Speaker's Great Catch Enables Indians to Defeat White Sox and Drives Latter Into Third Place in Pennant Race

YANKS WILL HAVE BIG WEEK IN JUNE

Postponements Mean 10 Games for New Yorkers in Space of Six Days.

TIMES HAVE CHANGED

Cubs and Franchise Brought $104,000 in 1906, Ruth More in 1920.

By WILLIAM B. HANNA.

The first week in June will be a busy one for the Yankees. They have three double headers booked for that week. Yesterday's postponed game will be played at the Polo Grounds on June 1, and the postponed game of the day before at the same place on June 2. On June 5, which is Saturday of the same week, the New Yorkers play a double header with the Athletics in Philadelphia. These aren't all. Monday, May 31, is Memorial Day, when the Washingtons will be here for two games. That means four clashes between Griffs men and Hug's aspirants in three consecutive days and a grand total of ten games in one week, with no contest on Sunday, which condenses the busy contract to ten games in six days. Just how Thursday and Friday have been allowed to taper off into periods of such idleness as a mere one game a day hasn't been explained. However, Harry Sparrow, please notice. A week of this sort ought to do the Yanks a heap of good. They'll get into the habit of crowding a lot of baseball into one afternoon, and if they can but distinguish between "lot" in a qualitative and in a quantitative sense all will be well and the pennant safe.

Times change and prices with them. The weekly rent of a hallroom with use of gas stove from Saturday to Monday; the price of a hair cut and the cost of a silk shirt with loud stripes—which most of them run to—to say nothing of penny profiteering on chewing gum—all these things have changed no more than has the price of ball players. A few months ago somewhere between $100,000 and $125,000 was paid by the New York American League Club for Babe Ruth, whose Christian name of George has been effaced by the mighty deeds and stature which make one a Babe. Very well, $100,000 was paid for Ruth. Now, here is the point: Fourteen years ago Charles Webb Murphy paid $104,000 for a whole ball club, and a major league ball club at that. Players as well as franchise went with this purchase. In this era of money madness and abnormal values if anybody wanted to buy a team of Ruths and the franchise along with it, he'd have to have carte blanche access to the gold reserve.

The Giants and Dodgers will play today at Ebbets Field. This is the game to have been played on Tuesday. The play off of yesterday's postponement will come later. The Dodgers purpose stepping further pennantward this afternoon, to hear Brooklynites talk. They're talking big. Remember 1916, is their cry. They have just the grandest outfield and infield and pitchers and everything—including the grandest way of smearing spectators all over the outfield on a big day.

The following, from John F. Martin of Rye, N. Y., is of exceeding interest. "I have the score of a baseball game pasted in a scrapbook," he writes, "and am writing to you to learn if you could tell me the year it was played, the clipping having no year date. The game was played at New Orleans on October 31, and the box score contains the following names:

"New York—Kelly, r. f.; Ward, ss.; Ewing, l. f., 2b. and c.; Connor, 1b.; Tiernan, p. and l. f.; Denny, 3b.; Richardson, p. and 2b.; Brown, c.; Keefe, p. and c. f.

"New Orleans—Powell, r. f.; Campau, l. f.; Cartwright, 1b.; Geiss, 2b.; Fuller, ss.; Bradley, 3b.; Weidner, p.; Vaughn, c.; McVey, c. f.

"Tiernan was knocked out of the box in the seventh, Richardson pitched the eighth and Keefe finished the game.

"I have tried to dope it out by a process of elimination, as, for instance, were Ward and Ewing on the same team? Weren't the two Richardson's (Danny and Hardy) gone from New York before Kelly came? but cannot solve it."

This may have been a team put together for fall barnstorming purposes. John Ward probably could throw some light on the subject. His help is solicited.

DETROIT LOSES ANOTHER.

Drops Tenth Straight When St. Louis Wins by 6 to 6.

ST. LOUIS, April 28 (American).—St. Louis won its second straight game from Detroit to-day, scoring six runs and blanking the visitors. This was Detroit's tenth straight defeat.

