Late Gossip Of The Sporting World At Home And Abroad

BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Detroit, 7; New York, 3.

New York, July 27.—The New York Americans returned home today and met defeat by Detroit, 7 to 3. Fisher was hit hard, and the Yankees' fielding was loose. The score:

Detroit ... . 002140000—7 11 1
New York ... . 000100002—3 7 5

Batteries: Covelskie and Stanage; Fisher, Ulcha and Nunamaker.

Boston, 3; Chicago, 1.

Boston, July 27.—The Red Sox increased their margin of leadership in the American League race by a three to one victory over Chicago today. The visitors were at a loss to connect with Wood's delivery. The score:

Chicago ... . 000001000—1 4 0
Boston ... . 000111000—3 10 1

Batteries: Russell, Faber and Schalk; Wood and Cady.

Washington, 1; Cleveland, 0.

Washington, July 27.—Washington celebrated its home coming today by defeating Cleveland one to nothing, breaking Cleveland's longest winning streak since 1913. The game was a pitchers' duel between Gallia and Hagerman. Only two of the visitors reached first base, and neither got any further. Milan stole home in the first inning, scoring the locals' only run. After the second inning Hagerman did not allow a hit. The score:

Cleveland .. .. 000000000—0 1 1
Washington ... .. 100000000—1 2 0

Batteries: Hagerman and O'Neill; Gallia and Henry.

Philadelphia, 6; St. Louis, 4.

Philadelphia, July 27.—Sheehan pitched good ball after St. Louis pounded his delivery in the first inning today and Philadelphia won, 6 to 4. Hamilton was also hit hard in the opening session, and in the sixth, seventh and eighth innings the home team bunched hits with errors and overcame the visitors' lead. The score:

St. Louis ... ... 400000000—4 13 3
Philadelphia ... .30000110—6 12 1

Batteries: Hamilton and Agnew; Sheehan and Lapp.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg, 8; New York, 1.

Pittsburg, July 27.—The New Yorks were defeated by Pittsburg today, 8 to 1. Marquard was ineffective and gave way to Ritter in the sixth inning when the home team got six hits and five runs. Mamaux was steady and kept the New York hits scattered. The score:

New York ... ... 000000100—1 8 2
Pittsburg ... . 100005200—8 12 1

Batteries: Marquard, Ritter and Dooin, Wendell; Mamaux and Gibson.

Boston, 4; Brooklyn, 3.

Brooklyn, July 27.—Boston beat Brooklyn 4 to 3 today. The Dodgers had a one run lead up to the ninth due to an error by Evers, which let in three runs in the fifth. With one out in the last inning, the crowd began to jeer Evers, shouting that he had lost the game. Evers responded with a single and sent Fitzpatrick in to run for him. A hit by Connolly and Magee's long drive to centre sent across the tieing and winning runs. The score:

Boston ... . 001010002—4 12 1
Brooklyn ... . 000030000—3 7 3

Batteries: Tyler and Whaling, Gowdy; Douglass, Smith and Miller.

Cincinnati, 4; Philadelphia, 3.

Cincinnati, July 27.—Philadelphia lost the last game of the present series to Cincinnati today, 4 to 3. The score:

Philadelphia ... . 000000030—3 8 3
Cincinnati ... ... 000200011—4 8 1

Batteries: Chalmers, Rixey and Killifer; Toney, Schneider and Clarke.

(Only three Nationals scheduled.)

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Providence, 1; Toronto, 0.

Toronto, July 27.—Providence shut out Toronto today, 1 to 0. The Leafs got but three scattered hits. The score:

Providence ... ... 000010000—1 8 0
Toronto ... . 000000000—0 3 2

Batteries: Ayers, Oeschger and Casey; McTigue, Manning and Kocher.

Buffalo, 8; Jersey City, 6.

Buffalo, July 27.—Buffalo batted Crutcher hard and steadily today and won from Jersey City, 8 to 6. The score:

Jersey City ... ... 301110000—6 8 2
Buffalo ... . 202200020—8 11 1

Batteries: Crutcher and Reynolds; Beebe, Ring and Lalonge.

Richmond, 7; Montreal, 4.

Montreal, July 27.—McHale, who pitched the first five innings for Montreal, was ineffective, and Richmond won today, 7 to 4. The score:

Richmond ... ... 002040010—7 11 1
Montreal ... . 001100020—4 7 1

Batteries: Cram and Harrington; McHale, Cadore and Howley.

Harrisburg, 6; Rochester, 3.

