

LEAF GET FIRST
FROM READINGBest Driven Off in Sixth, But
Taylor Stops Debut.

READING, Aug. 8.—Toronto took the first game of the series from Reading here today by 11 to 7. Best was driven off the mound in the sixth when Reading landed on him for six hits. Taylor, who finished for Toronto, stopped Reading's batting rally.

The score: R.H.E.
Toronto.....000 010 003—13 4 7
Reading.....010 004 000—13 2 6
Best, Taylor and Vincent; Schacht, Carls and Clarke.

SPLIT BILL.

JERSEY CITY, Aug. 8.—Jersey City and Rochester divided honors in a double-header here this afternoon. The Skeeters annexed the first game by 4 to 1, and the visitors came back with a 2 to 1 win in the final game.

The scores: R.H.E.
First game: R.H.E.
Rochester.....000 100 120—4 7 0
Jersey City.....010 310 200—7 10 1
Hughes, Irving and Lake, Lucey and Egan.
Second game: R.H.E.
Jersey City.....020 200 050—11 6 3
Rochester.....000 010 010—1 1 0
Wiener and Sanberg; Hanson, Wurm and Freitag.

BEARS BREAK EVEN.

NEWARK, Aug. 8.—The Newark Bears broke even in a double-header with Syracuse here today, losing the first game 13 to 2 and winning the second 8 to 5.

The scores: R.H.E.
First game: R.H.E.
Syracuse.....020 000 020—13 7 1
Newark.....000 000 000—2 11 5
Rhinehart and Niebergall; Deetjen, Pflaushier, Whitney and Devine, Walker.
Second game: R.H.E.
Syracuse.....000 000 000—5 10 0
Newark.....013 002 005—10 9 1
Stewart and Vick; Baldwin and Devine.

BENTLEY WINS EIGHTH.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 8.—Jack Bentley, Baltimore pitcher-first baseman, scored his eighth straight victory here this afternoon when he defeated Buffalo by 7 to 2.

The score: R.H.E.
Buffalo.....000 200 000—2 7 10
Baltimore.....000 230 110—7 10 1
Mohart and Urban; Bentley and Barry.

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AMATEUR
NINES

The Greene-Swift tallies were white-washed last night by the Murray Shes in the Manufacturers' League. Quick, besides blanking the clothiers, allowed them but four hits during the evening.

	A	B	R	H	P	O	A	E
Greene-Swift.....	4	0	0	1	0	0	3	
Shes, s.s.....	1	2	0	1	2	0	0	
Hodgson, c.....	3	0	1	1	3	0	0	
Eyepier, cf.....	3	0	0	1	3	0	0	
Hammer, 2b.....	3	0	0	1	3	0	0	
Pritchard, lf.....	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	
Cook, 1b.....	2	0	0	1	7	0	0	
Bowman, rf.....	3	0	0	0	6	0	0	
Oliver, p.....	3	0	0	0	6	0	0	
Totals.....	25	0	0	4	18	11	3	
Murray.....	A	B	R	H	P	O	A	E
Slater, 3b.....	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Mulhall, s.s.....	4	1	2	12	0	0	0	
Hammer, 1b.....	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	
Self, lf.....	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	
McWain, 2b.....	1	2	2	0	3	0	0	
Harrison, rf.....	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	
Quick, p.....	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	
Ryeckman, c.....	2	0	0	0	7	1	0	
Hodgson, cf.....	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Emery, cf.....	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals.....	28	7	8	21	12	1		

Tonight.

St. Marys picked St. Peters for an 8 to 1 win last night at Sunshine Park. While Mulhall only allowed the St. Peters two hits, only one being Kilgallon's, which might have been scored as a choice, eight walks and two hit batsmen accounted for the St. Peters' scoring on the bases and putting their runs across.

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The score: A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E.
Ward, s.s.....2 0 0 1 1 0 0
D. Christopher, lf.....2 2 0 0 0 0 0
McGuire, cf.....2 1 2 0 0 0 0
T. Christopher, rf.....2 1 0 1 3 0 0
T. Mulhall, 1b.....2 0 0 1 3 0 0
Lewis, 3b.....2 1 1 3 0 1
Lenahan, 2b.....3 0 0 0 2 2 0
O. Fitzmaurice, c.....2 0 0 0 5 0 0
Totals.....21 8 7 15 4 2

St. Peters.

