LEADERS NECK AND NECK.

NEW YORK AND BALTIMORE WIN, WHILE BOSTON LOSES.

This Makes a Difference of Sixteen Points Between the Champions and Ward's Men—Cleveland Beaten in Harlem, Louisville Surrenders to Hanlon's Team, and St. Louis Upsets the Bennetarers—Brooklyn, Philadelphia, and Washington Win.

The League leaders are now running a great neck-and-neck race. The champion Bostons were unexpectedly defeated by the St. Louis Browns yesterday, while the Baltimores took the Louisvilles into camp and the New Yorks outplayed the Clevelands. These results place Boston but seven points ahead of Baltimore and sixteen in front of the local team. The Brooklyns won an easy victory from the Pittsburghs, and are only six points behind the Clevelands. Philadelphia whipped Chicago in a one-sided contest, and Washington took a ball from Cincinnati. The results:

New York, 5; Cleveland, 1.
Brooklyn, 8; Pittsburgh, 2.
St. Louis, 9; Boston, 5.
Philadelphia, 10; Chicago, 6.
Baltimore, 8; Louisville, 3.
Washington, 9; Cincinnati, 7.

THE RECORD.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.	Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Boston	66	36	.654	Pittsburgh	54	52	.493
Baltimore	66	36	.647	Chicago	47	58	.448
New York	62	39	.614	Cincinnati	46	58	.442
Philadelphia	57	44	.564	St. Louis	43	61	.410
Cleveland	54	47	.535	Washington	35	69	.337
Brooklyn	54	48	.529	Louisville	29	74	.303

NEW YORK, 5; CLEVELAND, 1.

Patsy Tebeau's nine were beaten by the New Yorks at the Polo grounds.

A singular fact was that the men who did most to trample Tebeau's men under foot were both ex-Cleveland players. George Davis and Jack Doyle played such magnificent ball that Tebeau found fault with himself for allowing them to slip out of his grasp. Davis made himself felt with a home-run drive to deep centre in the seventh inning, sending Mike Tiernan in ahead of him. Doyle's first-base play was the finest piece of work he has done this year. In the sixth inning, with two men on bases and nobody out, he made a superb running catch of McKean's foul. Then he pulled down McGarr's hard liner and doubled up Tebeau, who was off first bag. Doyle made another brilliant play in the seventh. McAleer had reached first base on a hit and Blake then smashed a redshot grounder to Doyle. The impetus of the ball nearly knocked Jack off his pins, but he recovered in time to make a splendid throw to Fuller, forcing the fleet-footed McAleer at second. That saved a run, for if Doyle had merely been content with retiring Blake at first, McAleer would have scored from second on Young's single.

Rusie pitched one of his great games, especially with men on bases. He was hit safely ten times, but only in a scattering manner. Eleven Clevelanders were left on bases, and only one crossed the rubber. With a man on third in the first inning, Rusie struck Tebeau out. Again in the fourth, with McKean on second, the big thrower struck Tebeau out a second time. In the seventh, with two Cleveland runners waiting to score, Rusie made McKean fan the air, and in the eighth, with Burkett on base, Tebeau struck out for the third time. Rusie had tremendous speed and elegant control, only two men on balls being marked against him. Farrell caught him superbly, and wound up the game with a grand running catch of McKean's high foul.

Patty Childs played a very clever second base, barring one error, which proved fatal. With two men out in the first inning, Zimmer, who threw finely to bases, had Davis cleanly nailed at second base, but Childs muffed the ball. Then Doyle made a single, Ward rapped a three-bagger left, and Zimmer's throw to first base hit over McGarr's head, while three runs were chalked up for New York. This good beginning rather nettled "Cy" Young, who settled down and prevented further scoring until the seventh inning, when Tiernan drove his second single to centre and scored on Davis's four-bagger. The Clevelands only run was tallied in the sixth inning, when Childs and Burkett made hits, both moving up a base on McKean's foul to Doyle, and Childs scored on Tebeau's grounder, which Ward fumbled. Hurst had a number of close decisions to make, but he gave general satisfaction, there being little or no kicking from either side. The score:

