# ALLY-AGAIN TOO LATI

Graham Caught Off Second Base in Ninth When Things Looked Promising.

RICHMOND, Va., May 12.—Birming-am's Maple Leafs batted in the eighth and ninth innings today to overcome Richmond's lead, and failed to tie the score up by three points, the final counting being 6 to 3 in favor of Richmond.

the bocals had three runs to their credit.

In the second Reynolds' drive to left field fence took a bound and went over, the big catcher making the circuit without effort.

Two singles, a wild pitch and an out save Richmond another run in the fifth, and a base on balls, a wild throw by McTigue, a single and an out gave Richmond another run in the eighth.

Truesdale opened for Toronto with a single to left. He was advanced to second by Thompson's sacrifice out, Humphreys to Elbel, and stole third. He was left on when Burch went out, Humphreys to Elbel, and Graham fanned.

Not until the eighth frame did a Toronto player get past first base. Trout opened the innings with a double to left. He took third on Kelly going out, Arrason to Elbel, and scored when McTigue singled to centre. Truesdale hit into deep left for two bases, sending McTigue across the rubber. Thompson illed out to Hendrix, and Burch fanned. In the ninth Graham singled to right, and Blackburne beat a slow roller to third. Graham was caught napping at second by Humphreys' throw to Arrason. Blackburne stole second. Brackett popped out to Elbel. Trout singled to right, and Blackburne scored. Kelly singled to left and McTigue went out, McDermott to Elbel, ending the game.

Toronto—

A.B. R. H. O. A. B. Truesdale, 2b. ... 4 0 2 0 5 0

is Garth, with 25 horses; Guy Bedwell, with 12; Dr. Tyne, with 14; Marlman and Crawford, 6; W. L. Oliver, with 10. The Seagram youngsters were schooled at the barrier, which was placed at the three-quarters.

BATON VS. OLD COUNTRY. Batons team to play Old Country at Eatons Field (top Bathurst street), commencing at 3 o'clock, will be McCoskery, Harrison, Mawson, McClymont, Lowe, Brooks, G. Sim, Meintosh, McCracken, W. M. Sim, Tetterington, All signed players are asked to report. This will be the last game in Canada for some of these soldier players, as they expect to leave at a very early date.



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BASEBALL GOSSIP

this vicinity are hoping for a winning team, no one is pulling harder for Patsy Donovan than Joe Lannin, owner of the Boston Red Sox, and also a large stockholder in the Buffalo International League Club. In a letter to Jimmy Austin, received yesterday, Lannin writes that the Bisons must finish one, two, three. "Til have the Buffalo team finish close to the top, if I have to send you the Red Sox," was the way the Boston owner put it. It can be seen, therefore, that Lannin has more than a passing interest in the Bisons. He proposes to have a winner here, and those who know anything about Joe Lannin know full well that he makes good. He is a personal friend of Patsy Donovan, and will do everything to help Pat succeed. Local fans can rest assured that a winning club will represent Buffalo. It may be that the present outfit does not measure up to the standard required, but that will not mean the local fans will have to be contented with it. There are some advantages in having a club here owned by outside interests—if they are of the Joe Lannin variety. Donovan than Joe Lannin, owner of the

Truesdale continues to field nicely, and is getting his hits every day.

Roger Bresnahan is not making as good a showing in the American Association as he expected to. He is very close to the cellar now. Waiter Johnson is being worked every fourth day by Griffith, and it is beginning to tell on the great speed merchant. His arm will not stand up long under that sort of treatment.

Johnny Evers says that he is not able to give the Boston Club as good as he used to in former years because he is prohibited from riding the umpires and saying a lot of things that he is forced to say in order to play his best ball.

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OLD SAM CRAWFORD

BENCHED BY TIGERS

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—Sam Crawford, one of the greatest veterans of them all, has been permanently benched by Hughey Jennings, manager of the Detroit Tigers. This was the announcement made by the chieftain of the Jungaleers soon after the Detroit team arrived here for its series with the Athletics.

"I have just about made up my mind to shift Heilman to right field in place of Crawford and use George Burns as our regular first baseman," said Jennings. "Crawford has not been hitting to form as a regular."

This change, if made, will put Sam crawford, one of the greatest hitters the game has produced, as well as one of its best and cleanest characters, among the list of those "who only stand and wait," with a youngster fresh from the minors taking his position. It looks like the besam had a good season in 1915, when he hit .299, fielded well and worked hard. This spring he has not done much with Lennings kept Crawford out one day at Detroit because a left-hand pitcher was in. That's the first time since he joined on account of the presence of a south-The switch will be a source of regret not only in Detroit be as source of regret

ed on account of the presence of a southpaw.

The switch will be a source of regret
not only in Detroit, but all over the
league. Sam is playing his fourteenth
season with Detroit. He has been a
he join the beach squad he would not
suffer in a monetary sense, as he has a
more, and that President Navin will
carry out to the letter.