Rochester, July 27.—Harrisburg took two games from Rochester today 6 to 3 and 7 to 6, the latter game taking ten innings to decide. The score:

First game—
Harrisburg ... ... 000000141—6 11 1
Rochester ... ... 010002000—3 7 1

Batteries: Enzmann, Lee and Heckinger; Hoff and Williams.

Harrisburg, 7; Rochester, 6.

Second game—
Harrisburg ... . 3000010003—7 11 2
Rochester ... .. 3100000002—6 12 4

Batteries: Schacht, Chabek and Snow; Herche, Huenke and Williams.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Buffalo, 3; Chicago, 2.

Chicago, July 27.—Buffalo bunched hits today off Prendergast and Brown, and defeated Chicago; 3 to 2, in the first game of the series. Five fast double plays were features of the game. The score:

Buffalo . ... 101001000—3 12 2
Chicago ... . 000011000—2 7 0

Batteries: Schultz and Allen; Prendergast, Brown and Clemons.

Pittsburg, 2; Baltimore, 1.

Pittsburg, July 27.—The Pittsburg Federals defeated Baltimore by a score of 2 to 1 in ten innings today. The score:

Baltimore ... .. 0000100000—1 3 0
Pittsburg .. .. 1000000001—2 7 2

Batteries: Johnson and Jacklitsch, Owens; Burk and O'Connor.

Newark, 11; St. Louis, 3.

St. Louis, July 27.—Newark took the opening game of the series from St. Louis here today, 11 to 3. The score:

Newark ... . 240020300—11 12 1
St. Louis ... . . 000000021— 3 8 2

Batteries: Reulbach and Rairden; Groom, Kirby and Hartley.

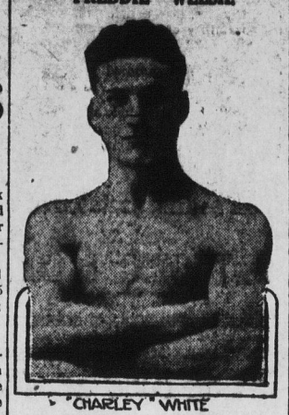
Brooklyn, 7; Kansas, 5.

Kansas City, July 27.—Kansas City and Brooklyn divided a doubleheader today, the visitors taking the first game, 7 to 5, and the locals the second, 6 to 2. The score:

First game—
Brooklyn ... ... 003002200—7 9 1
Kansas City ... . 010022000—5 8 1

Batteries: Bluejacket and Simon; Packard, Cullop, Henning and Easterly.

"CHARLEY" WHITE TO MEET "FREDDIE" WELSH.



"CHARLEY" WHITE

Arrangements are practically completed for a twenty round championship bout between "Charley" White, contender, and "Freddie" Welsh, champion, to be held at Denver between September 27 and October 1. A purse of $13,000 has been offered by the promoters, and as Welsh would not agree to meet White for less than $15,000, win, lose or draw, White has added the remaining $2,000. That Welsh has selected the foremost of his contenders to meet in his first championship fight since winning the title from "Willie" Ritchie in London a year ago is proved by the fact that in his last thirty-six fights White has won eighteen of them by knockouts.

TWILIGHT LEAGUE BASEBALL

EAST END LEAGUE.

Nationals, 6; Glenwoods, 0.

The Glenwoods were shut out last evening in a six inning game by the Nationals, who made six runs. Both teams failed to score for the first four innings. The Nationals made two runs in the fifth, and four in the sixth. Smith pitched steady ball, only two hits being made off him, and these were made by shortstop McNulty. The official score and summary follows:

Glenwoods.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
O'Regan, 3b & p	3	0	0	0	4	0
McNulty, ss	3	0	2	1	1	1
Brittain, c	3	0	0	2	1	0
J. Callaghan, 2b	1	0	0	4	3	1
G. Callaghan, 1b	2	0	0	11	0	0
Costello, lf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Gillispie, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Thompson, p & 3b	2	0	0	0	2	0
Robinson, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	20	0	2	18	11	3

Nationals.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
B. Sproul, c	3	0	0	3	1	1
Copeland, ss	3	1	2	3	2	0
Gibbons, 3b	3	1	0	0	2	0
Cunningham, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Speedy, 2b	2	2	2	2	2	0
W. Sproul, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Yeomans, rf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Cooper, 1b	3	0	0	7	0	0
Smith, p	3	0	1	1	2	0
Totals	26	6	7	18	9	1

Score by innings:

Nationals	000024—6

Summary—Glenwoods (0), Nationals (6). Sacrifice hit, J. Callaghan. Struck out by Thompson (2) in five innings; by O'Regan (1) in one inning, by Smith (4). Hit by pitched ball, Speedy. Double play, Thompson to J. Callaghan to G. Callaghan. Stolen bases, Copeland, Gibbons, Speedy. Missed third strike, Brittain, Sproul. Hits off O'Regan (3), off Thompson (4). Earned runs, Nationals (3). Time of game 1 hour. Umpire, E. Ramsey. Scorer, H. Nixon.