Leonard, after pitching great ball for five innings, weakened in the sixth, allowing four hits, which with an error gave St. Louis four runs. The score:

DETROIT (A.)	abrhoae	ST. LOUIS (A.)	abrhoae
Young,2b..	4 0 2 3 0 0	Austin,3b..	4 0 1 1 2 0
Ellison,3b.	4 0 0 1 1 1	Gedeon,2b..	2 1 2 2 1 0
Veach,lf...	3 0 2 2 0 0	Tobin,lf....	3 1 0 4 0 0
Cobb,cf....	4 0 2 2 0 0	Sisler,1b....	4 1 2 9 0 0
Heilm'n,1b	4 0 2 6 0 0	Williams,cf	3 2 1 0 0 0
Flagst'd,rf	4 0 0 3 1 0	Jacobson,rf	4 0 1 5 0 0
Bush,ss....	3 0 0 1 2 0	Billings,c...	3 1 2 1 0 0
Ainsmith,c	3 0 0 6 0 0	Gerber,ss..	4 0 1 3 0 1
Leonard,p.	2 0 0 0 1 0	Shocker,p..	4 0 0 1 0 0
Alten,p....	0 0 0 0 0 0		
*Shorten...	1 0 0 0 0 0	Totals	...31 6 11 27 6 1
Totals	...32 0 4 24 7 1		

*Batted for Leonard in eighth.

Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	x—6

Two base hits—Gedeon, Billings, Gerber. Three base hits—Williams, Jacobson. Stolen base—Williams. Sacrifice hits—Williams, Tobin, Gedeon. Double play—Flagstead to Ainsmith. Left on bases—Detroit, 6, St. Louis 6. Bases on balls—Off Leonard, 1, off Shocker 1. Hits—Off Leonard 8 in 7 innings; off Alten 3 in 1 inning. Hit by pitcher—By Leonard (Billings). Struck out—By Leonard 1, by Shocker 1. Wild pitch—Leonard. Losing pitcher—Leonard. Umpires—Chill and Owens. Time—1:45.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

At Memphis—First game—	R.	H.	E.
Memphis	5	8	2
Nashville	2	5	3
Batteries—Canavan, Vance and Meyers; P. Jonnard, Mels and Kohlbecker.			
Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Memphis	3	5	1
Nashville (8 innings, darkness)	5	5	3
Batteries—Hodges and C. Jonnard; Tuwestt, Vance and Bischoff.			
At New Orleans—	R.	H.	E.
Atlanta	3	10	1
New Orleans	2	7	2
Batteries—Perdue and Deberry; Sheehan and Powell.			
At Mobile—	R.	H.	E.
Birmingham	2	6	0
Mobile	0	1	1
Batteries—Lukenowic and Coleman, Gallagher and Gooch.			
At Little Rock—	R.	H.	E.
Chattanooga	4	7	2
Little Rock	2	6	2
Batteries—Knowlson, Masters, Loeman, Yellowhorse and Brottem; Cunningham and Neidenkorn.			

BASEBALL TO-DAY. POLO GROUNDS, 3:30 P. M. Yankees vs. Washington.—Adv.

Hendricks Is Fined $400 and Suspended

CHICAGO, April 28.—President Hickey of the American Association to-day fined Jack Hendricks, manager of the Indianapolis club, $400 and suspended him for ten days for causing the game with Louisville at Indianapolis last Sunday to be forfeited in the seventh inning.

The game broke up in disorder when the spectators began hurling cushions on the field, and it was necessary to call the police. Hendricks was fined $300 for the forfeiture and $100 for his abusive language to the umpires.

RED SOX HELD TO A 14 INNING TIE

Have Bases Filled in Twelfth, but Martin of Athletics Fans Three.

PHILADELPHIA, April 28 (American).—Darkness stopped the game between Boston and Philadelphia here to-day in the fourteenth inning, with the score 7 to 7.

Kinney's wildness and errors by Dykes helped the visitors to a lead in the early innings, but Jones weakened and only sensational fielding by Foster prevented the locals from winning in the seventh and eighth. Doubles by Welch and Perkins tied the score in the latter inning.

