

## LIVE NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

## LOCAL

BOWLING  
YESTERDAY

## THE TWO MEN LEAGUE

In the Two Men League on the Victoria alleys last night Coughlan and McKean took all six points from Brittain and Boyer. The winners smashed the record with a score of 988, the former record being 982, held by Hill and Stevens. The scores follow:

	Til.	Avg.
Coughlan—	85 121 112 87 89 494	98 4-5
McKean—	88 110 87 100 109 494	98 4-5
Brittain—	173 231 199 187 198	983
Boyer—	79 78 76 102 79 414	82 4-5
	83 73 77 81 74 358	77 3-5
	162 151 153 183 153	802

## A MATCH GAME

In a match game between the I. C. R. and C. P. R. teams, the former took three points. McBride was high for the winners with 96, and McGovern for the losers with 91 1-3. The game was as follows:

I. C. R.	Til.	Avg.
McQuarrie ..	86 70 76 232	77 1-3
McBride ..	95 112 81 288	96
Kelly ..	103 88 85 276	92
DeWolfe ..	71 89 79 239	79 2-3
O'Pray ..	84 109 83 276	92
	439 468 404 1311	
C. P. R.	Til.	Avg.
Dever ..	77 87 76 240	80
Kane ..	95 81 91 267	89
McGovern ..	88 90 96 274	91 1-3
Howard ..	84 83 95 262	87 1-3
Neary ..	85 76 80 241	80 1-3
	429 417 438 1284	

HANDICAP  
PING PONG  
LEAGUE

Several interesting contests have been in progress in the Y. M. C. A. The handicap Ping Pong League has had a successful run. Checkers and billiards have also come in for much attention.

In the Ping Pong League there are thirteen entries and Willet leads with eight victories and no defeats. The standing of the league is as follows:

Won	Lost	P. C.
Willet ..	8	0 1,000
Blake ..	8	1 .833
Knodell ..	5	1 .833
Bunk ..	7	2 .777
Loe ..	5	3 .625
Dawson ..	5	4 .555
Hutchinson ..	4	4 .500
Simmons ..	1	1 .500
McDonald ..	3	4 .429
Heans ..	2	3 .400
Dingee ..	2	9 .182
Brown ..	2	9 .182
Thorne ..	0	10

Willet, the leader, has a handicap of minus 30 on each game, while Brown has a handicap of plus 30. There are several more games to be played, and it is hoped to have the league finished this week.

The checker tournament has got down to the semi-finals with Kennedy, Jackson and Smeraldi to play off. The first round of the billiard tournament has been run off and new handicaps will be given out at once.

## BASEBALL

IN THE BIG  
LEAGUES

## FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg, 3; Brooklyn, 1.  
Brooklyn, May 3.—Pittsburg and Brooklyn broke even in the first double header of the season here today, the visitors taking the first game, 3 to 1, and the home team winning the second, 8 to 7. The score:

First game—	Til.	Avg.
Pittsburg ..	020100000—3	8 1
Brooklyn ..	010000000—1	9 1

Batteries—Hearne and Berry; Up-ham, Marlon and Land.

## Second game—

Brooklyn, 8; Pittsburg, 7.	Til.	Avg.
Pittsburg ..	003004000—7	11 1
Brooklyn ..	002000204—8	12 2

Batteries—Dickson, Cannitz, Roge, Barger and O'Connor; Seaton and Watson.

## Chicago, 7; Buffalo, 3.

Buffalo, May 3.—Chicago made four straight from Buffalo by winning today's game, 7 to 3. Fritz furnished the sensations of the day in fielding and at bat, both of his hits being homers. The score:

Chicago ..	Til.	Avg.
Chicago ..	110005000—7	11 2
Buffalo ..	000300000—3	8 2

Batteries—Johnson and Fischer; Bedient, Marshall, Ehmeke and Allen.

## Baltimore, 7; Kansas, 5.

Baltimore, May 3.—Baltimore broke its losing streak today by taking the last game of the series from Kansas City, 7 to 5. Shaw's hit over the fence in the ninth inning sent in two runs ahead. The score:

Baltimore ..	Til.	Avg.
Baltimore ..	102004000—7	10 0
Kansas City ..	000200003—5	9 1

Batteries—Smith and Owens; Blackburn, Henning, Harris and Brown.

