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RESULTS IN THE BIG LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Cleveland, 4; New York, 3
At New York.
Cleveland 10300000-4 9 2
New York 00010002-3 4 0
Batteries—Gahan, O'Neill; Coll. McInnis and Sweeney.
Washington, 8; St. Louis, 2
At Washington.
St. Louis 00002000-2 5 2
Washington 00002000-3 12 1
Batteries—Hamilton, James, Leary and Agnew; Engel, Shaw and Almsmith.
Detroit, 3; Philadelphia, 2
At Philadelphia.
Detroit 01101000-3 8 0
Philadelphia 00020000-2 4 0
Batteries—Coveleski and Stange; Shawkey and Schang.
Philadelphia, 2; Detroit, 1
At Philadelphia.
Detroit 00010000-1 6 0
Philadelphia 00020000-2 4 0
Batteries—Reynolds, Boehler and Baker; McKee; Plank and Schang.
Postponed.
Boston-Chicago postponed, rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pittsburg, 3; New York, 1
At Pittsburg.
New York 00000010-1 9 0
Pittsburg 00010010-3 7 0
Batteries—Marquard, Fromme and McLean; Adams and Coleman.
Chicago, 8; Brooklyn, 6
At Chicago.
Brooklyn 23000010-6 11 2
Chicago 00100110-8 12 2
Batteries—Ragan and Mcarty; Humphrey, Haseman and Brehan.
Cincinnati, 3; Boston, 1
At Cincinnati.
Boston 00000100-1 2 0
Cincinnati 00210000-3 6 2
Batteries—Strand, Crutche and Gowdy; Douglas and Clark.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Indianapolis, 4; Pittsburg, 2
At Indianapolis.
Pittsburg 01010000-2 1 1
Indianapolis 10200010-4 8 1
Batteries—Walker and Berry; Billiard, Riardon.
Buffalo, 8; St. Louis, 1
At St. Louis.
Buffalo 00120310-8 7 1
St. Louis 00010000-1 9 2
Batteries—Krapp, Moran and Blair; Willett and Simon.
Kansas, 4; Brooklyn, 1
At Kansas City—First game.
Brooklyn 00000100-1 3 1
Kansas City 00000310-4 8 2
Batteries—Fineran, Hough, and Land; Collop and Easterly.
Kansas, 5; Brooklyn, 0
Second game.
Brooklyn 00000000-0 5 0
Kansas City 02000000-5 9 1
Batteries—Seaton and Lands; Packard and Obely.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Rochester-Baltimore game was played Sunday.
(Only two International scheduled.)
At Providence, 8; Toronto, 5
Providence 00000014-5 9 2
Toronto 20000000-8 11 1
Batteries—Rogge, Hearne and Kritchell; Schultz and Onslow.
Newark, 2; Montreal, 1
At Newark.
Montreal 01000000-1 5 1
Newark 00020000-2 4 1
Batteries—Miller and Smith; Schude and Wheat.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE Standing

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Rochester	68	46	596
Providence	66	48	580
Baltimore	62	48	571
Buffalo	62	50	554
Newark	57	52	523
Toronto	53	57	482
Montreal	40	78	354
Jersey City	35	75	324

GAMES AT PANAMA.

Toronto, Aug. 17.—Mr. J. G. Merz, president of the Canadian Olympic committee, who has just returned from Europe, stated that it is altogether likely that the games to be held at San Francisco next year will be used as an objective for elimination trials in the different branches of sport in Canada as a test of Canadian athletic material. The following year a team of between 45 and 60 men will be selected to represent the Dominion in the Olympic games.
So far, nine clubs have entered C. C. in the selection of men: Track and field athletics, rowing, swimming, cycling, boxing, wrestling and shooting.

LEAGUE ORDERS M'GRAW TO OUT UMPIRE BAITING

In resentment of criticisms of the National League umpire staff by John McGraw, Governor John K. Tener, president of the league, has ordered the manager of the Giants to "lay off" the arbiters under penalty of a long suspension, a heavy fine, or both. Before leaving for the Western trip, it was learned that the Giants' leader had been censured by the National League president following the publication of an attack on the umpire staff, in which McGraw had specified the alleged shortcomings of the officials, excusing only William Klein.
A secret meeting of National League directors in New York last week was called for the purpose of curbing McGraw's attack. In the article under McGraw's name, which was not written by the Giants' manager, of course, Klein was declared to be "the best of the lot," and that frank declaration did not do to the pleasure of the National League president, he having assigned Klein to work in the important series at the Polo ground while the Braves were in the city.
Few Browns in National.

