LONDON TAKES LEAD IN OPENER AND BRANTS FAIL TO CATCH UP

Dunn, Lamy and Linneborn Feature Game, in Which London is Outhit, But Not Outclassed - Looey Bierbauer Has Only One Putout During the Game.

The London Tecumsehs went right out in the first inning and won a ball game yesterday afternoon over at Tecumseh Park. The score was 6 to 2, and four of those six counters were worked around in the opening spasm. The Brantford Red Sex were the gents holding the ducce end of the deal.

The reason for such haste on the part of the local crew may be attributed to a rain-like feeling that pervaded the atmosphere about the time the fracas started. It is customary to prolong the winning part of the pastime until one of the later stanzas, but the appearance of a flock of moisture-laden cloudlets in the northwest section of the firmament made it look as though the contest would be short and sweet and barely able to crawl along the four and a half or five innings necessary to make it a game. So after going out and annexing four little counters, this Lonto make it a game. So, after going out and annexing four little counters, this London aggregation started to battle the elements and the Brantford Brants all at the same time. The rain came, and a mighty poor imitation of a downpour it was. It lasted until the sixth inning. That is about as far as the Brantford Red Sox

went, also.

Red Sox Hit Steiger Hard.

Things aren't breaking for "Rube"
Deaneau like they used to break. No, siree. After passing through the ordeal of facing Bobby Heck Thursday with only two hits, he must have convinced his hired hands that there was only one left-hander in this league that they couldn't hit, for they came back at Heinie Steiger yesterday and caused his retirement in the fifth chapter. Up to that time they had made nine hits off the Detroit boy, but, despite the fact that they were nine good, healthy wallops, only two runs could be scared across the plate. "Doc" Reisling eased himself into the box after Steiger went, and he finished the game in fine shape, yielding up but one safe drive to the Telephone but one safe drive to the Telephone City representative Joe Dunn Stars.

The visitors outhit the Indians and did not make as many boots, but in every other way the home help had it over Deaneau's club like a tent. Tha first inning was a thing of beauty and joy forever. It wasn't so much the fou runs, but the manner in which they were made. It was the only inning that London bunched hits off Taylor, the Brantford pitcher. They got three then and spent the rest of the game collecting

Joe Dunn started all the trouble, an Joseph spent the rest of the afternooi preventing the Red Sox from undoing what he started in that opening session What he started in that opening sessions besides having a fine day at bat, with two blows in four times up, he chased himself all over the outfield and captured four hard drives by some of the nicest left fielding seen here since Oskee Neale cavorted in the outer gardens.

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Bierbauer and Lamy on third and sec-ond, respectively, Ray Whitcraft laid down a nice bunt on the squeeze play, and when Taylor threw out "Whitty" at first, Louis and Lamy scored, the lat-coming all the way from second by great piece of baserunging that tickled growd and made the Brantford team singling and getting caught trying to

Red Sox Fall In the Pinches. Red Sox Fall in the Pinches,
In the first six innings, Brantford
connected safely with Steiger nine times,
but great fielding pulled the southpaw
out of some bad holes. In the first inning, after striking out Deneau, with two on, and causing Ivers to fly out to Reidy, an error by Mullin filled the bases. Lamy gathered in Roth's drive, however, and prevented any runs. In the second in-ning. Forgue and Lacroix led off with singles, but Forgue was smothered at third on Lamond's grounder. Burns watked and, with the bases full and only one out, it looked bad. Nelson's effort, lowever, was a line drive that Joe Dunn made a great catch of and then doubled Behan's single. Burrell opened the fourth Lamond at second, he having started for third, thinking the drive was a safe one. Lacroix had waited for the catch and started for home but he had catch and started for he had catch and started for

With two on, Deneau fanned. It was the second time he had been struck out in a pinch. In the fifth, the Brants added another when Ivers singled, but was forced at second on Taylor's grounder. Roth went out to Whiteraft, but Mullin booted Forgue's graunder. Lacroix then hit for two sacks and Taylor sounted. "Doc" Reisling went in to pitch then.