St. Peters.....A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E.
W. Henry, lf.....2 0 0 0 0 0 0
McIntyre, p.....3 1 1 0 0 3 0
E. Henry, s.s., 3b.....1 2 0 0 0 2 0
Donohue, c.....1 0 0 0 7 0 0
Elliott, 1b.....1 1 0 7 0 1
Smith, 3b.....2 0 0 1 0 0 0
Kilgallon, 2b.....1 1 1 0 0 0 0
H. Nopper, rf.....2 1 0 0 0 0 0
Brennan, cf.....3 0 0 0 0 0 0
McIntyre, 3b.....1 0 0 0 1 0 0
X. Cooney, 2b.....1 0 0 0 1 0 0
Totals.....17 7 2 15 8 2

Batted by innings.

St. Marys.....2 1 2 8 6—8 7 2
St. Peters.....1 1 2 2 0—7 2 2
Summary: Three-base hit—McGuire. Struck out—By Mulhall 5, off McIntyre 3. Bases on balls—Off Mulhall 8, off McIntyre 3. Hit by pitcher—By Mulhall 2 (W. Henry 2), by McIntyre 1 (McGuire). Stolen bases—McGuire, McIntyre, E. Henry 2, Elliott 2. Kilgallon, Nopper. First on errors—St. Marys 1, St. Peters 1. Wild pitches—McIntyre 3. Umpire—Fitzmaurice.

GEORGE SISLER OUSTS TY
FROM BATTING LEAD

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—George Sisler, the St. Louis star, has batted back into the lead in the American League, dethroning Ty Cobb, pilot of the Detroit club, who enjoyed a brief leadership while the St. Louis favorite was out of the game because of illness. Sisler now tops the league with an average of .411, while Cobb has dropped to .403.

In the game against the Yankees yesterday Ty failed to connect for a hit in three times up, while Sisler, in the battle between the Browns and Washington, smashed out a brace of hits in three times at bat.

POPLAR HILL BALL
TOURNEY AUGUST 23

ILBERTON, Aug. 8.—The annual Poplar Hill baseball tournament for the championship of Middlesex will be held on Aug. 22. The members of the teams must be bona fide residents of Middlesex County. The entrance fee is \$5, and must accompany entries, which will be received up to Aug. 12. A purse of \$200 will be divided among the winners, and a cup will also be placed for competition, to be won three times by one club.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Indianapolis 0, Minneapolis 3.
Toledo 2, Milwaukee 5.
Louisville 6, St. Paul 5.
Kansas City-Columbus—Not scheduled.

RUNNERS

FORT ERIE RESULTS.

First race, 2-year-olds and up, claiming, 54 furlongs—Colando, \$17.25, \$4.25, \$1.15, won; Nenette, \$7.50, \$1.70, second; Crook of Gold, \$7.50, third. Time, 1:12.
Peter Piper, Little Black Sheep, Clark, son, Angela, Blue Ribbon, Deilmar, Bobadil and Dark Ages ran.

Second, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, 54 furlongs—Marimba, \$12.50, \$4.50, \$3.50, won; Hidden Jewel, \$3.55, \$2.50, second; Peace Pal, \$6.00, third. Time, 1:10 3-5.
Reliability, St. Donald, Dream of the Valley, Lady Luxury, Camouflage and St. Quentin also ran.

Third, claiming, 3 years and up, mile and a sixteenth—Bees Wing, \$9.45, \$5.45, \$3.45, won; St. Germain, \$13.55, \$7.70, second; Secretary, \$8.40, third. Time, 1:34 2-5.
Warr Winner, North Wales, Theo, Paddy Dear, Miles S., Plum Blossom and Waikanae ran.

Fourth, 2 years and up, mile and a sixteenth—Frank Fogarty, \$8.45, \$4.40, \$3.50, won; Greenland, \$5.70, \$3.25, second; Lads Love, \$2.75, third. Time, 1:53.
Debadou, Roisterer and Walk Up also ran.

Fifth, Dominion handicap, 3 years and up, mile and a quarter—Devastation, \$11.50, \$6, \$3.50, won; Mad Hatter, \$5.50, \$3.90, second; algonquin, \$3.75, third. Time, 2:15 2-5.
Fair Gain, Fire Brand, Planet, Registrar, Tailor Maid also ran.

All-ages entry.

Sixth, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and seventy yards—Johnny Dundee, 103 (Walsh), \$10.45, \$5.15, \$2.80, won; Crouper, 105 (Eaton), \$8.40, \$3.50, second.

FORT ERIE ENTRIES.

