SPORTING NOTES

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Gordy failed to make good with the Baltimore Orioles and has been loaned to Newark, in the same league. The sports writer of the Baltimore American says regarding Gordy: "Gordy showed a good performance in his first game in Buffalo, but since that time displayed little or nothing. His entire lack of speed will always keep him from going very far. He is a likable chap and the Birds are sorry to see him go." Gordy has been in poor form all the year, having, it is reported enough malaria in his system to keep him somewhat incapacitated all the time and preventing him making his best efforts. Knowing that Gordy was not in first-class condition, the writer has thought from the first that Gordy would not make good with Baltimore. To put forward one's best efforts in any line of human endeavor, a man must first be in first-class physical condition.

Never in the history of the Maryland-Delaware Peninsula has baseball been in such a fever heat as this year. Every town on the peninsula of any size has a hired team, consisting of the best players that they can get. Look at this array of teams contesting for the championship: Chestertown, Centreville, Easton, Pocomoke, Snow Hill, Salisbury, Crisfield, Princess Anne, Cambridge, Laurel, Dover, Middletown, besides all the teams of the Cecil Co. League. The trip of the Chestertown team down the Shore has aroused these teams to greater efforts and they are making great preparations to bring strong teams here to defeat us when they make a return trip.

Chestertown defeated Snow Hill on Tuesday by the score of 9 to 4. Chestertown had little difficulty in solving the curves of Sailer and hit him for a total of 14 safeties, three of which were homers by Usilton, Kibler and Duffy. The hitting of Usilton and Kibler were among the features. Seigenfuse's one-hand catch in the eighth was the fielding feature of the game. The score:

Chestertown

	ab	h	o	a	e
Bounds, lf	3	0	1	0	0
Kibler, 2b	4	3	3	1	0
Duffy, cf	5	2	2	0	0
Flowers, ss	5	2	2	1	0
Usilton, 1b	5	3	9	1	0
Johnston, 3b	5	1	0	1	0
Seigenfuse, rf	4	0	1	0	1
Davis, c	4	1	8	0	0
Hummer, p	4	2	1	4	0
Totals	39	14	27	8	1

Snow Hill

	ab	h	o	a	e
Roussey, ss	4	2	1	5	0
Armstrong, 2b	5	1	3	4	0
Drury, cf	4	1	4	0	0
Sharetts, lf	5	1	0	0	0
Kilduff, c	4	2	5	1	0
Robins, 3b	4	1	2	3	0
Keen, 1b	3	1	12	0	0
Goodman, rf	2	0	0	0	0
Swinger, rf	2	0	0	0	0
Sailer, p	4	1	0	2	0
Totals	37	10	27	15	0

Chestertown ....2 0 0 1 2 0 1 1 2—9
Snow Hill .....1 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—4

Runs scored: Bounds, Kibler (2), Duffy (2), Flowers, Usilton (2), Hummer; Rousey (2), Keen, Sailer. Two-base hits: Kilduff, Drury, Flowers, Usilton. Home runs: Sailer, Usilton, Kibler, Duffy. Stolen bases: Roussey, Kibler (2), Hummer. Bases on balls: off Sailer 3; of Hummer 2. Struck out: by Sailer 5; by Hummer 9. Hit by pitcher: by Sailer (Kibler). Wild pitch: Sailer. Passed ball: Kilduff.

With nearly every town and village on the Eastern Shore having a baseball team this year, the natural sequence is the advancement of a preponderance of argumentative gossip as to the superiority of each team. The baseball germ has spread rapidly and seems to have increased in numbers to a large extent. So keen has become the comment that a "historian" of the game has resurrected the old Pocomoke team of 1906 as the best team ever gotten together on the Shore. It was a mighty good team, no doubt, and was as follows: Pitchers, Burris, Subway Smith, Benson and Frank Duncan; catchers, Marine and T. Smith; James, 1b; Charles, 2b; Frank Baker, 3b; Si Nichols, ss; Townsend, lf; Bassett, rf; Porter, cf. This team won a great many games, but were defeated. This is only a supposition, but we wonder how well they would compare with our team this year or our team back there in the days of Latimer and Stevens.

James M. Barnes, of the Pelham Bay (N. Y.) Country Club, won the open national golf championship last Saturday on the course of the Columbia Country Club, near Washington, with a score of 289 strokes for 72 holes. Nine strokes in his wake came Walter Hagen, of New York, champion in 1919.

Victor Keene, former Snow Hill boy, has pitched 26 games of ball this season for a Philadelphia Club and has won every game. He receives, it is said, $650 a month.—Ex. Wonder why some big team has not nabbed this chap!

