

Baseball Toronto 1 J. City 0

TAKE THE OPENER FROM THE SKEETERS

Nice Pitching Duel is Awarded to Pat Shea by One Run.

Blue Monday is over; the Leafs came thru the ordeal with flying colors. Bill Donovan and his much-improved Jersey City Peas opened a three-game series at the island yesterday. The Skeeters have shaken their dark uniforms that adorned them for the last two seasons, and with the dropping of the old rag, Bill's team have adopted pepper and a fine brand of baseball. They fought the Leafs tooth and nail for the full route yesterday, and Duffy was glad to call it off with the only run of the game in the Toronto bat bag.

It was a good pitching exhibition, with Pat Shea tossing them up for the home-stand, and Biemiller doing the Skeeter end. It was an even tussle, seven hits, and the Leafs won by one run. The heady base-running by Frank O'Rourke showed a brilliant performance throughout the whole game. Shea pitched a promising Skeeter season right from the start. Shea pitched a promising Skeeter season right from the start. Shea pitched a promising Skeeter season right from the start.

The Jersey City team are long on fielding this year, a falling in past seasons, and their work was a treat. Two double-plays were sprung on Duffy, and while it was not encouraging for the local fans, it was good work, and appreciated.

Vernon Spencer had a perfect day at bat. He was credited with two hits in two trips to the plate, his other effort being a perfect sacrifice and a modest little speech thru the megaphone by the flyweight marvel. There were four good bunts, and all went the limit. Benny Valger of New York, defeated Nick Michaels of Syracuse, 2 rounds at 133 lbs. They were evenly matched as to size and color, Hebrew against a Scotchman, and they battled all the way. Valger essayed to do the leading and Michaels never backed up. It was a great fight. In the second Valger crossed a jolt to the jaw and Michaels went down for the count. This was repeated twice before the bell in the same round. Michaels was in no trouble and always stood back for the Skeeter.

After Onslow's second round, the second Whitman doubled in the third, went to third when Biemiller fielded Blackburn's bunt, and went to third too late to get Whitey. Biemiller fielded the run by getting picked off the third base on a snap throw by the catcher.

The lone run of the game was pushed over in the third by two hits. O'Rourke sprinted in first ahead of Bill, took lead off second, and committed a balk, and the umpire ordered the Leafs to stop play. O'Rourke's nice hit to right did the trick. Biemiller went well after this, the Duffy-fies getting only three scattered hits in the remaining five innings that it was necessary to play. In the fifth Biemiller struck out Anderson, Sanberg and Shea. Shea nipped himself, and a real Miller's long single. The visitors led until the ninth. Bauman pegged to second, but Blackburn, Kane bounced a hit off Noville, the league's leading hitter, led drive to center. Spencer fumbled, and Bauman hit to right, but Onslow gathered in Stark's high foul to end the game.

CANT STOP BISONS; NOSED OUT MARINES
At Rochester (International)—Baltimore defeated Rochester 9 to 5, in a poorly-played game. The score: Baltimore 9, Rochester 5. Batters—Frank and Egan; Seaman, Burfield and Ross.

At Buffalo—Buffalo defeated Reading 10 to 6 in a ten-inning game. Jacobs doubled in the fifth and scored on Miller's long single. The visitors led until the seventh, when the Bisons rallied and tied the score.

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Photo taken shortly after arrival in Toronto yesterday. On account of the visit of the Falcons, Jimmie's official welcome was postponed till tomorrow. However, he was cheered to the echo last night at the Arena.

VALGER, MONTREAL, JOYCE AND BURKE WIN AT BEST BOXING SHOW OF SEASON

The United Veterans put on a great boxing show last night at the Arena, the best of the season, and there were two added attractions, the Winnipeg Falcons, world's hockey champions, and Jimmie Wilde, both being introduced from the ring amidst cheers and a modest little speech thru the megaphone by the flyweight marvel. There were four good bouts, and all went the limit. Benny Valger of New York, defeated Nick Michaels of Syracuse, 2 rounds at 133 lbs. They were evenly matched as to size and color, Hebrew against a Scotchman, and they battled all the way. Valger essayed to do the leading and Michaels never backed up. It was a great fight. In the second Valger crossed a jolt to the jaw and Michaels went down for the count. This was repeated twice before the bell in the same round. Michaels was in no trouble and always stood back for the Skeeter.

