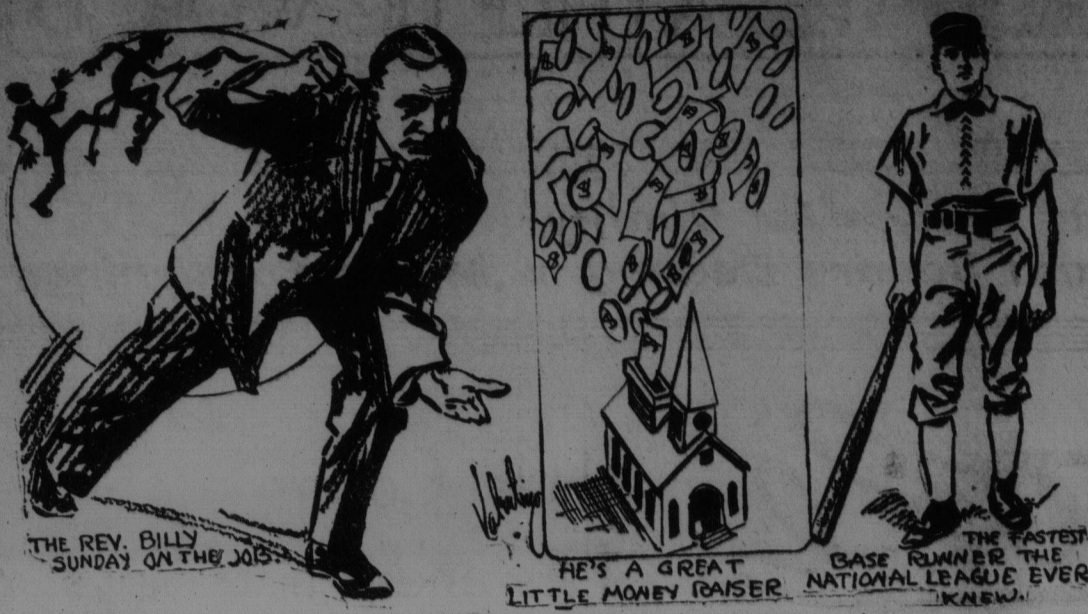


PREACHER BILLY SUNDAY, BASEBALL'S CHAMPION SPRINTER



There may be a dispute as to the identity of the wealthiest old-time ball player; there is some doubt about the ex-heretic who has achieved the most enviable distinction in the arts and sciences, but there is no argument regarding the identity of the best known veteran.

county, Va., in 1865, after the death of his father, a union soldier. As a child his home was the Soldiers' Orphan's home at Davenport, and in time he was apprenticed to Col. John Scott, former lieutenant governor of Iowa. Sunday learned the furniture business at Marshalltown, Ia., and it was there, in 1883, that Capt. Anson saw in him the making of a great ball player and took him to Chicago.

sea of faces in various tabernacles, he doesn't sometimes harken back to the days when the bleachers rang with the cry, "There he goes," as he darted for second.

Beginning in '83 Sunday played with Anson's team five years. Then he joined Pittsburg. In 1891, while in Philadelphia, he received his release, in answer, he believes, to a prayer for spiritual guidance.

BIG LEAGUE RESULTS YESTERDAY

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Chicago, 6; Cleveland, 5

Chicago, April 17—Collins' home run drive to centre after two were out in the ninth inning gave Chicago the long end of a six to five score today, making a clean sweep of the four games with Cleveland.

Lajoie, one of the leading batsmen of the league, failed to make a hit during the series. He came to the plate sixteen times, drew a base on balls and made a sacrifice fly, the other times going out on flies or infield traps.

Scores: Cleveland.....000021001-5 3 2 Chicago.....001301001-6 11 1 Batteries—Hagerman, Collamore and Carisch; Faber, Russell and Schalk.

New York, 4; Philadelphia, 0

New York, April 17—The New York Americans made it two straight over the world's champions today, winning easily by a score of four to nothing. Caldwell pitched in brilliant form for the locals, holding the champions to three hits.

Scores: Philadelphia.....000000000-0 3 0 New York.....00002200x-4 7 2 Batteries—Brown, Wyckoff and Lapp; Caldwell and Sweeney.

St. Louis, 2; Detroit, 1

Detroit, April 17—Earl Hamilton celebrated his return to the American League from the Federals by pitching St. Louis to a two to one victory over Detroit today. Coveleskie was on the mound for the Tigers and the game was a twisters' duel all the way.

Scores: St. Louis.....000100010-2 7 0 Detroit.....100000000-1 6 2 Batteries—Hamilton and Crossin; Coveleskie and Stanage.

Washington, 1; Boston, 0

Boston, April 17—One run scored in the ninth gave Washington the victory over Boston today after a scoreless pitchers' battle of eight innings between Boehling and Leonard, youthful left-handers. Boehling pitched a remarkable early season game, allowing only two hits, one of which was a scratch. The Washington twirler never was in difficulty.