In the days when fighting in Scotland was as popular as it is now on the Emerald Isle, the Campbell's (a Scottish clan) were known far and near for their ability to maintain the standards of Scotland on the field of battle. So brave were they under fire that the mere mention of the fact that "The Campbells Are Coming" was enough to put the enemy to flight. The valor of the Campbells became so marked that nations who opposed the British Empire on the field of battle dreaded the war cry of the Campbells. But soon the nations of Europe gathered their veterans of other wars and when the cry rent the air, "The Campbells Are Coming," they were met with the combined valor of other empires and barely held their own. Our team had a string of 13 victories and 3 defeats. The teams down the shore awaited invasion of that kingdom of baseball with a real dread and wanted big odds from our fans who saw the games. And so the cry went forth from the Wicomico river to the Delaware line, "Chestertown Is Coming." Our friends, like those who opposed the Scottish clan, knew what to expect. Consequently, they scoured the cities of Wilmington, Baltimore and Philadelphia and secured players of recognized ability to meet the invaders. Not including the game with Cambridge, which was being played when we went to press yesterday, they had two victories to our two. Our team seemed in poor form. Our star pitcher was not in shape, and failed to go on the mound in a single game. Some of these teams will visit Chestertown next week and the others later on. We promise them a warm reception. With our team in good shape once more, the cry "That Chestertown Is Coming," will be remembered as was the cry of the Campbells, which resounded among the hills of Scotland. And as to our team—

Waste no more thought on a fight that's fought,
For, victory or defeat,
It is written whole on the endless scroll
That hangs by the Judgment Seat.
Once the dice are cast, then the past is past,
The "might have been" cold and dead:
So gather the clan and evolve a plan
For the battles that lie ahead.

Chestertown suffered its second defeat of its trip down the shore at Salisbury on Wednesday afternoon, the score being 5 to 1. Salisbury won the game in the first inning. Schelberg was wild, giving seven passes and contributing a wild pitch, which aided materially in the defeat of Chestertown, although our team was able to secure only five scattered hits off Hayes. The score:

Salisbury

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Smith, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Underwood, ss	1	1	0	1	4	0
Wright, 2b	2	1	0	1	1	0
McNiff, 3b	2	1	1	2	3	0
Wolfe, 1b	3	0	0	16	0	0
Voelcker, cf	4	1	3	1	0	0
Brennan, rf	4	0	2	0	2	1
Jackson, c	2	0	0	6	2	0
Hayes, p	4	0	1	0	2	1
Totals	26	5	8	27	14	2

Chestertown

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Bounds, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Kibler, 2b	4	0	2	1	1	0
Duffy, cf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Flowers, ss	3	0	0	1	0	1
Usilton, 1b	3	0	0	9	0	0
Johnston, 3b	4	0	1	1	3	0
Seigenfuse, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Davis, c	3	0	0	7	1	0
Schelberg, p	3	1	0	1	5	0
Totals	31	1	6*	22	10	1

*Two men out; hit by batted ball.

Salisbury .....2 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 x—5
Chesertown .....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Two base hits: Seigenfuse, Voelcker. Struck out: by Hayes 4; by Schelberg 7. Bases on balls: off Schelberg 7; off Hayes 1. Wild pitch: Schelberg. Double plays: Schelberg to Kibler, Wolfe (unassisted). Sacrifice hits: Jackson, Wolfe. Stolen bases: Voelcker, Jackson. Hit by pitcher: by Hayes (Usilton). Left on bases: Chestertown 5; Salisbury 6.

Treasurer Harry R. Graham has arranged the following schedule to date. It will be noticed that there are a few changes over the schedule for next week, published elsewhere.

Monday, Aug. 1—Salisbury here.
Tuesday, Aug. 2—Elkton at Elkton.
Wednesday, Aug. 3—Rising Sun at Rising Sun.
Thursday, Aug. 4—Cambridge at Cambridge at 10 a. m.
Friday, Aug. 5—American Chain Company at Chestertown.
Saturday, Aug. 6—Centreville at Centreville.
Monday, Aug. 8—Rising Sun, here.
Tuesday, Aug. 9—Easton at Easton.
Thursday, Aug. 11—Snow Hill, here.
Saturday, Aug. 13—Globe Dry Docks, here.
Monday, Aug. 15—Easton, here.
Wednesday, Aug. 17—Cambridge here.
Friday, Aug. 19—Belair, here.

Mr. Edward Robinson, of Chestertown, is twirling for Massey this summer. Edward has all kinds of "stuff" on the ball and has won 4 out of 5 games he has pitched. He will twirl today against Warwick for Massey.

