80. Time, 1:13.5. Scratched: Sasuta, Nib.

TRADITIONAL BURGLAR AT LAST IS DISCOVERED. Police are looking for a negro, who after being discovered under a bed in a room at 125 St. Bernard avenue early yesterday morning and struck on the head with an iron weight by James Atkinson, of that address, made his escape.

RACING ENTRIES AT LATONIA

FIRST RACE—Claiming; \$600; maiden fillies; 2-year-olds; four and a half furlongs. "Little Princess", 105. Broozy, 110. Lucius, 110. Mediation, 95. The Decision, 102. Battle Abbey, 102. Kildee, 105. Top of the Morn, 104. Riverdale, 111. J. J. Lillis, 120. Faddy Whack, 120.

SECOND RACE—Purse \$600; claiming; three-year-olds and up; six furlongs. Sister Emblem, 101. James G., 103. Sister Susie, 106. Southern League, 106. Please Welles, 108. Fuzzy Wuzzy, 114. Sunny Lad, 102. "Benjamin", 103. "Tash Tash", 106. J. C. Wash, 108. P. Pierce, 108. "Alphie", 115.

THIRD RACE—Claiming; \$800; two-year-olds; two furlongs. "Bonoboo", 95. LaBane, 103. Neph, 108. "Miss Polly", 109. Desire, 102. "Quartette", 105. Broom Poshley, 108. "Fourth Race—Purse \$1,200; 3-year-olds and up; mile. Saadi, 108. "Balfour", 108. Viewpoint, 108. Star Maid, 112.

SIXTH RACE—Maiden 3-year-olds and up; also winners of one race only; mile. The Usck, 108. Saadi, 108. "Balfour", 108. Viewpoint, 108. Star Maid, 112. "Sixth Race—Maiden two-year-olds; four and a half furlongs. Lady Grey, 103. Golden Glow, 108. Santiago, 103. Stella Mia, 105. Turban, 109. "Oriskany", 109. Geo. Washington, 106. Confucation, 103. Nonnie, 110. "Discontent II", 102.

SEVENTH RACE—Claiming; 4-year-olds and up; mile and a sixteenth. Mary Valla, 100. Erin, 106. "Fascinating", 109. Prime Mover, 114. Albide, 105. Allen Cain, 106. Surpassing, 111. "Eighth Race—Three-year-olds and up; six furlongs. King Belle, 108. Mike, 100. Dr. Bartow, 100. "Bridled Votter", 105. J. C. Stone, 109. Nobleman, 101. Paramount, 100. Arthur Middleton, 100. Tom, Jr., 103. Phocion, 103. Sparkler, 111. Purdy, 114. Also eligible: Sansyming, 117. Reserve, 107.

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THIRD RACE—Claiming; three-year-olds; six furlongs. J. Rufus, Carroll, 8.50. 5.30. 1.00; Pilsen, Callahan, 14.80. 7.70; Matin, Metcalf, 7.10. Scratched: Velvet Joe, Immoose. "Fourth Race—Purse \$1,000; M. Storm Handicap; three-year-olds and up; mile and seventy yards. Guy Footnote, Barrel, 13.70. 4.70. 3.10; Money Maker, Hunt, 3.00. 2.40; Tokay, Van Dusen, 3.70. Time, 1:44.1-5. Scratched: Bob Hensley. "Fifth Race—Inaugural Handicap; \$2,000; three-year-olds and up; mile and a sixteenth. Old Rosebud, Connolly, 6.60. 4.20. 3.10; King Gorin, Dishmon, 10.10. 5.20; Midway, Louder, 1.30. Time, 1:15. Scratched: Sosisus.

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SECOND RACE—Steeplechase; 4-year-olds and up; two miles. Maitre Gorbau, 136. Stone Chase, 150. The Brook, 137. Warlock, 137. Elbet, 140. Bryn Dor, 147. Northwood, 132. Loch Earn, 133. "Third Race—Two-year-old fillies; at four and a half furlongs. Bonnerella, 109. Welfona, 102. Camba, 109. Beantous, 109. Mrs. Trubbel, 109. Tea Party, 109. Little Devil, 109. "Joni", 109. "Abloration", 109. "Fourth Race—Three-year-olds and up at one mile. Straight Forward, 105. Blue Thistle, 108. Gloomy Gus, 90. "Eagle", 103. "Ballad", 104. Polrona, 104. "Fifth Race—Maiden 3-year-olds and up; also winners of one race only; mile. The Usck, 108. Saadi, 108. "Balfour", 108. Viewpoint, 108. Star Maid, 112. "Sixth Race—Maiden two-year-olds; four and a half furlongs. Lady Grey, 103. Golden Glow, 108. Santiago, 103. Stella Mia, 105. Turban, 109. "Oriskany", 109. Geo. Washington, 106. Confucation, 103. Nonnie, 110. "Discontent II", 102.