Boston had two on bases with none out in the twelfth, but Martin struck out Hooper, McNally and Pinch Hitter Devine. The score:

BOSTON (A.)	abrhoae	PHILADELPHIA (A.)	abrhoae
Hooper,rf..	7 1 0 3 1 0	Dykes,3b....	4 1 2 0 4 3
McNally,3b	7 1 0 5 5 0	Strunk,rf...	4 1 2 3 0 0
Bush,lf....	3 1 0 2 0 0	Walker,lf...	7 1 3 3 1 0
Ehrhardt,lf	1 0 0 0 0 0	Burrus,1b....	3 0 0 4 0 0
*Devine....	1 0 0 0 0 0	Griffin,1b...	4 0 0 9 1 0
Menosky,lf	0 0 0 1 0 0	Dugan,2b...	4 1 2 4 3 0
Hendryx,cf	6 3 4 4 0 0	Welch,cf....	4 1 1 4 0 0
McInnis,1b	5 1 4 11 0 0	Perkins,c...	4 0 1 13 2 1
Foster,3b...	6 0 2 4 4 0	Galloway,ss	3 1 0 2 3 0
Scott,ss....	6 0 0 5 7 1	†Witt.....	1 0 0 0 0 0
Walters,c...	6 0 1 7 1 0	Thomas,ss..	1 0 0 1 1 0
Jones,p....	4 0 0 0 2 1	Kinney,p....	1 0 0 0 2 0
Russell,p...	0 0 0 0 1 0	Rommel,p...	2 0 0 0 1 0
		‡Myatt....	0 0 0 0 0 0
		Martin,p....	1 0 0 0 0 0
Totals...	52 7 14 42 21 2	Totals....	51 7 12 42 19 4

*Batted for Eibel in twelfth inning.
†Batted for Galloway in sixth inning.
‡Ran for Rommel in eleventh inning.

Boston	0	2	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—7
Philadelphia	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—7

Two base hits—Foster, Welch, Perkins, Dugan. Home run—Dugan. Sacrifices—Foster, Scott, Jones, McInnis, Dugan, Dykes. Left on bases—Boston, 16; Philadelphia, 10. Bases on balls—Off Jones, 4; off Russell, 1; off Kinney, 2; off Rommel, 3; off Martin, 2. Hits—Off Jones, 11 in 5 innings; off Russell, 1 in 3 innings; off Kinney, 3 in 2 innings (none out in third); off Rommel, 11 in 9 innings; off Martin, 3 in 3 innings. Hit by pitcher—By Russel (Griffin). Struck out—By Jones, 2; by Rommel, 4; by Martin, 2; by Russell, 4. Wild pitch—Russell. Passed ball—Walters. Umpires—Nallin and Dinneen. Time of game—3 hours and 14 minutes.

COLUMBIA DEFEATS FORDHAM, 2 TO 0

Ackerman Drives In the Only Runs Scored.

Before a crowd of 2,000 fans Columbia shut out Fordham yesterday afternoon on South Field by 2 to 0. Meany of Columbia held the Maroon batsmen well in hand, striking out twelve and allowing only four scattered hits.

Columbia scored the only runs of the game in the third inning. Weinstein hit a hot one down the third base line, but was caught on second on Wechsler's single to centre. Tedford then made a safe hit to centre and Schnarrs struck out. Houlahan hit to Lefevre, but Finn dropped the throw. With all the bases filled Ackerman drove safely past third and Wechsler and Tedford romped home.

Columbia scored a hit off McNamara in every inning except one, touching him for a total of ten hits. An unassisted double play by McLoughlin broke up another impending rally by Columbia in the fourth. The score:

COLUMBIA.	abrhoae	FORDHAM.	abrhoae
Tedford,3b.	4 1 2 1 1 0	McL'lin,1b..	4 0 1 9 0 1
Schnarrs,1b	4 0 0 8 0 0	Buckley,cf..	4 0 1 3 0 0
Houl'han,lf	4 0 1 2 0 0	Halleran,rf.	3 0 0 0 0 0
Ack'man,c.	3 0 1 11 0 0	Finn,3b.....	4 0 1 4 1 1
Hauck,2b...	4 0 2 1 3 0	Lefevre,ss..	3 0 0 2 3 0
Goodman,rf	4 0 2 1 0 0	Keough,2b..	4 0 0 0 1 0
Meany,p....	3 0 0 1 3 0	Donovan,lf.	4 0 1 1 0 0
Weinst'n,cf	3 0 1 3 0 0	Cousineau,c.	3 0 0 4 2 0
Wechsler,ss	3 1 0 0 0 0	McN'mara,p	3 0 0 0 1 0
Totals...	32 2 10 27 7 0	Totals...	31 0 4 21 10 2

Columbia	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0—2
Fordham	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Earned runs—Columbia, 2. Two base hits—Buckley, Goodman. Stolen bases—Houlahan, Halleran. Left on bases—Columbia, 7; Fordham, 7. First base on errors—Columbia, 1. Double play—McLoughlin, unassisted. Struck out—By Meany, 12; by McNamara, 3. Bases on balls—Off Meany, 3; off McNamara, 1. Umpires—Messrs. Connolly and Walker. Time of game—2 hours.