NEW YORK.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	CLEVELAND.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Burks, l.f.	0	0	0	0	0	Childs, 2d b.	1	2	4	4	1
Tiernan, r.f.	1	1	2	0	0	Burkett, l.f.	0	1	0	0	0
Davis, 1st b.	1	2	9	0	0	McKean, s.s.	0	0	1	6	0
Doyle, 1st b.	1	1	12	1	0	Tebeau, 1b.	0	1	9	0	0
Ward, 2d b.	1	0	3	3	0	McGarr, 3d b.	0	0	2	1	1
Young, c.f.	0	0	0	0	0	McAleer, c.f.	0	1	1	0	0
Fuller, s.s.	0	1	2	2	0	Blake, r.f.	0	0	0	0	1
Farrell, c.	0	0	7	2	0	Zimmer, c.	0	1	8	0	0
Rusie, p.	0	1	0	0	0	Young, p.	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	5	10	27	10	2	Totals	1	10	24	16	2

New York	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—	5
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—	1

Earned runs—New York, 3; Cleveland, 1. Three-base hits—Ward. Home run—Davis. Sacrifice hits—McKean. Stolen bases—Davis, Doyle, Van Haltren, Fuller (2), McKean, Zimmer. First base on errors—New York, 1; Cleveland, 1. First base on balls—Off Young, 3. Struck out—By Rusie, 6; by Young, 1. Double plays—Doyle (unassisted); McAleer and Childs. Left on bases—New York, 6; Cleveland, 11. Wild pitches—Rusie, 2. Time—2:05. Umpire—Hurst. Attendance—3,000.

BROOKLYN, 8; PITTSBURGH, 2.

The game at Eastern Park yesterday afternoon was a very tame affair, and was remarkably free from unseemly disputes. The Pittsburgs could not possibly have played a more gentlemanly game of ball. The spectators had a good deal to talk about before the game. They deplored the fact that Third Baseman Shindle had received his ten days' notice of release. Shindle, they argued, has been playing steady, consistent game, and at no time has his playing been open to adverse criticism. His position in the batting order tells the story of his stick work. Yesterday he had no opportunity to distinguish himself. Tommy Corcoran took all the fielding honors. His playing was superb. Con Dailey caught a splendid game. The Brooklyns made no errors, and they batted Menafee effectively. They hit him hard enough to win without the aid of the few errors that the Pittsburghers made. The western Pennsylvanians could only hit Kennedy safely now and then. Kennedy was very wild at times, giving four bases on balls and hitting three men by pitched balls. But he struck out five men. The score:

BROOKLYN.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	PITTSBURGH.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Griffin, c.f.	0	2	0	0	0	Donovan, r.f.	0	1	2	0	0
Shindle, 3d b.	0	0	1	2	0	Smith, l.f.	0	0	3	0	0
Corcoran, s.s.	0	0	7	4	0	Shindle, 1st b.	0	0	11	0	0
Burns, l.f.	2	2	0	1	0	Stenzel, s.s.	0	1	2	4	1
Shock, 2d b.	0	0	1	0	0	O'Brien, 2d b.	0	1	1	1	0
Weidman, 1b.	1	1	9	0	0	Weaver, c.f.	0	0	2	0	0
Lachance, 1b.	1	2	1	0	0	Mack, c.	0	1	5	1	0
Bailey, c.	1	1	4	0	0	Hartman, 3b.	0	0	0	2	0
Kennedy, p.	0	0	1	1	0	Menafee, p.	0	1	0	0	1
Totals	5	11	27	13	0	Totals	2	5	24	15	3

Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	5	—	8
Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	—	2

Earned runs—Brooklyn, 3; Pittsburgh, 1. First base by errors—Brooklyn, 1. Left on bases—Brooklyn, 5; Pittsburgh, 7. First base on balls—Off Kennedy, 4; off Menafee, 1. Struck out—By Kennedy, 5; by Menafee, 1. Two-base hits—Bailey, Burns, Shock. Sacrifice hits—Lachance, Stolen bases—Smith, Hit by pitcher—By Kennedy, 2. Umpire—Keefe. Time—2:00. Attendance—1,000.