Tonight—Alerts vs. Commercials.

Schedule Extended.

At a meeting of the East End League held Monday night it was decided to extend the schedule to six games more with each other, making a total of 24 additional games. Large crowds are attending the games and faster ball is being played by the teams as the season advances.

HAZEN AVENUE LEAGUE.

Last evening in the Hazen Avenue League the Tigers defeated the Cubs by a score of 6 to 1. The batteries were: Donovan and Stiles for the winners; Brown and Mayes for the losers.

CENTRAL LEAGUE.

C. P. R. 9; Dom. Express, 6.

The C. P. R. increased their lead in the Central League last evening when they defeated the Dominion Express by a score of 9 to 6. Howard pitched steady ball for the winners while Marshall and Friars were hit hard at times. The teams lined up as follows:

C. P. R.	Dom. Express.
Catcher.	
Dever	Thompson
Pitcher.	
Howard	Marshall and Friars
First Base.	
Seely	Dalton
Second Base.	
Gaskin	Friars and Marshall
Third Base.	
McGovern	Woods
Shortstop.	
MacLaren	Kirk
Centre Field.	
Cleary	Phillips
Left Field.	
Garnett	Seeley
Right Field.	
Henneberry	Bartlett

Kansas, 6; Brooklyn, 2.

Second game—
Brooklyn ... ... 000100001—2 6 3
Kansas City ... . 030001200—6 10 1

Batteries: Finneran, F. Smith and H. Smith; Johnson, Cullop and Easterly.

ST. PETER'S LEAGUE.

Roses, 11; Shamrocks, 8.

In the St. Peter's Y. M. League last evening the Roses won a five inning game from the Shamrocks by a score of 11 to 8. Harrington and Garvin was the battery for the winners; Kndson and McIntyre for the losers. Heavy hitting was the feature of the game.

Shamrocks .. .. 40301— 8
Roses ... ... 3341x—11

Tonight's game—Maples vs. Shamrocks.

GAME POSTPONED.

The West End Clippers were to have played a game of ball with the Fairville Courtneys at the Church of Assumption picnic at the Ferns, last evening, but owing to the picnic being postponed until today the game will be played this evening.

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED.

The West End Clippers last evening issued a challenge to play a game with any amateur team in the city. About half an hour after the challenge was issued the Rambler's captain, F. Costley, announced to The Standard that his team would accept the challenge.

SOUTH END LEAGUE.

Victorias, 9; Tartars, 2.

The Victorias won a seven inning game from the Tartars on the Barrack Square last evening by a score of 9 to 2. There was a large crowd present and the game was interesting from start to finish. The official score and summary follows:

Victorias.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Myers, 2b	4	1	0	4	6	1
F. Doyle, cf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Mooney, 3b	3	1	2	1	3	1
McGowan, rf	3	0	2	1	0	0
Killen, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
McQuade, 1b	3	2	1	5	0	1
Jones, ss	4	3	3	1	0	0
Gorman, c	3	0	1	8	1	0
Evans, p	3	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	30	9	11	21	10	3

Tartars.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
McGourty, c	4	1	2	3	2	0
Darrah, ss	4	0	0	1	3	1
Evans, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Johnson, 1b	3	0	1	9	0	0
Mountain, 3b	4	0	1	3	3	0
Flowers, lf	1	0	2	0	0	0
Kelley, 2b	3	0	2	2	0	2
Morrison, p	2	0	0	1	2	0
McClelland, cf	3	1	0	2	0	0
Totals	31	2	9	21	10	3

Score by innings:

Victorias	0312102—9
Tartars	0100100—2

Summary—Victorias, 9; Tartars, 2. Two base hits, McGovern. Three base hit, Jones. Struck out by Evans, 3; by Morrison, 4. Base on balls, off Evans, 2; off Morrison 4. Hit by pitched ball, Myers, McGaurty, Morrison (2). Balk, Morrison. Left on bases, Victorias 4, Tartars 6. Time of game 1 hour 17 min. Umpire, D. Ramsey.

Tonight's game—Lantics vs. Curlews.

GRAND CIRCUIT RACES

Detroit, July 27.—The Chamber of Commerce $5,000 stake for 2.07 class pacers with fourteen starters—the largest number in its history—proved easy picking for Single G, the sensational Indiana horse, this afternoon. Cosnell drove the son of Anderson Wilkes three fast miles to victory in straight heats.