NEW RECORD ATTENDANCE.

TOLEDO, Ohio, April 28.—Thomas J. Hickey, president of the American Association, announced here to-day that the 14,945 paid attendance at the opening game of the local baseball season was a new record in the league in its nineteen years' existence.

AT ANNAPOLIS.

CATHOLIC.	abrhoae	NAVY.	abrhoae
Vail,cf.....	5 0 1 1 0 0	Milner,ss....	4 1 2 3 2 0
H'ington,3b	4 0 1 2 2 1	Pino,2b.....	2 1 0 4 4 1
Bucy,ss....	4 0 1 1 2 0	Poole,cf.....	1 0 0 0 0 0
Parrott,lf..	3 0 0 4 0 0	K'phrey,1b	4 0 1 8 0 0
Dollard,1b..	4 0 0 7 0 2	Clark,lf.....	4 0 1 1 1 0
Griffin,rf...	3 1 0 1 0 0	Rawlings,rf	3 0 1 0 0 0
Lyons,rf....	1 0 1 0 0 0	C'loughley,3b	4 0 0 2 3 1
H'benger,3b	4 1 0 0 0 0	Hogan,c.....	4 1 2 5 2 0
Corwin,c...	3 0 0 5 0 0	L.N.B'er,p..	3 0 0 0 1 0
Jackson,p...	0 0 0 0 4 0		
		Totals	...29 6 7 27 15 5
Totals...	31 4 4 24 14 4		

*One out when winning run was scored.

Catholic University.	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2—4
Naval Academy....	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1—5

Sacrifice hits—Poole, L. N. Baker, Jackson. Bases on balls—Off Jackson, 5; off Baker, 7. Struck out—By Jackson, 7; by Baker, 9. Hit by pitcher—Pino (by Jackson). Wild pitches—Baker, 2. Passed balls—Corwin, 2. Double plays—Parrott and Corwin, Parrott and Dollard, Pino and Humphreys. Stolen bases—Milner, 2; Hogan, 2; Poole, Clark, Harrington, Jackson. Umpires—Byers and Stump, of Baltimore. Time of game—2 hours and 5 minutes.

AT ITHACA.

CORNELL.	abrhoae	WEST VIRGINIA.	abrhoae
Bon'tura,3b	4 0 1 0 3 1	T'kovitch,3b	5 1 0 0 2 0
Murphy,1b.	5 1 1 11 1 1	Lyle,ss.....	3 1 2 4 2 0
Mayer,rf...	4 0 0 3 0 0	Dawson,cf..	5 1 2 3 0 1
Cross,cf....	5 1 1 2 0 1	Harrish,lf..	5 1 2 3 0 0
Ensworth,lf	4 1 0 1 0 0	Dersey,rf....	4 1 1 0 0 0
Howard,ss..	3 0 0 5 1 0	Maderia,1b.	3 2 1 5 0 0
Sellers,2b...	3 0 0 1 3 0	Martin,c....	3 1 2 10 0 0
Winsor,c...	4 0 1 4 2 2	Atmst'g,2b.	4 0 0 2 3 0
Rickard,p..	3 0 0 0 0 0	Lemley,p...	4 0 1 1 2 0
Maloney,p.	1 0 0 0 0 0		
*Wolf.....	1 0 0 0 0 0	Totals...	41 8 11 27 12 2
Totals...	40 3 11 27 11 7		

*Batted for Rickard in the eighth inning.

