Giants Do the Brotherly Thing for Robby by Trouncing Alexander, While Dodgers Smear Braves Twice in Boston

GIANTS BOMBARD ALEXANDER; DEFEAT PHILLIES, 9 TO 3

King of National League Hurlers Gets Severest Drubbing of Season.

WINNING STREAK OF MORAN'S MEN BROKEN

By FREDERICK G. LIEB.

Grover Cleveland Alexander was severely intimidated on the Polo Grounds yesterday. In fact the Giants did more than intimidate Grover; they struck. Their strike wasn't passive, either; the Giants used violence. Whenever Aleck served one of his floaters up to the plate it went back at him with much more force than it came. The Giants handed the king bee of National League boxmen the severest drubbing of the year and snapped the Phil winning streak by overwhelming the Moranites by a score of 9 to 3.

There are those who would take off that last Phil run, but as it was brought about by Cravath's nomer into the right field stands old Cactus is most destrous that this run should be entered in National League documents. Rule books were pulled out, but as one veteran scribe put it, Rule 25, which takes care of the situation, is like a life insurance policy. The more often you read the more you get mixed up.

However, we could see nothing in the situation which should tangle up a lot of veteran baseball men like McGraw, Moran and Klem. While the rule governing the case is worded like a pretzel, its object and purpose is clear. It would keep everything in the box score, except where an injustice would be done to the team second at bat.

The situation was this. The Phils were seven runs behind when the ninth inning opened. It was darker than the wilds of The Bronx at midnight, with fierce electric fireworks lighting up the stadium at intervals. Cravath swung through the darkness and the ball sailed into the right field stands. Whitted was tossed out by Herzog and Luderus singled. And then came the deluge.

The Giants needed two more putouts to finish the game and that started the argument as to whether the score was 9 to 3 or 9 to 2. John Heydler, secretary of the National League, settled it in Cravath's favor last night and ruled 9 to 3 was correct. According to John, if the Phillies had scored six runs in the ninth they would have counted, but had they scored seven and tied the score the entire half inning would be tossed out.

League Race Tightens.

Charley Ebbets perhaps was happy enough last night to throw his arms around John McGraw for the lift Mac gave him. As the Dodgers surprised even Casey Stengel by manhandling the Braves twice in Boston, the race again is as close as a player who formerly played in Boston (name deleted by the censors). The Phils have a margin of one and a half points, but the teams are practically tied.

Originally a double header was on tap at the Polo Grounds, and it was quite a magnet, as close to 20,000 people were on hand, a remarkable midweek crowd. Had the show started at regular time there would have been no game, proving some magnates were born with silverware between their gums.

As to that Alexander bombardment! Grover gets tanned like that as often as the German war office admits a defeat. The Giants also swept him off the pan last Decoration Day, but even then they didn't sail into him as hard as yesterday. His support also was ragged around the edges. The Phils did not play like a team which had just won nine straight.

Jeff Tesreau twirled for the McGraw cause, which yesterday also was the cause of Ebbets. He was a good bear hunter, and also walloped a home run, though he saved Alexander this humiliation and jarred it out of young Oeschger. All told, the Giants punched out fourteen hits for twenty-two bases, showing their strike amounted to something. The Giants have been Moran's doormats so long that they became sore about it yesterday.

Giants Get an Early Start.

The Giants opened on Aleck hard in the first round. We forgot to say the big Nebraskan caught a cold in Boston, which kept him in his hotel room for several days. Herzog punched a single to right and so did Robertson, who awoke from his batting stupor yesterday. Cravath fumbled Demon Dave's poke, and Fletcher sent in the pair with a triple to centre.

The league champions got one back in the fourth inning, when Stock and Cravath lumped doubles. In the fifth Philadelphia tied the score when young Bancroft swung a ball into the upper right field stand for a homer. Banny was hitting like a fool; he had a homer and two singles in three times up.

The tie didn't last long, as the Giants put over a second pair of runs in the sixth. Stock made a three base wild throw on "Herzy" and Robertson sent him in with a double. Zimm's roller went between Niehoff's feet and the Virginian scored.