(Only three Federal League games today.)

## Federal League Standing.

Won	Lost	P. C.
Chicago ..	12	5 .706
Newark ..	11	8 .579
Pittsburg ..	11	8 .579
Brooklyn ..	10	8 .556
Kansas City ..	9	9 .500
St. Louis ..	7	10 .412
Baltimore ..	7	12 .368
Buffalo ..	6	13 .316

## AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York 8; Philadelphia 4.

New York, May 3.—The New York club retained its lead in the American League today by winning its sixth straight victory, defeating the Philadelphia team by a score of 8 to 4.

The score:  
Philadelphia .. 001002100—4 13 4  
New York .. 103210000—8 6 1  
Batteries—Bush, Bressler and Schang, Lapp; Fisher and Sweeney.

## Postponed.

Boston, May 3.—Washington-Boston postponed, wet grounds.  
(Only two American League games scheduled.)

## American League Standing.

Won	Lost	P. C.
New York ..	10	4 .714
Detroit ..	13	6 .684
Chicago ..	11	8 .579
Washington ..	8	6 .571
Boston ..	5	6 .455
Cleveland ..	4	10 .444
Philadelphia ..	4	11 .267
St. Louis ..	5	13 .278

## NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York 3; Philadelphia 2.

Philadelphia, May 3.—After being blanked for eight innings New York rallied in the ninth today and defeated Philadelphia 3 to 2. The score:

New York ..	Til.	Avg.
New York ..	000000003—3	9 0
Philadelphia ..	100100000—2	7 2

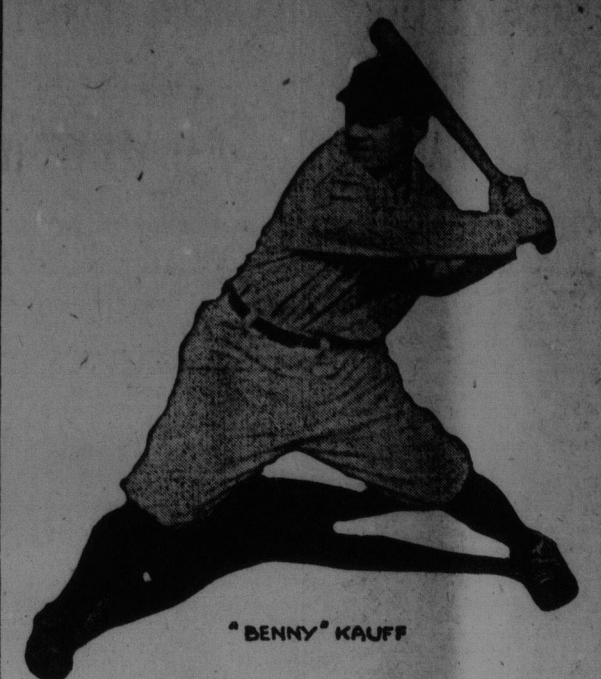
Batteries—Fromme, Ritter and Meyers; Chalmers and Burns.

## Chicago 5; Pittsburg 1.

Chicago, May 3.—Chicago won its sixth straight victory today defeating Pittsburg 5 to 1, in a game shortened to five innings by rain. The score:

Chicago ..	Til.	Avg.
Chicago ..	01000—1	5 0
Pittsburg ..	01000—1	5 0

## KAUFF'S JUMP STARTS REAL RUMPU



"BENNY" KAUFF

The jumping of "Benny" Kauff from the Feds to the Giants has stirred up a rumput that threatens the biggest war in the history of baseball. The Federal League will fight the case to the bitter end, and it will be interesting to watch the developments in the case and see what attitude organized baseball will take in the matter.

Chicago .. 01400—5 6 0  
Batteries—Cooper and Gibson; Pierce, Humphries and Bresnahan.  
Brooklyn 3; Boston 2.  
Brooklyn, May 3.—Dell had the better of a pitching duel with Rudolph today, and Brooklyn won from Boston 3 to 2. The score:

Boston ..	Til.	Avg.
Boston ..	000000101—2	8 1
Brooklyn ..	000010200—3	5 1

Batteries—Rudolph and Gowdy; Dell and Miller.

