

SPORTING NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE		P.C.	
Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.	
Brooklyn	52	59	.609
Philadelphia	52	59	.604
Boston	56	62	.581
New York	55	64	.571
Chicago	57	66	.538
Pittsburg	55	69	.482
St. Louis	50	73	.433
Cincinnati	49	73	.433

Yesterday's Results
 Brooklyn 2, New York 0.
 Philadelphia 2-1, Boston 0-4.
Games To-day.
 New York at Brooklyn.
 Boston at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE		P.C.	
Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.	
Boston	51	61	.559
Chicago	59	65	.578
Detroit	57	67	.565
St. Louis	59	75	.513
New York	58	74	.513
Washington	56	75	.503
Cleveland	57	77	.500
Philadelphia	54	117	.225

Yesterday's Results
 Boston 4, Philadelphia 2.
 New York 5, Washington 1.
Games To-day.
 Philadelphia at Boston.
 Washington at New York.

Phillies Only Broke Even

Philadelphia, Oct. 3.—After climbing to the high altitude of first place by winning the first game of a double header from Boston by 2 to 0, the Phillies dropped back to second place, a full game behind the Robins while the Braves carried off the second game by 4 to 1.

The early contest found Grover Alexander on the mound for the Phillies for the third time in five days. The big right-hander was at top form, holding the Braves to three hits and registering his sixteenth shut-out of the season. Philadelphia scored both runs off Ragon, who pitched for seven innings. Whitted doubled in the second, was sacrificed to third by Cravath, and scored when Lueders doubled. In the fifth Killifer doubled, went to third on Alexander's bunt, and scored on a squeeze play with Byrne.

Stock's unfamiliarity with short, where he is substituted for the injured star, Dave Bancroft, helped Boston to win the second game, in which Reulbach outpitched Demaree. The latter worked seven innings, being succeeded by Bender. All of Boston's runs were scored during his stay in the box. Snodgrass singled in the first inning, and Stark fumbled Maranville's grounder. Wilhoit hit into a double play, but Konetchy singled, sending Maranville to third whence he scored while Konetchy was being run down between first and second. Philadelphia got this run back in the second when Whitted walked, advanced on Cravath's single and scored on two outs.

Boston took the lead in the sixth on singles by Snodgrass and Konetchy. In the seventh Gowdy walked after two were out, and Demaree hit Reulbach with a pitched ball. Gowdy scored when Snodgrass' bouncer went over Stock's head for a single, and Reulbach came in on Whitted's wild throw to catch him at third.

Score: First game—R.H.E. Boston . . . 00000000—0 3 1 Philadelphia . . . 01001000—2 6 1 Ragon, Alpa and Gowdy; Blackburn, Alexander and Killifer. Second game—R.H.E. Boston . . . 10001200—4 8 2 Philadelphia . . . 01000000—1 6 2 Reulbach and Gowdy; Demaree, Bender and Killifer.

Iron Man Beat the Giants

And Brooklyn Gained on Phillies Who Dropped One Game.

Brooklyn, Oct. 3.—Old Jack Combes, who was doing iron man acts for Connie Mack when a large percentage of the present baseball generation was playing one old cat on vacant lots, kept Brooklyn at the top of the National League yesterday by pitching shut-out ball against the Giants. The Robins won by 2 to 0, poor fielding by the Giants aiding them in the victory. As Philadelphia only broke even with Boston, the victory puts the Robins a full game ahead in the race for the flag.

A big crowd turned out to see the first of the series of decisive battles which will be staged on Ebbetts Field. Ferdie Schupp, the sensational young southpaw, held the Robins to four scattered hits, while Combes allowed six, but poor fielding around second put him in the hole.

Fletcher fumbled Daubert's roller in the fourth inning when a one was out, and Daubert stole second. Herzog dropping the throw. Wheat singled to left, Daubert scoring.

The second run was scored off Anderson, who took up the pitching burden in the eighth. With one out Miller singled and took second on

Red Sox Close Home Season

Boston, Oct. 3.—The Red Sox, pennant repeaters in the American League, celebrated their final day of the season at Fenway Park yesterday by winning easily from the Athletics, 4 to 2.

Boston put sixteen men into the game, Janvrin and Cady being the only players left in the line-up. Even Heinie Wagner got a chance for a little practice, playing at short for two innings and getting a hit and a put-out and an assist. Shore held the Mackmen without a hit for five innings, and then Jones went in, the visitors scoring their two runs in the seventh on a single, a double and a fielder's choice.

A perfect throw to the plate by Lewis in the first inning, doubling Whitt, who tried to score on Strunk's fly to left, was a feature of the game.