Aleck got his real bumping in the seventh, when the Giants scored four runs, and sewed up the old pastime with four runs. Burns, who had fanned twice, doubled to left, and Herzog sacrificed. Robertson was safe on a fumble by Luderus, Burns scoring. Zimm singled, Fletcher doubled and Kauff singled, all of which helped the runs pile up. For a finish, Paskert made a pretty catch of Rariden's smoking liner.

In the fifth inning McGraw argued. Old Doc Time Emslie took a hit from Kauff, and spoke warmly to Klem about it. There was some dispute whether Klem only served a bench warrant on McGraw or sentenced him to the coop. If he did the latter the penalty was severe. It was a hot afternoon. The score:

PHILADELPHIA (N.) | NEW YORK (N.)

	ab	r	h	o	a	e		ab	r	h	o	a	e
Paskert, cf	4	0	1	0	0		Burns, lf	5	1	1	0	0	
Niehoff, 2b	4	0	1	2	1		Herzog, 2b	4	2	1	2	7	0
Stock, 3b	4	1	0	3	1		Robertson, rf	5	3	2	0	0	
Cravath, rf	4	1	2	0	0		Zimman, 3b	4	1	2	1	2	0
Whitted, lf	4	0	1	0	0		Fletcher, ss	4	1	2	2	5	0
Luderus, 1b	4	0	1	3	2		Kauff, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Bancr'ft, ss	5	1	3	4	5	0	Dolke, 1b	3	0	1	13	0	0
Killefer, c	3	0	0	3	1	0	Rariden, c	4	0	1	2	0	0
Alexan'r, p	2	0	0	2	2	0	Tesreau, p	4	1	1	0	4	0
†Cooper	1	0	1	0	0	0							
Oeschger, p	0	0	0	0	0	0							
Totals	35	3	9	27	12	4	Totals	37	9	14	25	*16	0

*One out when game was called on account of rain in the ninth inning.
†Batted for Alexander in the eighth inning.

Philadelphia	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1—3
New York	2	0	0	0	2	0	4	1	x—9

Two base hits—Stock, Cravath, Fletcher, Robertson, Burns. Three base hit—Fletcher. Home run—Bancroft. Cravath, Tesreau. Sacrifice hit—Herzog. Double plays—Luderus, Bancroft and Luderus; Niehoff, Bancroft and Luderus; Zimmerman, Herzog and Holke. Left on bases—New York 6, Philadelphia, 5. First base on errors—New York 3. Hits off earned runs—Off Alexander, 14 hits, 8 runs in 7 innings; off Oeschger, 1 hit, 1 run in 1 inning; off Tesreau, 0 runs. Hit by pitcher—By Alexander, 1 (Burns). Struck out—By Tesreau, 2 (Cravath, Schmidt); by Alexander, 2 (Burns 2); by Oeschger, 1 (Robertson). Umpires—Messrs. Klem and Emslie. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes.

Splendid Pitching Lands Dodgers Two at Boston

Brooklyn's Double Victory, by 6 to 2 and 4 to 0, With Pfeffer and Smith Doing the Hurling, Practically Ties It With Philadelphia for League Lead.

BOSTON, Sept. 8.—Lightning struck twice in the same place at Braves Field this afternoon. Fighting tooth and nail for the leadership of the National League, the Superbas fell on the Braves with a vengeance and aided by splendid pitching handed the local hopefuls a double trouncing. The scores were 6 to 2 and 4 to 0.

Brooklyn's performances in every department convinced a lot of doubting Thomases here, George Stallings included, that Wilbert Robinson has ample grounds for his contention that his boys will represent the older league in the big series. The twoply beating took a lot of wind out of Boston's pennant hopes and landed Brooklyn into a practical tie with Philadelphia for the pace making position in Tener's wheel.

The Phillies are now only a mite more than one point ahead of the Superbas and the immediate advantage lies with the Ebbets-McKeever combination. While the Phillies are scheduled for two games with the Giants to-morrow, the Trolley Dodgers play only one engagement here.

The Brooklyn lightning was greased, forked and double barrelled—first of the right handed and then of the southpaw variety. A large measure of the credit for the Brooklyn successes belongs to Jeff Pfeffer, who hurled the opening game, and Sherrod Smith, whose left handed shoots had the Braves standing on their ears in the sunset tilt.

Tyler and Rudolph Easy.

