ON THE BASE BALL FIELD.

THE GREAT FIGHT FOR HONORS BECOMING WARMER.

Both of the New York Clubs Come Out Victorious—Brooklyn Wins and Loses—Other Games—News and Notes.

The championship games yesterday resulted as follows:

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York, 7; Boston, 2.
Philadelphia, 11; Brooklyn, 3.
Pittsburgh, 4; Cincinnati, 0.
Cleveland, 10; Chicago, 6.

THE PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

New York, 9; Boston, 5.
Brooklyn, 7; Philadelphia, 5.
Chicago, 19; Buffalo, 3.
At Cleveland—Rain.

THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At all cities—Rain.

THE ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

Jersey City, 7; Hartford, 1—first game.
Hartford, 6; Jersey City, 4—second game.
Newark, 8; Baltimore, 4.
Worcester, 6; New Haven, 2.
Washington, 11; Wilmington, 1.

The National League.

THE RECORD.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.	Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	12	2	.857	Cleveland	7	7	.500
Chicago	8	6	.571	Pittsburgh	7	9	.438
Brooklyn	8	7	.533	New York	7	10	.412
Cincinnati	8	8	.500	Boston	7	11	.389

NEW YORK (N. L.), 7; BOSTON (N. L.), 2.

New York won it, and that pleased the crowd. Although the game was not close, yet no brass band was needed to awaken enthusiasm. It has got so that about every day those who go out to these grounds see some brilliant play that sends a mighty thrill through them. No matter whether the New Yorks get there or whether they do not, the spectators feel that they have seen something which has repaid them for going.

Jeremiah Denny carried off the palm yesterday in this respect. He made one of those one-handed stops for which he has become so famous. McGarr knocked the ball with lightning speed between short stop and third base. Denny ran to one side, reached down with his left hand, and scooped up the ball with the ease and grace of a French professor. The game could have been stopped right at this point, and not one of the 357 spectators would have been dissatisfied.

The game was marked by heavier batting than usual. "Smiling Micky" Welch held the visitors down excepting in one inning, when on hits by Hardie, "Pop" Smith, and Tucker two runs were earned. Glasscock is throwing like a shot to first base and is playing a deep short. The New Yorks played an admirable game, the only error being an excusable one by Hardie. Esterbrook, Bassett, and Murphy showed that they know what bats were made for. Clarke is a great base runner. He seldom gets on first base but what he steals second and even third safely. He did it in the first inning yesterday.

Lawson, the pitcher released by Wilmington, did well in the box for Boston. Two of the hits against him were the result of a misunderstanding between the fielders. Shellhase supported him well and threw to bases in fine form. Long gave another wonderful exhibition at short. He was all over the field. He took one fly near the first base foul line that belonged to Hardie, and sure that fielder should have taken it, but could not because Long shouted that he had it. Boston put up a fine game, the only errors being an excusable fumble by Hardie and a very bad muff by Sullivan. The score;

NEW YORK (N. L.).	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	BOSTON (N. L.).	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Tiernan, c. f.	1	1	4	0	0	Brown, c. f.	0	1	2	0	0
Glasscock, s. s.	0	1	0	3	0	Richardson, l. f.	0	2	0	1	
Esterbrk, 1st b.	3	2	10	0	0	Stovey, r. f.	0	1	2	0	0
Bassett, 2d b.	0	1	2	4	0	Nash, 3d b.	0	0	1	1	1
Clarke, c.	0	1	2	0	0	Broothers, 1st b.	1	0	6	0	2
Denny, 3d b.	1	1	2	6	0	Quinn, 2d b.	0	1	2	6	0
Horning, l. f.	1	1	2	0	0	Irwin, s. s.	0	2	2	7	1
Murphy, c.	0	2	8	0	1	Murphy, c.	0	1	7	1	2
Welch, p.	1	1	0	0	0	Daly, p.	1	1	0	0	1
Totals	7	13	27	11	1	Totals	5	9	27	19	8

	NEW YORK.	BOSTON.
Earned runs	2	0
Two-base hits	0	1
Three-base hits	1	0
Sacrifice hits	2	0
Stolen bases	2	3
First base on errors	0	1
First base on balls	1	3
Left on base	9	8
Struck out	3	3
Wild pitches	0	1
Passed balls	1	0
Time	1:35	

