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Reds Finish Season in Third Place

Won Both Games From St. Louis, While Pirates Broke Even

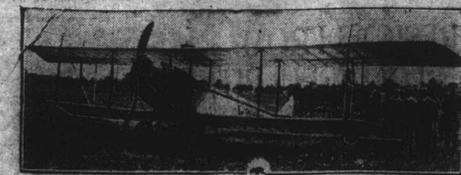
BROOKLYN IS FIFTH

With Rudolph Pitching, Braves Finally Defeat the Giants

Cincinnati, Sept. 2.—Cincinnati closed the season in third place by winning both games of the double-header from St. Louis this afternoon, 6 to 3 and 1 to 0. The scores: First game—R. H. E. Cincinnati 3 0 100111x—6 8 3 St. Louis 2 0 0000000—0 6 1

Monday's Scores. Cincinnati 3-3 New York 2-4 Philadelphia 5-3 Washington 2-8 Detroit 11-7 Chicago 5-3 Season ended.

At Philadelphia—Brooklyn closed the season in fifth place by beating



START AERIAL MAIL SERVICE FROM OTTAWA. The picture shows the aeroplane before it started from Ottawa with Lieut. Dunstan on the first trip with mail from the capital to Toronto, on Wednesday. The airman left Ottawa at 11:00 a.m., and arrived at Leaside Camp at 4:10 p.m.

Philadelphia in the second game of the holiday double-header to-day, 5 to 3. The Phillies won the first game, 4 to 2. Scores: First game—R. H. E. Philadelphia 3 0 2000000—5 3 3 Brooklyn 2 0 00000—2 6 1

Burllesque Ball at Detroit Park. Cobb, Bill Donovan and Veach Do the Twirling for the Tigers

RED SOX BREAK EVEN. Washington Lose Chance to Finish Second by Losing Just One Game

Detroit, Sept. 2.—Making little effort to play championship ball Detroit and Chicago ended their league season here this afternoon with a double-header, the home team winning both games, 11 to 5 in the first and 7 to 3 in the second. Detroit got 16 hits off Danforth in the first game and 21 off Cicotte in the second. Cobb, Bill Donovan and Veach took turns in the box. The scores:

First game—R. H. E. Chicago 002000003—5 14 1 Detroit 35920000x—11 16 1 Batteries—Danforth and Devoorn; Boland and Yelle. Second game—R. H. E. Chicago 0090100110—3 10 3 Detroit 00401002x—7 21 1 Batteries—Cicotte and Schalk; Cobb, Veach, Donovan and Stange.

At New York.—In the final game of the season at the Polo Grounds here to-day the Boston American and New York American League teams broke even, the Red Sox taking the first, 3 to 2, and the Yankees winning the second, 4 to 3. Love was hit hard in the sixth inning of the first game and gave two passes. The Yankees could do little with Jones. The second game was close, with heavy hitting throughout. The Yankees took the lead in the eighth, but the Red Sox tied it up in the ninth, only to lose in the tenth. Baker's single winning the game with two out. The scores:

First game—R. H. E. Boston 100002000—3 9 1 New York 010000010—2 7 0 Batteries—Jones and Schang; Love and Hannah. Second game—R. H. E. Boston 010100001—3 10 1 New York 000011011—4 9 1 Batteries—Dubuc and Mayer; Morrige and Hannah. At Washington.—Washington lost all chance of taking second place in the American League pennant race to-day when Philadelphia won the morning game, 5 to 2. Washington won the afternoon game, 8 to 3. The scores:

Morning game—R. H. E. Philadelphia 100003100—5 12 0 Washington 000000002—2 6 3 Batteries—R. Johnson and McAtroy; Harper, Ayers and Pielnich. Afternoon game—R. H. E. Philadelphia 001002000—3 9 1 Washington 04010111x—8 11 3 Batteries—Watson and Perkins; Shay and Pielnich, Altmuth. At St. Louis.—No games, Cleveland team dissolving Sunday.

JOKE GAME ON HOLIDAY

The Massey-Harris Team of Toronto Looked Like "Bushers"

WERE HELD TO ONE HIT. Verity's Won Encounter 16-1 Though Playing Listless

A FARCE ENCOUNTER

Toronto enjoys a reputation for many things, and has a reputation for others wished upon it. In addition to being The Good City, and the capital of Ontario, it is noted for being the home of pretty girls, and can now in addition claim the distinction of housing the poorest ball team which ever appeared on a diamond.

Local fans here often wondered if baseball inferior to our city league calibre was ever played. Those who saw yesterday morning's game know beyond doubt that it is, or the visiting segregation racket—what show of merit can one expect ever-goes—from the entire Massey-Harris plant of Toronto, put up an exhibition which in a less dry country would have driven all normal fans to drink. It may be that a few of the team had handled a ball before, but it must have been long enough ago to permit them to forget the fact, and on yesterday's showing it should be a long time before any of them will be trusted on a diamond again. Verity's pennant contenders in the city league, are far from being of big-league class, and the credit the visitors they showed up like world beaters, and playing listless ball throughout, annexed the game by a score of 16-1.