First race, \$1,200, maiden 2-year-olds, 54 furlongs—Donagel 115, Ahlele 112, aPinaquana 112, Zius 112, Reformer 112, Royal Maid 112, all-las Time 112, Pecuniary 108.
a—Waldeck stable entry.

Second, \$1,000, claiming, 3 years and up, 6 furlongs—Bearnest 112, Ruddle 112, Lord Wrack 107, Ogartie 103, Wm. Old 100, Straight Shot 97, Reinda 100, Bobby Allen 112, Rob 110, Radical 105, Xal Pierce 102, Zius 102, xTurnabout 100, Keltoi 83, Elias O. 103.

Third, \$1,000, claiming, 3 years and up, 6 furlongs—Hindostan 117, Prentender 112, Primitive 110, White Ridge 104, Sea Mimie 105, xJap Muma 102, Vibrato 110, Powder Face 98, The Nephew 117, Serbian 112, Lady Luxury 110, xHarry Burgoine 108, xBond 102, Mabel Curtis 98, Penelope 105.

Fourth, \$1,200, claiming, 4-year-olds and up, mile and a sixteenth—Eternity 112, Forno 105, Skeer Pace 102, xRajah 97, Burgoine 112, Iron Boy 102, xHello Partner 102.

Fifth, \$1,200, claiming, 3-year-olds, mile and a sixteenth—Beverly Belle 105, Blossom House 105, Velled Colleen 95, xNeopolitan 97, Milt S. 105, xTopmast 98, xNavigator 96.

Sixth race, \$1,500, allowances, 3-year-olds and up, mile and 70 yards—Despair 106, Parisian Diamond 104, Finery 91, Pastoral Swan 104, Bullet Proof 104.

Seventh, \$1,200, claiming, for 1-year-olds and up, mile and a sixteenth—Eternity 112, Forno 105, Skeer Pace 102, xRajah 97, Burgoine 112, Iron Boy 102, xHello Partner 102.

Eighth race, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—Tenace, even, out, out, won; Penrose, 1 to 5, out, second; Prelude, out, third. Time, 1:16 2-5.
Polywale also ran.

Fourth race, 3-year-olds and up—Blazes, 3 to 1, 1 to 2, out, won; Bon Homme, out, out, second; George, out, third. Time, 1:42 2-5.
Only three starters.

Fifth race, mile, 3-year-olds and up—Tangerine, 6 to 5, 1 to 3, out, won; Well Funder, 2 to 1, out, second; Red Legs, out, third. Time, 1:45 3-5.
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Sixth race, 2-year-olds, allowances, 54 furlongs—Zev, 3 to 5, 1 to 5, out, won; Wilderness, even, 1 to 3, out, second; Nassau, 1 to 2, third. Time, 1:03.
Elio, Bells, Dunlin and Bell Hour also ran.

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SARATOGA ENTRIES.

First race, selling, maidens, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—The Peruvian 115, Valentin 107, Utah 112, Jimmie 115, Raquette 107, Wild Heather 115, Plurabelle 107, New Orleans 112, No Time 107, Belmont 107, xJug 107, xJuno 102.

Second, conditions, 3-year-olds, mile—Chesterbrook 113, High Speed 111, Northcliffe 122, Good Times 125, Broom Flax 111.

Third, selling, 3-year-olds and up, mile—Armistice 106, xKing Albert 117, xThornhedge 101, Halu 114, Daniel M. 108, Chateaugay 97, Spugs 106, Zealot 114, Finally 105, Consort 102, Arapahe 108, Seaint 115, xVendor 105, xMarie Maxim 105, xBrink 98.

Fourth, the Sanford Memorial, 2-year-olds, 6 furlongs—Banner 115, Mooraker 110, Shamrock 115, Spot Cash 115, Crochet 112, Tall Timber 118, Forest Fire 110, Forest Lore 110, Autumn Bells 115, Boys Believe Me 110, Bo McMillan 115.

Fifth, maiden 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Wangle 115, Great Lady 112, Doughagan 115, All American 115, Bunleigh 115, Beautitude 112, Humboldt 113, Bodysguard 115, Roseate II 115, Brocade 112, Forest Lore 115, Homestretch 113, Diamond Dick 115, Miss Star 112, Owasso 115, Cash 115, Curtis 115, Etchewa 112.

Sixth, conditions, Allies, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Childsplay 107, Miss Star 107, Kindred 114, Thessaly 115, Dream Star 115, Silk Tassel 115, Donabella 107, Bunleigh 107, Crochet 114, Great Lady 107.

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