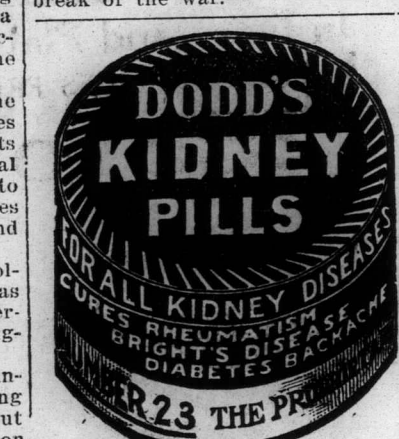
Boston will close the regular season to-morrow with a double-header with the Athletics at Braves' Field, where the world's series will be played. Thursday the Red Sox and Athletics will play an exhibition game at Worcester for the benefit of the John Gaffney fund. Gaffney was an old-time umpire. Jack Barry threw the ball about for a few minutes in practice yesterday, this being the first time he has attempted to use it since his injury. There is a slight possibility that he may be able to get into some of the world's series games.

Score: Philadelphia . . . 00000020—2 4 1 Boston . . . 20101000—4 9 3 Johnson and Schang; Shore, Jones and Cady.

At New York.—The New York Americans easily defeated Washington here yesterday in the first game of the final series of the year, 5 to 1. Shawkey held Washington to two hits. **Score:** Washington . . . 00010000—1 2 3 New York . . . 01010201—5 11 2 Thomas, Goodwin, Henry and

Luxemburg to Lose its Cabinet

By Courier Leased Wire.
 Berlin, Oct. 2.—Via London, Oct. 3.—The Luxemburg cabinet is reported about to resign as a result of an unfavorable measure passed by the legislature. Personal disputes between Cabinet Chief Welter and Deputy Leval are also said to be responsible.



Geo. Sisler is Valuable Man

Who is the most valuable player in the American League this season—Eddie Collins, Ray Schalk, George Sisler, Ty Cobb or Tris Speaker? By valuable, we mean the greatest asset to his club.

Many consider George Sisler, of the Browns, the most valuable, and they have arguments to clinch their point. They refer to the fact he has pitched two games this season and in one of them beat the mighty Walter Johnson.

They show how, when the need was great, George went to third base and stayed there. He did this although the youthful wonder is a left-handed thrower and, as such, isn't supposed to compete at that far station.

Then Sisler has played wonderful ball at first, filled in at right field and has been a .300 batter all season, although at present he is a pinch hitter or so shy of that mark.

Veteran managers and club owners are free to state that Sisler is the prize package who has broken into the majors the past two years. He came up as a pitcher but was too valuable to pitch. They wanted him in every game—so there you are.

Sisler's career, though short, has been rather a stormy one. He was then turned over to Columbus and later to Pittsburgh, without playing a single game.

He went to the University of Michigan and, to make him an amateur because he had signed a contract, although never having played in an actual pro game, the case went to the National Commission. This august body declared George a free agent. So he pitched for Michigan and was the wonder of the college world.

Branch Rickey coached the Michigan varsity and, naturally, wanted Sisler at St. Louis when he took up the Pittsburgh club the past year. When he decided to enter big league ball, but the famous case before the commission turned him over to the Browns, where he wanted to go.

In a moment almost he made his name and his reputation. He shone and awakened the envy of every other major league club.

The lad, who is only twenty-three years of age, holds the degree of M.E.—meaning mechanical engineer. He is going to follow this profession this winter for George loves work, in an auto factory as well as he does labor on the ball field.

Folks predict a brilliant future for the boy.

UNIQUE EVENT AT CAMP BORDEN

Lt. H. M. Bell, Formerly of The Courier, Made Member of Mohawk Tribe.

(Special to the Courier)
 Camp Borden, Oct. 1.—An interesting and unique event took place here under the patronage of the Six Nations Warrior Club, Capt. C. D. Smith, Lieut. Martin, Moses and Montour, at present serving in the 114th O.S. Battalion "Brook's Rangers," when Lieut. H. M. Bell, late of the Courier staff, and Mrs. Bell were with quaint ceremony made members of the Mohawk tribe. Lieut. Bell's name signifies "Leader" and Mrs. Bell received the name of "Flower Picker."

The Haldimand Battalion has just been warned for Overseas, the men going on last leave on Wednesday, 4th, by special train, which will convey them to Caledonia where the colors will be presented to the Battalion, also an Indian Totem; after which the men will disperse for five days.

Major Cockburn, well known in Brantford, as a successful recruiter, was made a member of the Iroquois and given the title "Big Gun." Lieut. Stacey, the O.C. of the Cawthra detachment, performing initiation service.

Lieut. Moore, 77th Dundas Regiment, is at present serving in the 114th as supernumerary officer. He is well known in Brantford, as a recruiting officer of officers recently qualifying. Capt. MacDonald, of Oshweken received his Majority and Lieut. H. M. Bell (114th O.S. Batt.) qualifying for Captaincy.

Colonel Campbell, recently inspecting the 114th, complimented the C.O., Lt.-Col. Thompson, on his Battalion. "It is the steadiest I have yet inspected," he said. The Indians have made a splendid name for themselves for hardihood and soldierly bearing while in training, and are now ranked as among the best in the second division.



SUB. LIEUT. H. R. H. PRINCE ALBERT.