Beavers, with the score four to one, but that seventh had yet to be reckoned with. Patten doubled. Behan flied to right, and McNeil scored Patten with a single. Dorbeck popped to Ort, and Dawson scratched a base hit. Scott hit to Ort, but Schultz dropped an easy throw, which should have retired the side. That left the bases full, and Colligan doubled, driving in three more runs. Gygli flied to left.

scored. Whiteraft went right around to the nimth, Dawson walloped a home run third, and scored a moment later when Snyder missed the ball and Lacroix muffed it on an attempted squeeze play.

Bierbauer Had Only One Putout.

Louis Bierbauer established quite a TORONTO.

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two blows in four times up, he chased himself all over the outfield and captured four hard drives by some of the nicest left fielding seen here since Oskee Neale cavorted in the outer gardens. Nothing was too hard for Joe, and just why Erie let him get away is puzzling. Colligan, his successor, isn't near up to the class that Dunn has displayed here in the two games he has played. His catches cut off about half a dozen runs that the visitors had budding on the bases.

Lamy's Fine Baserunning.

Eddie Lamy figured prominently in the pastime. After Joe Dunn had doubled in the first inning, Eddie Linneborn laid down a perfect bunt and beat it out to first, Dunn taking third. Taylor would not take a chance on Bierbauer, so he passed him. Lamy bounced one at Forgue, but the latter mussed it up in trying to hurry the play, and Dunn scored. "C" Reidy was thrown out by Forgue, while Linneborn scored. With Bierbauer and Lamy on third and second. Tespectively. Bey With and second.

Dawson's Homer Provided Tieing Tally, But Toronto Got to Brown for Winning Run.

[Special to The Advertiser.] TORONTO, June 26 .- Although the Beaver defense crumpled like an eggshell in the seventh round today, 'Knotty" Lee's boys inaugurated a savage attack on Morse and Brown, the relief pitchers called on by Erie in the eighth and ninth, and finally thumped out a victory by 7 to 6.

Bobby Auld held Erie to one run until the disastrous seventh. Dorbeck went but the Beavers clambered all over him in the fourth, and took off three runs, making the score three to one, Erie having counted in the second by means Lacroix had waited for the catch and started for home, but he had not arrived there before Dunn's throw nipped Lamond, so the run didn't count.

"Rube" Fans Twice.

In the fourth, singles by Forgue, Lacroix and Burns gave the Brant's their first run. "Cy" Reidy let Burn's single get past him and Biddy made second. Trout scored the pair with a three-bagger, and Schultz brought Trout home with a sharp single. The Beavers made it four to one in the sixth, due largely to Killilea's good hase running. He singled, and when Dawson fumbled, he went right on to third, when Trout again provided a timely single. Things looked fairly safe for the Beavers, with the score four to one, but that seventh had yet to be reckoned counted. "Doc" Reisling went in to pitch then.

London secred twice in the sixth, when Lamy walked and Reidy sacrificed him to second. Whiteraft bunted and had the ball beat. Nelson motioned to throw to first and Lamy kept on coming to the plate. Nelson thereupon threw to Lacroix, but the throw went wild and Lamy in the eighth, making it six to five. In secred Whiteraft went right around to the ninth. Dawson walloned a home run

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| 3 | Morse 2, Brown 1. Base on balls-Off Auld |
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A nonogenarian Mexican war veteran who is blind, wants to go to fight Mexico again. He should stay at home and help Prexy Wilson see his way out.

A contract is a written promise to keep one's word—and when it becomes neces-sary to put it in writing the man's word

White Heavyweight In Action



Frank Moran, Photographed in Paris While Training for the Big Battle Today.

CHASE OPPOSES

Brantford Southpaw and "Cuz" Hammond Pitch Game This Afternoon at Tecumseh Park.

[BY BERT PERRY.]

Rube Deneau's big left-hander, Chase, will oppose the Tecumsehs this afternoon in the final game of the series. "Cuz" Hammond will in all probability be on the mound for the locals, although Ben Beebe is also a likely selection. The rain that fell during the morning did not hurt the diamond to any great extent, and it should be in great shape by the kept off and the sky appeared to be clearing.

