

M. J. B'S DEFEATED BY HAMILTON

SCORE YESTERDAY WAS 16 TO 13. WILCOX HERO OF THE GAME.

Hamilton, Aug. 22.—(Special)—The M. J. B. Coffees of Butte fell victims to the heavy batting of the locals today, losing by a score of 16 to 13. While the smoke was not as thick as yesterday it was there in sufficient quantities to cause errors that would have been inexcusable under a clear sky. Wilcox, the hero of yesterday, came back today for his second game and got away with things until the third inning, when Hamilton's men opened up on him, scoring two runs. He fell for two more in the fourth and after that he was rapped hard until Boston relieved him in the eighth. Boston's left-handed shots were bumped for four runs before three were out. Gebau was in fine form and let the Coffee men down with four hits. He pitched in grand form and deserved a shoutout, but for Raftery's three errors in succession in the fifth, filling the bases with one down, all should have been easy outs. Boston then singled and Schoen doubled, clearing the bases. That was the only chance the Coffees had and they made it count. In the seventh Gebau fanned Anderson, Whitman and Beaton as fast as they could get in position. Hamilton got off in the third. McQuaid, first up, singled over second. After Riehmeyer had grounded out Williams tripled to the fence, scoring McQuaid. Snyder then brought Williams home with a single to right. Marx then crushed a fast one for a double, but Williams was held at third. After Raftery had walked Gertz whiffed and Gebau grounded.

With one down in the next, McQuaid singled to center and then stole his way around to the last corner to score on Riehmeyer's long fly to Murphy. Williams was safe on Hogan's boot and went to second on his tum heave to first. Williams then pitched

third and scored when Hogan over-threw Nelson in returning Ike's short throw to second.

Four more came over in the sixth. Riehmeyer and Williams both singled, Riehmeyer scoring on Snyder's long fly to left. Marx then singled to left, Gertz followed suit and Gebau doubled to right for the sixth hit of the inning. McQuaid started the seventh by singling and immediately pitched second. Riehmeyer's single putting him on third. Stock then dropped Williams' tall fly. McQuaid scoring. Singles by Marx and Raftery cleared the bases. In the eighth Gebau was safe on Anderson's error. After McElroy was hit by the pitcher he and Gebau pulled off a double steal. McQuaid was safe on an error and all came home when Riehmeyer tried to center field fence. Snyder singled McElroy home.

Hamilton. Score: AB R H PO A E. McQuaid, ss 6 4 2 2 1 1. Riehmeyer, lf 6 3 3 0 0 0. Williams, cf 6 4 3 2 0 0. Snyder, lb 5 0 2 8 0 0. Marx, c 6 1 3 8 0 0. Raftery, 2b 4 1 2 5 2 4. Gertz, 3b 5 0 2 1 3 1. Gebau, p 4 1 1 0 2 1. Baker, rf 3 0 0 0 0 0. McElroy, rf 2 1 0 1 0 0. Totals 47 15 19 27 8 7.

M. J. B's. Score: AB R H PO A E. Nelson, c 5 1 0 12 0 0. Anderson, 2b 5 0 0 1 2 1. Whitman, lf 5 1 0 1 0 1. Beaton, rf 4 0 1 0 0 0. Stock, lb 4 0 1 7 0 1. Schoen, 3b 4 0 2 2 1 1. Hogan, ss 4 0 2 2 1 1. Murphy, cf 4 0 0 1 0 0. Wilcox, p rf 4 1 0 0 2 0. Totals 39 3 4 24 6 8.

Summary—Three base hits—Riehmeyer, Williams. Two base hits—Beaton, Stock, Whitman, Marx, Gebau. Struck out by Gebau, 8; by Wilcox, 8; by Beaton, 1. Base on balls—by Wilcox, 4. Hit by pitcher, Beaton, 1. Left on bases, 22. Run, 11; M. J. B., 7. Stolen bases, McQuaid, 4; Riehmeyer, Williams, 2; Marx, Raftery, Gebau, McElroy. Umpire, Holt.

BASEBALL

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

National League. Won. Lost. Pct. Chicago 73 35 .676. Pittsburgh 66 41 .617. New York 62 44 .585. Philadelphia 54 55 .496. Cincinnati 55 57 .488. Brooklyn 44 65 .404. St. Louis 43 68 .387. Boston 41 72 .363.

American League. Won. Lost. Pct. Philadelphia 77 34 .694. Boston 65 48 .575. Detroit 64 49 .566. New York 64 50 .562. Cleveland 50 61 .450. Washington 50 64 .438. Chicago 44 66 .400. St. Louis 34 75 .312.