(Only three National League games scheduled.)

## National League Standing.

Won	Lost	P. C.
Philadelphia ..	12	4 .750
Chicago ..	11	6 .647
Cincinnati ..	9	8 .529
Boston ..	7	8 .467
St. Louis ..	10	9 .526
Brooklyn ..	7	10 .412
New York ..	5	9 .357
Pittsburg ..	5	12 .294

## INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Buffalo 3; Newark 1.

Newark, May 3.—Buffalo took a hard fought contest from Newark today 3 to 1. The game went 12 innings.

The score:  
Buffalo .. 10000000002—3 7 2  
Newark .. 000000010000—1 8 2  
Batteries—Bader and Lalauze; Schmutz and Heckinger.

## Jersey City 2; Toronto 1.

Jersey City, May 3.—Jersey City came from behind and won a close game from Toronto today. Both pitchers performed well. The score:

Toronto ..	Til.	Avg.
Toronto ..	000100000—1	3 2
Jersey City ..	000001010—2	6 1

Batteries—McTigue and Kennock; Verbout and Reynolds.

## Richmond 7; Montreal 5.

Richmond, May 3.—Richmond hit Coehran hard for three innings today, during which they scored seven runs, winning finally from Montreal 7 to 5. The score:

Montreal ..	Til.	Avg.
Montreal ..	000000050—5	9 1
Richmond ..	421000000—7	11 2

Batteries—Coehran and Howley; Morrisette and Schauf.

## Providence, May 3.—Providence.

Rochester, game postponed, cold weather.

## International League Standing.

Won	Lost	P. C.
Providence ..	3	1 .750
Jersey City ..	3	1 .750
Newark ..	3	2 .600
Richmond ..	3	2 .600
Toronto ..	2	3 .400
Buffalo ..	2	3 .400
Rochester ..	1	2 .333
Montreal ..	1	4 .200

CONNIE MACK HAS THAT  
BIG WAD HE RECEIVED

Those who figured that Connie Mack was a master boob when he sold Eddie Collins for a king's ransom are wondering now if Connie didn't pull a master trick.

It looked as if Connie never could get a man who would come within a million miles of filling Collins' place at second, but Connie got Larry Lajoie, who is lamming the ball well over the 300 mark and who is fielding with all of his old time brilliance. He doesn't cover quite as much ground as Collins did, but he covers a very large portion of that infield.

And as to Collins—  
Well, Edward Trowbridge isn't doing any scintillating stunts this spring. He seems to be in a slump. Up to the present he has been hitting them "where they are," while in the days of old he clubbed 'em to those portions of the lot "where they ain't." Collins, briefly, hasn't struck his batting stride and those who expect him to jump right into his "White Sox" uniform and knock all the boards off the fence have been disappointed.

Collins is fielding in well, but his fielding to date hasn't been any more startling than Lajoie's. Perhaps Columbus Eddie is a bit off color just now and will round into old-time shape in a few weeks. But the Windy City fans don't forget their disappointment of the present.

Collins would have won the White Sox fans' favor for all time had he treated himself to a fine getaway infield and at bat, even had he slipped back a little later. The first impressions usually are the lasting ones—even with baseball fans. As it is Collins must do some amazing stunts later on to remove the poor impression gained from his poor start.

Connie may regret Collins' departure some day, but right now he doesn't. He has in Lajoie a man who is hitting far above Collins' mark. He has a man who is fielding as well as Collins, and more important than anything else, he has that \$35,000 or \$50,000 in real, regular cash that was paid to him for his one time second sacker.

Collins normally is at least thirty-three per cent. more valuable to a ball club than is Lajoie, because of his greater speed and on the bases. But what does it profit a team if it has a man who can run a hundred yards in ten seconds if he never gets a chance to do any running? Collins is a whirlwind on the bases, but he hasn't been on the bases often enough to date to exercise his pedals.

