## Tecs Drop Opening Game To Hamilton Which Would Have Given Edge

## Hamilton Finds Tecumsehs Meek In First Game

Whom Are Stranded For Lack of Cohesion

The London Tecumsehs, meek and submissive, curled up and lapsed in the first game of the series with Buzz Wetzel's Hamilton Clippers, champions of the first series in the M. and O. League, and tossed away the edge by

Two miscues and a lack of conconfidence set the stage for the Hamilton assault in that big five-run rally, as all the damage was done with two out. Shepherd was not to blame so much as his support, but even then he could have pulled out unscathed. McCrea singled with the bases loaded and Roper drove in the third run with another single, and Duckworth spanked Harris' first offering for another, while Sandquist's hasty heave accounted for the fourth.

London outbatted Hamilton, by 10 to 9. but Lefty Webb left 10 of the Tecumsehs stranded, and that talls the tale briefly of another defeat. London had opportunities aplenty to pull out a victory, but left a lot of baseball unplayed. It was really too bad that Umpire Kober did not chase Kernan out of the game again when London had the bases thoroughly intoxicated in the eighth so that Alten might have been substituted as a batsman, as Kernan stood at the plate and allowed Webb to get two strikes on him and then still stood there and looked at the third strike whiz by to retire the side. Kernan claimed that the delivery was not a strike, but the fans were with the arbiter in this case as any ball good enough to call a strike is undoubtedly over the plate sufficiently to hit.

Continually bickering with an umpire Continually bickering with an umpire mly sours the spectators and absolutely gains nothing. The best advice is to keep off the officials and play baseball, and throw in a few more bunts when unable to hit straight away. And then bunt some some. It was this very method that gained the victory for the

Five-Run Balloon Ascension in Clippers and they did not look foolish. Collectively the Clippers are not as good a ball club as the Tecumsehs, but they make a ball club as the Tecumsehs, but they make a ball club as the Tecumsehs, but they Fight Out of Indians, Nine of get by but win a majority of their games.
Webb walked to start the third and was bunted to second by Lopez, who was safe when Vermilyea dropped Cross' toss. Bashang bunted the runners one base nearer the plate, Sand-quist making a fine play to erase Bashang at first. Neitzke also rolled to Sandquist, whose throw caught Webb easily at the plate. Froman was walk-

ed intentionally, filling the runways. McCrea caroomed a hit off Vermilyea's League, and tossed away the edge by to 3 here yesterday.

Quick to take advantage of Paul Shepherd, recently acquired right-handed pitcher, when he walked Lefty Webb in the third frame, the Clippers outsmarted the locals in one big mouthful in this frame, chasing the lamb guardian, and before the fireworks died down had more than enough runs. Five, that was all. And those five not only proved ample, but quelled all the fight out of the team that seems to command all sorts of that important quality whenever engaged with any of the other clubs in the Mint race. Why is that?

Two miscues and a lack of conconfidence set the stage for the Ham-

Harris tripled in the fifth and scored on Baker's single. Sandquist scored from third in the eighth when Cross singled off Webb's glove. He scored after he had hit with two out in the ninth, when Baker tripled.

Harris puzzled the Clippers during Harris puzzled the Clippers during the balance of the game, though a scratch hit by Roper and two bunts, coupled with Webb's dinky hit over Cross' head, gave the Hams their sixth HAMILTON

McCrea, c ..... LONDON andquist, 3b ..... 4 2 

 Baker, ss
 5

 Stimpson, lf
 5

 Cross, 1b
 4

 rower, rf ..... 

 Kernan, c
 3

 Vermilyea, 2b
 4

 Shepherd, p
 1

Three-base hits-Harris, Baker. Sac-



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FREE PRESS TROPHY Pirates Falter **Against Braves** 

> Genewich Humbles Pittsburg, While Giants Win Another At Chicago

PITTSBURG, July 30 .- After winning the first three games of the series with Boston, the Pirates faltered to-day and the visitors took the victory, 5 to 1. Boston's 11 hits included one double, three triples and a home run, the last

Reinhart Holds Robins

ST. LOUIS, July 30 .- Reinhart was wild, but held Brooklyn to four scattered hits, and St. Louis won 5 to 2. Fournier went hitless after getting at least one safety in 17 consecutive games. The Cardinals moved into fifth place as Philadelphia lost place as Philadelphia lost.

Brooklyn .........100 001 000—2 4 2
St. Louis .......300 010 01x—5 8 0
Hubbell, Oeschger, A. Brown and Taylor: Reinhart and O'Farrell.