Scores: Washington.....000000001-1 7 0 Boston.....000000000-0 2 2 Batteries—Boehling and Henry; Leonard and Carrigan.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Brooklyn 5; Boston 0

Brooklyn, N. Y., April 17—Raleigh Atchison, who pitched the Newark

OXONIANS HAVE A WORK OUT

Cambridge, Mass., April 17—The runners of Oxford University who are to compete in the four-mile relay race at the University of Pennsylvania games next week, practiced on the stadium track today, jogging around the cinder path on which the world's amateur record for our man's fifteen two-fifth seconds for a mile was made by John Paul Jones.

They made no attempt at speed. Norman S. Taber ran the longest distance, a mile and a half, the others stopping after they had covered a mile. The track was heavy from recent rains.

The visitors were received with warm hospitality by undergraduates and officials of Harvard. They had luncheon at the 'Varsity club and during the afternoon watched the competition in the annual spring inter-class track games. The juniors won with the seniors second.

The Oxonians returned to Providence tonight.

RAY DEMMITT SOLD

Detroit, April 17—Ray Demmitt, an outfielder secured by the Detroit American league team from Montreal, was today sold to the Chicago Americans for the waiver price of \$2,500. Chicago refused to waive on Demmitt when Detroit requested waivers, and the sale resulted.

WOODCOCK COMES TO JOIN LYNN

Lisbon Falls, Mo., April 17—Lewis Woodcock, left today for Lynn, Mass., where he will join the Lynn team of the New England League as a pitcher. Woodcock last year was first string pitcher for the Gloucester, N. S. team of the Cape Breton League.

SOCCER LEAGUE

The game in the St. John and District Soccer League, between Fairville and St. John clubs, set for afternoon, has been postponed.

The E. G. M. Cape Saturday afternoon will drop out of the league.

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 17—Chicago won from Cincinnati today in an exciting game, 6 to 5. The locals had two men on bases and two out in the ninth when Marsan's attempted unsuccessfully to steal home from third base, ending the game in favor of the visitors.

Chicago.....30210000-6 6 1 Cincinnati.....002000210-5 6 2 Batteries—Vaughan, Lavender, Cheney and Archer; Ames, Davenport, Lear and Clark, Gonzales.

Pittsburg 2; St. Louis 0

St. Louis, April 17—Recruit Kantlehner with Pittsburg, although wild at times was steady in the pinches while his team mates by bunching hits in one inning won 2 to 0.

Scores: Pittsburg.....002000000-2 6 2 St. Louis.....000000000-0 4 1 Batteries—Kantlehner and Gibson; Perritt and Salder.

Philadelphia 3; New York 1

Philadelphia, April 17—Philadelphia bunched five hits off Tesereau in two innings today and defeated New York 3 to 1. The hitting a home run to centerfield, saving the Giants from a shut-out.

Exhibition Games. Elmira, N. Y., April 17—Rochester, International, 6; Elmira, New York State League, 3. New London, Conn., April 17—New London, Eastern, 8; Toronto, International, 2.

THIS DATE IN RING ANNALS

1855—Harry Broome defeated Harry Orme in thirty-one rounds, two hours and eighteen minutes, in England. Broome, who had held the championship for about two years, was a Birmingham man, twenty-eight years old, and five feet ten inches in height.

Orme, the challenger, was from London, about Broome's age, and somewhat smaller in height and weight. The ring was pitched in a field in the country near London. Among the 2,000 spectators who had traveled to the battleground on a special train, Broome was the favorite, but soon after the scrap began it was evident that the champion had met a fighter worthy of his mettle.

Tom Sayers, himself destined to become champion a few years later, was Orme's second. For twenty-five rounds it was give and take, with neither man having a decided advantage, but after that Broome's superior stamina began to tell, and when Orme tottered to the mark in the thirty-first round it was for nothing.

1889—Johnny Kilbane, feather weight champion, born in Cleveland.

1892—Ike Weir knocked out Frank Steele in twelfth round at New Bedford.

1908—Tommy Burns knocked out Jewey Smith in fifth round at Paris.

WORLD'S CHAMPION BOWLERS

There was a large crowd of bowling fans at Black's alleys last night to witness some classed bowling between the world's champions, Archie Walsh and Paul Focher. The pins were new and the bowlers made some very hard breaks and splits, but notwithstanding this the scores were high for the ten strings rolled.

Poehler won the ten strings by ten pins and the scores by strings were as follows: Walsh—102, 107, 113, 101, 106, 115, 98, 117, 106, 85—Total, 1050. Poehler—106, 106, 100, 132, 102, 98, 102, 110, 92, 112—Total, 1060.

It is expected that tonight when the two champions will roll ten more strings each to finish the match that the scores will be larger than those of last night. The presence of two such notable bowlers in the city is causing a great interest among the fans.

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