Try as they might, Toronto were unable to drive a single run across the plate until Harwood took pity on them and handed out four passes, trying the visitors' their only tally. For the rest of the game, Harwood, though vastly superior, five minutes his opponents, holding them to one hit and fanning fifteen men. The exhibition put up by the visiting team was a spectacle to wring tears of laughter from the dearest heart in the wilds of Greenland and Siberia, the natives know nothing at all about baseball, but there are nine or ten would-be players in Toronto who know even less. Had the game been played in the States, fans might have been disgusted at the false pretences under which they had been induced to pay out their perfectly good money, but the burlesque was so good, and was worth more than the price of admission.

The game in detail, would be difficult of description. Verity's, though not playing their best brand of ball, was vastly superior, five minutes after the visitors had stepped on the field. In fact, among many the opinion prevailed that Manager Kerr had been the victim of a hoax, and that a bunch of amateurs had been shipped from the Queen City. It's a cinch Toronto would be glad to get rid of 'em.

The Plowmakers found their stride in the third inning and from then on scored every inning, generally several times. When they failed to hit safely, either Picknell or Gingras could be depended to boot the ball and give a couple of men a hit. Every runner who reached the first stole second, and the visitors, in fact, could scarcely hang onto the ball when it was tossed from one to another. If the Massey-Harris team ever played in an organized league, it must have been one with a doubly reinforced concrete bottom to prevent them from falling through. To paradise, it was magnificent, but it was not baseball. The score: Brantford A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E. Crandall, ss. 4 3 2 1 2 0 Croley, rf. 5 1 3 1 0 0 Sears, c, 3rd. 6 1 3 10 1 0

Davidson, lb. 3 1 1 5 0 1 Moss, 2b. 4 2 3 2 2 0 Anderson, lf. 5 3 2 0 0 0 Lottridge, 3b. 2 1 1 0 0 0 McAuley, cf. 4 3 2 0 0 0 Harwood, p. 2 0 1 0 0 3 Bradshaw, c. 2 1 0 6 1 0 Bell, 1b. 3 0 0 1 0 0 Toronto 42 16 18 27 8 2

Score by innings—R. H. E. Massey-Harris 000000100—1 8 Verity's 03421213x—16 18

Summary—Innings pitched, by Patterson 7, 15 hits, 13 runs; by Beck 1, 3 hits, 3 runs. Struck out, by Harwood 15, by Patterson 3, by Beck 1. Bases on balls, off Harwood 6, off Patterson 5. Hit by pitched ball, by Patterson (Moss). Two-base hit, McCauley. Three-base hit, Croley. Sacrifice hits, Patterson, Croley, Stollen bases, Beck 2, Picknell 2, Crandall 3, Croley, Sears, Lottridge 2, McCauley, Harwood, Double plays, Crandall to Moss to Davidson; Beck to Gingras. Wild pitches, Patterson 2. Passed balls, Woods 4. Left on bases, Verity's 9, Massey-Harris 7. Umpire, Leo.

TORONTO GRABS CHAMPIONSHIP

Leafs Took Two Games Yesterday While Bingoes Dropped One

TWELVE-INNING GAME

Lear Drove in Winning Run Returning His Team as Champions

Toronto, Sept. 3.—Dan Howley's Leafs are champions of the new International League. They staged one of the greatest finishes ever in the history of the league, and the credit the trick yesterday, and the credit must go to King Lear. Three times during a thrilling twelve-inning game Lear stepped up, and each time he delivered with a stinging hit that sent over a run. His last effort was the greatest. It sent over the run that won the championship.

The Leafs had to win two games from the Bisons yesterday to be called champions. They did. The morning game came out 4 to 4, and it took twelve innings to get the verdict 5 to 4 in the afternoon. To make the championship possible, Jack Dunn and his Baltimore team won the second game of a double-header from the Bingoes. It was the Bird's first victory in five starts against Binghamton, and the Leafs' battling would have won for nought at the Bingoes had squeezed over a win in the second game.

The afternoon game yesterday was the hardest fought of the year. It meant the championship of second place, and the Bisons gave the team their toughest argument of the season. The Bisons forged ahead early, but the Leafs caught them in the fifth thanks to Lear and his trusty bat. Two hits and a wild pitch let the herd go out in front again in the tenth. Lear ambled up with Dolan on the paths in our half. Lear smashed out a beautiful hit 86 rights, and again it was tied. In the twelfth with the bases full and Callahan just passed purposely to make a play at every corner. Lear hit it far over the centre fielder's head, and the game was won and the old flag secured. It was a great finish to a thrilling fixture. If Toronto fans do not see a ball game for many years to come, they will always be able to go back and delve into the doings of the day that King Lear won the new International League pennant in 1918. The first-acker won undying fame with his trusty war club in the second game yesterday, and he is the man to thank for the championship. Three times during the second game Lear appeared in a pinch, and each time he rapped out a hit. He drove the ball far over the centre fielder's head in the twelfth inning to send over the winning run. It was a fitting climax to a great game. The final score was 5 to 4. The Bisons played like league leaders. They went to the front in the early stages. The Leafs caught them

in the fifth, but the Buffalo crew took the lead again in the tenth. Lear stepped in for the second time during the afternoon and drove over the tying run. He then waited until the twelfth, and smashed one over Buckley's head with one down and Bobby Hook on third. It was an easy home run, but Lear only needed to touch first base and reach the home plate and the title was ours.