Long Blows Beat Cubs CHICAGO, July 30.—New York defeated Chicago 4 to 2 to-day, Gowdy's home run following Kelly's double giving the Giants two runs in the second inning. They scored two more in the sixth when Young led off with a triple and Alexander lost control, forcing in one run, while the other scored on Gowdy's sacrifice fly. Hartnett smashed out his 24th home run for Chicago's first rally.
New York ......020 002 000—4 12
.....000 001 010—2 9 

Reds Sweep Series

MRS. HOWIE'S Stratford rink won
The London Free Press trophy at the
first annual women's bowling tournament held by St. Mark's Club yesterday, with three wins and a plus
score of 37. Fourteen rinks competed.

Tificer Klein Kernen Long Reshang for Cincinnati.

Philadelphia ......200 000 000—2 5 2

Cincinnati .......030 100 02x—6 12 0

Mitchell, Knight and Wilson; Rixey rifices-Klein, Kernan, Lopez, Bashang, Duckworth, Riley. Stolen bases-Mc-

## Crea. Left on bases—Hamilton 8, London 9, Hit batsmen—Neitzke, by Shepherd; Bashang, by Harris. Bases on balls—Off Shepherd 3, Webb 1, Harris 2. Struck out—By Webb 6, Harris 1. Hits—Off Shepherd 2 in 2 2-3 innings, off Harris 7 in 6 2-3 innings, Time—1.34. Umpires—Kober and Van Huven. Game To-Morrow

BRANTFORD GOLFERS DRAW.

BRANTFORD, July 30.—Burlington and Brantford golf club teams split with

Brantford Burlington
E. C. Gould ... ½ A. Dorman ...
I. Champion ... ½ Fred Howe
C. Sheppard ... 1 Dr. Holcomb
G. B. Gordon ... 1 Dr. Lockett
K. V. Harvey ... 1 M. Warner
P. F. Truss ... 1 J. Woodcroft
A. A. Werlich
W. Patterson ... 1 Fred McCrory
G. Miller ... 9. Somerville

Burlington

0 P. Somerville

1 Harry Marsh 1 Dr. Field .... 1 Dr. Jaffray

The scores were:

Brantford

A. Adams

London McCormicks Expect Victory Over Ingersoll Nine

11 points here in the first visit of the lake shore golfers to the local course. London McCormicks will play in Ingersoll to-morrow afternoon in a play-off game for the championship of the Middlesex-Oxford Intermediate Baseball League. A victory for the Londoners will tie the series, while a win for Ingersoll will cinch the series and give them the right to enter the next round of the O.B. A. A. series of the O. B. A. A. series.

Harry Coursey will pitch for London, while McIntyre, who defeated London on Wednesday, will hurl for Ingersoll. McCormicks will send a strong delegation of supporters to Ingersoll with the team

## **TILLSONBURG RINK**

W. S. McDonald's Tillsonburg rink eliminated R. G. Seldon's Exeter four in the Dominion lawn bowling championship series at the Elmwood Club lawn yesterday by 25 to 17.

J. E. Reid, of the Elmwoods, defeated Reyburn, of the London McClarys, in the singles by 22 to 14, while Capt. McDonald, of the Rowing Club, won from Howard Hartry, of the Elmwoods. by 21 to 16.

Taman and Seldon Exeter won from by 21 to 16.

Taman and Seldon, Exeter, won from Cash and Roberts, of Stratford, in the doubles. Manzer and Hammil, of Ingersoll, defeated Lick and Slater, Woodstock, R. N. Creech, of Exeter, defeated A. E. Batchelor, of Stratford. Thompson, of Ingersoll North, defeated J. R. Cray, of Ingersoll North, defeated J. R. Cray, of Ingersoll R. Lyle, of Brantford Pastimes, defeated V. M. Wood, of Kitchener.

In the Dominion Bowling Association singles series Robert Lyle, Brantford Pastimes, defeated V. M. Wood, Kitchener, 18-15.

WOODSTOCK BEATS PLATTSVILLE WOODSTOCK, July 30.—The famous R. G. Hall rink of bowlers from Platts-R. G. A. R. R. R. R. R. R. G. F. R. G. R. G. R. R. G. G. R. R. R. G. G. R. G. Hall rink of bowlers from Platts-ville played here to-night in the Domin-

and, after playing a 21-end game, were defeated by the locals, skipped by A. H. Wilson, by a score of 22 to 10. There was plenty of good bowling throughout the contest and the game was witnessed by a large crowd of enthusiasts. The rinks and scores:

Plattsville.

Woodstock. Plattsville. Woodstock.
G. Shosenburg A. T. McNeill
T. Pratt R. Doherty
P. Hall A. Smith
R. Hall, skip....10 A. H. Wilson, sk.22
In the Dominion doubles played this afternoon the local pair, F. E. Slater and Wes. Lick, were defeated by Tom Hamill and A. H. Manser, of Ingersoll. In the latter's green by a score of 126 to 19.

