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LACROSSE HURTS BASEBALL GAME

Its Inexpensiveness One Reason for Increase.

That lacrosse is rapidly forging to the front as a leading sport in college circles and in a number of cases has already displaced baseball, is a statement made by Ralph G. Leonard, assistant professor of physical education at Pennsylvania State college and coach of the Nittany lacrosse team. No other sport has made such rapid strides among the colleges in recent years, according to Leonard, who recently completed a survey of the sport for the annual meeting of the National Collegiate Athletic association.

He points out that almost thirty colleges have taken up the sport during the past two years and are now placing it on an intercollegiate basis. Among the institutions that he mentions are Dartmouth, Brown, Williams, Union, Lafayette, Carnegie Tech, University of Pittsburgh, University of Virginia, University of Tennessee and Georgia Tech. During the more than forty years since lacrosse was first established as a college sport in 1831, it is the only sport that has not become professionalized in America, points out Leonard.

Among the reasons advanced by the Penn State mentor for the growing popularity of the game are the following: The rules have been improved to the point where the game is clean and scientific. Because of its bodily contact, lacrosse appeals to the American youth. It builds character, one of the main purposes of physical education and athletics. The game is inexpensive, being probably 50 per cent less costly than baseball or track. And, finally, although requiring a high degree of skill to play, the sport is easy to teach.

Visits of a combined Oxford-Cambridge team to this country three years ago and a return visit to England of a Syracuse team one year later have placed the game on an international basis, says Leonard. The Oxford-Cambridge team will play a schedule of ten games in this country next spring as a furtherance of this international relationship.

Cubs Get Stephenson



Riggs Stephenson (shown in photograph) hard-hitting outfielder and Shortstop Schreiber of Indianapolis have been traded to the Chicago Cubs for Maurice Shannon and Outfielder Munson. Stephenson was one of the leading hitters in the American association.

Briton Claims Money Is Help to Us in Sports

"Although athletic victories cannot be purchased like 'old masters,' money does certainly give the Americans a good start in sport," Lord Wodehouse, international poloist and sportsman, thus summed up American ascendancy in sport.

"I do not mean to say that it is their wealth which gives them their prowess in polo or any other sport," said Lord Wodehouse. "There is no getting away from the fact that they are keen, and seem to have a knack of giving themselves as wholeheartedly to any special line of sport as they do to the organization of a factory."

"I mean that by reason of their great wealth Americans are able to buy the best implements and the best tuition."

"Another advantage that the Americans have, in my opinion, is the fact that they are able to play all the year round in one part of the country or another."

BASEBALL NOTES

Catcher Raymond Hayworth of the Toronto club of the International league, has been sent to the Detroit Tigers.

Time was called by the umpire in a Toronto game recently when the sun's rays made it impossible for the batter to see the ball.

Howard A. Holland, collegiate pitcher from the University of Virginia, reported to Manager Jack Hendricks of the Cincinnati Reds.

The Boston Braves announce the release of Wilfred "Rosie" Ryan, a pitcher, to the Toledo club of the American association.

Within six months after graduating from Lafayette college in 1925, Mike Gazella earned \$10,000 as a member of the New York Yankees.

FOUR YOUTHS SWIM AROUND LAKE SUMMIT

Four boys who left this city yesterday to accomplish the difficult feat of swimming around Lake Summit, a distance of some 12 or 13 miles, were successful in the attempt, it was learned last night. The swimmers were in the water from 10 a. m. until 2: p. m.

The party which entered into the record swim was gotten up by "Red" Dobson former all-around athlete at Furman and at present athletic director at Whitney. Those who accompanied him in the long-distance swimming grind were Joe Sexton life guard at Cleveland Park swimming pool; Wallace Smith, of Panama and Elton Minor, of Richmond, Va.

As far as the people who live around the lake can remember, they say, this is the first time the swim around the lake has been made.