While the Brooklyn pitchers held the Braves at bay—the locals getting only six hits in the first game and four in the second—the Boston flingers were in hot water all the time. George Tyler and his left handed shoots were slammed for fifteen swats in the curtain raiser and in the closing argument Dick Rudolph fared almost as badly, eleven safeties being bumped off his delivery.

That Rudolph got off with only four runs being scored was due in a big measure to four double plays engineered by the Braves. Rabbit Maranville, who worked like a Trojan in the field, figured in every one of the twoply killings.

Pfeffer was the Pfeffer of yore, pitching his first impressive game since he won at Pittsburg some time ago. Smith was never better. The four Boston hits of Sherry were scattered and one was of the tainted variety. It came in the sixth inning. After Fitzpatrick had singled Wilhoit bounced one at Cutshaw. Georgie misjudged the ball and was blocked off by Fitzpatrick. It went for a safety, but Konetchy ended the round with a skier to Stengel.

Sherwood Magee was given the gate in the fifth inning of the second game when he took occasion to criticise Umpire Bryon's work from the bench. Edgar Collins went to left for Boston.

Jake Daubert made his appearance at first base in the second game and behaved very well, getting a triple out of two legal trips to the plate and handling his chances in the field very cleanly. Gus Getz broke in at third in the fourth round of the second game. In the first fracas against left handed hurling Hy Myers covered centre field for Brooklyn and had Jimmy Johnston and Zack Wheat as companions, but in the second battle Casey Stengel got his berth back and there was a general shift.

Fred Merkle played a great game in the first contest, landing a couple of telling blows and behaving like his own self at the first station. Taken all in all Wheat had a fair day, the first contest yielding him a double and the second a home run. The circuit clout was the first crack out of the box in the second inning and went all the way to the scoreboard in centre field.

Encouraged by Giants.

The Dodgers got a lot of encouragement from the score board in the second game. When the result of the Giant-Philly tussle in New York was flashed on the board the Brooklyn contingent had a hard time suppressing a cheer. They went after Rudolph with new vigor, especially in the second session.

Brooklyn's runs in the opening scrap came by ones. In the first round Johnston scored on his walk, Merkle's single, Myers's bunt and Wheat's forceout. The second run was registered in the next inning when Chief Meyers tripled and scored Olson, who had singled. Johnston singled to start the fifth, went to second on Tyler's heave past Konetchy, advanced on Merkle's martyr tap and registered on Myers's one timer.

Olson's double and Meyers's single gave Brooklyn its fourth run, in the sixth inning. In the seventh Wheat scored on Cutshaw's single. Zack had been credited with a two base hit when Fitzpatrick went into short right for his fly and dropped it. The last Brooklyn run came in the eighth on Olson's single and Pfeffer's double.

Hot Time for Dick.

Brooklyn clinched the second game in the second inning, when it fell on Rudolph for five hits and three runs. Wheat started the merry-go-round with his four base knock. Cutshaw beat out a hit to Maranville, but was slipped trying to steal. Mowrey started anew for Brooklyn with a one timer to centre, and Olson slammed a single to Maranville. Miller forced Olson, Maranville to Fitzpatrick, Mowrey going to third. Miller stole and Smith singled over second, scoring Mowrey and Miller. Johnston forced Smith for the third out.

The fourth Superba tally was recorded in the sixth session. Daubert made it possible with a triple to right. Jake trotted home when Stengel smashed a single to centre. Wheat skied to Snodgrass and Stengel was doubled trying to advance after the catch. The scores:

FIRST GAME.

BROOKLYN (N.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e	BOSTON (N.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Johnston, cf	4	1	2	0	0	0	Maisel, ss	3	0	0	3	3	1
Merkle, 1b	4	0	2	12	0	0	Maranville, ss	3	0	1	0	0	0
Myers, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0	Mathews, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Wheat, lf	4	1	3	1	0	0	Sherry, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Cutshaw, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	0	Wilhoit, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Mowrey, 3b	4	1	0	0	2	0	Konetchy, 1b	4	1	3	11	1	0
Olson, ss	4	1	2	3	2	0	Chappelle, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Miller, c	4	0	2	6	0	0	Fitzpatrick, 2b	4	1	2	1	4	0
Pfeffer, p	4	0	0	2	0	0	Gowdy, c	3	0	0	5	1	0
							Tyler, p	2	0	0	0	2	1
Totals	36	6	12	27	11	1	*Gibson	1	0	0	0	0	0
							†Connolly	1	0	0	0	0	0
							Totals	32	2	7	27	12	2

*Batted for Maranville in the eighth inning.
†Batted for Smith in the ninth inning.