ST. LOUIS, 9; BOSTON, 5.

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—Conaughton's costly errors at short and the champions' inability to bunch their hits, aided from one inning, gave the Browns an easy victory to-day. The batting of Shugart and sensational plays by Ely, Miller, and Tucker were the features of the contest. Attendance, 1,857. The score:

ST. LOUIS.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	BOSTON.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Dowd, l.f.	1	2	0	0	0	Lowe, 2d b.	0	1	2	0	0
Ely, s.s.	2	2	2	4	1	Duffy, c.f.	0	2	3	0	0
Miller, c.	0	1	9	1	0	Duffy, l.f.	0	0	2	0	0
Connor, 1st b.	1	1	10	1	0	McCarthy, r.f.	0	0	0	0	0
Quinn, 3d b.	0	2	1	3	0	Tucker, 1st b.	1	2	11	0	0
Shugart, r.f.	2	3	0	0	0	Nash, 3d b.	1	1	1	3	0
Cooley, 2d b.	0	1	1	1	0	Bannon, r.f.	1	1	0	0	0
Hawley, p.	0	1	0	2	0	Dannat, s.	0	1	1	1	0
Hogan, r.f.	1	1	0	0	0	Schoeb, p.	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	9	15	27	15	2	Totals	5	11	27	14	4

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	—	9
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	—	5

Earned runs—St. Louis, 3; Boston, 1. First base by errors—St. Louis, 3; Boston, 3. First base on balls—Off Hawley, 3; off Nichols, 1. Struck out—By Nichols, 1. Three-base hit—Miller. Two-base hits—Shugart, Hawley, Nash. Stolen bases—Dowd, Double plays—Ely, Quinn, and Connor; Quinn and Connor. Wild pitch—Hawley. Passed ball—Miller. Umpire—McQuaid. Time—1:55.

PHILADELPHIA, 10; CHICAGO, 6.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—The Philadelphias beat Chicago to-day in a game which was greatly in contrast to those played yesterday. They fielded well and hit Terry hard. Weather, fair. Attendance, 2,500. The score:

PHILADELPHIA.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	CHICAGO.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hamilton, c.f.	2	2	3	0	0	Ryan, r.f.	0	0	2	0	0
Boyle, 1st b.	1	1	8	0	0	Dahlen, s.s.	2	3	0	0	0
Wheeler, l.f.	2	2	3	0	0	Wilmot, l.f.	1	2	2	0	0
Turner, r.f.	2	3	2	0	0	Decker, 1st b.	1	1	11	1	0
Thompson, c.f.	1	0	0	0	0	Lange, c.f.	0	3	4	1	1
Hallman, 2d b.	0	2	2	4	0	Irwin, 3d b.	0	1	1	4	1
Clements, c.	1	2	9	1	0	Parrott, 2d b.	0	0	3	3	0
Sullivan, s.s.	0	0	1	1	0	Terry, p.	0	1	0	0	0
Taylor, p.	0	0	0	0	0	Schriver, c.	0	1	9	1	1
Totals	10	20	27	15	2	Totals	6	13	27	15	3

Philadelphia	3	4	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	—	10
Chicago	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	—	6

Earned runs—Philadelphia, 8; Chicago, 4. First base by error—Chicago. Left on bases—Philadelphia, 9; Chicago, 11. First base on balls—Off Taylor, 5; off Terry, 2. Struck out—By Taylor, 3. Three-base hit—Thompson. Two-base hits—Wheeler, Turner, Thompson, Taylor, Dahlen, Parrott, Lange, Irwin. Sacrifice hit—Boyle. Hamilton, Stolen bases—Hamilton (8), Wheeler, Double plays—Boyle and Sullivan; Dahlen and Boyle; Dahlen and Decker, Lange and Decker, Lange and Dahlen. Hit by pitcher—By Taylor, 1; by Terry, 1. Wild pitches—Taylor, 2. Passed ball—Schriver. Umpire—Lynch. Time—2:15.

