TIGERS Finally Tamed by Nationals in Close Game of Brilliant Plays. BROWNS Are Blanked by Pitcher Steele, Boston's New Spitball Artist. AMATEURS

VICTORY IN EIGHTH

Nationals Overcome the Lead and Beat Tigers.

GEORGE MULLIN IS WILD

After Pitching Good Ball for Greater Part of Distance, Veteran Weakens and Forces in Runs that Give Nationals the Game—Charley Smith Relieves Walter Johnson at Close.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Washington, 3; Detroit, 2.
Cleveland, 2; Philadelphia, 0.
Cleveland, 3; Philadelphia, 3.
Chicago, 2; New York, 1.
Boston, 5; St. Louis, 0.

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Washington at Detroit.
Boston at St. Louis.
New York at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	62	38	.621	Philadelphia	46	51	.474
St. Louis	61	41	.598	Boston	47	54	.465
Cleveland	58	44	.584	Washington	38	61	.384
Chicago	57	45	.559	New York	33	67	.330

Special to The Washington Herald.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 10.—After pitching the best sort of ball for seven innings, and with his side two runs to the good, Mullin went to pieces under the vigorous coaching of Joe Cantillon to-day, and Washington, by some hitting and some parading, scored three runs and victory over the champions.

The game was a pitchers' battle for six innings. Mullin and Johnson each had terrific speed, and the batsmen of both sides were equally baffled. In the sixth, however, the fortunes of war perched temporarily on the champions' banner and they scored two runs on hits by Cobb and Rossman which followed Schaefer's double and a pass by Johnson.

With Mullin working in the style he had shown the game looked certain to the Detroit fans, and this view was strengthened when Washington went out in order in the seventh.

The eighth saw Mullin's Waterloo, however. The trouble was opened by Freeman, who singled to center. Mullin made a great effort to spear Ollie Pickering's drive, but only deflected it out of Schaefer's reach. Warner, batting for Kahoe, forced Freeman at third. McBride, after missing two by wide margins, connected with one of Mullin's choices, which he shot on a line to right field. This filled the bases, and Cantillon set up a line of talk that nearly, but not quite, earned him banishment from the field. Tannehill, batting for McBride, waited it out and was passed to first, forcing Pickering home. Mullin was still unable to find his bearings, and passed Milan for the third time, forcing in Keeley, who had been running for Warner. Shipke bunted down the first base line, and Rossman couldn't get the ball in time to do anything but play the batter, McBride scoring the run that put the visitors ahead. Ganley was an innocuous out, and the Tigers looked to see the identity of the next pitcher, happy to be rid of Johnson.

Smith in the Box.

Charlie Smith strode out to do battle, and was welcomed with great acclaim. He showed imposing form, however, setting down McIntyre, Schaefer, and Crawford in order in the eighth, and would have done the same thing in the final inning but for Street's failure to hold the third strike on Cobb. Tyrus was promptly forced, however, and the life-saver succeeded in making good with a vengeance.

The game was remarkable for the fielding accuracy of both teams. Downs and McBride starred in the number of chances accepted, though Schaefer and Coughlin made the feature plays from the standpoint of brilliance. Kahoe and Schmidt threw in perfect form, and not a runner succeeded in stealing. Street's misplay was, in fact, the only one of the entire afternoon, and this escaped as a passed ball.

The Score.

DETROIT.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McIntyre, lf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Schaefer, ss	3	1	1	1	4	0
Crawford, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Cobb, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Rossman, 1b	4	0	2	15	0	0
Coughlin, 3b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Jones*	1	0	0	0	0	0
Schmidt, c	3	0	0	2	4	0
Downs, 2b	3	0	0	4	7	0
Mullin, p	3	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	29	2	5	27	20	0

WASHINGTON.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Milan, cf	1	0	0	4	0	0
Shipke, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Ganley, lf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Unglaub, 2b	4	0	2	3	2	0
Freeman, 1b	4	0	1	11	1	0
Pickering, rf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Kahoe, c	2	0	0	3	2	0
Warner†	1	0	0	0	0	0
Keeley‡	0	1	0	0	0	0
Street, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
McBride, ss	3	1	1	3	8	0
Johnson, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tannehill§	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	3	6	27	15	0

*Batted for Coughlin in the ninth. †Batted for Kahoe in the eighth. ‡Ran for Warner in the eighth. §Batted for Johnson in the eighth.

Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—2
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0—3

Two-base hit—Schaefer. Sacrifice hits—Schaefer, Coughlin, Shipke. Bases on balls—Off Mullin, 4; off Johnson, 3. Left on bases—Detroit, 5; Washington, 3. Struck out—By Mullin, 2; by Johnson, 2; by Smith, 2. Passed ball—Street. Time of game—1 hour and 45 minutes. Attendance, 2,879.

BOSTON BLANKS BROWNS.

Steele Baffles St. Louis Batsmen with Spit-ball Delivery.

St. Louis, Aug. 10.—The Browns were given their first shut-out in the past month, and their eighth this season, by Boston to-day. They failed to connect with Steele's spit-ball delivery, while the Sostons scored easily off Dineen. Score:

St. Louis.	R	H	O	A	E
Stone, lf	0	0	2	0	0
Hartzell, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Williams, 2b	0	2	2	3	0
Wallace, ss	0	1	4	3	0
Ferris, 3b	0	0	3	2	0
Hoffman, cf	0	0	2	1	0
Jones, 1b	0	2	10	1	1
Smith, c	0	0	3	3	1
Dineen, p	0	0	0	4	0
Criss*	0	0	0	0	0
Bailey, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	0	5	27	17	2

Boston.	R	H	O	A	E
Thoney, lf	0	1	5	0	0
Lord, 3b	1	2	0	1	0
Gessler, rf	2	2	0	0	0
Stahl, 1b	0	0	14	0	0
Laporte, 2b	2	3	2	8	0
Sullivan, cf	0	0	2	0	0
Wagner, ss	0	2	2	4	1
Criger, c	0	2	0	0	0
Steele, p	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	5	11	27	15	1

*Batted for Dineen in the eighth.

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Boston	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2—5

Two-base hit—Thoney. Three-base hit—Laporte. Sacrifice hit—Stahl. Double plays—Ferris to Wallace to Jones; Wagner to Laporte to Stahl. Stolen base—Gessler. Bases on balls—Off Bailey, 2; off Steele, 1. Struck out—By Dineen, 3; by Steele, 2. Left on bases—St. Louis, 6; Boston, 3. Umpires—Messrs. Hurst and Evans. Time of game—1 hour and 45 minutes.

NAPS GET THE FIRST.

Darkness Makes Tie of Second Game at Cleveland.

Cleveland, Aug. 10.—Cleveland took the first game of to-day's double header from the Athletics, 2 to 0, and, after the Athletics had piled up three runs in the first inning of the second, played them to an eighth inning 3 to 3 tie, darkness halting the fray. Score:

FIRST GAME.

Cleveland.	R	H	O	A	E	Phila.	R	H	O	A	E
J. Clarke, lf	0	1	2	0	0	Hartsel, lf	0	0	1	0	0
Bradley, 3b	0	1	0	3	0	Oldring, cf	0	1	5	0	0
Turner, rf	0	0	0	0	0	E. Collins, 2b	0	0	3	1	0
Lajoie, 2b	1	0	3	3	0	Murphy, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Stovall, 1b	1	1	16	0	0	Davis, 1b	0	0	9	0	1
N. Clarke, c	0	0	2	3	0	J. Collins, 3b	0	1	1	1	0
Altizer, cf	0	0	2	0	0	Nicholls, ss	0	0	1	6	2
Hinchman, ss	0	0	2	3	0	Schreck, c	0	1	3	2	0
Chech, p	0	0	0	6	0	Bender, p	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	2	5	27	18	0	Totals	0	4	24	11	3

Cleveland	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	x—2
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Stolen bases—J. Clarke, Bradley, Bender. Bases on balls—Off Chech, 3; off Bender, 3. Left on bases—Cleveland, 5; Philadelphia, 4. Struck out—By Chech, 3; by Bender, 3. Double play—Chech to Lajoie to Stovall. Umpire—Mr. Connolly. Time of game—1 hour and 33 minutes.

SECOND GAME.