Brooklyn	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	0—6
Boston	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1—2

Two base hits—Konetchy, Chappelle, Olson, Wheat, Pfeffer. Three base hits—Meyers, Myers. Stolen bases—Konetchy, Wilhoit 2. Sacrifice hit—Merkle. Double plays—Maranville and Smith, Fitzpatrick, Konetchy, Maranville and Konetchy. Left on bases—Brooklyn, 7, Boston, 5. First base on errors—Boston, 1. Bases on balls—Off Tyler, 1; off Pfeffer, 6 and 2 in 9 innings; off Tyler, 15 and 5 in 8. Struck out—By Pfeffer, 4; by Tyler, 4. Umpires—Messrs. Quigley and Byron. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes.

SECOND GAME.

BROOKLYN (N.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e	BOSTON (N.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Johnston, cf	4	0	1	5	0	0	Sagee, cf	4	0	1	3	1	0
Daubert, 1b	5	1	1	9	0	0	Fitzpatrick, lf	4	0	1	2	2	1
Stengel, rf	4	0	1	6	0	0	Wilhoit, rf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Wheat, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0	Chappelle, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Cutshaw, 2b	4	0	1	4	1	0	Konetchy, 1b	4	0	0	10	0	0
Mowrey, 3b	3	1	1	0	0	0	Smith, 2b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Getz, 3b	1	0	0	1	0	0	Mosely, 3b	2	0	1	0	0	0
Olson, ss	4	0	1	1	4	0	Gowdy, c	2	0	1	6	0	0
Miller, c	3	1	0	2	0	0	Rariden, c	2	0	0	2	1	0
Smith, p	3	0	0	0	2	0	Blackburne, ss	0	0	0	0	1	0
							Meyers	2	0	0	5	2	0
							Rudolph, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
							†Tragresser	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	4	11	27	8	1	Totals	32	0	4	27	10	1

*Batted for Wilhoit in the eighth inning.

Brooklyn	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Two base hit—Magee. Three base hit—Daubert. Home run—Wheat. Sacrifice hit—Daubert. Double plays—Rudolph, Maranville and Konetchy; Fitzpatrick, Maranville and Konetchy; Snodgrass and Maranville; Maranville, Kitzpatrick and Konetchy. Left on bases—Brooklyn, 3; Boston, 6. First base on errors—Brooklyn, 1; Boston, 1. Bases on balls—Off Smith, 1. Hits and earned runs—Off Smith, 4 and none in 9 innings; off Rudolph, 11 and 4 in 9. Hit by pitcher—By Rudolph (Daubert). Struck out—By Smith, 2; by Rudolph, 2. Umpires—Messrs. Byron and Quigley. Time of game—1 hour and 37 minutes.

RAIN PREVENTS TEAMS FROM DECIDING ISSUE

Leaves Senators and Red Sox in Deadlock—Neither Able to Tally.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—(American).—Washington and Boston battled six innings without scoring to-day, the game being called because of wet grounds after a heavy downpour.

Shaw allowed two hits and Shore gave three. The score.

BOSTON (A.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e	WASHINGTON (A.)	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Hooper, rf	0	0	2	3	0	0	Leonard, 2b	1	0	0	2	3	0
Janvrin, 2b	2	0	2	2	0	0	Foster, 3b	2	0	0	2	2	0
Shorten, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0	Milan, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Hob'well, 1b	2	0	0	7	0	0	Smith, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Lewis, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0	Shanks, rf	2	0	1	2	0	0
Scott, ss	2	0	1	2	3	0	Judge, 1b	2	0	0	13	0	0
McNally, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0	McBride, ss	2	0	1	1	6	0
Cady, c	2	0	1	1	0	0	Henry, c	2	0	1	3	0	0
Shore, p	2	0	1	1	1	0	Shaw, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	19	0	2	18	10	0	Totals	19	0	2	18	9	0

Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Called after sixth; wet grounds.