GIANTS TROUNCED IN OVERTIME GAME

Pirates Are Winners in Fifteen Innings - Detroit Sluggers Are Busy.

The council of the Toronto and District Senior Association met last night and selected teams to play against the B. F. Goodrich Club of Akron on May 24 and 26. The games in the second round of the Ontario Cup were scheduled for May 22.

The following players have been granted their transfers: L. Barrett, Lanca-shire; H. H. Baker, York; J. L. Old Country, to B.A.N.C.; S. J. Hall, Old Country, to C.O.K.; K. J. O'Connell, to C.C.M.; to Kodak; E. Petrie, Scottish; D. W. Cunningham, Cunningham; W. J. Parkville, Parkville.

Player Clark of Gunns was severely confined for concussion on the field. Dominion Express was accepted, to the fourth division of the league.

The games for the week are as follows: Wednesday, at Varsity, Bridgen Cup final—Clister v. Overland. Saturday, Ontario Cup—Second round, W. Dunlop v. Davenport; referee, W. Murchie.

Caledonians v. Devonians; J. Bailey, U.V.L. v. Baracas; J. Lamb, U.V.L. v. Bally Beach; J. All Scott; C. Hall, Parkville v. Willy; J. Johnston.

S.C.R. v. Lancashire; A. Kerr, U.V.L. v. Toronto Scottish; Banks, Gunns v. Old Country; C. State.

Victoria v. Chamrock; J. Turk, Sunlight v. Hydro; J. Cameron.

Team for Monday, 24th, against Akron: Hill (U.V.L.), Hutchins (O.C.C.), Dierden (Willys), Acker (Scottish), McAdam (U.V.L.), Canfield (Dunlop), Wilcox (U.V.L.), Marsh (O.C.C.), Ferguson (U.V.L.), Linton (Scottish), McNeilly (U.V.L.), Reserves: Smith and Sims (Scottish), Cowan and Fidler (Davenport).

Team for Wednesday, May 26: Stangfield (Willys), Hill (U.V.L.), Johnston (Scottish), Hamilton (All Scots), Jones (Lancashire), Martin (U.V.L.), Anderson (Scottish), Gallows (All Scots), Griffith (O.C.C.), Forsythe (U.V.L.), Taylor (Willys), Reserves: Bennett (O.C.C.), Brooks (U.V.L.), Mason and Devonians), and J. Hunt (U.V.L.).

Barca F.C. players, junior and senior, are requested to report at Avenue road grounds this evening for practice.

All signed players of the S.O.E. senior soccer team, and all those interested, are requested to meet at the gymnasium, St. Philip's Church, corner of Dundas and Spadina, on Wednesday, May 19, at 8.30. Business important.

A meeting of the Industrial Council will be held this evening in the West End Y.M.C.A., at 8 o'clock. Club secretaries may obtain additional registration forms at this meeting.

Cedarvale practice on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock sharp. All players are requested to be on hand at Woodbine avenue grounds. Executive please attend. Team will be chosen to meet Parkdale Rangers A on Saturday, May 22.

All players of the Willys-Overland Junior F.C. are asked to be at Lambton Park tonight at 8.30 for practice. Attention is also drawn to the regular meeting Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the canteen.

Jesse Ketchum-Belmont Bantams will practice at Jesse Ketchum Park tonight at 8.30. The following players are asked to be on hand: Johnson, Tinning, Cox (U.V.L.), Marsh (O.C.C.), Ferguson (U.V.L.), McMahon, Wood, W. Glasgow, O. Glasgow, G. MacPherson, A. MacPherson, Ross, C. Sisson, Whimsett and Littlefair. This team is anxious to give another good pitcher.