The second son of King George, who has been promoted to Sub-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Navy. He is twenty-one years of age and a graduate of the Royal Naval College. He has recently been on sick leave owing to trouble following an operation for appendicitis.

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ON SWEKEN FAIR DATES

OCTOBER 4-5-6

PROGRAMME:

Oct. 5th
 Baseball game.
 Lacrosse Game
 Indian Races

Oct. 6th
 Speeding in the Horse Ring, consisting of Double Team, 2.40 and 2.20 classes; decorated auto—all open to the world.

Music and Drama

THE COLONIAL

A good show was the universal verdict of the large crowd that attended the performance of the Andrews Musical Comedy Company at the Colonial last night. Never has a tabloid been so well received and appreciated as was this company in offering the "White Light Cafe" a sketch that cannot help but win the admiration of its audience, staged and played as it is under the direction of its manager.

There will be an entire change of program to-morrow, when "The Battle of Nations" with new scenery, costumes, etc., will be presented, and there is no doubt it will prove to be as clean, bright and entertaining as the "White Light Cafe" produced by the same company.

THE BRANT

One of the finest motion pictures in every way shown in this city is that in which Owen Moore and Hazel Dawn appear as co-stars at the Brant Theatre for the first half of the week. The picture is "Under Cover," which created so great a hit when produced last season on the stage, and is safe to say that it has lost nothing of its merits in the film production. In plot, method of development and stage setting alike it is of the highest possible grade, while the appearance of two such notable stars as Owen Moore and Hazel Dawn together is alone sufficient to distinguish it as beyond the ordinary.

In keeping with the high standard set by this feature production is the episode now showing of the great new series "Who's Guilty," wherein another of the historic Moore family, Tom of that ilk, stars with Anna Nilsson. The interest aroused by previous episodes of this series is well and fully upheld by the latest installment.

The vaudeville bill comprises the Four Virginian Girls in a harmony singing melange, and the Twirling Talbots, who present an exceedingly clever gymnastic performance replete with thrills.

At the Grand

What promises to be a gala event of the local theatrical season is the appearance at the Grand of the celebrated comedian, Albert Brown, in a new play expertly written for him by the Canadian dramatist, W. A. Tremayne and entitled "The Black Feather." It may be safely said that no American actor who has appeared in Canada for many seasons has achieved the wide popularity which Mr. Brown won in "The White Feather." It was a success legitimately earned for the present day stage boasts few men equally gifted in the matter of magnetism and skill. The manner in which he places himself immediately on rapport with his audience recalls the triumphs of the older generation of comedians. In "The Black Feather," as in its predecessor, he plays the role of a secret agent of the British intelligence staff, who, by posing as a dandy and a flatterer, circumvents the enemies of Great Britain, but the story is entirely different. The play is rich in exciting incidents, clean legitimate humor and emotional appeal, and Mr. Brown promises a splendid supporting cast.

GIRL'S HEROIC SACRIFICE

By Courier Leased Wire.

Paris, Oct. 3.—A young English girl has written to Dr. Rochon Duguesne, offering to give one of her eyes to a soldier who has lost his sight serving France. The girl, who lives in North Shields, has read a recent statement by Dr. Duguesne, one of the most famous oculists in France that it was possible to save the sight of a man wounded in the eye by grafting a portion of the cornea of another person. In her letter she said:

"If you believe that there is one chance of success in a million I will give you one of my eyes for a soldier who has lost his sight serving France. I would prefer to give my eye to one to whom it would be especially useful, such as an inventor or an officer of great value."

"If my offer is accepted I shall consider myself under an obligation to you for permitting me to be of use to my country in the only way possible to me."

Germany Gets None of Belgian Relief

Conditions of Agreement with Neutral Relief Commission respected by Germany

When the Belgian Relief Commission was organized, Britain insisted that Germany guarantee not to touch a particle of the food imported by the Commission for the Belgians. This guarantee, given to the American business men who are the executive heads of the Commission, has been respected—probably because its violation would be reported at once and would rouse the whole neutral world.

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AND YOU SAY THIS PROF. KNUIT WON'T LET ANYONE ENTAIN THE COLONY UNLESS HE'S ATTAINED AS YOU ARE, CEDRIC?

THAT'S THE IDEA, OLD CHAP, BUT NOW THAT YOU'VE COME 'WAY UP HEAH TO VISIT US, WE MUST FIND A WAY O' GETTIN' YOU IN.

AW-BY JOVE, HEAH'S FAWTHAW! I SAY OLD TOP WON'T YOU EXCHANGE CLOTHES WITH PERCY HEAH, SO THAT HE CAN ENTAIN THE COLONY WITHOUT BREAKING PROF. KNUIT'S RULE ABOUT WEARING CIVILIZED GARMENTS WITHIN THE COLONY LIMITS?

WILL I? YOU BET I WILL!

THIS IS DELICED GOOD O' YOU OLD CHAP, RAHLY!

DON'T MENTION IT! PLEASURE'S ALL MINE!