Some Changes in Brantford Lineup. The Brantford lineup will be changed around a trifle today. Biddy Burns is out of the game with an injured knee as a result of sliding back into first base yesterday when Reisling caught him off the bag. Burns slid into the bag heavily and he nearly spiked Louis Bierbauer. It was in trying to save Louis that he, hurt himself. As it was, one of his spikes tore a large piece out of Bierbauer's stocking. Taylor will take Bruns' place in left field. Just who will go to right Rube had not definitely de-Lamond will do the catching

HAMILTON LOSES TO OTTAWA WHEN YATES IS HIT HARD

Ottawa's New Twinler Pitches His First Game and Is Released by Shaughnessy After.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
OTTAWA, June 26.—Hamilton secured
a four-run lead in two innings off Roba four-run lead in two innings off Robinson, Ottawa's new twirler from the Western League, but it was not enough to win, as the Senators rallied in the sixth, seventh and eighth, and won out, it to 6. Lill replaced Robinson in the third and was frightfully wild, but only two runs were scored off him. Bill Donahue started for the Athletics, but in the sixth, with the score 6—4 for the visit-ors, he walked two men, and Manager Yates yanked him and went to the mound himself. Two runs were secured off him, tieing the score. In the eighth the Champions brought out their war clubs and slaughtered the Hamilton managet, five counts coming across. Smejkal was put out of the game for disputing a bad decision of Umpire Miller's on first base.

Robinson was released tonight.

PETERBORO, June 26. — In a game marked by lusty clouting and loose fielding, the Petes evened up on the series with St. Thomas today, beating the Railroad in the first immings, and in the first immings, and managed to hold it, sithough the Saints homer, the first of the season, on the local grounds. Nevitt had a triple and a double. Thrailkill and Hadley also had triples and Craven a double. The Petes knocked Wilkinson out of the box in the first inning, and Clements, who succeeded him, was hit hard. For Peterboro, Belting relieved Tracey in the third.

Score:

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Errors—Shaughnessy, Lage, Lill, Field, McGroarty.
Summary—Stolen bases—Shaughnessy, Lage, Cunningham. Sacrifice hits—Bullock, Dolan. Cunningham, White. Sacrifice fly—Nill, Dolan. Three-base hits—Shaughnessy, Baldwin. Two-base hits—Dudley. Hits off Robinson, 6 in 2; off Lill, 5 in 7; off Donahue, 6 in 6 1-3; off Yates, 6 in 1 2-3. Struck out—By Robinson, 1; by Lill, 5; by Donahue, 6; by Yates, 1. Bases on balls—Off Lill, 7; off Donahue, 5; off Yates, 1. Wild pitch—Lill, Donahue. Double plays—Lill to Lage to Bullock; Cunningham to McGroarty to Dudley. Left on bases—Oft-Lawa, 7; Hamilton, 11. Time of game—2:11. Umpire—Miller. Attendance, 1,200.

The ball player who is dissatisfied with every team with which he plays does not have to look far to find the reason.

The White Sox, of Chicago, have reached a stage where they refer to two bases on balls as a batting rally.

Lamy Pulls Play That Scout McGuire Only Saw Once Before In Baseball

"That is the second time in my baseball career that I have seen a man score from second on the squeeze play," said Jim McGuire, the Detroit scout, yesterday afternoon at Tecumseh Park, when Eddle Lamy, the London centre fielder, scored on Whitcraft's bunt. Bierbauer was on third and Lamy on second when Whitty laid down a bunt to Taylor on the squeeze play. Louis was home almost before the ball hit the ground. Lamy kept right on running, and while Whiteroft was being thrown out at first he scored. It was a pretty piece of work.