Adam Mackay, the local single champion, went to Plattsville and played G. Shosenburg in the Dominion singles. The result was a win for Mackay by a score of 21-15. He now plays the winner of the Wood (Kitchener) and Lyle (Brantford) games.

and Mrs. George Armes.

Mrs. Farquharson's Stratford rink
and Mrs. F. Stoddart's St. Mark's rink and Mrs. F. Stoddart's St. Mark's rink were tied for fourth prize with two wins and a plus of 15, but the London rink won in the play-off. The members of the rink were Miss Jean Fish, Mrs. J. D. Reynold, Mrs. T. H. Lasbrook and Mrs. F. Stoddart, skip. Fourteen rinks took part in the tourney.

The other results were as follows:

W. T. Oman, Stratford, won 2

Mrs. Down, Woodstock, won 1 plus 6.
Mrs. Vance, Woodstock, won 3.
Mrs. Mennell, All Saints, lost 3 minus 31.
Mrs. Balley, Woodstock, lost 3 minus 3.
Mrs. McKee, Plattsville, won 3.

AT PLATTSVILLE TO-DAY
NEW HAMBURG, July 30. — New Hamburg and Hickson will play the final game at Plattsville Friday night for the New Hamburg Independent trophy. President Tom Pratt, of Plattsville, interviewed the local secretary to-day and announced that the grounds are in perfect condition and extra accommodation for several hundred more fans arranged. It will be a twilight affair, starting at 5.45 p. m. McAvoy and Masters, of Kitchener, will handle the game.

M. Spears, Hamilton Victorias, 4 wins plus 26.
Third, boudoir lamps—A. Hainer, Pastimes, 4 wins plus 17.
Fourth, white ivory boudoir clocks—John Milker, Heather, 3 wins plus 26.
Rinks were present from Plattsville, four Hamilton Clubs, Galt, St. George, Dunnville, Simcoe, Caledonia, Waterford, Otterville, Woodstock, Hagers-ville, Norwich, Paris, Echo Place and the three local clubs.

DON CARRICK IS ELIMINATED CHICAGO, July 30.—Fred S. Lyon, 15-year-old star from Pontiac, Ill., to-day defeated Donald Carrick, of Toronto, Canadian junior champion, in the third round of the Western junior championship, one up.

**PASEBALL** DAROMETER

MICHIGAN-ONTARIO LEAGUE Yesterday's Results

Hamilton 6, London 3.

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Saginaw 7, Flint 6.

Only two scheduled. W. L. P.C. W. L. P.C. Sag'w 13 7 .650 B. City 12 9 .571 London 14 9 .609 Flint . 10 14 .417 Hams.. 13 9 .591 Kitch . 3 17 .150 Games To-Day

> AMERICAN LEAGUE Yesterday's Results

Hamilton at London, 4 p.m.

New York 9. St. Louis 2.
Cleveland 7. Boston 2.
Philadelphia 9, Detroit 0.
Chicago 11, Washington 1. STANDING. W. L. P.C. W. L. P.C.
Phila . 62 32 .660 St. L. 48 50 .490
Wash . 60 35 .632 Cleve . 45 53 .459
Chi. . 54 46 .540 N. Y. . 41 55 .427
Det't . 49 49 .500 Boston 28 69 .289

Games To-Day Chicago at Washington.
St. Louis at New York.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE Yesterday's Results New York 4. Chicago 2
Boston 5, Pittsburg 1.
St. Louis 5, Brooklyn 2.
Cincinnati 6, Philadelphia

STANDING. W. L. P.C. W. L.
Pitts . 57 36 .613 Phila . 43 46
N. Y... 56 39 .589 St. L . 44 52
Cincy . 50 44 .532 Chi . . 40 53
Brkyn 45 45 .500 Boston 39 58

Boston at Cincinnati. Brooklyn at St. Louis, New York at Chicago. Philadelphia at Pittsburg.

Games To-Day

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE Yesterday's Results

Providence 7, Jersey City 5, Syracuse 5, Rochester 2, Buffalo 6, Toronto 5, Raltimore 8, Reading 1. STANDING. Ralt . 69 40 .633 Roch . 53 55 .491 Toro . 66 43 .606 J. City 52 56 .481 Bflo . 57 55 .509 Prov. . 40 65 .381 Read . 54 53 .505 Syra . 39 65 .375

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION Yesterday's Results

Kansas City 5-3, Minneapolis 4-4. Louisville 3, Toledo 1. Milwaukee 4, St. Paul 3. Columbus 3, Indianapolis 1.