Earned runs—New York, 2; Boston, 2. First base by errors—New York, 4; Boston, 1. Left on bases—New York, 9; Boston, 8. First base on balls—Off Daley, 5; off Crane, 4. Struck out—Gore, Crane (2), Nash, Broothers, Quinn, Murphy. Wild pitches—Welch (2), Hardie. Passed balls—Hardie, Irwin. Double play—Irwin, Murphy; Quinn and Murphy; Whitney, D. Richardson and Connor. Sacrifice hits—Irwin, D. Richardson, Hatfield, Brown, H. Richardson (2), Stovey, Quinn. Stolen bases—O'Rourke, D. Richardson, Slattery, Hatfield, Crane. Passed ball—Murphy. Umpires—Gaffney and Barnes. Time—1:38.

BROOKLYN (P. L.), 7; PHILADELPHIA (P. L.), 5.

PHILADELPHIA, May 13.—Brooklyn played the best game, and it won. It ran bases better and gave a better exhibition of team work. Philadelphia scattered its hits, but bunched its errors. Knell and Milligan did good work harmoniously, for the former made four wild pitches, and the latter made two wild throws, dropped a third strike, and let a pitched ball pass him. Fogarty was too ill to play, and the outfield consisted of Wood, Hallman, and Sanders. Shannon dropped a fly ball in the fourth inning, which gave the visitors a lead, and Knell and Farrar's wild throw in sixth were responsible for two more. Umpire Holbert was decidedly off in the calling of balls and strikes, and Philadelphia, as usual, got the worst of his weakness in that respect. In the third inning Ward should have been called out on strikes, but the umpire thought differently, and Ward was allowed to score a hit, which drove home a run. It was a very unsatisfactory game, and the spectators were not slow in saying so at the finish. Attendance, 1,476. The score:

PHILADELPHIA (P. L.).	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	BROOKLYN (P. L.).	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hallman, c. f.	0	0	1	0	0	Joyce, 3d b.	0	0	2	4	0
Shindle, s. s.	0	0	2	5	0	Andrews, c. f.	0	0	2	0	0
Sanders, r. f.	1	1	2	0	1	Ward, s. s.	2	2	4	3	1
Milligan, c.	1	2	5	0	3	Burns, 1st b.	1	2	12	2	1
Wood, l. f.	1	1	0	0	0	Beatin, 2d b.	1	2	3	6	0
Mulvey, 2d b.	1	2	2	3	0	Seery, r. f.	0	1	2	0	0
Farrar, 1st b.	1	1	11	0	1	Meteachy, c. f.	0	0	0	0	0
Shannon, 2d b.	1	1	2	2	1	Cook, c.	1	1	4	1	0
Knell, p.	0	1	0	1	0	Sowders, p.	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	5	10	24	17	7	Totals	7	12	27	17	2

	PHILADELPHIA.	BROOKLYN.
Earned runs	0	2
Two-base hits	0	0
Three-base hits	0	0
Sacrifice hits	2	1
Stolen bases	1	2
First base on errors	5	1
First base on balls	1	5
Left on base	8	7
Struck out	3	2
Wild pitches	4	0
Passed balls	1	0
Time	1:40	

Earned runs—Philadelphia, 4. Two-base hits—Sanders, Mulvey, Shannon, Seery. Sacrifice hits—Wood, Farrar, Knell, McCeachy. Bases stolen—Mulvey (2), Knell, Beatin, Seery. Double plays—Beatin and Joyce, Burns, Orr, and Cook. Left on bases—Philadelphia, 5; Brooklyn, 4. Struck out—Farrar, Joyce (3), Bauer. First base on errors—Philadelphia, 1; Brooklyn, 2. First base on balls—Hallman, Sanders, Ward, Burns, Orr. Wild pitches—Knell, Sowders. Passed balls—Milligan, 1; Cook, 1. Time—1:40. Umpires—Holbert and Ferguson.

CHICAGO (P. L.), 19; BUFFALO (P. L.), 3.