Cornell	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0—3
West Virginia	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0—8

Left on bases—Cornell, 15; West Virginia, 8. First base on errors—Cornell, 1; West Virginia, 4. Two base hits—Dawson, Ensworth. Hits—Off Lemley, 11; off Rickard, 10; off Maloney, 1. Struck out—By Lemley, 4; by Rickard, 4. Bases on balls—Off Lemley, 4; off Rickard, 3. Wild pitch—Lemley. Hit by pitched ball—Howard. Stolen base—Howard. Sacrifice hit—Tunkovitch. Passed balls—Martin, 3; Winsor, 1. Double plays—Murphy and Howard; Cross and Winsor. Umpires—Cuneen of Rochester, N. Y. Time of game—2 hours and 30 minutes.

BASEBALL TO-DAY. EBBETS FIELD. Brooklyn vs. New York, 3:30 P. M.—Adv.

WHITE SOX AGAIN LOSE TO INDIANS

Finest Catch Ever Made by Speaker Causes the League Leaders to Tumble.

CLEVELAND, April 28 (American).—Manager Speaker's catch of Jackson's drive with two men on the bases in the seventh inning, the greatest yet seen on the Cleveland grounds, and admitted by Speaker to be the greatest in his career, allowed Cleveland to make it two straight from Chicago to-day, 5 to 4. The defeat sent Chicago into third place, Cleveland and Boston being tied for the lead.

Kerr was knocked out of the box in the first inning. Wilkinson, who replaced him, was effective, but Cleveland bunched hits with two passes in the sixth and scored the tying and winning runs. Jackson's home run having put Chicago in the lead in the fifth inning. The score:

CHICAGO (A.)	abrhoae	CLEVELAND (A.)	abrhoae
Leibold,rf..	5 1 0 0 0 0	Graney,lf....	4 1 2 6 0 0
Weaver,3b.	5 1 2 1 2 0	Chapman,ss	3 1 1 2 3 1
E.Collins,2b	5 0 0 4 5 0	Speaker,cf..	4 0 0 4 0 0
Jackson,lf..	4 1 2 2 0 0	Wood,rf....	1 1 1 0 0 0
Felsch,cf...	4 0 1 2 1 0	Smith,rf....	2 0 0 2 0 0
Jourdan,1b.	4 0 2 12 0 1	Gardner,3b..	4 0 2 1 0 0
Risberg,ss..	3 0 0 1 1 0	W'ganss,2b.	4 1 2 3 5 0
Schalk,c....	4 1 1 2 1 0	N'maker,1b.	0 0 0 6 1 0
Kerr,p.....	0 0 0 0 0 0	Johnston,1b.	4 1 0 6 1 0
Wilkin'n,p.	2 0 0 0 1 0	O'Neill,c....	2 0 1 1 0
*Murphy...	1 0 1 0 0 0	Bagby,p.....	1 0 1 0 1 0
Totals...	36 4 11 24 13 1	Totals.....	35 5 9 27 9 1

*Batted for Wilkinson in the ninth inning.

Chicago	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—4
Cleveland	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	x	—5

Two base hit—Jourdan. Three base hits—Schalk, Wood. Home run—Jackson. Stolen base—Weaver. Sacrifices—E. Collins, Risberg. Double play—Felsch and Jourdan. Left on bases—Chicago, 7; Cleveland, 5. Bases on balls—Off Kerr, 1; off Wilkinson, 2. Hits—Off Kerr, 3 in 1-3 inning; off Wilkinson, 6 in 7 2-3 innings. Hit by pitcher—By Wilkinson, 1 (O'Neill). Struck out—By Wilkinson, 1; by Bagby, 2. Wild pitch—Wilkinson. Losing pitcher—Wilkinson. Umpires—Hildebrand and Evans. Time of game—1 hour and 45 minutes.

CUBS OVERWHELM PIRATES, 11 TO 1

Alexander Keeps Hits of Losers Well Scattered.

CHICAGO, April 28 (National).—Chicago bunched hits behind Pittsburg's erratic fielding and won the final game of the series here to-day, 11 to 1. Alexander kept the visitors' hits scattered. He had perfect support. Whitted's triple and an infield out saved Pittsburg from a shut out. The score:

