

MOTOR TRUCKS DROPPED TWO IN CITY LEAGUE SATURDAY.

Cubs Drop out of Race, Leaving Circuit a Three Team Affair; Dominion Steel Still Leading—Two Exhibition Games on Monday

As the result of Saturday's games the city baseball league the standing of the three clubs now remaining in the race for honors was materially changed. The Motor Trucks who occupy second place played two games and were defeated in both contests. The Holmedale Cubs have dropped out of the running and the best players have been absorbed by the Cordage Company. In the first game, the Motor Trucks had the contest practically salted away with a lead of four runs to none up to the fourth inning when the re-juvenated Cordage players came suddenly to life and scored two runs followed by another in the fifth and in the sixth, a total of five runs that proved sufficient to overcome the lead of the munitions men. The game provided some real baseball being featured by three snappy double plays and a spectacular catch by Summerhayes of a foul that came down barely grazing the screen in front of the grandstand. Both teams presented several new players and were greatly strengthened. The munitions men played two men recently secured from London, McFie a third baseman, and Arnott who plays equally well in either outfield of behind the plate. These two products of the Forest City, rapidly displayed their ability as hitters by tapping the first ball pitched to them in their initial appearance at bat, for two bases each. The score:

Cordage.		A. B. R. H. O. A. E.				
Hurley, c.f.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Bradley, l.f.	4	1	2	0	0	0
E. Sears, 3b.	3	0	2	0	1	1
Lee, 1 b.	4	0	0	6	0	0
F. Sears, s.s.	4	1	1	3	0	0
Johnson, r.f.	3	1	1	0	0	0
Beckett, 2b.	3	0	1	3	3	0
Summerhayes, c.	2	1	1	5	1	0
O'Connor, p.	3	1	1	0	3	0
28 5 8 20 8 4						

Motor Trucks.		A. B. R. H. O. A. E.				
Henry, s.s.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Rupp, l.f.	3	0	0	1	0	1
Jeffries, 2b.	2	0	0	1	3	0
Armstrong, 1b.	2	0	0	0	0	0
McFie, 3b.	2	0	1	3	2	0
Stewart, c.f.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Whittaker, r.f.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Clark, p.	2	0	1	0	2	0
19 0 3 18 9 4						

Summary—Three base hits, McKelvie; two base hits, O'Connell, McKelvie, Arnott. Struck out, by Harwood, 9; by Clark 3. Bases on balls, 1; off Clark 1. Double play, Stewart to Armstrong. Umpires, Hamburg and Legacy. Time of game 55 minutes.

Monday's Games.
The Dominion Steel on Monday morning went down to defeat at the hands of the Cordage team, who staged a rally in the eighth inning and snatched an apparently sure victory from the hands of their opponents. The Munitions men started strong, tallying twice in the first inning, and once each in the fourth, fifth and sixth. The Cordage pushed stray runs across the pan in the fourth and sixth frames, but until the fateful eighth Harwood appeared to have his opponents well in hand. The entire aspect of the encounter was altered, however, in the penultimate spasm, when the Cordage came to life with a rush, tallying five times. Burke and Bradley led off with clean singles, and after Ed. Sears had fled to left field, Lee took the ball between the shoulders as transportation to first base. Doyle booted Frank Sears' grounder, and Johnson followed up the advantage with a timely single, three runs crossing the pan upon these two plays, and Lee bringing in a fourth when Hurley and O'Connor were safe upon infield grounders, Johnson persisting meanwhile, when he was caught between third and home and run down. With Hurley on third, Tillman heaved the ball into deep left field, allowing the fifth runner of the inning to tally. The score:

Dominion Steel		A. B. R. H. O. A. E.				
Venning, 3rd	4	1	2	0	1	0
Doyle, s.s.	4	1	3	0	3	1
O'Connell, 2nd	3	1	0	2	0	0
McElvie, c.f.	3	1	0	0	2	0
Kaufman, r.f.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Smith, l.f.	4	0	1	3	0	0
McIntyre, 1st	4	0	0	6	0	0
Tillman, c.	4	0	1	0	2	2
Harwood, p.	4	0	1	1	1	1
33 5 7 24 8 7						