CHICAGO, May 13.—Capt. Comiskey and his men, by defeating the Buffaloes to-day, climbed up over the Bostons and to the first place. The score:

CHICAGO (P. L.).	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	BUFFALO (P. L.).	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Latham, 3d b.	0	0	1	3	0	Irwin, 3d b.	1	3	2	3	0
Duffy, r. f.	3	2	1	0	0	Hoy, c. f.	2	2	1	0	1
Ryan, c. f.	3	3	1	0	0	Rowe, s. s.	0	1	0	4	0
O'Neill, l. f.	3	2	4	0	0	Wise, 2d b.	0	1	2	4	0
Comiskey, 1st b.	2	3	9	0	0	White, 1st b.	0	1	8	2	0
Darling, s. s.	2	2	1	2	1	Beecher, l. f.	0	2	0	0	0
Farrell, c.	3	3	5	0	1	Mack, c.	0	0	4	0	0
Bastian, 2d b.	1	1	3	2	0	Halligan, r. f.	0	1	0	0	0
Baldwin, p.	1	4	0	2	1	Keefe, p.	0	0	0	5	0
Totals	19	20	24	9	3	Totals	3	8	24	18	2

Chicago	6	1	0	0	6	1	5	0	—19
Buffalo	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	—3

Earned runs—Chicago, 14. Buffalo, 1. Two-base hits—Farrell (2), Ryan, O'Neill, Rowe, Beecher. Three-base hits—Baldwin, Bastian, Duffy. Sacrifice hits—Latham, Comiskey, Darling, Farrell, Baldwin, Hoy, White. Stolen bases—Comiskey, Farrell. Left on bases—Chicago, 4; Buffalo, 7. Bases on balls—Off Baldwin, 1; Duffy (2), Darling, Bastian, Ryan, Keefe, Rowe. Struck out—Latham, Bastian, Rowe, Wise (2), Halligan, Beecher, Wild pitch—Keefe. Time, 1:50. Umpires—Knight and Jones. Attendance, 700.

The New York (P. L.) Club will strengthen its team if it is possible to secure the men. What is needed the most is a man each for the infield and outfield. Efforts have already been made to secure Dickey Johnston of the Bostons, who has just recovered from a damaged foot. If not Johnston, Tom Brown would do. It is claimed that the Bostons could well afford to assist the New York Club, who will certainly suffer serious results if the team is not strengthened at once. On the other hand, the Boston people say: "What would we have done if we hadn't Brown to take Johnston's place when he was injured?" What the outcome of the negotiations will be is purely problematical at present. The New Yorks may have a slight chance of getting Brown, but Johnston never.

The American Association.

THE RECORD.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.	Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Rochester	14	5	.737	Toledo	8	9	.471
Athletic	13	5	.722	Columbus	8	11	.421
St. Louis	10	8	.556	Syracuse	6	12	.333
Louisville	10	8	.556	Brooklyn	3	15	.167

The Atlantic Association.

THE RECORD.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.	Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Washington	12	2	.857	Jersey City	7	8	.467
New Haven	9	7	.563	Hartford	7	8	.467
Baltimore	9	7	.563	Worcester	6	7	.462
Newark	8	7	.533	Wilmington	2	14	.125

JERSEY CITY, 7; HARTFORD, 1—FIRST GAME.

HARTFORD, May 13.—The Hartfords and Jersey Citys played this morning the game which was postponed by rain at Jersey City last Thursday. The score:

HARTFORD.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	JERSEY CITY.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Sutton, 2b	0	0	3	3	0	McGucken, l. f.	1	0	4	0	0
Henry, c. f.	0	0	1	0	0	Keay, c. f.	0	1	2	0	0
Winkelm'n, r. f.	0	1	1	0	0	Reidy, 2d b.	2	2	4	4	0
Sullivan, 1st b.	0	0	0	1	0	Dooley, 1st b.	1	1	12	0	1
Foster, s. s.	0	1	2	3	1	Brady, r. f.	1	1	2	0	0
Fay, 3d b.	0	2	1	2	0	Van Alstyne, 3b.	0	0	1	0	0
Moore, c.	0	0	5	2	0	Roussey, s. s.	0	0	1	4	0
Lynch, l. f.	1	1	2	0	1	Fitzgerald, p.	0	1	0	3	0
O'Connell, p.	0	0	1	2	1	Dowd, c.	0	1	4	1	0
Totals	1	5	24	14	7	Totals	7	8	26	12	2