CHICAGO (N).	abrhoae	PITTSBURG (N).	abrhoae
Flack,rf....	5 1 2 0 0 0	Bigbee,lf....	4 0 0 1 0 0
Holloch'r,ss	5 1 1 2 0 0	Carey,cf.....	4 0 3 5 0 0
Herzog,2b..	5 0 1 4 3 0	Southw'rth	4 0 0 1 1 0
Merkle,1b..	5 1 1 13 0 0	Whitted,3b.	4 1 2 0 0 0
Paskert,cf.	5 3 2 0 0 0	M'K'nie,2b	4 0 1 2 3 1
Deal,3b.....	4 1 2 1 2 0	Grimm,1b...	4 0 3 6 0 0
Friberg,lf..	3 1 1 2 0 0	Caton,ss.....	4 0 0 4 1 2
Killefer,c...	4 1 2 3 1 0	Lee,c.....	4 0 0 3 1 1
O'Farrell,c.	0 0 0 0 0 0	Cooper,p.....	2 0 0 0 4 0
Alexand'r,p	3 2 1 0 1 0	*Nicholson...	1 0 0 0 0 0
		Wisner,p.....	0 0 0 0 1 0
Totals...	38 11 15 27 14 0	Totals....	35 1 8 24 15 4

*Batted for Cooper in the eighth inning.

Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1
Chicago	0	1	0	0	2	2	4	2	x	—11

Two base hits—Alexander, Flack, Holloher. Three base hits—Carey, Whitted. Home run—Paskert. Stolen base—Carey. Sacrifices—Alexander. Double play—McKechnie, Caton and Grimm. Left on bases—Pittsburg, 7; Chicago, 6. Bases on balls—Off Cooper, 1; off Wisner, 1. Hits—Off Cooper, 14 in 7 innings; off Wisner, 1 in 1 inning. Struck out—By Cooper, 2; by Alexander, 2. Passed ball—Lee. Umpires—Rigler and Moran. Losing pitcher—Cooper. Time of game—1 hour and 41 minutes.

PRINCETON RALLIES IN NINTH AND WINS

Capt. Trimble Drives Home Run That Defeats Syracuse.

Special to THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD.

PRINCETON, N. J., April 28.—Princeton defeated Syracuse here to-day, 3 to 2, Captain Trimble's line drive to centrefield scoring Strubing with the winning run in the ninth inning after two men were out. Strubing singled after Cook, pinch hitting for Warburton, had grounded out. Lee struck out, but Strubing stole second and tallied when Trimble singled. The score:

PRINCETON.	abrhoae	SYRACUSE.	abrhoae
Strubing,cf	5 2 2 1 0 0	Malone,lf...	3 0 0 0 0 0
Lee,rf.....	4 0 0 0 0 0	Ackley,ss...	3 1 1 2 2 0
Trimble,2b.	4 0 3 2 3 0	Brown,cf...	3 0 2 4 0 0
McN'ara,lf.	4 0 1 4 0 0	Fallon,rf....	3 0 0 0 0 0
Winston,1b.	4 0 1 12 1 0	Ingalls,3b..	3 0 1 1 1 1
MacPhe,ss	3 0 0 1 3 0	Coughlin,1b.	4 0 0 10 1 0
Fisher,c....	4 1 2 4 1 1	Alleso,c....	4 0 0 1 1 0
Keyes,1b...	3 0 0 3 1 1	Robertson,c	1 0 0 6 3 0
W'burton,p	3 0 0 0 4 1	Abbott,p....	3 1 1 0 1 1
*Cook.....	1 0 0 0 0 0		
Totals..	38 3 10 27 15 3	Totals...	28 2 4 28 14 3

*Batted for Warburton.
†Two out when winning run was scored.

Princeton	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1—3
Syracuse	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—2

Two base hit—Ackley. Stolen bases—Strubing (3); Sacrifice hits—Fallon (2), Ackley, Keyes, Warburton. Struck out—By Warburton, 2; by Abbott, 2. Bases on balls—Off Warburton, 4; off Abbott, 3. Wild pitch—Warburton. Passed ball—Fisher. Left on bases—Princeton, 10; Syracuse, 3. Double play—Keyes, Trimble and Winston. Time of game—2 hours. Umpires—Amey and Reed.