Cordage		A. B. R. H. O. A. E.				
Burke, 2nd	4	1	2	2	3	1
Bradley, l.f.	4	2	2	5	0	0
E. Sears, 3rd	4	0	0	3	1	0
Lee, 1st	2	0	1	6	0	2
F. Sears, s.s.	4	1	0	2	0	3
Johnson, r.f.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Hurley, c.f.	4	1	0	1	0	0
28 5 8 20 8 4						

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Team	W	L	P. C.
Providence	36	633	
Newark	60	37	619
Baltimore	45	45	500
Toronto	61	46	570
Rochester	49	56	467
Buffalo	46	62	426
Richmond	41	64	399
Montreal	41	66	385

Yesterday's Results
Toronto 7, Montreal 6.
Toronto 11, Montreal 2.
Baltimore 9, Rochester 6.
Richmond 8, Buffalo 6.

Games To-day
Toronto at Providence.
Rochester at Baltimore.
Buffalo at Richmond.
Montreal at Newark.

Team	W	L	P. C.
Chicago	66	38	.635
Detroit	60	39	.606
Cleveland	55	49	.529
New York	51	48	.515
Washington	44	56	.440
Philadelphia	36	61	.371
St. Louis	38	65	.369

Yesterday's Results
New York 5, Detroit 3.
Washington 1, St. Louis 0.
Cleveland 2, Boston 0.
Philadelphia 5, Chicago 4.

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

Team	W	L	P. C.
New York	60	32	.652
Philadelphia	50	41	.545
St. Louis	54	47	.535
Cincinnati	55	51	.519
Brooklyn	48	49	.495
Chicago	51	52	.495
Boston	41	53	.436
Pittsburg	32	66	.320

Yesterday's Results
St. Louis 1, Brooklyn 0.
Philadelphia 3, Chicago 2.
Pittsburg-Boston—Rain.
New York-Cincinnati—Rain.

Games To-day
Boston at Pittsburg.
Only one game scheduled.

Team	W	L	P. C.		
O'Connor, p.	4	0	1	3	1
Summerhayes, c.	4	2	0	5	1
33 7 6 25* 8 8					

Summary—Struck out—By Harwood, 7; by O'Connor, 3. Bases on Balls—Off Harwood, 1; off O'Connor, 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Harwood, Lee. Sacrifice hit—Oreutt; Sacrifice flies—Tillman, Johnson. Double plays—O'Connor to E. Sears; Doyle to Tillman to McFie. Stealer bases—Venning, 2; Doyle, Oreutt, McKelvie 2, Kaufman, Smith, Bradley, Hurley, Summerhayes, 2. Umpires—Hamburg and Crowley.

Although Allen yesterday scored a pounding in yesterday afternoon's game with the All Stars, the Dominion Steel Products came out on the long end of a five to four score. The decisions of the umpires at times were none too popular with the crowd, and it was only hard luck that prevented the All Stars from securing a victory. The batters were Cleator and Summerhayes, Allen and Tillman.

OUTPOSTS MOVED FORWARD
By Stewart Lyon.
(Canadian Press Correspondent With the Canadian Forces.)
Canadian Headquarters in France, Aug. 6.—Following up the successful advance on Saturday afternoon in the region of Cite du Moulin, another advance was made last night, which carries our outposts up to main line of the enemy's defence on the railway embankment to the west of Lens. The men of two Canadian battalions, in a dashing attack, captured a crater occupying road to the east of Cite du Moulin, and a crater to the north, on the Lens-Lain road, which passes through du Moulin.

For several days the enemy had maintained strong posts in these craters, whence harassing rifle-ammunition was directed at our outposts' line at night. The attack, for the most part, was carried out with bombs, the approach in both cases being through a maze of partially destroyed houses, which did not lend themselves to the use of the rifle. When the bombs began to fall the enemy did not stay to fight it out, but retired towards his main positions leaving the craters to be incorporated in our advanced lines. An attacking party then advanced to two tunnels known to be occupied by the enemy, and bombed them, inflicting, it is believed a considerable number of casualties on the enemy.

THE TURE.
"Princess Mary," owned by Mr. J. P. Buck and driven by Mr. Abe. Johnson, won the 2.10 pace purse, \$500, at Mt. Clemens, Mich., last Friday. The mare won the last three of five heats, time 2.11 1-4, 2.12 1-4, 2.10 1-4, 2.11 1-4, 2.11 1-4. She set the second heat by a nose, though being interfered with, by which she lost six or eight lengths. The race was a big betting affair and the Canadian visitors are reported to have profited by it. Princess beat among others "Tommy D", a very fast Ohio race horse, also "Prince Rupert", who won at Detroit grand circuit meeting the week before, making a record of 2.04 1-4. She will now race five times in Indiana.