The Detroit scout was in the stand and he expressed his approval of that kind of baseball by applauding with the rest of the fans. Since his sojourn in Canada he has been much impressed with the baseball played in the Canadian League, and says it is as fast a Class B league as there is anywhere. He will remain in London for the St. Thomas

CANADIAN LEAGUE NOTES

Louis Bierbauer Was Robbed of a hit Louis Bierbauer's long fly to right in in the fifth inning yesterday when Um- the eighth. He had to run back quite time the game starts if it does not rain pire Bedford called him out at first a distance in order to get under it. any more. Up to 2 o'clock the rain had after he had beaten Forgue's throw by a couple of feet. It was the only bad decision that Bedford has made in the games he has umpired here.

> Joe Dunn Looks Like a Find-If he keeps up the form he showed yesterday he won't stay in this league long. Owner George O'Neil certainly made a mistake in letting him get away from

> That Bunt that Eddle Linneborn laid down in the first inning was in the right The Brantford players didn't have a chance to get him. It was just as good as a single to the outfield.

Matty Lamond Made a Nice catch of

PETES BEAT ST. THOMAS IN HEAVY-HITTING GAME

Kustus Made First Home Run of Season an Peterboro Grounds-Final Score 10-8.

PETERBORO, June 26. — In a game marked by lusty clouting and loose fielding, the Petes evened up on the series with St. Thomas today, beating the Rail-

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Bases on balls—Off Tracey

Catcher Lacroix Had a Great Day at bat with three hits in four times up. One of the hits was a nice double that

It Was a Tough Day for "Rube"-He struck out three times, twice in a pinch, and got a nice single when he led off in the third. In the ninth he got on Sallee 2, Cooper 2, McQuillan 1. Left when Reisling walked him. He went to second when Taylor was hit, but Lamy threw him out at third when Reisling threw wild to second and the ball went to centrefield. Lamy's peg was right to the bag and it caught "Rube" by a

The Fans Dld Not Want to see Heinie steiger taken out. He was given quite an ovation when he walked in to th bench and the crowd yelled "Leave hir The way London was playin made it look as if Brantford couldn' win no matter how many hits the made, but in the light of later events was just as well that Heinie was re

Mike Mullin Fell Short by one day going a month on the local grounds with out making an error. He had two boot on May 28 at Tecumseh Park and h two errors yesterday are the first h has made here since then. Both error yesterday were made on hard driven balls and they were excusable.

Now, If the London Club can only play against St. Thomas next week like they did against Brantford yesterday, the Saints will not have a chance.

Hamilton's Opinion of London Ball Team

[Hamilton Herald.] It's evident that the class of ball being played in the Canadian League is too fast for one or two of the Athletics. London clearly showed superiority in yesterday's

As much as Hamilton would like to wir the championship of the Fitzgerald league, it will have to be admitted that London and St. Thomas look too good to permit it. Both are strong clubs—much stronger than the Athletics.

London played errorless ball yesterday, and had but one error in Monday's game. That miscue was a wild heave to first base by Bobby Heck The Cockneys certainly look like the club to beat

STRATHROY CLERKS MADE IT FIVE STRAIGHT WINS

STRATHROY, June 26 .- The Clerks won their fifth straight game here towon their lifth straight game here to-might by defeating the White Oaks, 13 to 6. This closes the Clerks' series of games, and probably gives them the Town League championship. The bat-teries were, White Oaks—McCoy and O'Rourke. Clerks—McCandless and Col-Perhaps lins. H. A. Hamilton umpired, and gave

MORAN'S DYING UNCLE PRAYS FOR HIM TO BEAT JOHNSON

Four Sisters of Pittsburg Heavyweight Also Send Encouraging Messages-Moran Is Confident Bout Will Not Go Twenty Rounds.

[Canadian Press.]

Paris, June 27.—French sportsmen and thousands of Americans and other foreign followers of boxing gathered in Paris, awaiting throughout today, eign followers of boxing gathered in Paris, awaiting throughout today, in tense expectation, the beginning of the fight, to take place here tonight, for the heavyweight championship of the world. Frank Moran, of Pittsburg, and "Jack" Johnson, holder of the title since he decisively defeated "Jim" Jeffries, on July 4, 1910, at Reno, had been matched to meet in the ring at the great vetodrome d'Hiver, at 40:30 tonight, for twenty rounds, under Queensbury rules, and the result of the meeting was to decide who should be champion.