Stolen bases—Hooper 2, Shorten, Hoblitzell. Double plays—Leonard and Foster. Left on bases—Boston, 6; Washington, 2. Bases on balls—Off Shaw, 5; off Shore, 1. Struck out—By Shaw, 2; by Shore, 1. Wild pitches—Shaw, 2. Umpires—Messrs. Chill and Evans. Time of game—1 hour and 15 minutes.

DECISION AGAINST WHEELING.

Violation of Player Limit Rule May Cost Team Flag.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Sept. 8.—President E. W. Dickerson of the Central League to-day declared forfeited the two games won by Wheeling on August 13 in a double header with South Bend. The reason given is that on that date Wheeling had fourteen players, whereas the league rules say that if the limit of thirteen is exceeded by any team all games won by that team while above the limit shall be declared forfeited.

The decision upsets the pennant race in the Central League, dropping Wheeling from the top to third place.

TWO AT NEWARK.

NEWARK, Sept. 8.—The Newark Internationals were idle to-day, but will make up for their inactivity both tomorrow and Sunday. They are scheduled to play a double header with Providence to-morrow and again on Sunday.

STAGG OFF FOR EAST.

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.—A. Alonzo Stagg, University of Chicago coach, will leave to-day for the East and will spend a week at New Haven coaching the Yale football team. It was announced to-night Stagg was once a star end on the Yale team.

BIG GAMES IN RIDGEWOOD.

One of the best baseball cards arranged this season for Wallace's Ridgewood grounds, Halsey street and Wyckoff avenue, Brooklyn, is scheduled for to-morrow. The Royal Giants and the Lincoln Giants, two of the best colored teams in the East, will clash in a double header. These teams met two weeks ago and the Royals won. The Lincolns at that time were somewhat crippled and with their full strength in the field to-morrow they feel confident they can turn the tables. Lefty Harvey and Stringbean Williams and Redding and Cyclone Joe Williams will be the rival hurlers.

EAGLES AT LENOX OVAL.

The Bronx Eagles, whose playing at Lenox Oval, 145th street and Lenox avenue, in the past three Sundays has been the subject of much favorable comment, will be seen in action at those grounds again to-morrow. They will clash with the Jersey City Giants, the team with which they played an eleven inning tie a few weeks ago. Deegan, who beat the St. Joseph's team of the K. of C. League last Sunday, will pitch for the Eagles. In the first game, at 1:30, the Jersey City giants will tackle the Glenmore Giants, eight semi-pro champions of Harlem.

National and American League Records.

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
New York, 9; Philadelphia, 3 (first).
Second game was postponed on account of rain.
Brooklyn, 6; Boston, 2 (first).
Brooklyn, 4; Boston, 0 (second).
St. Louis, 6; Cincinnati, 1.
The Chicago-Pittsburg game was postponed on account of rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Philadelphia, 8; New York, 2.
Detroit, 3; St. Louis, 0.
Chicago, 3; Cleveland, 2 (eleven innings).
Washington, 0; Boston, 0 (six innings).

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.		Played.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	125	75	50	.600	Boston	131	76	55	.580
Brooklyn	127	76	51	.598	Detroit	134	76	58	.567
Boston	124	71	53	.573	Chicago	135	75	58	.564
New York	123	61	62	.496	St. Louis	134	70	64	.522
Pittsburg	124	61	67	.477	New York	133	69	64	.519
Chicago	121	59	72	.450	Washington	131	66	64	.508
St. Louis	132	57	75	.432	Cleveland	134	68	66	.507
Cincinnati	132	51	81	.386	Philadelphia	131	30	101	.229

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR TO-DAY

Philadelphia in New York (two).
Brooklyn in Boston.
Chicago in Pittsburg (two).
Cincinnati in St. Louis.

New York in Philadelphia (two).
Boston in Washington.
St. Louis in Detroit.
Cleveland in Chicago.

YANKEES ENTERTAIN TWENTY-FIVE FANS

Smallest Crowd Ever Sees Locals Take an 8 to 2 Licking From Athletics.