The White Sox fans hoped pennant hopes this spring. About thirty-three per cent. of those hopes were based on Collins hitting 'em out for about 333 all year. Since Collins hasn't been doing any demon stunts at the bat, the hopes are not so high as they were. But the White Sox folks needn't despair. Unless there is something radically wrong with Collins he ought to do a "come-back"—and soon. He's a natural hitter and an occasional slump is a natural happening.

## THE BIG LEAGUES.

Both National and American league races are now well under way, but how much does it all mean? Or rather, how much of what has happened can we take seriously, and how

ENFORCE  
THE BALK  
RULING

Ban Johnson's ruling on the balk may have considerable to do with the fortunes of the Griffins this year. If the team loses much by it, if it loses a chance to win the flag, the whole capital is going to howl with rage. Furthermore, it is going to demand some explanation. The day before the campaign opened President Johnson announced that all his umpires had been instructed to enforce the balk rule rigidly. Already Joe Boehling and Jim Shaw have suffered by this order and there is no telling where it will end.

For several seasons the balk rule has slumbered and Manager Griffith, like some other managers, has taught his pitchers excellent pitching motions that wind up in paws to first base. Joe Boehling taught himself a move that made him most dangerous when a runner had arrived at first, but the first time he caught a runner, Hal Janvrin, off first base, Umpire Evans promptly called a balk, sending Janvrin to second.

Rules are rules, of course, and should be enforced. But why in the world didn't Ban Johnson top his hand before the teams went south? For six weeks Clark Griffith, with other managers in this league, labored hard and long, teaching pitchers fancy motions to get runners off bases. The day before the season opens, he learns that his time has been wasted, that umpires are likely to ruin all his handiwork in a few brief moments. Why didn't Johnson announce his ruling in time for all pitchers to practice different motions during the training season? Or why didn't he stall off for another season? The game would not have gone to the dogs with the old sleeping balk rule. However, the young pitchers of the Griffins are finding themselves in hot water and Washington fans are grumbling. They call it injustice.

"LOCKING" THE CAR  
A concealed switch included in the ignition circuit makes a good way to safeguard a car against automobile thieves.

ALMOST FAINTED  
IN THE STREET

In Daily Fear of Death Until "Fruit-a-lives" Brought Relief.

Chatham, Ont., April 3rd, 1915.

"Some two years ago, I was a great sufferer from indigestion. One day my eye caught a billboard of 'Fruit-a-lives' and I said to myself 'If Fruit-a-lives will build me up like that, it is good enough for me.' I bought some. After taking these wonderful tablets for only three weeks, I found myself wonderfully improved. In a short time longer, I cured myself entirely. My case was no light one, either, Gas would often form in my stomach and I was in daily fear that it would get around my heart and kill me. 'Fruit-a-lives' is the only remedy for indigestion."

C. T. HILL.  
50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial 25c. At all dealers or sent on receipt of price by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

much is the usual preliminary suffer before what is known as Class begins to tell. Or is there any abnormal amount of Class to do any particular telling this year?

We still recall vividly how two years ago the Phillies and Dodgers not only jumped to the front but stayed there for six or seven weeks. At one time it looked as if these two were on the verge of disrupting interest in the race.

Then the usual happened, and one finished second and the other sixth or seventh. That same year found the White Sox leading into June. They finished about fifth. Last year Detroit whizzed merrily to the front for several weeks. Then it was Bing-Bum-Bum—and back to fourth place.

Three Days Left  
Before This Week's  
Great Painting Competition  
In The Standard Closes.

As published in our issue of the 1st, we are inviting boys and girls who are not over 14 years of age to try and color the second picture of "Jumbo" which appeared on that date.

## A DOLLAR

to be given to the boy or girl who sends in the neatest and best attempt.

DON'T WAIT UNTIL THURSDAY  
(when all colored sketches must reach this office), but  
TRY AT ONCE  
To win first prize.

Further particulars, together with one of the six coupons, which must also be forwarded, will be found on another page of this issue, but the sketch of "Jumbo" only appeared in the Standard on Saturday, 1st May. Get a copy and

TRY NOW

## Bringing Up Father