	HARTFORD.	JERSEY CITY.
Earned runs	0	0
Two-base hits	0	0
Sacrifice hits	0	2
Stolen bases	1	2
First base on errors	0	1
First base on balls	1	1
Left on bases	6	7
Struck out	3	4
Wild pitches	0	0
Passed balls	1	0
Time	1:35	

Earned runs—Hartford, 1. Two-base hits—Moore, Lynch. Sacrifice hits—Henry, Dooley, Keay. Stolen bases—Brady. First base on balls—Lynch. McGucken, Reidy, Dooley, Brady (2), Dowd. First base on errors—Hartford, 2; Jersey City, 2. Struck out—O'Connell (2), Roussey (2), Fitzgerald. Left on bases—Hartford, 4; Jersey City, 7. Double play—Reidy and Dooley. Passed ball—Moore. Umpires—Fagan and Turner. Time—1:35.

HARTFORD, 6; JERSEY CITY, 4—SECOND GAME.

HARTFORD, May 13.—A large crowd attended the afternoon game, owing to the presence of a large Hibernia delegation from out of town. The score:

HARTFORD.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	JERSEY CITY.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Henry, c. f.	2	2	1	0	0	McGucken, l. f.	1	1	2	0	0
Forster, s. s.	2	1	3	3	1	Keay, c. f.	2	2	1	0	0
Winkelman, r. f.	1	1	0	0	0	Reidy, 2d b.	1	2	4	5	1
Sullivan, 1st b.	0	1	12	0	1	Dooley, 1st b.	0	1	11	0	1
Fagan, p.	0	3	0	7	0	Brady, c.	0	1	2	0	0
Murray, c.	0	0	4	0	0	Van Alstine, 3d b.	1	2	3	0	
Sutton, 2d b.	1	1	3	2	0	Roussey, s. s.	1	2	1	2	2
Lynch, l. f.	0	0	1	0	0	McTeernott, p.	0	2	0	2	0
Fay, 3d b.	0	1	1	3	0	Collins, c.	0	1	3	1	1
Totals	6	10	27	16	1	Totals	4	12	27	14	6

Hartford	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0—6
Jersey City	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0—4

Earned runs—Jersey City, 3. Two-base hits—Henry, Collins. Sacrifice hits—Henry, Sullivan. Dooley. Van Alstine. Stolen bases—Forster, Sullivan (2), Sutton, McGucken. First base on balls—Lynch, Fagan, Forster, McGucken, Brady. First base on errors—Hartford, 3; Jersey City, 1. Hit by pitcher—Winkelman. Struck out—Henry (2), Lynch, Sullivan, Collins, Roussey. Left on bases—Hartford, 10; Jersey City, 8. Double plays—Fagan, Forster, Sullivan. Passed ball—Collins. Wild pitch—Fagan. Umpires—Kelly, Time—1:45.

WORCESTER, 6; NEW HAVEN, 2.

WORCESTER, May 13.—Stafford's pitching, Kennedy's fielding, and the hitting of Guinasso were the features of the game to-day. The score:

WORCESTER.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	NEW HAVEN.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Jones, 3d b.	0	2	0	5	0	McKee, l. f.	0	1	2	0	1
Campion, 1st b.	1	1	12	0	0	Pettit, 2d b.	1	1	1	2	0
Cudworth, c. f.	0	1	0	0	0	Schriver, 1st b.	0	1	11	0	0
Meister, 2d b.	0	1	1	1	0	Latham, r. f.	0	0	1	0	0
Kennedy, l. f.	1	1	4	0	0	Lally, c. f.	0	1	3	1	0
Spill, s. s.	0	0	1	1	0	Doyle, 3d b.	0	1	1	0	0
Slattery, r. f.	1	1	0	0	0	Lang, s. s.	1	0	2	3	1
Guinasso, c.	1	3	6	0	0	Holford, c. f.	0	2	3	4	0
Stafford, p.	2	2	0	3	0	Gilliland, p.	0	0	0	3	1
Totals	6	12	27	12	1	Totals	2	6	27	15	4