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CHARGE OF EMBEZZLEMENT. On complaint of Anthony Vaccaro, French market, Detoxifios Obitz and Porro to yesterday afternoon arrested Henry Aucoin, 831 St. Peter street, and charged him with embezzlement. The amount involved is \$90.

Diamond, "Emerson C. Money Maker, Vogue, Gudge. "Sixth Race—Two-year-olds; four and a half furlongs. Brother McDowell, Murphy, 9.60. 1.50. 3.30; B. B. Johnson, Morys, 4.00. 3.20; Eastern Princess, Dishmon, 6.00. Time, 1:15.5. No scratches. "Seventh Race—Claiming; three-year-olds and up; mile and seventy yards. Princess, Lilly, 10.30. 4.40. 3.00; Safety First, Barrett, 3.10. 2.40; Lindenthal, Hanover, 2.70. Time, 1:15.5. Scratched: Sosisus.

PARDON BOARD MEETS TODAY

The session of the state pardon board was postponed from yesterday until today because of the illness of Lieutenant Governor Mouton, Mr. Mouton telegraphed from Lafayette that he expected to be with the pardon board today.

LEAGUE FOR WISCONSIN

Madison, Wis., June 9.—Pledging themselves to work for the election as members to the state legislature, regardless of party affiliations, of those who are willing to commit themselves in favor of statutory prohibition in 1919, 150 men, representing as many cities and villages throughout the state, have effected the organization of a new political party, to be known as the Wisconsin Non-Partisan Dry league.

FORTY ROTARIANS TO ATTEND INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

A delegation of forty Rotarians will attend the International convention at Atlanta next Tuesday. The delegates will leave on a special train with about 100 Texans. Of this number five will make the trip in an auto. These are: Hamilton Barton, automobile dealer; W. J. Aicklen, Jr., of the Consumers' Electric Light company; J. V. Gresham of the Standard Oil company, F. W. Stevens of the local branch of the A. I. S. Chalmers company, and A. J. Boylen of the Association of Commerce. They leave Wednesday morning.

NEW ORLEANS MARINE WITH FIRST EXPEDITION

A New Orleans boy was one of the first among the marines to be chosen to be sent to France. Major Backstrom, head of the Southern Division of the Marine corps was notified Sunday that Percy L. Jacobs of this city who recently enlisted would be among the first to go to France.

RACING RESULTS AT BELMONT

FIRST RACE—Maiden three-year-olds and up; one mile. Wonderful, Fairbrother, 4. 2. 1; Ed Bond, Ambrose, 5. 2. 1; Meadow Worth, Perkins, 5-2. 1. 3-5. Time, 1:13 2-5. Scratches: Omuda. "Second Race—Steeplechase; four-year-olds and up; two miles. Doublet, Haynes, 9-5. 3-5; Pandean, Williams, 6-5. 2-5; Ojala, Cottman, 20. 8. 4. Time, 1:20. Scratched: Wolferton II, Marchena, P. Darnour. "Third Race—Handicap, mares; three-year-olds and up; six furlongs. Bayberry Candle, Williams, 4-5. Sea Wave, Collins, 25. 5-2; Serenon, Butwell, 9-2. 3-10. Time, 1:14 3-5. Scratched: Hather, America III. "Fourth Race—Three-year-olds; one mile. Corn Tassel, J. Metzgart, 2-2-5; Battle, Collins, 8. 2; Manister, Tol, Robinson, 4-5. 1-5. Time, 1:10 1-5. Scratched: Ballard, Sortie, Defense. "Fifth Race—Highweight Handicap, 4-year-olds and upward; one mile and one-half. Martien, Davies, 5-2. 3-5; Little Nearer, Fairbrother, 7-2. 4-5; Sharpshooter, Butwell, 2. 1-2. Time, 2:38 2-5. Scratched: Warlock. "Sixth Race—Two-year-olds; five furlongs. War Machine, Duxton, 3-2. 3-5. 1-4; Drastic, Butwell, 11-5. 4-5. 2-5; Recount, Schuttinger, 10. 4. 2. Time, 1:30. Guesswork, Herodity, Happy Go Lucky scratched. "Seventh Race—Claiming; three-year-olds and up; mile and seventy yards. Princess, Lilly, 10.30. 4.40. 3.00; Safety First, Barrett, 3.10. 2.40; Lindenthal, Hanover, 2.70. Time, 1:15 1-5. Scratched: Sosisus.