Since the opening week of the season the National League president has received reports almost daily on the work of the umpires. Roy Reeves, secretary to Governor Tener, and John A. Heydler, league secretary, having closely watched the arbiters. It is a matter of record that fewer braves, outside of those McGraw has figured in, have occurred in the National League than in the American. Early in the season George Stallings, manager of the Braves, "rode" the umpires hard, but when his team began to play good ball he forgot that the arbiters had kept his team back. "Bill" Byron, "absolutely incompetent" in the classification by McGraw, is rated by Stallings as "a fair, capable official."
The player author and manager author joke has enriched the humorists of baseball. Articles by "Chief" Meyers in which the backstop seriously presents the best system for blocking base runners at the plate or "Ty" Cobb tells of the great value of a player whose activities are confined solely to playing the game who have brought many laughs to those realizing the qualifications of the reputed authors, but the arraignment of umpires under McGraw's signature has brought condemnation from the promoters of the game and no laughs from any one.

McGraw's Attack Resented.
Editorially, Francis C. Richter, of the Sporting Life, comments on the player-author system and the recent outbreak as follows:
"John McGraw, manager of the Giants, in the syndicate which is spread broadcast under his name, this week fiercely assails the National League umpire corps. He declares that their work is the worst he has witnessed in 25 years—which is rather hard upon Governor Tener and his secretary, Heydler and Reeves. Not content with savage denunciation of the National League corps as a whole, this factor in baseball has the poor taste to particularize. He declares that 'Klein is the best of the lot,' that three more 'know something about umpiring,' and that Messrs. Egan, Byron and Johnson are absolutely incompetent. Eason is stigmatized as a 'home umpire'; Byron as 'ignorant'; and Messrs. Egan and Johnson as 'deficient in knowledge of the rules.'
"In conclusion, McGraw makes a plea for the enlargement of old ball players as umpires, as is the 'case in the American League—just as if the American League had no trouble with its old player-umpires. The article is one harmful to the National League and to the game, a public reflection upon the league executive and wholly unworthy of its author, who, as an active factor has neither right nor privilege to ventilate his views and criticisms of other factors in print in the first person; and we may only dignify the article with this comment: 'It serves to illustrate and emphasize the absolute indiscretion and impropriety of newspapers writing by either players or managers.'
"Democratization is Growing
"That any baseball man should dare publish raw and personal criticisms of league officials and policies has been one of the illuminating indices of the growing democratization in the professional game. This play authorship is an evil that reaches its apex during the last world's series and which would have been stamped out ere this by the National Commission but for the incursion of the Federal League and the failure of the weak-kneed magnates to co-operate with the powers that be. But this is one of the many things to be dealt with when the day of reckoning and reconstruction comes—and come it must, soon or late, if professional baseball is to be saved from virtual extinction as an organized sport and business."
In leaving for the western invasion, the last for both teams, there was an abundance of optimism in the Braves and an unexpected show of determination on the part of the Giants. Before heading for Cincinnati on Saturday night, George Stallings said that the only criticism he had heard of the Braves was in the reserve strength of the club. "Some of the experts have questioned the ability of my team to make a fight right down to the wire," he ventured, "but if that is necessary we have the material. When Evers was out of the game we won three out of the four games played and tied another in thirteen innings. With Schmidt out, Hess played first base, hit like a slugger star, and our winning streak was not disturbed in the least. Even with Maranville out for a week we kept on winning."
Stallings' Faith in Pluck
"I've enough pitchers to keep the fight up until the last day of the season, but I don't think that will be necessary. James, Rudolph and Tyler have been winning and have shown much team liking for regular service that I have not disturbed the pitching schedule. It wasn't necessary for me

NOVA SCOTIA WINS TENNIS TOURNAMENT

It was an easy win for Nova Scotia in the Maritime Provinces Tennis Championship Tournament, brought to a conclusion yesterday, when C. Cole was in the form for the visitors. Every event was won by the tennis players from the sister province. The results are as follows:
Ladies' Singles.
Miss C. Cole, N. S., won from Mrs. H. R. Babbitt, 6-1, 6-1.
Men's Singles.
A. C. Wiswell, N. S., won from J. Chipman, 6-3, 4-6, 9-7, 6-4.
Ladies' Doubles.
Miss C. Cole and Miss Redman, N. S., won from Mrs. H. R. Babbitt and Miss K. Schofield, 6-1, 5-7, 6-3.
Men's Doubles.
A. C. Wiswell and E. Foster, N. S., won from T. McAvity and A. Fraser Campbell, 6-4, 6-8, 6-1, 1-0, 6-7.
Mixed Doubles.
W. H. Rice and Miss P. Lyddiard, N. S., won from Miss M. Robertson and A. Fraser Campbell, 6-2, 2-6, 6-3.