Worcester	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	1	—6
New Haven	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	—2

Earned runs—Worcester, 5. Two-base hits—Jones, Meister, Kennedy. Three-base hit—Kennedy. Guinasso. Stolen bases—Guinasso, Stafford, Pettit, Lang. First base on balls—Campion, McKee (2), Pettit, Lang. First base on errors—Worcester, 1; New Haven, 1. Passed balls—Guinasso, 2; Holford, 2. Wild pitch—Holford. Struck out—Jones, Spill, Slattery, Guinasso, McKee, Pettit (2), Latham (2), Doyle, Gilliland (3). Double plays—Lally, Holford and Doyle. Umpire—Mahoney. Time—1:55.

WASHINGTON, 11; WILMINGTON, 1.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The Washingtons won a very easy game from the Wilmingtons to-day. The score

WASHINGTONS.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	WILMINGTONS.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Rader, c. f.	3	1	2	0	0	Hasney, c. f.	0	0	0	0	0
Mason, s. s.	1	2	1	4	0	Morgan, r. f.	0	1	2	1	0
Jordan, l. f.	2	0	3	0	0	Lynch, 1st b.	0	1	12	1	0
Whistler, 1st b.	2	1	12	0	0	Corcoran, c.	0	0	6	3	0
O'Brien, 2d b.	1	1	2	3	0	Gallagher, 2d b.	0	0	2	4	1
Nicholas, r. f.	0	3	1	0	0	Creegan, 2d b.	0	1	2	1	0
Bird, 3d b.	1	3	2	3	0	Jas. Galligan, p.	0	0	2	0	0
Hill, 2d b.	0	1	0	1	0	Gillmore, p.	0	1	0	2	0
Biddle, c.	0	0	4	0	0	Sullivan, s. s.	0	1	0	2	0
Maloney, p.	1	2	0	1	0	Newell, 3d b.	0	1	1	1	1
Totals	11	12	27	11	0	Totals	1	6	26	16	2

* Nicholas out for not touching third base.

	WASHINGTONS.	WILMINGTONS.
Washington	4	0 0 0 0 0 3 0—11
Wilmington	0	0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1

Earned runs—Washington, 1. Two-base hits—Nicholas, Maloney, Bird. Creegan, Lynch, Gillmore. Stolen bases—Rader (3), Jordan, Nicholas, Creegan, John Galligan. Double play—John Galligan and Lynch. First base on balls—Off Maloney, 3; off Gillmore, 10; off Galligan, 1. Hit by pitcher—O'Brien Whistler. First base on errors—Washington, 1. Left on bases—Washington, 8; Wilmington, 7. Struck out—By Maloney, 3; by Gillmore, 4. Passed balls—Corcoran, 2. Wild pitches—Gillmore, 4. Time—1:40. Umpire—Valentine.

NEWARK, 8; BALTIMORE, 4.

BALTIMORE, May 13.—The Newarks had an easy time in defeating the Orioles to-day. The score:

BALTIMORE.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	NEWARK.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Long, c. f.	1	0	1	0	0	Carl, 3d b.	0	1	0	4	0
Wack, 2d b.	1	1	1	7	0	Johnson, l. f.	1	0	0	0	0
Ray, s. s.	0	0	2	4	0	McTarn't, 2d b.	2	1	6	4	0
Herrick, 3d b.	0	0	2	2	2	Fields, 1st b.	1	1	18	1	2
Tower, 1st b.	0	0	15	0	1	Doonk, r. f.	1	1	0	0	0
Townsend, c.	1	0	3	1	0	Smith, s. s.	1	0	1	8	0
O'Rourke, r. f.	0	0	1	0	0	Mansell, c. f.	1	1	2	0	0
Henry, l. f.	1	0	0	0	1	Duffy, c.	1	0	1	0	0
Baker, p.	0	0	0	1	0	Mace, p.	0	1	0	5	1
Totals	4	2	24	15	4	Totals	8	7	27	23	3

Baltimore	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	0—4
Newark	5	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	—8

Three-base hit—Mace. First base on errors—Baltimore, 8; Newark, 2. First base on balls—Baltimore, 3; Newark, 6. Left on bases—Baltimore, 4; Newark, 7. Sacrifice hits—Baker (2), Long, Herrick (2), Ray. Struck out—By Baker, 8. Hit by pitcher—Townsend, O'Rourke. Double play—Mace, McTernott and Fields. Stolen bases—Baltimore, 5; Newark, 4. Umpire—Corcoran. Time, 1:55.