Two other races were finished and one was left uncompleted when rain put a stop to the going after one heat had been run off. Summary:

2.05 Pace—3 in 5—Purse $1,000.

Lelia Patchen, blk m, by Don's Brother, (Snow)	1	5	1 1
Barona, b h, (Cox)	2	1	2 2
The Assessor, ch g (McMahon)	3	3	3 3
Harry The Ghost, g g, (Hopkins)	4	2	5 5
Strathstorm, b h (Murray)	5	4	4 4
Nutmoor, b h (Magee)	dis		

Time—2.06, 2.11 1-2, 2.05, 2.09.

2.13 Trot—3 in 5—Purse $1,000.

Lou Jennings, b m, by Todd, (Brennan)	1	1	1
Victor Staar, b g, (Valentine)	4	2	3
F. A. L., b g, (Cosnell)	3	3	5
Worthy Bingen, blk h, (Murray)	5	4	4
Electric McKerron blk h (Kane)	2	5	7
Blue Feather, br h (Cox)	6	6	6
Sadie S, b m, (Murphy)	9	8	2
Mont Ferris, br h, (Mott)	8	7	8
Roy Miller, b h, (Grady)	7	dis	

Time—2.09, 2.08 1-4, 2.08.

Chamber of Commerce Stake
2.07 Pace—3 in 5—Purse $5,000.

Single G, b h, by Anderson Wilkes, (Cosnell)	1	1	1
Rastus, br g, (McDonald)	5	3	3
Judge Ormond, blk h, (Valentine)	8	2	4
Hal Boy, b g, (Childs)	2	11	2
Camelia, br m, (Cox)	3	5	11
Fred W, b g, (Martin)	6	6	7
Patrick M, blk g, (Stokes)	7	9	5
Hal S, r g, (Murphy)	9	7	6
Russell Boy, b h, (McDaniel)	4	10	8
Lustrous McKinney, b g, (Rodney)	11	4	10
Alcy E, b m, (Whitney)	10	8	9
Miss Meriam, r m, (McMahon)	dis		
Thistle Patch, blk h, (Snow	dis		
Queen Abbess, br m, (White	dis		

Time—2.03 1-2, 2.03 1-4, 2.05 1-2

2.22 Pace—3 in 5—Purse $1,000.
(Unfinished)

Jean, b m, by Floska (Murphy)	1		
Hedgewood Patchon, ch g, (McDonald)	2		
Marriott, b m, (Marvin)	3		
Lady Aubrey, b m, (Snedeker)	4		
Grace Ongale, b m, (Squires)	5		
Hal Plex, br h, (Geers)	dis		

Time—2.10 1-4.

NO CHICAGO GAMES TODAY.

Chicago, July 27.—Both Chicago Federals and Chicago Nationals today announced their games scheduled for tomorrow would be postponed out of respect to the official day of mourning for the Eastland victims set by the city authorities.

A Soldier Now.

Joseph Breen, a well known young man about the city, has enlisted in the 55th Battalion and was to have left for Valcartier Camp last night. On Monday night a number of Mr. Breen's friends assembled at the Clairmount House at Torryburn and tendered the young soldier a banquet. During the evening the soldier was presented with a wrist watch. A very pleasant few hours was spent in speech making and music.

WILLARD IN NO DANGER OF HAVING PROWESS UNDERRATED

Little has been heard of Jim Coffey and his proposed match with Jess Willard of late. Since Coffey received the fright of his life in that affair with old Jim Flynn, the popular Irishman, has been all for peace it seems, writes Fred Keats of the N. Y. Evening Sun. The only match he has in sight at present is with that broken down hulk, Sandy Ferguson, at Boston, some time in August.

Coffey will only cheapen himself by matches of that character. He has now advanced beyond the stage where he can gain anything in the way of experience from men of Ferguson's stamp. Coffey may still need nursing along before he is ready for Willard, but it is a mistake to pamper him. He has learned the rudiments of the game and has fully developed physically. What he needs now is hard fighting and plenty of it.

Coffey's chances of defeating Willard are not regarded very highly in sporting circles now that the gigantic Kansan has won the title. It is the same old story. Every champion is the greatest ever and Willard now is held to be invincible by those who thought that Johnson could not be beaten and that Jeffries was superhuman.