All arrangements have been made for the "biggest game of the season," against the American Chain Team, of York, Pa., the best independent team in the East. The game will be played next Friday afternoon on Washington Field. This team has defeated several of the International League teams. Their line-up is as follows: Hunter, cf; Barty, 3b; Hickman, 1b; Fedder, p; Elliott, ss; Costello, 2b; Dugan, c; Dessau, p; Ehmling, p; St. Martin, lf; Patterson, 2b.

Chestertown evened up the series down the Shore on Thursday afternoon by defeating Pocomoke, said to have the best team in that section. The score was 12 to 10. Pocomoke took the lead in the early part of the game, but Chestertown overtook them in the eighth and won out in the ninth inning. Culver was on the mound for Chestertown. Pocomoke got ten hits; while Chestertown secured 11 safeties.

GALENA

Mr. Lemuel Mark has returned home after spending last week in Ocean Grove, N. J.

Miss Arlene Gale spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Herbert Caldwell, in New Jersey.

Miss Eva Jarman, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jarman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Miss Anna Smith, of New York, are spending a few days with their mother, Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. Evans and son, Errol, of Philadelphia, have returned home after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Canran.

Miss Mary Smith, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Smith.

Miss Genevieve Cockran, of Sassafras, is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Holt Woodall.

Mrs. S. G. Caldwell is spending a few days with her daughter, in Wilmington.

Miss Marian Dempsey, of Wilmington, is spending a few days with relatives in town

Miss Ethelie Prettyman, of Wilmington, is spending two weeks vacation with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Prettyman.

The Willing Workers' Club met at the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. E. Sterling Tuesday evening.

MILLINGTON

Mrs. John G. Moore spent this week with her daughter, Mrs. Hurlock Gale, near Galena.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Burris and son, Gilbert, were guests this week of relatives in Wilmington.

Miss Mary E. Numbers, of Clarke School, Northampton, Mass., wsa has just completed a special summer course at St. Louis, Mo., for teaching the deaf, is now spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. numbers.

John E. Bailey, proprietor of the Bailey Hotel, Millington, died on Tuesday at Easton Hospital after a minor operation and was buried from his late home on Thursday. Interment was made in Sudlersville cemtery. J. A. Tobin, undertaker.

Mrs. Anson Clough is spending a few weeks with friends in Wilmington, Del.

Messrs. Joseph Hyde, Horace Platt and Allen Wilson, of Philadelphia, spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. George S. Everett.

Mr. Paul C. Price and family and Mrs. Annie S. Price, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett, spent last Sunday with the former's aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett, of Kennedyville.

Mrs. Charles M. Dixon is quite sick at her home near town with typhoid.

Misses Vic and Annie Power left on Thursday for a two weeks visit at Cape May, N. J.

KENNEDYVILLE

Mr. William Clendaniel has been visiting his uncle, Howard Clendaniel and wife.

Mrs. Mollie Archibald and daughter, Miss Maude, spent several days with relatives in Wilmington.

Rev. T. S. Cain and family have been visitng friends in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett, of Lancaster, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Paul Price, of Millington, spent Sunday with Mrs. Elisabeth Cleaver.

Mr. D. C. Kelley and wife spent Thursday in Baltimore.

Service this Sunday morning at Grace Presbyterian Church at 11 a. m.

Mr. Frank Hill and family, of Baltimore, have been visiting Mr. Harry J. Hill and wife.

Miss Alice Walters, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mrs. Roger Kennedy.

Mrs. Harry Redmile is entertaining her father, Mr. Keys, of Wilmington.

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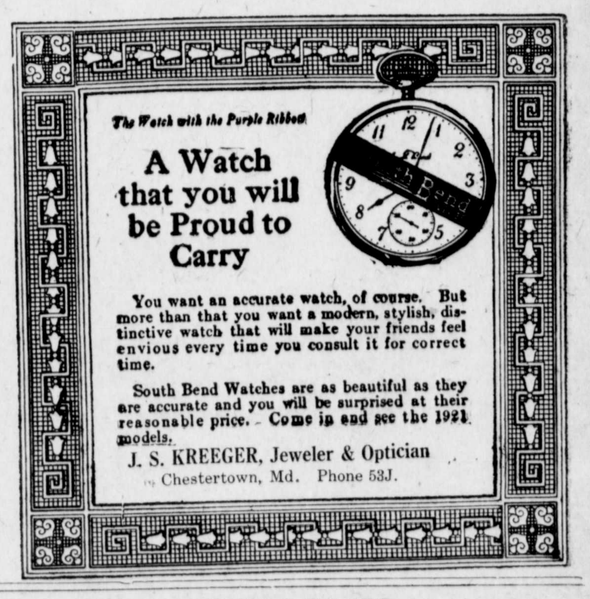

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