Minor Leagues.

INTER-STATE LEAGUE (EAST).

AT LANCASTER.

Lancaster	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0—	3
Altoona	1	1	0	1	2	5	0	0	0	—10	

AT HARRISBURG.

Harrisburg	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—	2	
York	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	1	—6		

NEW YORK STATE LEAGUE.

AT ALBANY.

Albany	1	4	2	4	0	0	0	0	—11		
Cohoes	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0—	3	

AT JOHNSTOWN.

Johnstown	1	0	0	0	—1						
Utica	4	0	0	1	0—	5					

Rain—Batteries—For Utica, Cunningham and Hofford; for Johnstown, Gilroy, and Kennedy.

AT TROY.

Troy	0	0	3	0	0	3	1	0	—7		
Oneonta	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—	1	

INTER-STATE LEAGUE (WEST).

At Burlington—Burlington, 8; Peoria, 9. Twelve innings.

At Quincy—Quincy, 3; Evansville, 6.

At Galesburg—Galesburg vs. Terre Haute; no game on account of rain.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

At Milwaukee—Denver, 1; Milwaukee, 8.
At St. Paul—Kansas City, 2; St. Paul, 15.
At Omaha—Des Moines, 1; Omaha, 5.
At Sioux City—Minneapolis, 13; Sioux City, 0.

Other Games.

AT FORDHAM.

Fordham College	11	3	0	5	5	4	5	1	6—	40	
University City New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0	

AT WILLET'S POINT ON SUNDAY.

War Department, U. S. A.	3	0	2	0	1	4	0	0	0—	9	
Tiger	8	0	2	3	1	2	5	4	—20		

AT MIDDLETOWN.

Middletown	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—	1	
Cuban Giants	3	0	2	1	1	2	0	2	—11		

Times	3	6	2	3	0	0	0	1	0—	15	
Sun	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	3—	7	

Games To-day.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York vs. Brooklyn, at Washington Park.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

Brooklyn vs. Philadelphia, at Brooklyn.
New York vs. Boston, at Boston.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Athletic vs. Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
Rochester vs. Syracuse, at Rochester.

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

Hartford vs. Jersey City, at Hartford.
Washington vs. Wilmington, at Washington.

OTHER GAMES.

Cuban Giants vs. Norwalk, at Norwalk.
Staten Island Athletic vs. Stevens Institute.
Fort Green Base Ball Club of Brooklyn vs. New Jersey Athletic Club at Bergen Point.

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Base Ball Notes.

It was the thirteenth inning,
And not a run was scored
Now Mike Kelly's face was frowning,
And twists and curves ignored.
The pitcher sent a daisy,
The excitement was intense;
Mike knocked that new ball crazy,
Far o'er the centre fence.

WILLIAM LAWLER.

Sneeden, the Crescent's new pitcher, has shown up in perfect form.

The Staten Island Athletics have a new third-baseman named Newhall.

The Somersets defeated the New York Stock Exchange on saturday by 5 to 0.

In the last two games played here Long accepted eighteen chances without an error.

The Lexingtons, after a fine battle of ten innings, defeated the Prospects on Sunday by 5 to 4.

Neither Manager Ewing nor Crane accompanied the New York (P. L.) team to Boston last night.

Umpire Grace Pearce is in charge of one of the entrances to the Brooklyn Brotherhood Park.

Stovey leads the Bostons in batting in the series just closed at Brotherhood Park. His average was .571.

Base Ball—1. A baseman cannot be forced off his base by a runner. 2. He can go back provided he gets there before the ball.

The Western teams open the season in the East to-morrow. The Clevelands will play at the Polo grounds and the Buffalos at Brotherhood Park.

The match game of the gas fixture houses of Messrs. Schroeder, Campbell & Co. and Bernard & Co. was played on Saturday. The latter won, 10 to 10.