BALTIMORE, 8; LOUISVILLE, 3.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 28.—Baltimore had a good thing of it with the tailenders to-day. McMahon took things very easy, using only slow curves. The Orioles were not able to do much with Hemming, but they took advantage of the bases, and made the most of Louisville's numerous errors. Attendance, 2,000. The score:

BALTIMORE.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	LOUISVILLE.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Kelley, l.f.	1	1	3	0	0	Brown, c.f.	0	0	4	0	0
Keeler, r.f.	2	2	0	0	0	Clark, l.f.	0	0	0	0	1
Brouthers, 1b.	1	1	9	0	0	Pfeffer, s.s.	0	0	1	1	0
McGraw, 3d b.	1	2	0	0	0	Grim, 2d b.	0	0	3	4	0
Brodie, c.f.	1	1	2	0	0	Gilbert, 3d b.	0	1	3	2	0
Reitz, 2d b.	0	2	2	5	0	Zahner, c.	0	0	8	0	0
Jennings, s.s.	1	0	2	2	0	Latimer, 1b.	0	1	8	0	0
Robinson, c.	0	0	7	2	0	Nicol, r.f.	1	2	1	0	0
McMahon, p.	0	0	1	0	0	Hemming, p.	1	2	0	0	0
Totals	8	9	27	7	0	Totals	3	8	24	8	3

Baltimore	0	1	3	0	2	2	0	0	0	—	8
Louisville	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	—	3

Earned runs—Baltimore, 5; Louisville, 2. Left on bases—Baltimore, 4; Louisville, 5. First base on balls—Off McMahon, 3; off Hemming, 3. Struck out—By McMahon, 4; by Hemming, 3. Three-base hit—Reitz. Two-base hits—Kelley, McGraw. Sacrifice hits—McGraw, Brodie, Brown, Clark. Stolen bases—Brodie (2), McGraw, Jennings, Clark (2). Double plays—Robinson and Jennings; Gilbert (unassisted). Hit by pitcher—By McMahon, 1; by Hemming, 1. Passed ball—Robinson. Umpire—Betts. Time—1:35.

WASHINGTON, 9; CINCINNATI, 7.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Washington obtained a lead of three runs in the opening inning to-day and was never headed. The home team fielded badly, but was fortunate in hitting the ball when the bases were occupied. Attendance, 1,148. The score:

WASHINGTON.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	CINCINNATI.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Shiebeck, s.s.	2	1	4	5	2	Latham, 3d b.	1	2	1	1	0
Joyce, 3d b.	2	2	4	3	0	Hoy, c.f.	0	1	5	0	0
Hassamer, r.f.	1	1	0	0	1	Holliday, l.f.	0	3	1	0	1
Abley, c.f.	1	1	2	0	0	McPhee, 2d b.	1	4	2	0	0
McGuire, c.	1	2	3	0	0	Merritt, c.	0	2	8	0	0
Selbach, l.f.	1	1	0	0	0	Canavan, r.f.	0	0	0	0	0
Cartwright, 1b.	1	0	6	0	0	Comiskey, 1b.	1	2	9	1	1
Radford, 2d b.	0	2	3	4	0	Smith, s.s.	0	1	0	3	0
Maul, p.	0	0	0	0	0	Dwyer, p.	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	9	11	26	14	3	Totals	7	19	27	14	2

* Merritt out for interference.

Washington	3	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	—	9
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	—	7

Earned runs—Washington, 4; Cincinnati, 3. First base by errors—Washington, 3; Cincinnati, 3. Left on bases—Washington, 8; Cincinnati, 6. First base on balls—Off Maul, 2; off Dwyer, 3. Struck out—By Dwyer, 1; by Maul, 1. Home run—Selbach. Three-base hits—Joyce (2). Two-base hits—Hassamer, McGuire (2), Selbach. Sacrifice hits—Maul, Latham. Stolen bases—McGuire, Latham (3), Hoy, Holliday. Double play—Shiebeck and Cartwright. Hit by pitcher—By Maul, 1. Umpire—Emslie. Time—Two hours.

Eastern League.

AT SYRACUSE.