AT BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE (L.)	abrhoae	TORONTO (L.)	abrhoae
Maisel,3b...	3 2 0 2 2 1	O'Rourke,ss	4 2 1 3 2 0
Lawry,lf...	3 3 1 1 0 0	Spencer,cf...	5 1 0 2 1 0
Jacobson,cf	4 1 4 4 0 0	Whiteman,lf	4 0 2 3 0 0
Boley,ss....	4 0 2 3 3 0	Quinlan,1b...	4 1 1 8 0 0
Bishop,1b..	4 0 2 0 3 1	Riley,rf.....	4 0 1 1 1 0
Egan,c.....	3 0 0 8 1 0	B'burne,3b..	4 0 2 0 0 0
Leffler,1b..	4 0 0 7 1 0	Anderson,2b	3 1 0 1 1 1
Marlette,rf.	3 1 1 0 0 0	Sandberg,c..	3 0 0 9 2 0
Sullivan,p..	3 1 1 1 3 0	Burke,p.....	1 0 0 0 0 0
		Shea,p.....	0 0 0 0 1 0
		*Gonzales...	1 0 0 0 0 0
Totals...	30 9 13 27 12 1	Totals....	34 7 7 24 7 1

*Batted for Shea in the ninth inning.

Toronto	4	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0—7
Baltimore	2	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	x—9

Two base hit—Boley. Three base hit—Jacobson. Home run—Jacobson. Stolen bases—Maisel, Lawry, Riley (2). Sacrifices—Maisel, Egan, Blackburne. Double play—Sandberg and Blackburne. Left on bases—Toronto, 11; Baltimore, 8. Bases on balls—Off Burke, 2; off Shea, 3; off Sullivan, 3. Hit by pitcher—By Shea (Marlette). Struck out—By Sullivan, 6; by Shea, 10. Wild pitches—Sullivan, 2. Losing pitcher—Shea. Umpires—Moran and McGowan. Time of game—2 hours and 33 minutes.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

All opening day games were postponed, owing to the weather.

HIGH LIGHTS AND SHADOWS IN ALL SPHERES OF SPORT

By DANIEL.

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IN the purchase of the great stallion Prince Palatine by Edward F. Simms for the record price of $250,000 there is combined the mellow romance of the turf and the romance which sometimes is bred in the accumulation of a fortune. Not so many years ago Mr. Simms would have regarded himself as highly fortunate if he had had the wherewithal to purchase a cheap selling plater. Perhaps he would have invested the money in something less sporty and more utilitarian, for his interest in the thoroughbred in those days was not so highly developed. But years have passed. Times have changed. New millionaires have grown out of land which spouted oil, the foundry which turned the plowshare into the sword, the factory which canned this and made that. Mr. Simms, we believe, is by profession a lawyer, but he gained his fortune in oil. So it is oil which will bring to America from France the stallion which won $181,000 as a racer and has sired some great performers and perhaps some coming greats, among which are included Donnacona, just now favored for the Kentucky Derby.

Prince Palatine holds a remarkable place in the pages of turf history which have to do with the buying and selling of horses. A world's record was set when J. B. Joel of London paid $200,000 for the stallion in 1913. The following year Mr. Joel got something like $210,000 for the horse from the Duke de Cazes of France, who retired him to the stud. That made Prince Palatine a world's record holder for a second time. Now comes the top price of a quarter of a million paid by Mr. Simms, and for the third time Prince Palatine has been the medium for a financial mark in racing. The fact that the stallion at the age of twelve has brought more than he did when he was only five years old may be due to the condition of world exchange.

There is an impression in some quarters that when August Belmont sold Tracery to a South American cattle man not so many months ago he received $258,000. This is an error due to calculation on the old value of the pound sterling. Mr. Belmont received only $179,670, setting a mark for an American bred horse. The second biggest price paid for an American bred was only $70,000—for Hamburg.

In connection with the sale of Prince Palatine it is interesting to note that the thoroughbred still stands much higher than the man in the sporting market. Babe Ruth brought $125,000 last winter in real money—yet many persons still doubt the price. The $250,000 for Prince Palatine is accepted as a natural development. But the horse does not know whether he brought $250,000 or 25 cents. He probably does not care.

Detroit's Ten Straight Defeats Something of a Record.

Baseball is a strange game indeed. It seems to take a particular delight in knocking the calculations of critics into a cocked hat, and to strike them straight between the eyes with the oft repeated but too often forgotten dictum, "Take nothing for granted in baseball." A survey of the standings of the clubs in the major leagues will indicate that this season, as far as it has gone, is more than topsy turvy. When the Giants and the Red Sox explored the South the New Yorks looked like real pennant winners and the Bostons played like sure occupants of the second division. The Giants still are strong contenders, but they have made a very poor start and have discouraged some of their faint hearted adherents. The Red Sox have risen mysteriously out of their Dixie slump and have won eight, lost only two and tied one.