GRAND CIRCUIT RACING

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 18.—While the Homewood stakes won by Native Spirit in straight heats, was the feature of the Pittsburg driving club's grand circuit meeting today the best sport was witnessed in the 216 trot, which required six heats before Farmer Gentry proved his superiority over Hazel Laing, a hot favorite.

Summary

2:12 trot; purse \$1,000.	Guy Nello, b.m. by Guy Axworthy (Gentry) 1 1 1
Brighton B. b. s. (Murphy) 2 2 2	Harry J. S. blk. s. (Andrews) 2 3 4
Dago, b.g. (Cox) 4 3 3	Silk Hat, blk. s. (Dodds) 4 3 3
Time 2:10-14, 2:10-12, 2:11-14.	2:07 pacing; purse \$1,000.
Marriott, blk. m. by Adward (Murphy) 1 1 2 1	King Despatch, blk. s. (Forst) 2 2 1 2
Zomborver, b.m. (Stonew) 3 4 3	Ruby K. b. m. (McDevitt) 4 3 3
Time 2:06-14, 2:07-14, 2:06-14, 2:08-12.	Homewood stake, for two year old trotters; purse \$2,000.
Native Spirit, b. f. by Native King (Cox) 1 1 1	Grounds, blk. m. (Tucker) 3 2 2
Bondell, pr. m. (Denah) 2 2 2	Denah, b.f. (Monahan) 3 2 2
Marchant, C. r. o. (Wright) 5 3 3	Jacquelin P. b. f. (Grady) 4 3 3
Time 2:13-12, 2:11-14, 2:10-12, 2:15-12, 2:11-14, 2:13-12.	2:16 trotting; purse \$1,000.
Farmer Gentry, b.g. by John R. Gentry, (McGrath) 1 2 3 3 1 2	Hazel Laing, ch. m. (Andrews) 5 1 2 1 3 3
The Tempest, b.m. (Murphy) 6 3 1 2 2 2	Moutier, br. s. (Jackson) 2 4 5 4 4 wd.
Lulu Worby, b.m. (Cox) 3 5 5 rd.	Rochmel, blk. m. (Shank) 6 5 4 rd.
Glenora, br. m. (Garstons) dis.	Time 2:10-12, 2:11-14, 2:10-12, 2:15-12, 2:11-14, 2:13-12.

SPORTOGRAPHY "GRAVY"

Abe Goodman was one of Russia's best fighters. One of the best fighting men ever born within the boundaries of the empire of the great white bear was Abe Goodman, better known as "Kid," who made his earthly debut at Odessa, Russia, twenty-nine years ago today. At an early age he showed that he had had gray matter in his knobby by bidding Russia farewell and taking a steamboat for America. Looking around for a nice, soft, peaceful job, Abe decided to become a boxer-fighter, and he was only about fifteen when he started his ring career. A majority of his early bouts were won by knockouts, and the youthful Russian got a reputation as a lad with a punch. Tommy Dixon, Dan Dougherty and Chester Goodwin were among his victims in 1901 and the following year, and in 1905 he scored over such good featherweights as Tommy Feltz, Patsy Haley and Joe Bernstein. In 1904 Goodman looked like a coming champion of the featherweight division by reason of his triumph over Austin Rice at Peoria, his defeat of Aurelio Herrera, the Mexican boxer, in a twenty-round bout at St. Louis, and his draws with Jack McClelland and Charlie Neary. In 1905 Abe fought a fifteen-round draw at Boston with Abe Attell, who had claimed the featherweight title the year before but had lost it to Brooklyn Tommy Sullivan. A little later Goodman was matched again with Aurelio Herrera, and

either of his horses, was fulfilled when his skull was crushed by a door of a freight car while a "flying switch" was being made. Death was instantaneous. Crabtree was 37 years old and leaves a wife and five children.
His love for his horses estranged him from his family for the last five years. He stayed with the animals day and night, leaving them only to go to his meals. His oft-repeated hope that his horses at their death be buried beside him, one on each side of his body, will not be realized, as interment will be in a cemetery at Litchfield, Ill.
Crabtree was noted for his eccentricities. He bought the two horses at a public sale for \$270, and used them two years plying on his farm near Hillsboro, Ill., before he finally discovered they were speed marvels. They made him several fortunes, but men with whom he had dealings at different times divested him of their earnings, and he died penniless.

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1885—Kid Goodman, Russian light-weight boxer, born in Odessa, Russia.
1895—Owen Zeigler defeated Stanton Abbott in 20 rounds at Baltimore.

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