On every hand the question was discussed whether the white challenger was capable of wresting the title from its colored holder.

Each of the prospective combatants expected to be the loser."

The Pittsburg fighter added that whether he won or lost, he expected to be battered. He said he intended to return to his training quarters at Meriel on the Oise for a quiet rest after the fight, and should he be the winner he will pay a visit to Rome.

Much interest is displayed in Moran's type in the ring, which is not so well known as that of Johnson. The white fighter said his plan of battle would be a cautious effort to win and he did not expect to effect a knockout by a chance swing. He declared he believed the longer he could draw out the fight the better his chances would be for getting in a decisive blow. Moran asserted that Paris, awaiting throughout today, in

Each of the prospective combatants expressed strong confidence in his own chances of victory, but the betting odds on the event—3 to 1 in favor of Johnson

Dying Uncle Prays For Him. on the event—3 to 1 in favor of Johnson—showed the great balance of the public to be in favor of the holder.

Johnson himself said today: "I was never more sure in my life than I am today. It is now a question of true sportsmanship. If Moran wins tonight, he will win by strength, skill and good generalship. If he wins I shall be the first to congratulate him from the bottom of my heart."

Johnson has made plans for a tour of Europe in an automobile after the fight. The journey will include visits to London and to Moscow, and he says he will later on return to the United States.

Dying Uncle Prays For Him.

His four sisters in Pittsburg today sent him an encouraging message, while an uncle, who is dying in Ireland, wrote him a farewell letter, in which he said he had prayed for his victory.

The crowd at the arena will be a full dress one, as the Parisians regard the match in the same way as they would an important night at the opera. The reservations made today included a great many women, while among the prominent personness of France who intended to be present were Duke Louie D'Uzes, the premier duke and peer of Prance, and former premier, Louis Barthou.

MITCHELL'S TRIPLE

WON FOR PIRATES

When Kelly Followed it With Long Sacrifice Fly.

GIANTS SECURED A PAIR

PITTSBURG, June 26 .- A triple by Mitchell, followed by Kelly's sacrifice fly. gave Pittsburg a 3 to 2 victory over St. Louis in the tenth inning today. Both sides fielded sharply. Only fast work by the St. Louis infield prevented the Pirates from scoring in the eighth and ninth innings. Score:

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| Snyder, c. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 8 | Kelly, cf | 8 | 0 | 1 | 2 | |
| Beck, 3b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | Gibson, c. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
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Pittsburg 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 -3 11 1
Summary—Errors—Butler, Cooper. Sacrifice fly—Kelly. Sacrifice hits—Sallee,
Konetchy. Viox. Stolen bases—Huggins,
Beck, Wagner, Carey. Three-baggers—
Kelly, Mowby, Mitchell. Two-baggers—
Cather, Mitchell. Hits—Off Cooper 4 in 6, McQuillan 1 in 4. First on balls—Off Sallee 8, Cooper 3, McQuillan 2. Struck out—By on bases—St. Louis 6, Pittsbur Double-play—Beck to Huggins to Time, 2:05. Umpires-Eason and Quig-

GIANTS FOUND BRAVES EASY. BOSTON, June 26.—By batting all of Boston's pitchers hard, New York won both games of a double-header today, the

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| | Grant, 2 | b. 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | M'ville, | 88. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | |
| | Stock. 3 | b. 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | Gowdy. | 1b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | |
| | Meyers | 0. 4 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | Deal, 31 | b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 8 | |
| | McLean, | 0. 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mann, | cf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | |
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1Batted for Tyler in fifth. 2Batted for Crutcher in ninth.

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Summary — Errors — Fletcher, Grant,
Maransville, Gowdie, Mann 2. Stolen
base—Merkle. Home run—Connelly. Twobaggers—Bescher, Gowdie, Connelly.
Three-bagger—Fletcher. Hits—Off Tyler
3 in 5, Crutcher 5 in 4. First on balls—
Tyler 5, Mathewson 1. Struck out—By
Tyler 5, Crutcher 2, Mathewson 2. Left
on bases—New York 7, Boston 6, Doubleplay. Maransville to Dugey to Gowdie. play—Maransville to Dugey to Gowdie. First on errors—Boston 1, New York 2. Time, 2:05. Umpires—Rigler and Hart.