W. L. P.C. W. L. P.C. Loui'e 69 34 .670 Minn . 52 53 .495 St. P. 52 48 .520 Mil'ee 46 58 .442 K. City 53 49 .520 Toledo 44 57 .436 Ind's 53 49 .520 Col's . 37 60 .384

GARDNER'S PARIS FOUR WIN BRANTFORD TOURNEY

BRANTFORD, July 30 .- Gardner, of Paris, stepped away at a late hour with the capital prize in the Heather Bowling Club tournament on Wednesday. Rain fell intermittently, delaying the 38 rinks entry, but they stuck it out. The re-W. T. Oman. Stratford, won 2

Dermer. Woodstock, won 2 plus

Down, Woodstock, won 1 plus 6.

Vance. Woodstock, won 3.

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Paris, 4 wins plus 28.

Second, silver knives and forks—D.

M. Spears, Hamilton Victorias, 4 wins

Chicago Smashes Coveleskie's Grip

eteran Hurler Has Off Day; Buckeye Wins Another For Indians; Gray in Form

WASHINGTON, July 30 .- The White Sox smashed Coleveskie's streak of 13 Sox smashed Coleveskie's streak of 13 consecutive victories to-day by hammering him from the box and winning their third game out of four starts with Washington, by 11 to 1. Gregg and Marberry likewise fared but little better from the visitors, but Russel held them hitless for two frames.

Chicago ........ 412 200 400—11 18 1 Washington ....... 000 000,001—1 10 1 Thurston and Crouse; Covefeskie, Gregg, Marberry and Ruel, Severeid.

Third For Indians

BOSTON, July 30.—Cleveland made it another win over the Red Sox to-day by taking their third straight game, 7 to 2. Buckeye pitched effectively, while his mates hammered Zahnizer persistently. The first Indian run, coming in the fifth inning, was made on a home run by Buckeye into the right field bleachers. The Cleveland outfield all made good catches, Jamieson excelling.

Cleveland ...... 000 021 013—7 15 1
Boston ...... 000 000 200—2 8 1
Buckeye and Myatt; Zahnizer and Hoyt Comes Through

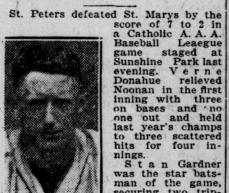
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Gray Blanks Tygers 

St. Peters Defeat St. Marys Champs

Donahue Allows But Three Hits; Gardner Stars With Two Triples

CATHOLIC A. A. A. LEAGUE



st an Gardner was the star batsman of the game, securing two triples to center field out of two times at bat. He scored

ST. PETERS

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One of the best week day crowds of the season was on hand yesterday and even a greater throng should be in attendance this afternoon as to-day is ladies' day. Ernie Alten will likely serve them up for the Tecs, this afternoon, while Buz Wetzel may send his star right-hander, Sam Werneke, who is now the property of the New York Yankees, against the Indians.

What should prove one of the biggest attractions ever offered the fans of this city is the double-header scheduled with the Hamilton Clippers for Saturday afternoon, with the first game at 2.30. Tiny Rynearson, who has allowed but six hits in two complete games and only one unearned run, will pitch the first game, and if he is in his usual good form he may be given an opportunity of trying the iron man stunt.

You cannot umpire from the grand stand, that is a cinch, but some of the arbitrators could not do worse if they were performing their work from the bleachers.

and neither can any ball club. Howexpected, with six wins and two losses since returning to the home lot.

corner again bordered on the sen-

sational. Sandy handled many dif-

ficult chances and on two occasions

he had in his powerful wing to get his man, with the result that Cross was nearly torn loose from his moorings around first base.

When two clubs meet on the ball field, and each sends to the mound a really capable pitcher in the best of condition, what becomes of the "lively bail?" This rather interesting question is prompted by some of the happenings at Tecumseh Park during the present week. In the three-game series with Kitchener, the Colts were shutout in 24 of the 27 innings played, while in two of the games the Tecs. collected but three runs.

Win Lawn Tourney

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Take Free Press Cup Yesterday

At St. Mark's Bowling Club

Mrs. W. A. Howle's Stratford rink won first prize at the first annual women's lawn bowling tournament held by St. Mark's Bowling Club yesterday, with three wins and a plus core of 37. The winning rink was comprised of Mrs. Deacon, Mrs. However, Link Hold their annual tournament on civic of Mrs. Veacon, Mrs. However, and a plus core of Mrs. Veacon, Mrs. However, and a plus core of Mrs. Veacon, Mrs. However, while Mrs. Stevenson's St. Mark's rink was found with brie wins and a plus of 18. Mrs. Stevenson's St. Mark's rink was found with brie wins and a plus of 18. Mrs. Stevenson's St. Mark's Pour Mrs. Stratford rink was fully marked with three wins and a plus of 18. Mrs. Stevenson's St. Mark's plants of 13. Mrs. Stevenson's sink included Mrs. George Armes.

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