STANDING OF THE LEAGUES AMERICAN

	W.	L.	P. C.
New York	56	32	636
Philadelphia	48	39	552
Cleveland	48	42	533
Chicago	47	42	528
Washington	44	40	524
Detroit	45	43	511
St. Louis	36	51	414
Boston	26	60	302

NATIONAL

	W.	L.	P. C.
Cincinnati	51	39	567
Pittsburg	46	37	554
St. Louis	48	41	539
Chicago	47	41	534
Brooklyn	46	41	529
New York	43	43	500
Philadelphia	33	52	388
Boston	33	54	379

SOUTHERN

	W.	L.	P. C.
New Orleans	64	31	674
Memphis	54	35	607
Birmingham	54	37	593
Nashville	51	42	549
Atlanta	44	46	489
Chattanooga	35	56	385
Mobile	30	57	345
Little Rock	29	61	323

PIEDMONT

	W.	L.	P. C.
Greensboro	12	7	633
Winston-Salem	11	8	579
High Point	10	9	526
Durham	9	9	500
Raleigh	6	12	333
Salisburg	5	13	278

College Boys Are Arrested as Burglars



These five students of Lake Forest college, Illinois, shown with a police officer, were arrested for burglary. Two of them were caught stealing automobile tires and the others admit that they robbed a residence of household furnishings for their fraternity house.

CHEVROLET MAKES INDURENCE RUN

CHEVROLET—NEWS ANY PG....

Lowering the fastest train time between the Pacific Coast and Omaha by approximately two hours, Mason Jurgensen, age 21 of 141 West Eighty-second Street, Los Angeles, drove a Chevrolet roadster 2020 miles between the two cities in 56 hours 47 minutes. He was officially checked out at Los Angeles and in the Nebraska metropolis by Western Union executives.

This feat establishes an automobile record from the Pacific coast to Omaha.

Jurgensen stopped only to eat, take on fuel and change one tire on the way. He picked up a nail on the New Mexico desert, that being the only mishap experienced on the entire trip. His record time as given above includes all stops en route. The young pilot was accompanied on his dash two-thirds of the way across the United States by Joe Rolley of 941 West 41st Street, Los Angeles.

On the return journey to the Coast Jurgensen added further glamour to his driving achievement by lowering the Omaha-Denver mark from 115

hours, 31 minutes to 14 hours flat. Harold Beyers, an Omaha boy, was passenger and relief driver on the way back, Rolley remaining at Omaha.

The youth's demonstration is more than a stunt. It is proof that transcontinental touring has become practical for the average motorist. Roads are good and danger has been eliminated as a factor. The young Chevrolet mount, giving it a clean bill in the matter of speed, power and road worthiness.

"Transcontinental" touring is a mere "ride around the block" in these days of high-powered light cars and wonderful roads," Jurgensen declared.

Included in Prof. Einstein's theory of relativity is the proposition that there is no such thing as time. Bet if you'd ask him what time it is right quickly he would pull out his watch and tell you.

A good book is an asset: especially the telephone book.

There's a closed season for quail, squirrels, rabbits and black bass, but apparently none for wayward husbands.

It takes these Americans to win at tennis, foot-ball and the confidence game.

Makes Good at Start



Shortstop Thevenow of the St. Louis Cardinals is one collegian who has made good in the big league right from the start. Soon after graduating he was placed at short for the Cards and he is now considered one of the stars of the National league.

FARM FACTS

One hour out of ten is needed to keep the tractor in good condition.

Salt should be given horses separately from their feed, and they should be able to get it at all times.

You can count your chickens before they hatch if you observe carefully the correct principles of egg selection and incubation.

Arsenic, the poison in spray materials, is not a violent poison to warm-blooded animals and small amounts cause no serious injury.

A number of insects, such as the white grubs, wire worms and cut-worms, are always present in soil. They frequently destroy corn and other row crops.

READ THE POLK COUNTY NEWS.

Suzanne Won't Play in America

"I will never play in America," Suzanne Lenglen said when she was planning to enter the West Hills tournament. The French star declared the climate of the United States like that of the Riviera did not agree with her and that if she could, she would rather play there than in a place like this.

The folks who used to get into an old friend's house...

Life is full of regrets. I have time to get the old story and overheard the conversation comes out with temperate deductions on the two sides.

Thermal View! How Do You Do?

Yes, last Friday saw the beginning of one of Tryon's most scenic residential subdivisions—Thermal View.

We want to congratulate the people who came, saw, and bought. We consider it as evidence of the confidence buyers have in our selection of "choice spots" for them.

