

Baseball

Toronto 2-4
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Tennis

Many Games
On Fifth Day

Cricket

Oakwood 62
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LEAFS RUDELY JOIT WILTS' BISONS

Winning Morning and Afternoon
Games on Independence Day
Each by a Run.

PETERSON AND JUSTIN

Proved the Winning Pitchers—
Umpire Johnson Put Chief
Meyers Out of Game.

Buffalo, July 4.—Luck and Umpire Johnson conspired with Dan Howley's Maple Leaf band here today and they put a crimp in the holiday program by tuesdaying the Bisons in both ends of the double bill. Both games were just squeezed over by a hair, but these close ones figure in the standings just the same as the others. The morning session went into the twelfth inning by a count of 2 to 1; while the faraway encounter was turned into a victory in the ninth inning, with the final count 4 to 3.

Umpire Johnson was in trouble from start to finish and his decisions for both sides were shaky, but the bad ones seemed to be called on the Bisons just at the critical points. Chief Meyers, one of the midwest players on the Buffalo team, objected to a few of Johnson's decisions on balls and strikes and he was banished from the field in the afternoon.

The morning game resulted in a nifty pitching duel between Peterson, of the Leafs, and Guy Cooper, the ace of the Bison firing corps. Peterson had the edge, off the mound, advanced to second by a single, while Cooper was out in the ninth and the Leafs got to Cooper for a tally in the second frame when Lear drew a base on balls, advanced to second on Purtil's sacrifice, and scored when Wilts made a wild throw in attempting to trap him at the third sack.

Lear also scored the other Leaf tally, and this too came as the result of a base on balls. After waiting for four wide ones in the sixth inning Lear went to second on Purtil's sacrifice, and crossed the plate when Eddie Onslow sent a snatching single to left.

The Bisons had a great chance to put the game on ice in the ninth inning, but they could not come thru in the pinch with a base hit. Bates was safe at first on Purtil's bunt. Harris drew a base on balls and Strait sacrificed the runners along a base. Chief Meyers, the best hitter of the Bison wrecking crew, was hit, but his best effort was a fly to left. Lear went to the front after the sacrifice hit, but Purtil continued the trouble with a single, but Onslow hit into a double play, leaving the side.

Justin had the Bisons eating out of his hand until the eighth inning, when they came to life for the first time and tied the score by tallying three times. Devinney started it off by drawing four balls. Harris singled to left and Bengough drew a base on balls, filling the sacks. Manager Wilts was there in the pinch with a two-bagger, scoring Devinney, Harris and Bengough.

The Leafs had their lunch left and they came right back in the ninth with a score on Purtil's single to right. Onslow's sacrifice and fense, scoring his second. The Bisons tried hard to put over a knockout wallop in their half, but failed and the day ended in complete rout.

HOW CLUBS STAND IN THREE LEAGUES

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Binghamton	29	16	.709
Rochester	23	21	.521
Baltimore	22	25	.468
Toronto	24	26	.479
Buffalo	28	30	.483
Newark	25	29	.463
Syracuse	19	36	.345
Jersey City	12	40	.231

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	47	18	.723
New York	42	22	.656
Baltimore	32	25	.562
Pittsburgh	31	34	.477
Boston	28	37	.432
Brooklyn	28	37	.432
Cincinnati	24	39	.381
St. Louis	24	39	.381

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	32	20	.615
Cleveland	42	32	.568
Boston	39	34	.534
Chicago	33	35	.486
Washington	34	37	.477
Philadelphia	28	41	.406
St. Louis	25	42	.373

THURSDAY GAMES.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	1	1	.500
St. Louis	1	1	.500
Pittsburgh	1	1	.500
Brooklyn	1	1	.500

FRIDAY GAMES.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	1	1	.500
St. Louis	1	1	.500
Pittsburgh	1	1	.500
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NEW YORK AT WASHINGTON.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
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Philadelphia	1	1	.500

BOSTON AT PHILADELPHIA.

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AT SYRACUSE (International)—Syracuse and Rochester split a double-header in the afternoon after the morning game was postponed because of wet grounds.

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