SYRACUSE.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	BUFFALO.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Welch, c.f.	2	1	2	0	0	O'Brien, 2d b.	0	1	3	3	1
Simon, l.f.	2	3	3	0	0	Collins, l.f.	2	2	0	0	0
Minnehan, 3b.	1	0	2	1	0	Clymer, c.f.	2	2	1	0	0
Griffin, r.f.	0	2	0	0	0	Doyle, r.f.	1	1	2	0	0
Power, 1st b.	0	0	9	1	1	Urquhart, c.	0	1	4	0	2
Eagan, 2d b.	0	0	3	4	0	Lewis, s.s.	0	0	1	7	0
Ross, c.	0	0	1	0	0	Conley, 1st b.	0	0	13	0	0
Cross, s.s.	0	1	2	4	0	Johnson, 3d b.	0	0	1	2	1
Bauswein, p.	1	1	1	1	0	Vickery, p.	1	2	0	1	0
Totals	5	10	27	13	1	Totals	7	12	27	17	6

Syracuse	0	0	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	—	5
Buffalo	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	—	7

Earned runs—Syracuse, 5; Buffalo, 3. Left on bases—Syracuse, 7; Buffalo, 6. First base on balls—Off Bauswein, 2; off Vickery, 5. Struck out—By Bauswein, 1; by Vickery, 8. Two-base hits—Collins, Urquhart. Sacrifice hit—Simon. Stolen bases—Eagan (4), Cross (3), Welch, Power, Bauswein, Clymer. Double plays—Cross, Eagan, and Power (2); Cross and Eagan; Bauswein and Power; Conley (unassisted). Umpire—Swartwood. Time—1:40.

AT SPRINGFIELD.

SPRINGFIELD.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	WILKESBARRE.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Shannon, s.s.	0	0	2	8	1	Lytle, l.f.	0	2	5	0	1
Donnelly, 1b.	0	1	9	0	0	Shannon, 2b.	0	2	3	6	0
Lynch, 2d b.	1	1	2	4	0	Stearns, 1st b.	1	1	9	0	0
Shaffer, r.f.	0	2	2	0	0	Lezotte, r.f.	0	1	4	0	1
Leahy, c.	0	2	9	2	0	Betts, c.f.	0	1	5	0	0
Bottomley, c.f.	0	0	2	0	0	Gillen, 3d b.	1	4	0	4	0
Nadeau, 3d b.	0	1	1	3	0	Warner, c.	0	0	7	0	0
Erkins'ge, 1b.	0	1	8	0	0	McLa'ghl'n, r.f.	0	0	0	0	0
Coughlin, p.	0	0	0	0	1	McMahon, s.s.	1	3	4	3	0
Totals	1	8	27	17	2	Meekin, p.	1	0	3	9	1
Totals	7	17	45	21	4	Totals	7	15	48	21	4

Springfield	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	1
Wilkesbarre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	—	7

Earned runs—Springfield, 1; Wilkesbarre, 2. First base by error—Springfield, 1; Wilkesbarre, 1. Left on base on balls—Off Coughlin, 4; off Meekin, 6. Struck out—By Coughlin, 8. Three-base hits—Donnelly, Lezotte. Two-base hits—Lynch, Betts (2), Breckinridge. Sacrifice hits—Shannon, Donnelly, Leahy, Nadeau, Dean, Shannon. Stolen bases—Leahy, Nadeau. Double plays—Shannon, Lynch, and Breckinridge; McMahon and Stearns. Passed ball—Leahy (1), Lezotte (1). Umpire—Connolly. Time—2:20.

AT PROVIDENCE.

PROVIDENCE.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	ALLENTOWN.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Lyons, c.f.	1	2	2	0	0	Wood, l.f.	1	2	0	0	0
Bassett, 3d b.	0	2	3	3	0	Wise, 2d b.	1	2	4	4	0
Knight, l.f.	0	0	2	0	0	Kelly, 1st b.	0	2	8	1	1
Rogers, 1b.	0	1	9	0	0	Sweeney, r.f.	0	1	1	0	0
Conley, s.s.	0	0	0	0	0	Napoleon, c.	0	1	7	1	0
Stricker, 2d b.	1	2	3	1	0	Mulvey, 3d b.	0	0	0	0	0
Muzzy, r.f.	0	0	1	0	0	Milligan, c.	0	1	6	2	0
Dixon, c.	0	0	6	1	0	Costello, r.f.	0	1	0	0	0
Lovett, p.	0	0	1	3	0	W. Sw'ny, s.s.	0	1	1	2	0
						Durrea, p.	0	0	2	3	0
Totals	3	13	27	13	0	Totals	3	13	27	13	1