Cleveland.	R	H	O	A	E	Phila.	R	H	O	A	E
J. Clarke, lf	1	1	4	1	1	Hartsel, lf	1	2	3	0	0
Bradley, 3b	1	1	2	3	0	Oldring, cf	1	0	2	0	0
Turner, rf	0	0	1	0	0	E. Collins, 2b	1	1	2	2	0
Lajoie, 2b	0	1	3	6	1	Murphy, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Stovall, 1b	0	0	10	1	0	Davis, 1b	0	0	11	0	0
N. Clarke, c	0	0	2	1	0	J. Collins, 3b	0	0	0	1	0
Altizer, cf	0	0	1	0	0	Nicholls, ss	0	0	0	0	0
Hinchman, ss	0	0	1	1	1	Schreck, c	0	1	5	1	0
Berger, p	0	0	0	0	0	Coombs, p	0	1	0	4	0
Ryan, p	1	1	0	1	0						
Totals	3	4	24	14	3	Totals	3	5	24	8	0

Cleveland	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—3
Philadelphia	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—3

Three-base hits—Bradley, Hartsel, E. Collins, Coombs. Two-base hits—Ryan, Lajoie. Sacrifice hits—Lajoie, J. Clarke, Bradley, Stovall, Murphy, Coombs, Oldring. Stolen base—Oldring. Bases on balls—Off Berger, 1; off Ryan, 2. Left on bases—Cleveland, 1; Philadelphia, 4. Struck out—By Ryan, 1; by Coombs, 6. Double plays—Ryan to Bradley; Bradley to Hinchman; Lajoie to Stovall. Umpires—Mr. Connolly. Time of game—1 hour and 29 minutes. Attendance—6,428.

BALL LOSES CONTEST.

Yankee Shortstop's Muff Gives Game to Chicago.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—After playing splendidly up to the very finish, Ball perpetrated the only error charged against the Highlanders to-day and that one lost the game. It was 1 to 1 in the ninth and one of the White Sox gone when Isbell hit sharply over second, Conroy stopping the hit too late to check the runner. Anderson drove a smash into left, and Atz struck out. Parent sent Ball a straight one, a single bound, and it leaped out of his glove while the winning run came in. Score:

Chicago.	R	H	O	A	E	New York.	R	H	O	A	E
Hahn, rf	1	1	0	0	0	Conroy, 2b	0	0	3	3	0
Jones, cf	0	2	1	0	0	Keeler, rf	0	0	1	1	0
Isbell, 1b	0	3	11	1	0	Chase, 1b	0	0	11	0	0
Anderson, lf	0	1	1	0	0	Hemphill, cf	1	2	2	0	0
Atz, 2b	0	1	0	1	0	Moriarity, 3b	0	0	3	1	0
Parent, ss	0	0	4	3	0	Delehanty, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Sullivan, c	1	1	7	3	0	Ball, ss	0	2	2	6	1
Tannehill, 3b	0	0	0	1	1	Ball, c	0	1	4	2	0
Walsh, p	0	0	0	6	0	Chesbro, p	0	0	0	5	0
Totals	2	9	27	15	1	Totals	1	5	26	18	1

*Winning run with two out.

Chicago	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1—2
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—1

Left on bases—Chicago, 9; New York, 1. Three-base hit—Jones. Two-base hits—Isbell, Hemphill. Stolen bases—Isbell, Atz, Blair. Bases on balls—Off Chesbro, 4. Struck out—By Walsh, 6; by Chesbro, 2. Double play—Sullivan to Parent. Umpires—Messrs. Sheridan and Egan. Time of game—1 hour and 34 minutes. Attendance, 4,436.

CAUGHT ON THE FLY.

The Nationals made a good finish.

Charley Smith fanned Ty Cobb, but Street failed to hold the ball.

The Tigers play the St. Louis Browns eleven games in September.

It remained for Jim McGuire's Red Sox to shut out the St. Louis Browns.

The Phillies continued their good work by trimming the Pittsburg Pirates.

New York is now only four points behind Pittsburg in the National League.

Brentwood, G. P. O., and St. Stephen's are putting up a good fight for second place in the Capital City League.

The National League magnates are howling like fiends about the umpires furnished this season by Harry Pulliam.

George Edward Waddell assumed a new role Sunday. With two on bases, he drove the ball over the fence for a home run. Can you beat that "Rube?"

Joe Nealon, the former Pirate first baseman, is now leading the Sacramento club of the California outlaw league with a batting average of .427.

Tom Hickey, a former president of the American Association, is anxious to buy the St. Paul franchise, with the idea of placing the club in Chicago.

The Pittsburgs have been showing pretty even strength against all seven opponents. They are ahead in all of their series except two, and are tied in those two.

President Ban Johnson is not letting up in his determination to put a stop to gambling on the ball fields of the American League. New York and Pittsburg are the worst offenders against the law.