The crowd simply went wild and warmed onto the field and hugged and patting the players on the back like long-lost brothers. Cozy Dolan was waiting at the plate to dump a bucket of water over Bobby Hook as he crossed the plate with the run and the title was ours.

One could spend the best part of a day explaining all about this great fixture, but what is the use. Justin retired in the eighth after he was spiked at first base, and Bobby Hook was on the mound when the Leafs turned in the victory. Bobby gets the credit for the win, as the score was tied when Justin retired. The Leafs fielded in brilliant style. Anderson and Gonzales pulled sparkling work on ground balls, and the outfield work was all that could be asked for. Buckley kindly dropped two flies that the Leafs took full advantage of.

The Bisons were out to do their bit. They went after the Leafs as if a victory would give Buffalo the championship of the world. In fact it was said that they were the reason for the great Bison fight. The visitors fought tooth and nail until Lear won it in the twelfth. The Leafs got a run in the first, and it was a gift. With two down Callahan cracked out a hit to left and stole second. Lear sent up an easy fly to centre and Buckley dropped it. Callahan trotted home with a run. Buffalo took the lead by scoring two in the fourth. Strait walked and Corcoran sacrificed. Wilkes singled, and Bengough's sacrifice fly to left let the first run over. Armstrong cut a hit to centre for a tally that put the Leafs one up. McCarron's triple and Strait's single in the fifth gave Buffalo a two-run margin.

King Lear got in his first telling flicks in the fifth. The Leafs tied it here for the first time. Buckley doubled Fisher's fly and Justin doubled to right. Dolan walked and Gonzales flew out to short centre. Callahan's sacrifice fly to centre let Fisher home, and Lear's corking hit to left let Justin over with the tying run. It was a great battle until the 10th, without any scoring. The first man up in the eighth bunted to Lear, and Justin was spiked trying to cover first. He retired and Heck finished the pitching duty. With one down in the tenth, Thomas beat out a hit to first, and went to second on a wild pitch. Buckley supplied a hit to score him.

Nothing daunted, the Leafs went back and tied it again. Dolan opened with a neat single and Gonzales sacrificed. Callahan popped out on the first pitched ball. Lear hit an honest one to right, and again the Leafs stood on even terms. Herche hit one a mile-a-minute down to third. McCarron just touched the ball and deflected it to Armstrong, who threw out Herche by a step. If the ball had gone through it would have meant the export of casein from Canada has been prohibited.

The twelfth was the grand and glorious finish for 1918 baseball. Heck got a life when Corcoran dropped his pop fly when Strait bumped into Mickey. Dolan neatly sacrificed and Gonzales hit to left. Callahan was purposely walked. Wilkes figured on a play at every corner. Lear hit one over the head of centre field, touched first, and Heck came home with the run that won the championship. Toronto won the morning game 4 to 1 by using their clubs with telling effect late in the game. Dolan played a real one by stealing home cleanly in the opening inning.

CUBS ALL SET FOR THE BIG SERIES

Will Clash With Red Sox in Opening Game at Chicago Tomorrow

VAUGHN IS TO PITCH?

Chicago, Sept. 3.—The Chicago Nationals returned from Pittsburgh to-day and began preliminary practice for the opening game of the world's series here to-morrow, with the Boston Red Sox, champions of the American League. Ideal weather is promised for the initial contest. Manager Fred Mitchell ordered his team to report at the American League Park this afternoon for a practice session in which the Cubs will acquaint themselves with the lights and shadows of the grounds. Charles A. Combsky, president of the Chicago Americans, present world champions, has invited Manager Edward Barrow to hold a practice session at the grounds on the arrival of the Red Sox probably late to-day. Jim Vaughn, the big south-paw, has been picked by Chicago sport writers, as the probable choice of Manager Mitchell for the opening game, while the baseball risto guesses that Boston's right-hander, Curly Mays will start for the Red Sox with Ruth as second choice. Mays' peculiar submarine delivery, the like of which the National League champions have not met, has led fandom to believe that he will start of baseball's earliest world championship game.

Tickets for reservations for the games which in price will be the cheapest on record have sold far better than was anticipated by Walter Craig, secretary of the Nationals. Two thousand box seats for to-morrow's game at \$3.90 war tax included were placed on sale and other sales for the following games will be held.

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