Providence	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	—	5
Allentown	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	3

Earned runs—Providence, 4; Allentown, 1. First base by error—Providence, 1; Allentown, 1. First base on balls—Off Durrea, 1; off Lovett, 1. Struck out—By Lovett, 6; by Durrea, 3. Three-base hits—Lyons, P. Sweeney. Two-base hits—Bassett, Knight, Rogers. Stolen bases—Stricker, Muzzy. Double plays—Mulvey, Wise, and Kelly. Hit by pitcher—By Lovett, 2. Wild pitches—Lovett, Durrea. Passed ball—Dixon. Umpire—Snyder. Time—1:55.

AT SCRANTON.

SCRANTON.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	ERIE.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cahill, 2d b.	1	2	4	0	1	Nicholson, 2b.	1	2	3	3	1
Hoover, l.f.	0	1	2	0	0	Smith, s.s.	0	1	2	4	0
Johnson, c.f.	1	1	3	0	0	Shearon, r.f.	0	0	0	0	0
Patchen, c.	1	1	8	0	0	Lally, c.f.	1	1	1	0	0
Reese, r.f.	0	0	0	0	0	Fields, 1st b.	0	1	9	0	0
Phelan, 3d b.	0	2	1	2	0	Berger, c.	0	1	4	0	0
Lehane, 1st b.	1	0	9	0	0	Kuehne, 3d b.	0	0	1	1	0
Fox, s.s.	0	0	2	3	0	Vandyke, l.f.	0	0	0	0	0
Quarles, p.	0	0	0	1	0	Moolhiney, p.	0	1	0	0	0
						Gunson, 2d b.	0	0	2	1	1
Totals	4	13	29	12	1	Totals	2	7	22	9	2

*Gunson declared out.

Scranton	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	—	2
Erie	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	8	—	2

Earned runs—Scranton, 2; Erie, 5. First base by error—Scranton, 1; Erie, 1. Left on bases—Scranton, 10; Erie, 9. First base on balls—Off Quarles, 8; off McGuinness, 8. Struck out—By Quarles, 8; by McGuinness, 3. Three-base hits—Cahill, Smith, Quarles, Shearon. Two-base hits—Patchen, Nicholson, Shearon, Berger. Sacrifice hits—Lee Smith, Stolen bases—Nicholson, Van Dyke. Double plays—Smith, Cahill, and Lehane. Wild pitch—Quarles. Umpire—Doescher. Time—2:10.

New England League Games.

At Haverhill—Haverhill, 16; Pawtucket, 5. Base hits—Haverhill, 18; Pawtucket, 11. Errors—Haverhill, 3; Pawtucket, 8. Batteries—Viau and Sweeney; Black, Keely, and Yager.

At Bangor—Bangor, 8; Fall River, 1. Base hits—Bangor, 10; Fall River, 8. Errors—Bangor, 8; Fall River, 5. Batteries—Wheeler and Hayes; Klobedanz and Rupert.

Pennsylvania State League Games.

At Reading—Reading, 6; Hazleton, 10.
At Shenandoah—Shenandoah, 5; Pottsville, 13.
At Carlisle—Harrisburg, 16; Philadelphia, 11.

Western League Games.

At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 10; Milwaukee, 8.

Western Association Games.

At St. Joseph—St. Joseph, 11; Des Moines, 8.
At Jacksonville—Jacksonville, 23; Quincy, 19.
At Lincoln—Lincoln, 7; Omaha, 6.
At Rock Island—Rock Island, 11; Peoria, 1.

Baseball Games To-day.