RAIN IS RESPONSIBLE

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 8.—Perhaps the smallest crowd which ever saw a ball game since the flood worked havoc in Noah's league some time before Julius Caesar's circuit blew watched the Athletics pummel up the Yankees in the manner of the Mackmen of old here this afternoon. The score was 8 to 2. Mack entertained twenty-five fans and they liked the show. That was the exact count, and most of them came in on coupons.

It was a funny situation, which could seldom happen to a big league club. A severe thunderstorm swept over Philadelphia just before game time. There was a heavy rain and lots of lightning and thunder, and of course no one suspected there would be a game. But Connie Mack wouldn't let a little thing like a rainstorm cut in on his barnstorming plans.

When the schedule was drafted last winter the Yanks were billed to play here next Monday, but Monday is a bad day here, so Mack shoved Monday's date forward and announced a double header would be played to-morrow. He then scheduled a little barnstorming trip embracing Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, the last named being an open date.

More Ball Players Than Fans.

The league by-laws insist that all the scheduled games be played if it is humanly possible. Had to-day's game been postponed Connie would have been required to play on Monday, and that would have cut in on his barnstorming schedule. So he waited to-day until the storm was over, and one hour after the scheduled time of the game the two teams took the field before their select crowd. There were more ball players than fans. The field was covered with mud, but Mack will play his exhibition dates, so everything is all right.

The Athletics hit three Yankee pitchers for fourteen hits, the fourteenth being made off Bill Donovan by Stuffy McInnis in the eighth inning. Bill pitched only one inning and got by without a run, though two men got on base. In addition to McInnis's hit Bill walked "Moose" Brown, one of the youngsters who was South with the Yankees last spring.

Big Day for Schang.

Allen Russell made a fine start, as the Athletics smashed him for seven hits and six earned runs in one and two-third innings. The damage off him included a pair of doubles by Witt and home runs by Schang and Brown. Wally's homer in the first inning cleared the bases. After Russell was taken out in the second inning, Schang was the first man to face Slim Love, Allen's successor, and Walle also birched the string bean for a home run. His first homer was a smash over the right field wall, and the second a long drive to the deepest recesses of centre field.

Elmer Myers pitched a fine game for Connie. He won his third victory of the season from New York. He allowed ten hits, but they all were singles, and the Yankees failed to bunch them.

Those twenty-five fans had a good time in the Philadelphia half of the first inning. Witt hit a lake in right field with a double, and Lawrey beat out an infield hit in the mud. Rowe ran for him, and Donovan's colt of the spring, Brown, walked. With this setting, Schang knocked the ball over the right field fence, scoring four runs.

Athletics Score Three in Second.

Philadelphia scored three more in the second. Witt again doubled, this time to left. Rowe fanned, but Brown smashed into the left field bleachers for a homer. That was enough for Russell, and then Schang paved out his second circuit bang against Love's pitching. The twenty-five were real noisy during this inning.

The Yankees scored their first run in the second inning, when Maisel hit a single to right, took two bases on a wild pitch and scored on Magee's single. The second run was a gift. In the fourth inning, Pick made a two base wild throw on Oldring, and then the same player fumbled on Walters. Oldring scored while McElwee threw out Love.

The Athletics scored their eighth run in the fifth inning. Pechinpaugh walked, and passes to Myers and Witt filled the bases. The young catcher scored on a wild pitch. The score:

PHILADELPHIA (A.) | NEW YORK (A.)

	ab	r	h	o	a	e		ab	r	h	o	a	e
Witt, ss	4	2	2	0	0	0	Magee, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Lawry, 2b	1	0	1	0	0	0	Hight, lf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Rowe, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0	Peckinpaugh, ss	4	0	1	2	0	0
Brown, cf	3	2	1	0	0	0	Pipgin, 2b	4	0	1	0	0	0
Schang, lf	5	2	2	0	0	0	Baker, 3b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Walle, 1b	5	0	1	9	0	0	Oldring, rf	4	1	0	4	0	0
Pick, 3b	5	0	2	1	0	2	Maisel, 3b	4	1	2	2	0	0
McElwee, ss	5	0	1	4	1	0	Walters, c	4	0	1	9	0	0
Picinich, c	4	1	2	8	0	0	Russell, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Myers, p	3	0	0	0	5	0	Love, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
							†Bonham, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
							*Baumann	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	8	14	27	6	2	Totals	35	2	10	24	5	1

*Batted for Love in the eighth inning.
†Batted for Bonham in the ninth inning.