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# **BOSTON BRAVES ARE IMPROVED OUTFIT**

Have Cut Out the Nagging and Are a Hustling, Scrappy Organization.

CHICAGO, May 12.—The Braves have been picked as the winners of this year's pennant by many of the best-posted critics in the country. This is, of course, contingent on the usual amount of luck. Misfortune has deprived the Braves of the services of Sherwood Magee for several weeks, but the team is keeping up in the race so well without him that it stands a much better show of winning later on when he returns to his place in the outfield.

The Braves are the team most of the western fans fear. The Cubs figure that, with the Phillies and Braves out of the way, it will be an easy thing to capture the flag. The Phillies are not getting away nearly as well in this year's campaign as they were expected to, but the Braves are doing everything it was thought they would.

Last year the Boston team were slow getting under way and were so far behind when they did start climbing that they were unable to overtake the winners. Stallings is trying to guard against such a happening this year. He is satisfied to have his team stay back in the race for a time and let the others make the pace, but he does not want to be so far behind that it will be out of the question to overcome the lead when the real battle starts.

The Braves are a different team from last year in deportment on the field. President Tener of the league complimented the Boston manager two weeks ago on the good conduct of his club compared to what it was last season. The Braves made themselves unpopular with the fans last summer by rowdy tactics on the field. In Chicago, the actions of the team soon learned that it was not a profitable thing, and the members of the team soon learned that it was not a profitable thing, and the management laid down some drastic rules regarding conduct of the players. The result was a decided change in conduct.

At Expense of Browns-Wild Session at Philadelphia-Naps Win Again.

At Boston—Cleveland defeated Boston, 3 to 1, in a game in which pitching errors figured noticeably. Janvin's great catch of Coumbe's liner during the fifth innings was the star play of the contest. Score:

Clayeland .... 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 —3 5 2 Baston ..... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 —1 7 1

Batteries—Coumbe and O'Neill; Pennock, Gregs and Agnew.

PICK WINS ANOTHER

At Providence—Montreal slugged out a victory over Providence, 17 to 7, in a game featured alike for the heavy hitting of the visitors and the ragged fielding of the Grays. Only in two inings did the visitors fail to score. Providence made eight errors. Score: R.H.E. Montreal .... 2 1 4 5 2 1 0 0 2—17 20 1 Providence ... 2 2 0 0 1 2 0 0 0—7 9 8 Batteries—Colwell and Baumgartner and Blackburn.

At Baltimore—Baltimore batted Leverenz and Sherman hard and easily defeated Rochester, 16 to 9. The Orioles scored 7 runs each in the second and third innings, a lead that was too much for the visitors to overcome. Score:

R.H.E.

Rochester .... 1 0 1 3 0 1 0 0 3 3 4 13 2
Baltimore .... 0 7 7 0 0 0 2 0 4 16 15 2
Batteries—Leverenz, Sherman and
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Pittsburg ....0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—2 6 0

Batteries Mathewson, Benton, Schauer and Rariden, Dooin, Kocher; Mamaux and Gibson.

CK WINS ANOTHER

FOR LEADING INDIANS

The Thorncliffe horses were given good work. Recoil and Peep Sight, half in .48 3-5; Baushore, half in .49 ½; Early Sight, half in .49 2-5, and Thorncliffe the same distance in .50 2-5. McDaniels sent two two-year-olds to the gate. Star Cress went a half in .50 2-5.

Other works yesterday were: Harry Bassett and Tarbrush, five-eighths in 1.06; Johnny Harris, five-eighths in 1.07; Mussen and Will Cast, three-quarters in 1.21; Moss Fox, five-eighths in 1.04; Alecto, three-quarters in 1.22; King K., three-eighths in .37 2-5; Ravenscourt, a half in .51; Servicence, five-eighths in 1.04; Bang, three-quarters in 1.20; Gordon, three-quarters in 1.20; Hollybrook, three-eighths in .39.

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Thorncliffe, br.g., 3.
Ranshore, b.f., 3.
Typhoon, b.g., 3.

Lawrence Holden, b.m., 8,

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William Flynn, 98 West Charles-street, was arrested last night by De-tectives Mitchell and Croome, on a charge of fraud, preferred by Thomas Felstead, 802 1-2 Yonge street.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., May 12.—A cable-gram today from his wife, who crossed overseas with him, announced that Capt. Harry L. Fisher, who went to the front last fall with a draft of the 59th Battalion, was killed in action. He was a son of A. L. Fisher, Brockville, and in his day a great footballer, figuring on the local team in its palmy days, when it copped the Q.R.F.U. championship,

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Later the lieutenant-governor took

freshments.

Later the lieutenant-governor took the salute in front of the house during the march past. With him were Lady and Miss Hendrie, General and Mrs. Logic, Col. and Mrs. Caldwell, Col. Fraser and Capt. E. M. Hendrie.