NATIONAL LEAGUE AND AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

New York vs. Cleveland, at the Polo grounds.
Brooklyn vs. Pittsburgh, at Eastern Park.
Washington vs. Cincinnati, at Washington.
Philadelphia vs. Chicago, at Philadelphia.
Baltimore vs. Louisville, at Baltimore.
Boston vs. St. Louis, at Boston.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

Scranton vs. Buffalo, at Scranton.
Syracuse vs. Erie, at Syracuse.
Providence vs. Wilkesbarre, at Providence.
Springfield vs. Allentown, at Springfield.

New Minor Baseball League.

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 28.—A new professional baseball league, to be known as the Atlantic League of Professional Baseball Clubs, was organized this morning in the parlors of the Continental Hotel. The cities represented at the meeting, which will make up the first five of the total eight embraced in the league, are Newark, Jersey City, Paterson, Trenton, and Wilmington, Del. The three additional cities will be selected from the following: Atlantic City, Elizabeth, New Brunswick, Asbury Park, Camden, Orange, and Plainfield.

The association will start out with Samuel N. Crane of New York as President and Alvin D. Compton of Roseville as Vice-President. The Executive Committee and financial managers are Samuel N. Crane, Chairman; G. H. Genslinger, and T. P. Sullivan. This is the first professional organization in this state. The first game will be scheduled for play early next May, and each club will play 140 regular league games.

Eastern League Meeting.

There was a special meeting of the Eastern League at the Fifth Avenue Hotel yesterday morning. The clubs were represented as follows: Buffalo, James Franklin; Yonkers, Harvey Sugfried; Erie, C. H. Morton; Providence, W. H. Draper and E. A. Johnson; Springfield, Thomas E. Burns, Scranton, J. A. Swatzy; Syracuse, G. M. Kuntzsch; Wilkesbarre, by proxy.

The object of the meeting was to extend the playing season one week, so as to give Mike Kelly's Allentown team an opportunity to play a few games in this city next month. After a consultation the following dates were arranged to be played at the Polo grounds: Sept. 6, Allentown vs. Buffalo, two games, Sept. 17-18, Allentown vs. Providence; Sept. 20, 21, 22, Allentown vs. Springfield. On Sept. 7 the Allentowns will play an exhibition game with the New Yorks.

Baseball Notes.

G. Noot—Nichols of Boston.

Constant Subscriber.—A wins the bet.

To-day's game at the Polo grounds will begin at 3:45 o'clock.

The St. Louis league team will play the Orange A. C. nine at Orange Oval next Friday.

John W. De Venn—Both games were legal and count in the championship record. A wins the bet and B has no argument.

The St. Michael's Literary Union of Jersey City would like to hear from out-of-town clubs giving a suitable guarantee. Address F. Holland, 178 Erie street, Jersey City.

The Jersey City Baseball Club have Labor Day (two games) and Sept. 8 open for teams offering guarantees. Address C. E. Pollard, 216 Produce Exchange.

The Gorhams have Saturday and Labor Day open and would like to hear from clubs giving a suitable guarantee. Address A. Davis, manager, 127 West Third street, New York city.

E. A. D.—No date has as yet been decided upon. Two games that Hoodenpyl won have been protested, and the protests have not been settled so far as is known. Should they be decided against the Sidneys there will be no deciding game.

Tebeau told THE SUN reporter yesterday that he would sign two new pitchers and an outfielder in a few days. He would like to secure the release of Stafford from the New Yorks.

New Bedford, Mass., Aug. 28.—Fred P. Steers, short stop of the New Bedford Baseball Club, left the city to-night, having been signed by the Pittsburgh Club of the National League. He will report to the club tomorrow. Steers played on the Brown University team up to last season, and is considered one of the best short stops in the country.

Gassaway, N. Y., Aug. 28.—The deciding game in the series between the Hill Country Club and the Nemos of this place was played this morning on the grounds of the Hill Country Club, the Nemos winning by a score of 23 to 18. In this game, as was the case in the preceding ones, was marked by heavy hitting. The battery work of Hasbrouck and Hyde was the feature of the game. Hasbrouck struck out nine of the opposing batsmen, besides making a difficult double play unassisted. He also made four hits, one double, two singles, and a home run. Hyde did the heaviest hitting, making four out of six times at bat, three of them