Yet it is only a few months ago that Willard was hailed as a joke. At that time no one would have pronounced a Willard-Coffey match one-sided. Willard was not the joke he was thought to be of course, but what has he done that has worked such a wonderful transformation? No doubt his fight with Johnson was the best of his career. It would have been strange if he had not shown improved form considering the time and care that were spent on his training and the incentive he had to do his best. But has Willard really improved to any great extent?

That Willard would beat Johnson was foreseen by a few sober minded persons ont given to hysterics. He figured to win on his youth, bulk and strength and the fact that Johnson was long past the age where other champions before him had gone down to defeat. Johnson repeatedly had shown that his hitting power had departed and it was only to be expected that Willard would outlast him in a contest of endurance. The outcome of the bout showed that both men strictly ran to form. Willard won because of the qualities that he had shown in bouts with the humble white hopes, bouts in which he displayed many faults as well as strong points. There is no reason to think that those same weaknesses will not be in evidence the next time he dons the gloves, making due allowance for the confidence and encouragement he has gained from being told that he cannot be defeated.

Willard Best Man.

There is little doubt that all things considered, Willard is the best heavyweight in the world just now so far as a finish fight is concerned. But how he will show up in ten round bouts remains to be seen. He has a tremendously powerful wallop that is offset to a great extent by his lack of aggressiveness. He may prove a failure, just as Charley White, by long odds the best hitting lightweight in the ring, is a failure because he is too cautious to take a chance.

Willard has a good working knowledge of boxing, but he is far from being a Jim Corbett for science and he lacks the craftiness of a Fitzsimmons or the aggressiveness of a Sharkey. His huge bulk is his one great asset. Most giants have a weak spot in their makeup that prevents them from shedding punishment to the same extent as men of more compact build. Willard appears to be entirely without that handicap. But he has plenty to learn before he can be considered a polished ringster. If he were of normal size he would be just a good second rater.

Eliminating the Johnson match, that because of the unusual conditions is misleading, and recalling Willard's numerous disappointing performances it would appear that Coffey need not be discouraged by the size of the task confronting him.

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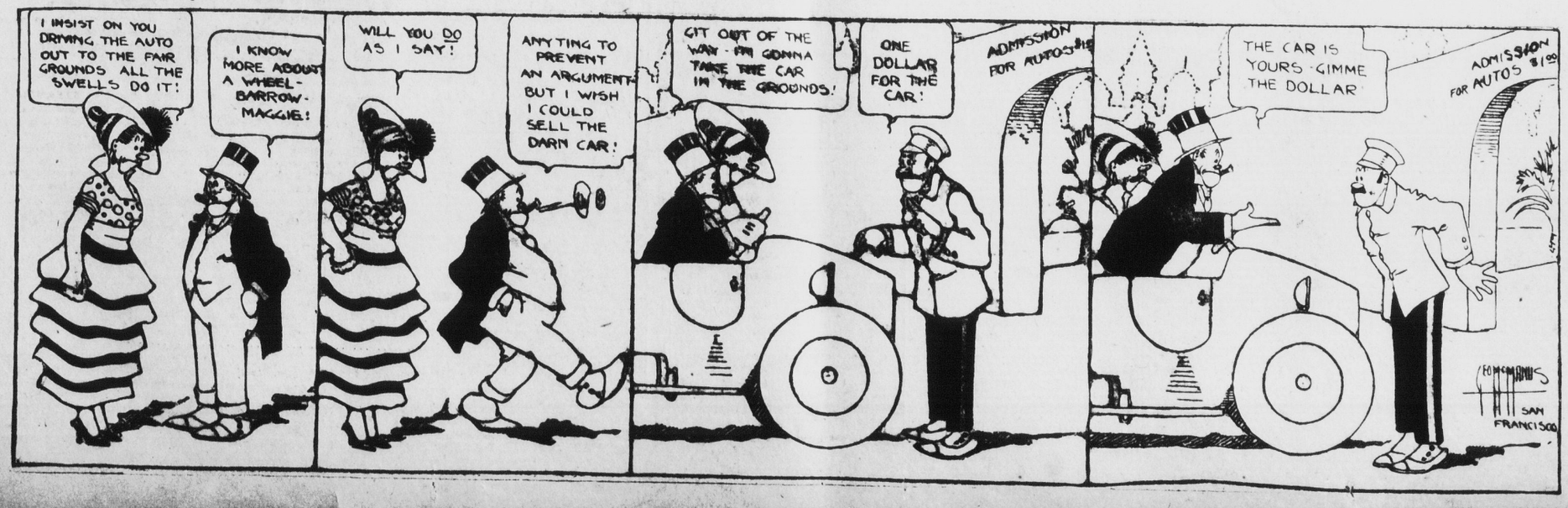
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