Philadelphia	4	3	0	1	0	0	0	x	8
New York	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—2

Two base hits—Witt 2. Home runs—Brown, Schang 2. Sacrifice hit—Pechinpaugh. Double play—Maisel, Peckinpaugh and Pipp. Left on bases—Philadelphia, 11; New York, 11. First base on errors—Philadelphia, 1; New York, 2. Bases on balls—Off Russell, 1; off Love, 1; off Donovan, 1. Hits and earned runs—Off Russell, 7 and 6 in 1 1-3 innings; off Love, 6 and 2 in 5 2-3; off Donovan, 1 and none in 1; off Myers, 1 run. Hit by pitcher—By Myers (Baker). Struck out—By Myers, 3; by Russell, 1; by Love, 6. Wild pitches—Myers, Love. Umpires—Messrs. O'Loughlin and Nallin. Time of game—1 hour and 45 minutes.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
New London	82	52	.759	Lawrence	57	77	.425
Portland	78	55	.709	New Haven	61	81	.403
Springfield	66	49	.574	Bridgeport	49	76	.392
Lynn	60	54	.526	Lowell	36	69	.343
Worcester	59	64	.480	Hartford	36	75	.324

At New London (first game)—

Springfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
New London	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	x—5

Batteries — Powers and Ojerholm, Stephens; Reiger and Russell.

Second game— R. H. E.

Springfield	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
New London	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0

Batteries—Daniels and Ojerholm; Martin, Manning and Fish. (Called on account of darkness.)

At Worcester (first game)—

New Haven	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0—4
Worcester	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0—2

Batteries—Bressler and Smith; Van Dyke and Taylor.

Second game— R. H. E.

New Haven	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	5
Worcester	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	5

Batteries—Weaver and L. Smith; Hanson and Tylor. (Called on account of darkness.)

No other games were scheduled.

NEW YORK STATE LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Syracuse	82	48	.631	Utica	62	65	.448
Scranton	68	55	.562	Elmira	58	74	.439
Binghamton	68	60	.531	Reading	55	70	.440
Wilkesbarre	61	67	.500	Harrisburg	52	76	.406

At Wilkesbarre (first game)—

Elmira	2	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	6—12
Wilkesbarre	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2—9

Batteries—Creager and Casey; Kutz and Briger.

The second game was postponed on account of rain.

At Scranton— R. H. E.

Scranton	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	—3 10 3
Binghamton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2 8 5

Batteries—Buckels, Fox and Brannan; Rapps and Cotter.

The Syracuse-Harrisburg and the Utica-Reading games were postponed on account of rain.

O'NEILL'S MISPLAYS HELP SOX'S CAUSE

Miss of Third Strike, Followed by Wild Heave, Brings Victory to Chicago.

WIN IN ELEVENTH, 3 TO 2

CHICAGO, Sept. 8—(American).—Catcher O'Neill of Cleveland enabled Chicago to win its sixth straight game to-day, 3 to 2, in the eleventh inning.

Terry walked in the eleventh and advanced a base on Schalk's out. Cicotte struck out, but O'Neill allowed the ball to get away from him. After he recovered it he threw to right field trying to catch Cicotte and Terry scored from second with the winning run.

Jack Ness drove in both the other runs for the White Sox. He doubled in the fourth following E. Collins's single and an infield out and then singled in the eighth inning after Jackson had tripled.

Cleveland made five hits and Tris Speaker was credited with four of them. The score:

CLEVELAND (A.) | CHICAGO (A.)

	ab	r	h	o	a	e		ab	r	h	o	a	e
Graney, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0	J. Collins, rf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Turner, 2b	4	0	0	1	5	1	Weaver, 3b	5	0	1	3	4	0
Speaker, cf	6	1	4	1	0	0	E. Collins, 2b	5	1	2	1	2	0
Roth, rf	5	0	0	1	0	0	Jackson, lf	5	1	3	4	0	0
Kavan'h, 2b	4	0	0	1	5	0	Ness, 1b	5	0	2	11	1	0
Wamb'ss, ss	4	0	0	3	4	0	Felsch, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Gandil, 1b	3	0	0	15	0	0	Leibold, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
O'Neill, c	4	0	0