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Utman, se.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Batman, sb.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Kane, jr.	4	0	0	0	0	0
DeNoville, lb.	2	1	2	1	0	0
Stark, 2b.	4	0	0	1	2	0
Freitag, c.	2	0	1	0	2	0
Biemiller, d.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	32	0	7	24	13	0

TWO HITS DID IT

At Philadelphia (American)—Five home runs, four triples and three doubles enlivened Detroit's 7-to-7 victory over Philadelphia. Ira Flagstead returned to the visitors' line-up and knocked out two home runs, score: Detroit 10, Philadelphia 7.

At Washington—St. Louis took a close-played contest from Washington, 2 to 1. Zenary proving effective, except in 1. Washington 2, St. Louis 1.

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Akron Moves Up To Third Position

Have Played Less Games and Pass the Birds - Bisons Hold Lead.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Buffalo	17	9	.654
Toronto	15	9	.625
Akron	13	10	.565
Baltimore	12	10	.545
Reading	11	13	.452
Jersey City	8	12	.400
Rochester	9	15	.375
Syracuse	4	19	.174

Monday Scores

Toronto 4, Jersey City 0

Baltimore 3, Rochester 6

Buffalo 8, Reading 2

Akron 3, Syracuse 8

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Jersey City at Toronto.

Reading at Buffalo.

Baltimore at Rochester.

Syracuse at Akron.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cincinnati	16	12	.571
Chicago	14	12	.538
Brooklyn	12	10	.545
Pittsburgh	12	10	.545
Boston	10	9	.526
Philadelphia	10	14	.417
St. Louis	9	14	.391
New York	8	13	.381

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cleveland	17	7	.708
Boston	15	8	.652
Chicago	10	10	.500
New York	12	12	.500
St. Louis	12	12	.500
Washington	10	13	.435
Philadelphia	8	14	.364
Detroit	8	18	.300

M. AND O. LEAGUE.

Club	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
London	4	2	.667
Plint	3	3	.500
Kitchener	3	3	.500
Hamilton	3	3	.500
Battle Creek	3	3	.500
Brantford	2	3	.400
Saginaw	2	3	.400
Bay City	1	4	.250

Winnipeg Falcons Are Dined and Feted by Appreciative Torontonians.

At the Parliament buildings, the Falcons and their party were presented to the Mayor, C. J. Thompson, M.P., Premier Drury, Hon. W. R. Ryan, Hon. H. C. Nixon and Hon. Manning Donnelly. C. J. Thompson, M.P., performed the necessary introductions.

Several well-known speakers took the occasion as one to laud the great benefit of clean sport. The Falcons were praised to the skies, and they will appreciate their feeling that Toronto approval of them is a great honor.

The mayor proposed the toast to the champions, and Mr. Hewitt replied. P. J. Mulqueen, Joe E. Atkinson, Frances Nelson, Controller Ramadge, Joe Kelley, J. J. Macdonald, Judge Chubb, Dr. Barton, Harry McGee and Jas. Marwick were the speakers. The theme of all speeches was the honor of Toronto, led by the Falcons, the good of sport to the morals of the country, and feeling of gladness on the part of the city to be allowed to give the Falcons a welcome.

TRAINERS AND JOCKS MUST HAVE LICENSES

Some Stiff Work by the Platers Before Good Crowd of Woodbine Railbirds.

Trainers and jockeys must file applications for licenses by twelve o'clock Wednesday, May 19, at the office of the Ontario Jockey Association.

Very impressive was the work of the Seagram candidates, two of whom worked the full distance, without sign of fatigue. Crown of Gold, the one most favored; Sweet Bouquet and Royal Red Bird, all broke from the start.

Player, three-eighths in 28 2-8; Chief Spencer, half in 49 4-5; Jim Farrow, C. A. Crew, three-quarters in 1:18; Gallagher, three-quarters in 1:18; Kiltie, three-quarters in 1:17 4-5; Rock, three-quarters in 1:17 4-5; Kerendy, War Tax and Resear, a half in 50 4-4.

Flyweight Champion Arrives to Train on Spot for Wallace Bout.

Jimmie Wilde arrived yesterday for a week on the spot in preparation for his fight with easy winner Wallace. His bid is \$10,000, and the amount is due to be handed over today. He has an unbeaten record, and is coming to this contest, regardless of the garbled reports sent out after his opening battle.

WEST YORK PIGEONS.

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