Gus Soffel, the former Toronto second baseman, who is now captaining the Meriden club in the Connecticut League, has been purchased by the Boston Nationals, and will report to them later in the season.

Evans, the Montreal first sacker, hung up a new Eastern League record on Saturday by striking out six times in one day. Al Pardee was the title holder in this respect previous to Evans' sensational performance.

Tommy Corcoran, former shortstop of the New York team, has undertaken the management of the New Bedford team of the New England League. At present New Bedford is in seventh place. Jack O'Brien, one of the outfielders let out by the New York club last spring, is with the New Bedford aggregation.

Harry Swacina, the Pittsburg first baseman, on whom the Pirates asked for waivers, has been sold to Louisville, and will join that team at once. It was thought that McGraw might claim Swacina, and later it was said that Boston would take him to replace Dan McGann, but nothing came of it, and all the big league teams waived on him.

Clark Griffith, it seems, thinks there should be some exceptions to the rule regarding the batter being out on a third strike, whether the ball is held or not, when there is a runner on first. If the third strike happens to be a passed ball, he doesn't think the rule should apply, for in such cases there is an actual misplay by the catcher, and obviously nothing can be done in the way of a double play.

Breezing along without even an extra player heading him, Hans Wagner starts the week at the top of the National League swat artists, two points ahead of Helney Zimmerman, of the Cubs, and nine in front of Mike Donlin, the Giants' field captain. Last week the big Dutchman added seven points to his average and now has .335 tacked after his name. Zimmerman's average is .333 for about a third as many games, and Donlin's .326. Mike fell off one point.

Doc Newton, the ex-Yankee, and his hoodoo have not parted company. In Saturday's game with Montreal the doctor struck out ten batters. For five innings he averaged two strike-outs to the inning, and in the fifth retired the side on strikes. Despite this good box work his team was defeated. Stanley, his opponent, retired but three men on strikes, issued nine bases on balls, hit two men, and made a wild pitch, yet his team won the game.

WIN WITH TWO HITS

Giants Defeat the Champion Cubs in Close Game.

PHILLIES NOSE OUT PIRATES

Murray's Pennant Aspiring Crew Takes Fall Out of the Leaders in Exciting Contest—Dodgers Take the Reds Into Camp, and Cardinals Down the Beaneaters by 9 to 3.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

New York, 3; Chicago, 2.
Philadelphia, 5; Pittsburg, 4.
Brooklyn, 6; Cincinnati, 4.
St. Louis, 9; Boston, 3.

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

St. Louis at Boston.
Chicago at New York.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
Pittsburg at Philadelphia.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	60	38	.612	Cincinnati	51	52	.495
New York	59	38	.608	Boston	44	55	.444
Chicago	56	42	.571	Brooklyn	34	69	.362
Philadelphia	52	42	.553	St. Louis	33	65	.337

New York, Aug. 10.—Overall held the New Yorks to two hits to-day, but the Cubs lost. A base on balls, Bresnahan's two-bagger, a fielder's choice, and a wild heave by Evers gave the locals three runs in the first. The Cubs made a game fight from that on and fielded brilliantly, but couldn't catch up. Doyle hurt his ankle in practice and couldn't play.

The Score.

Chicago.	R	H	O	A	E	New York.	R	H	O	A	E
Slagle, cf	0	0	5	0	0	Tenney, 1b	0	0	12	0	0
Sheckard, lf	1	2	3	0	0	Herzog, 2b	1	0	2	3	0
Chance, 1b	0	0	10	2	0	Bresnahan, c	1	1	7	3	0
Evers, 2b	1	1	2	3	0	Devlin, rf	1	0	2	0	0
Steinfeldt, 3b	0	0	2	0	0	Seymour, cf	0	0	0	0	0
Howard, rf	0	0	0	0	0	Devlin, 3b	0	0	1	2	0
Tinker, ss	1	3	0	5	0	Barry, lf	0	0	2	0	0
Kling, c	0	1	0	2	0	Bridwell, ss	0	1	1	2	0
Overall, p	0	0	0	2	0	Matheson, p	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	2	7	24	12	1	Totals	3	2	27	13	0

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1—2
New York	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x—3

Left on bases—New York, 1; Chicago, 4. Bases on balls—Off Overall, 1. Struck out—By Matheson, 6. Three-base hit—Tinker. Two-base hits—Bresnahan, Sheckard. Sacrifice hit—Seymour. Stolen base—Donlin. Umpires—Messrs. Rigler and O'Day. Time of game—1 hour and 25 minutes. Attendance, 20,000.