Denny is a great slider to bases. In one instance yesterday he tried to score from second on a single, and only escaped Sullivan's good throw by a heading dive for the home plate.

The New Yorks intend to take revenge out of the Brooklyn (N. L.) team at Washington Park this afternoon, on account of the drubbing they got over the bridge the last time.

Tom Brown's running from first to home in the third inning on a hit on which Richardson tried to make second but failed, was one of the finest base-running feats ever seen on any grounds in this vicinity.

St. Louis, May 13.—Tim Davis of last season's Kansas City and Brooklyn teams, was signed to-day to play third base for the Browns. Sweeney will be tried at second base, the weakest spot in the team.

At the Mott Haven grounds yesterday the light-weight team from the Seventh precinct administered a crushing defeat to the heavy-weight nine from the Fourth precinct by a score of 25 to 8, eight innings being played.

CARLISLE, May 13.—This afternoon a class game of base ball was played on the Dickson College athletic grounds between the senior and sophomore classes. It resulted in a score of 19 to 12 in favor of the sophomore class.

The game the New York (P. L.) Club play in Boston to-day is a postponed one, and was arranged to be played at the Hub solely for the purpose of not allowing the National League club of that city to have a clear field for patronage.

The Brooklyn Club will open the season on their own grounds on Saturday. They will play Mondays, Wednesdays, Saturdays, and holidays throughout the season. Clubs desiring dates should address R. E. Conroy, 28 Jefferson street, Brooklyn.

"Pop" Smith should be a fool fly nearly out of sight yesterday. Pat Murphy got under it, but the wind carried the ball in such a manner that it could not be properly judged. Pop Smith, the fleet-footed, ran to play a head, when he jumped backward, falling on his back and rolling completely over. But he held onto the ball.

In the present series between the New York and Boston (N. L.) teams, the New Yorks outplayed their opponents at every point. They made 20 runs to their opponents' 10, hit for 31 bases to Boston's 17, and, in making any better fielding than Mutrie's men just now, as in this series they averaged only 1½ errors to a game. One game was an errorless one.

New Haven, May 13.—Yale base ball authorities received a telegram to-day in which Harvard expresses a willingness to play the fifth game of the Yale-Harvard series, in case of a tie after four games have been played. Yale accepts the proposition, and will act exactly with Yale's wishes. The first game of the series will be played on the Yale field on Saturday.

Arthur Irwin is quoted as saying yesterday that the officials of the Boston (P. L.) Club have been approached by some of the National League magnates with a view of harmonizing some of the existing differences between the two leagues. Irwin said that the majorities of the old League propose, in consideration of the Players' League clubs throughout the country changing their names, to change the schedule of the National League.

Philadelphia, May 13.—Fogarty tendered his resignation as captain and manager of the Philadelphia Players' League club to-day. The announcement of Fogarty's resignation was made to-night by the club officials, but no action was made for the filling of his place. Fogarty did not play in his old position to-day, and it was reported that he is sick, but it is understood that the real cause of his resignation was a meeting at once, and Pitcher Charles G. Buffington was elected manager of the team. Ed Farrar will in all probability be selected to captain the team.

This year's base ball league of the Archidiocesan Union of Catholic young men's societies is composed of ten clubs. They are those of the Cathedral Literary and Athletic Association, the Spalding Literary Club, the Xavier Club, St. Raphael's Young Men's Society, St. Anthony's Lyceum, St. Alphonsus' Young Men's Literary Union, the Young Men's Institute Society, St. Mary Magdalen's Young Men's Union, the Leontine Association, and St. Agnes's Young Men's Society. The first game of the season will be played next Sunday at P. R. M. at Woodcrest, between the Junior nines of the Leontine Association and St. Agnes's Young Men's Society. On the same day the Holy Cross and St. Anthony's Clubs will play. The club of the Cathedral Society holds the championship emblem, which was presented to the League last year by Joseph J. O'Donohue.

Chicago, May 13.—Secretary Brunell of the Players' League said to-night: "The reason for the larger scores in our championship games is not that our playing ball has improved so much since we began work on the grounds by the batsmen of our teams. No base ball organization ever had so many crack batsmen in its clubs. In addition to the batting average of our League, we have taken from the American Association such men as Orr,