American Association. Won. Lost. Pct. Minneapolis 86 42 .672. St. Paul 70 57 .551. Toledo 68 58 .540. Kansas City 65 59 .524. Columbus 59 64 .480. Milwaukee 57 70 .449. Indianapolis 53 74 .417. Louisville 45 78 .366.

Northwestern League. Won. Lost. Pct. Spokane 75 20 .787. Vancouver 67 28 .706. Tacoma 63 31 .670. Seattle 45 78 .366.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. New York 11, St. Louis 4. St. Louis, Aug. 22.—Week pitching turned the game today between New York and St. Louis into a farce. Score: R. H. E. St. Louis 4 9 5. New York 11 11 1. Batteries—Zimch, Harmon, Patton and Bresnahan, Illiss; Drucks, Crandall and Meyers, Wilson.

Brooklyn 8, Cincinnati 5. Cincinnati, Aug. 22.—Costly errors by Cincinnati, with opportune hitting by Brooklyn, gave the latter

victory today. Kautzer had two fingers of his pitching hand injured in the fourth and was forced to retire. Score: R. H. E. Brooklyn 8 12 1. Cincinnati 5 6 5. Batteries—Kautzer, Dessau and Bergen; Burns, Rowan and McLean.

Chicago 7, Boston 0. Chicago, Aug. 22.—Chicago drove Matten from the box in the second inning today, winning the opening game from Boston, 7 to 0. Batteries—McIntyre and Kling; Matten, Burke and Smith, Haridan.

Wagner Equals a Record. Pittsburgh, Aug. 22.—Pittsburgh today won two games from Philadelphia by timely hitting. In the second game Pittsburgh made three home runs in one inning. The feat was the batting of Wagner, who made seven hits in two games for a total of 16 bases. His feat of a total of 10 bases in the second game equalled the record of the season in individual batting. Score: R. H. E. First game: R. H. E. Pittsburgh 6 12 1. Philadelphia 5 9 0. Batteries—White, Leever, Philippi and Gibson; Shettler, Moren and Moran.

Second game: R. H. E. Pittsburgh 8 12 1. Philadelphia 4 6 0. Batteries—Cannitz and Gibson; Stack, Brennan and Dooan.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Boston 8, St. Louis 2. Boston, Aug. 22.—Hooper's batting was directly responsible for Boston's victory over St. Louis today, 8 to 2. The local right-fielder made a home run, two three-baggers and a single in as many times at bat. Score: R. H. E. St. Louis 2 5 1. Boston 8 12 0. Batteries—Lake and Killifer, Stephens; Cicotte and Carrigan.

Washington 4, Chicago 3. Washington, Aug. 22.—Washington defeated Chicago today by driving White from the box, the first time in three years. The Chicago pitcher retired in the seventh and Washington won 4 to 3. Second baseman McConnell turned his ankle and had to retire. Score: R. H. E. Washington 4 11 4. Chicago 3 2 2. Batteries—Walker and Beckendorf; White, Olmstead and Payne.

Philadelphia 7, Cleveland 6. Philadelphia, Aug. 22.—It took 12 innings for Philadelphia to beat Cleveland today 7 to 6. A pass and two singles netted victory. Score: R. H. E. Philadelphia 7 15 1. Cleveland 6 16 3. Batteries—Harkness, Koestner and Land; Morgan, Dygert, Atkins and Thomas.

Detroit 8, New York 5. New York, Aug. 22.—Detroit scored four runs in the ninth inning today on one hit, an error, four passes, a hit batsman and a balk, and defeated New York 8 to 5. Score: R. H. E. Detroit 8 10 3. New York 5 8 5. Batteries—Sumner, Willet and Schmidt; Warhop, Manning, Fisher and Sweeney.

WESTERN LEAGUE. At Des Moines—Des Moines, 1; Denver, 6. At Omaha—Omaha, 1; St. Joseph, 3. At Lincoln—Lincoln, 4; Wichita, 2. At Sioux City—Sioux City, 7; Topeka, 6.

COAST LEAGUE. At Los Angeles. Score: R. H. E. Los Angeles 3 7 2. Sacramento 1 6 3. Batteries—Tozer and Smith; Whalen and LaLonge.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE. At Spokane. Score: R. H. E. Spokane 12 10 2. Seattle 7 7 3. Batteries—Baker and Ostiek; Zackert and Hemenway.

At Tacoma. Score: R. H. E. Tacoma 6 9 2. Vancouver 0 2 2. Batteries—Hall and Blankenship; Erickson, Jensen, McQuerry and Lewis.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. At Toledo—Milwaukee, 2; Toledo, 5. At Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 5; Minneapolis, 0. At Columbus—St. Paul, 1; Columbus, 2. At Louisville, first game—Kansas City, 4; Louisville, 0. Second game—Kansas City, 1; Louisville, 3.

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