The Detroits, favored by many to win the pennant, have played ten games and have yet to register a victory. The famous Tiger attack is still in hibernation and the pitching is only fair. The club is batting for an average of about .200. The mighty Tyrus Cobb is hitting about .250. Veach is batting for .160 and Bush is down to .190. Shorten leads with .350 and Heilman is second. Young is a shade under .300 and the rest are nowhere. When Cobb and Veach wake up the rest will rise with them. The situation is a very disheartening one for the fans of Detroit.

Ten straight defeats at the start of the season looks like a major league record. But the Tigers have considerable to go before they strike the real mark for consecutive setbacks. The old Louisville club of the American Association made sure of that record in 1889, when it dropped twenty-six in a row without taking a breath. The Pirates lost twenty-three in succession in 1890, the Red Sox lost twenty in 1906 and the Athletics lost a similar number four years ago.

The overwhelming victory of the Cubs over the Pirates yesterday will be acclaimed in Chicago as the dawn of a new era. It is about time the Cubs got going. Similar advice would be timely for our own Giants.

DOUBLE HOME RUN HITTER DISPLACED

Reading Sends in a Pitcher Against Buffalo.

Results of Yesterday's Games.

Buffalo, 8; Reading, 7.
Baltimore, 9; Toronto, 7.
Other games postponed; wet grounds.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	P. C.		W.	L.	P. C.
Toronto	4	1	.800	Baltimore	3	2	.600
Akron	3	1	.750	Syracuse	1	1	.250
Rochester	3	1	.750	Jersey City	1	2	.333
Buffalo	4	3	.571	Reading	1	5	.167

Games Scheduled for To-Day.

Toronto in Jersey City.
Buffalo in Syracuse.
Rochester in Baltimore.
Akron in Reading.

READING, Pa., April 28 (International).—Buffalo kept up a steady barrage of base hits in the game here to-day with Reading and won, 8 to 7, by scoring in all except three innings. With one run needed to tie in the ninth inning a pinch hitter was sent up for Brower, who previously had batted two home runs.

The score:

BUFFALO (I.)	abrhoae	READING (I.)	abrhoae
Gilhooley,cf	4 2 3 1 0 0	Alt'berg,rf.	4 0 2 3 1 0
Barney,lf..	5 1 4 3 0 0	Burns,cf....	3 1 0 3 0 0
Miller,1b...	4 0 1 8 1 0	Weiser,lf....	5 0 2 7 1 0
Strait,rf...	5 2 2 1 0 0	Brower,1b..	4 2 2 9 0 0
Dowd,3b....	4 0 1 1 1 0	Hummel,2b.	3 1 1 2 0 7
McC'ren,2b.	4 1 1 3 1 1	Marlott,3b..	4 1 2 0 2 0
Keating,ss.	5 0 2 1 0 0	Sherian,ss.	4 0 2 1 3 0
Kruggy,c...	5 0 1 5 1 0	Konnick,c..	3 0 1 6 2 0
McCabe,p..	3 1 2 0 1 0	Justin,p....	1 0 0 0 2 1
C'ruthers,p	1 0 0 0 3 0	Karpp,p....	2 0 0 0 3 0
*Sargent....	1 0 0 0 0 0	*Cook.....	0 1 0 0 0 0
		†Grosso....	1 0 0 0 0 0
Totals..	39 8 18 27 10 1	Totals...	34 7 9 27 18 3

*Batted for McCabe in seventh.
†Batted for Karpp in ninth.
‡Batted for Brower in ninth.

Buffalo	1	3	1	1	0	0	1	1	0—8
Reading	0	2	1	0	0	2	1	0	1—7

Two base hits—McCabe, Barney (2), Hummel, Marlott, Gilhooley, McCarren. Home runs—McCarren, Strait, Brower (2). Stolen base—Barney. Sacrifices—Miller, Konnick, Dowd, Barney. Left on bases—Buffalo, 13; Reading, 8. Bases on balls—Off Justin, 3; off Karpp, 2; off McCabe, 2; off Carruthers, 3. Hits—Off Justin, 6 in 2 1-3 innings; off Mc