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SPORT NEWS OF A DAY, HOME AND ABROAD

BASEBALL

American League

New York, 10; Chicago, 6.

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Batteries—Shawkey and Bengough.

T. Blankenship, Lyons, Mack and Graham.

Boston, 6; Detroit, 5.

Batteries—Ferguson, Quinn and De-

Wormer; Holloway, Cole, Olsen, Fran-

cis, Wells and Bassler.

St. Louis, 8; Washington, 5.

Batteries—Harris, Killebrew and Per-

kins; Morton and O'Neill.

Cleveland, 11; Philadelphia, 0.

Batteries—Lange and Hargrave;

Weinert, Winters and Heisl.

St. Louis, 9; Boston, 6.

Batteries—Toney and McCurdy;

Rudolph, McNamara and O'Neill.

Chicago, 2; Brooklyn, 0.

Batteries—Kaufmann and O'Far-

rell; Grimes and Taylor.

Pittsburgh, 5; New York, 3.

Batteries—Meadows and Schmidt;

McMillan, Ryan, Jonnard and Snyder.

New York, 4; Pittsburgh, 2.

Batteries—Adams and Gooch; Scott

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QUITS THE BOXING RING

Jimmy Wilde, former world fly-

weight boxing king, who has retired

from the ring. He will devote his time

to business and a private estate in

England.

Beckett and Carpenter.

London, July 13.—The fight between

Joe Beckett and Georges Carpenter,

scheduled for July 26, has been postponed

to a date between September 30

and October 11, according to the

announcement of the promoter, Major

Wilson. Each of the men is to post a

forfeit of £2,000. The Carpenter-Silk

bout will not take place until after a

meeting between Carpenter and

Beckett.

New Track Record.

Jackson Grattan captured the feature

event at Woodstock yesterday and in-

stantly established a new track record

when in the free-for-all he negotiated

the first mile in 2:08.4. The attend-

ance was said to be a record one and

the various events were thoroughly en-

joyed.

The following table summarizes:

1.25 Trot, Purse \$400.

Helen White, Keyes, 1 1 1

Peter the Third, Fox, 2 2 2

MacDonald, Morton, 3 3 3

Siddons, C. House, 4 4 4

Time—2:18.4, 2:09.4, 2:19.4.

2.14 Trot, Purse \$400.

Oro Plan, Willard, 1 1 2

The Problem, Gerow, 2 2 1

Roque P. Keyes, 3 3 3

Mr. Del, Keyes, 4 4 4

Time—2:19.4, 2:16.4, 2:17.4.

Grand Circuit Meet.

At the Grand Circuit meet in

Toledo yesterday, some good racing

was enjoyed. Clyde the Great won

the first mile in 2:08.4, best time

of the season. The second mile was

won by Elta Axworthy, best time

2:08.4. The third mile was won by

Peter the Third, best time 2:11.4. The

fourth mile was won by Peter the

Brewer in straight heats, best time

2:02. The fifth mile was won by

St. Peter in straight heats, best time

2:05. The 2.15 pace was captured

by St. Peter in straight heats,

best time 2:06.4.

Good Stick Work

Gives Vets Victory

St. Peter's Trimmed, 8 to 5 in

Heavy Hitting Contest—

Moore's Good Showing.

The G. W. V. A. nine defeated St.

Peter's in a regular 2-1 League

game at St. Peter's Park last evening

by a score of 8 to 5. The Vets

continued their heavy hitting and

secured a total of thirteen safeties, three

of which were for two bases and two

for three. Moore continued his good

work having four hits out of five

times at bat and also four put outs

in the field, two of which were of a

sensational nature. Three double

bats were made during the game, the

Vets having one and St. Peter's two.

King started for St. Peter's, but

retired in the third and Strecker finished

ed. Four hits were secured off King

in two and a half innings, and nine

out of ten in six and two third in-

nings.

The box score and summary follow:

G.W.V.A.—A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.

McGowan, ss, 5 0 1 2 2 0

Clarke, lb, 4 1 0 8 0 0

Ramsay, 2b, 4 1 2 2 2 1

Tippett, 3b, 5 3 2 1 2 0

McKinnon, cf, 4 2 4 0 0

Moore, rf, 5 1 4 4 0 0

E. McGowan, c, 3 0 3 1 0

Gosnell, p, 5 0 0 1 3 0

Beattie, p, 5 0 0 1 3 0

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draw in the opinion of most critics, in

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the result of a sensational rally in the

closing rounds, having Herman close to

a knockout in the sixth.

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THE COUNT IN THE

EIGHTH ROUND

Record Crowd Sees Argentine

Heavyweight Score

Victory—Over the Former

Champion—Dempsey and

Firpo Talk.

Angel Firpo from the Argentine

knocked out Jess Willard of his sched-

uled twelve round bout in Jersey City last

evening before a throng of fight fans

estimated at over 100,000 in one of the

greatest battles in recent heavyweight

annals. Firpo's great speed enabled him

to carry the battle to his towering

opponent and as a result he is now in

line for a bout with Champion Demp-

sey. Details of the fight follow:

In the first, Firpo cut Willard's ear

and in the fourth he pummeled the big

Kanawab with a ring with a drive to

the head. Jess absorbed heavy punish-

ment, but came back in the next round

with his only real offensive.

Firpo backed to the ropes under a

barrage of blows to the head, but Will-

ard failed to follow up his advantage

as it was. He seemed lethargic and

hesitant to carry the fight to his

opponent. After that one flicker of

fire, Willard subsided.

The end came in the eighth after one

minute and fifty-five seconds of fight-

ing.

Jess Willard will receive about \$120,