We sold 126 lots before sundown brought the sale to a close—said to be an excellent record. Since last Friday 11 resales have been made at a profit to the sellers. We still have 76 of these sightly lots that can be purchased at \$75 to \$100 per lot (a few higher). You cannot go amiss in owning some of them, either for a home or resale.

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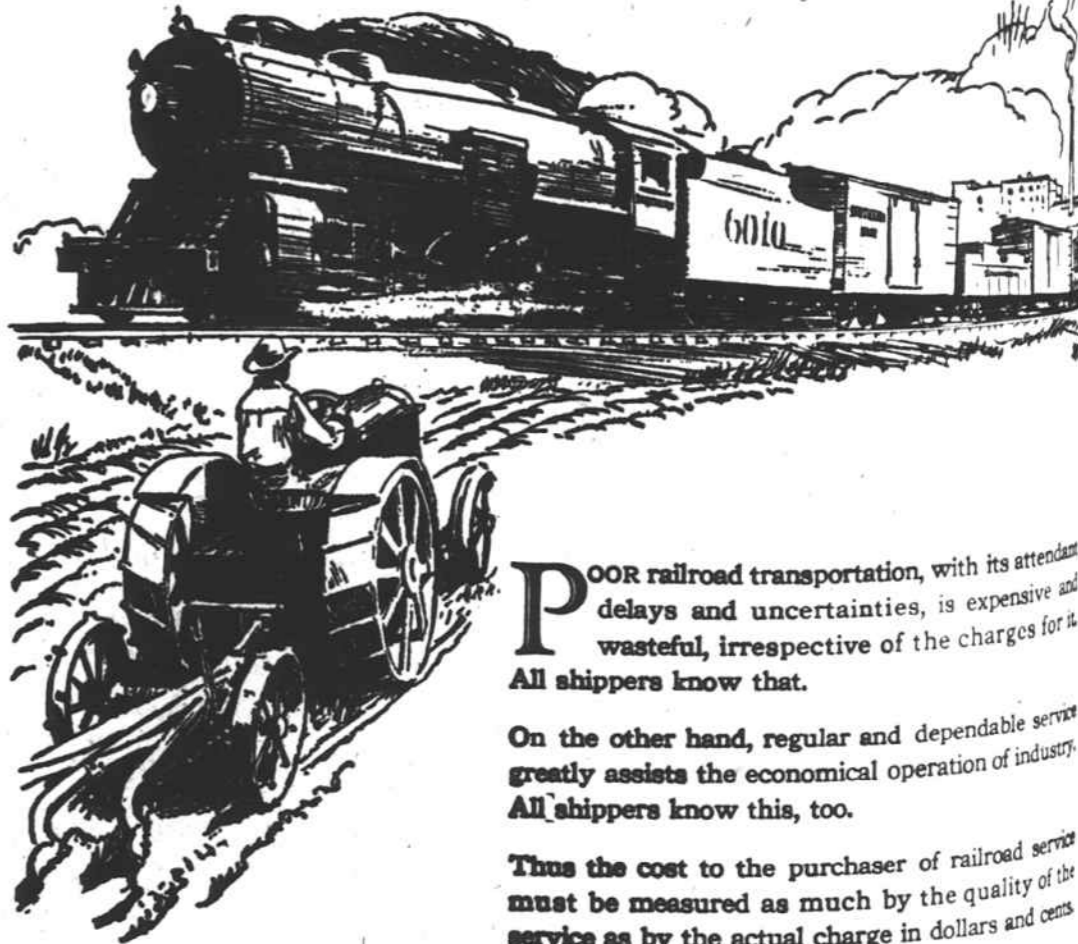
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POOR railroad transportation, with its attendant delays and uncertainties, is expensive and wasteful, irrespective of the charges for it. All shippers know that.

On the other hand, regular and dependable service greatly assists the economical operation of industry. All shippers know this, too.

Thus the cost to the purchaser of railroad service must be measured as much by the quality of the service as by the actual charge in dollars and cents.

But even the actual dollar and cent calculation of railroad charges shows how cheap service on the Southern Railway System is in relation to other things. The cost of almost everything has increased about 70 per cent in the last decade, but the average freight charges on the Southern have increased only 35 per cent.

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