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LEAFS TOOK TWO FROM THE ROYALS

Toronto Won Both Morning and Afternoon Games Yesterday

Toronto, Aug. 6.—The Leafs took both ends of the double bill from the Royals at the Island Stadium on the holiday by scores of 7 to 6, and 11 to 2 for the morning and afternoon games, respectively. Hoyt and Thomas were the oncoming twirlers for the morning contest, while Warhon and Stryker pitched in the afternoon.

The Royals went right after Toronto in the first game and notched a couple from the opening inning. Successive passes to McAuley and Moran, Lajoie's error and Smith's single doing the trick. The Leafs opened it up in the second when Altemberg and Hoyt's single drew a pass and Lajoie's hit safely. A walk to Thompson forced in Altemberg, while "Lena" counted on Truesdale's out. The Royals came through with three in the fifth on McAuley's single. Zimmerman's triple, Schulz's error and Cather's single. Jacobson's single, following Truesdale's double, produced a Toronto run in the last half of the same stanza. The Leafs came strong in the seventh, six of the eight hits of three runs went into the lead. Lalonde opened with a hit and Thompson followed suit. Truesdale fled to left, but Jacobson's hit scored Lalonde. Altemberg and Hoyt's single, Thompson and Whiteman worked the double steal, the former scoring. Larry tried, scoring Whiteman. The Royals obliterated the Leafs' advantage in the eighth on Statter's double and Hoyt's single. Zimmerman's error, Blackburne's sacrifice and Thompson's double produced what proved to be the winning run.

Good Crowd in Afternoon
Before the best crowd of the season the Leafs clouted the delivery of Stryker for fourteen hits and had little difficulty emerging on the top of a one-sided game. Joe Schultz leading the Leafs with a homer and Statter with six of the eight hits corralled by the Royals came in the two last innings, when Warhon eased up. Leafs grabbed their scores in bunches. In the second, Lajoie, Schultz and Altemberg hit successively. Hoyt and Larry and Joe scored on Blackburne's single. Lalonde's force counted for Altemberg. Singles by Truesdale, Jacobson and Whiteman. Lajoie's sacrifice fly and Schultz's home gave the Leafs a quartet of counters in the next inning. Jacobson singled in the fifth. Whiteman sacrificed and Schultz gave Toronto one more. The sixth saw the Leafs finish their offensive activities by scoring three times on Lalonde's single, Cather's error, a wild pitch, a double steal and Whiteman's drive to centre. The Royals' only counts came in the eighth on singles by Statter and Stryker. McAuley's double and Moran's sacrifice.

Baltimore, Aug. 6.—Baltimore came from behind and took the opener's against Rochester to-day by 9 to 6. Bues cleared the bases with a triple in the eighth. Manager Dunn has been suspended for his run-in with Umpire McBride on Saturday. Score: R. H. E. Rochester 0 1 3 1 0 0 1 0—12 5 3 Baltimore 2 0 0 1 0 1 5 x—9 16 3

Batteries—Schacht, Smith and Sandberg; Newton and McAvo, Schaufele.

At Richmond, Hummel and McDonald hit home runs in succession during the second inning to-day, but after that Adams was never in trouble. Richmond defeated Buffalo by 9 to 4. Score: R. H. E. Buffalo 0 3 0 0 0 0 1 0—4 6 1 Richmond 0 5 2 0 1 1 0 x—9 13 1

Batteries—McCabe, Jaynes and Onslow; Adams and Reynolds.

BRITISH CLOSE IN UPON LENS

English and the Canadian Troops Move Lines Nearer Coal Centre

CANADIANS ACTIVE

Carried Out Clever Advance In Most Successful Fashion

London, Aug. 6.—Again to-day the British forces operating against the important coal city of Lens made further advances west and south-west of their objective, according to the British official communication issued this evening. The advance on the west was made by two battalions from the Canadian unit. Following up their success of Saturday night, the Canadians captured and consolidated two enemy craters, from which the Germans had been firing hand grenades at the outpost lines nightly. The British official report said: "We advanced our lines to-day south-west and west of Lens."

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AW—I SPOSE SO—
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