By innings— R.H.E. New York .. 0 0 3 0 0 6 0 1 0—10 14 Boston 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 1—4 8
Batteries — Fromme and Meyers, Mc Lean: James, Cocreham, Crutcher and Whaling.

CUBS WON A DOUBLE-HEADER. CINCINNATI, June 26.—Chicago won double-header from Cincinmati today, th

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| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 00 | 5 |

Batteries-Humphries and B DODGERS 7, PHILLIES 4.

BROOKLYN, June 26.—The Brooklyns got out of the cellar today by beating Philadelphia 7-to 4. Score:
By innings—
Philadelphia ... 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 1—4 18 5
Brooklyn 3 2 1 0 0 0 1 0 x—7 11 3 Two teams of Baptist ministers played ball game in Chicago—and passed the

Perhaps the most unenthusiastic person over the rumor that New York is to get Heinie Zimmerman is John McGraw.

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Dying Uncle Prays For Him. His four sisters in Pittsburg today sent him an encouraging message, while an

[Hamilton Herald.]

There is a strong contrast between the leaders of the two frontrunners in the Canadian League—Doc Reisling and Frank Shaughnessy. The former mas little to say either to his players or the umpires, while "Shag," he of the "crab" reputation, is continually

panning some person.
In the two games aiready played here by the Londoners, Reisling has refrained from kicking of any sort. True, the umpires, McPartlin and Miller, have done very well, but there have been chances to object that Reisling has never taken advantage of. He is apparently too busy making the best of his opportunities to make foolish attempts to have the arbitrators change their decisions.

Reisling's quiet fighting style is bound to result in success.

EX-TORONTO PLAYER LEADS THE BATTERS IN FEDERAL LEAGUE

Ty Cobb and C. Walker Head American League-McAllister, of Rochester, Highest of All With .500.

Chicago, Ill., June 27.-Baseball averages published here today show Charlie Carr, one time with Toronto and later manager of American Association teams, leading the batters of the Federal League since he joined the Indianapolis Club of that organization. Carr's average for sixteen games is .459. Indianapolis and Baltimore are ahead in club batting with 297 and 279 respectively.

C. Walker, of St. Louis, and Ty Cobb, of Detroit, still share the batting honors in the American League with an average of .349 aplece. Then follow Vitt. Detroit, .333; Baker, Philadelphia, .326; Crawford, Detroit, .325, and Jackson, Cleveland, .323. Philadelphia with 259 and Detroit with .251 lead in club batting.

Robertson, of New York, leads the batters of the National League with .405. C. Miller, St. Louis, is next with .364; Hummel, Brooklyn, 362; Steel, St. Louis, 357; Dalton, Brooklyn, .348. Club-batting leadership is held by Philadelphia at 266, and New York is second with .261. In the International League, McAllister, of Rochester, is ahead in batting with .500 for ten games. Next come Mays, Providence, .394: Walsh, Rochester, .391; Kamieson, Buffalo, 381; Kritchell, Buffalo, .370; McConnell, Buffalo, .344; Cchultz, Rochester, .330; Cree, Baltimore, Dale, Montreal, .325. With .274, Baltimore eads in club batting, and Toronto is next with .269. Gilhooley, of Buffalo, is leading base stealer, with 20. Pitchers who have pitched in ten or more games are led by Hughes, of Rochester, with nine won and three lost, and Russell, of Baltirore: Keefe, of Rochester, and Beebe, of Buffalo, with eight and three.

Judge Foell's decision only restrains Chief Johnson from playing ball in Cook County, Illinois. But the Cubs, Sox, and Chifeds appear to think they are restrained from doing the same thing.

They are talking of harnessing Niagara to manufacture cheese. That would save the White Sox scouts a lot of travelling.



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