PIRATES ARE DOWNED.

Phillies Hand Defeat to Pittsburg Nationals, 5 to 4.

Philadelphia, Aug. 10.—The Phillies defeated Pittsburg to-day by a batting rally in the sixth. Score:

Phila.	R	H	O	A	E	Pittsburg	R	H	O	A	E
Grant, 3b	1	1	2	2	0	Thomas, cf	1	1	4	0	0
Knabe, 2b	0	0	1	5	0	Leach, 3b	1	1	0	1	0
Titus, rf	1	1	0	0	0	Clarke, lf	0	0	1	0	0
Magee, lf	1	1	0	0	0	Wagner, ss	0	1	2	2	0
Bransfield, 1b	0	2	14	0	0	Abbat'chio, 2b	0	0	2	4	0
Osborne, cf	1	2	1	1	0	Wilson, rf	0	1	0	0	0
Doolin, ss	0	1	4	3	0	Storke, 1b	2	3	9	0	0
Dooin, c	0	0	2	3	0	Gibson, c	0	0	3	0	0
Corridon, p	0	0	0	4	1	Leifield, p	0	1	1	3	0
Courtney*	0	0	0	0	0	Camnitz, p	0	0	0	0	0
McQuillen, p	0	0	0	2	0						
Gleason, lf	0	0	2	0	0	Totals	4	10	24	11	0
Totals	5	8	27	20	1						

*Batted for Corridon in the sixth inning.

Philadelphia	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	x—5
Pittsburg	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0—4

Left on bases—Philadelphia, 7; Pittsburg, 3. First base on balls—Off Leifield, 1; off Corridon, 1. Struck out—By Leifield, 3; by Corridon, 1; by Camnitz, 2. Three-base hit—Thomas. Two-base hits—Gibson, Bransfield, Grant, Wilson, Titus, Storke. Sacrifice hit—Clarke. Double play—Grant to Bransfield. Hit by pitcher—By Camnitz, 1; by Leifield, 2. Wild pitch—Leifield. Passed ball—Dooin. Umpires—Messrs. Klem and Johnstone. Time of game—1 hour and 50 minutes. Attendance—11,942.

LUSH FOOLS BEANEATERS.

Cardinal Twirler's Teammates Make Eighteen Hits.

Boston, Aug. 10.—Lush was an enigma, and Lindaman and Boultes were hammered almost at will. Score:

Boston.	R	H	O	A	E	St. Louis.	R	H	O	A	E
Beaumont, cf	1	0	3	0	0	Shaw, rf	1	1	1	1	0
Dahlen, ss	0	1	3	0	0	Charles, 2b	2	2	0	2	0
Keller, rf	0	1	2	0	0	Murray, lf	2	1	3	0	0
McGann, 1b	0	2	8	0	0	Konetchy, 1b	2	3	13	1	0
Hitchcy, 2b	0	0	5	0	0	Delehanty, lf	0	2	1	0	0
Brown, rf	0	0	3	0	0	Byrne, 3b	1	2	3	0	0
Sweeney, 3b	1	1	4	2	0	Reilly, ss	1	1	0	4	0
Grafflin, c	0	0	4	0	0	Bliss, c	0	1	5	3	0
Bowerman, c	0	0	2	1	1	Lush, p	0	1	1	4	0
Lindaman, p	0	0	0	1	0						
Boultes, p	0	0	0	1	0	Totals	9	13	27	15	0
Hannifan*	0	0	0	0	0						
Maloney, p	0	0	0	1	0						
Bates†	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	3	6	27	13	2						

*Batted for Boultes in the seventh. †Batted for Maloney in the ninth.

Boston	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0—3
St. Louis	2	0	0	1	2	0	3	0	1—9

Left on bases—St. Louis, 8; Boston, 8. Bases on balls—Off Lindaman, 2; off Maloney, 1; off Lush, 1. Struck out—By Boultes, 1; by Lush, 4. Two-base hits—Murray, Konetchy (2), Delehanty, Byrne. Sacrifice hits—Charles, Bliss, McGann, Kelley. Stolen bases—Kelley, Sweeney, Konetchy, Byrne, Reilly, Bliss. Double play—Shaw to Bliss to Byrne. Wild pitches—Lindaman, 1; Lush, 1. Umpire—Mr. Emslie. Time of game—2 hours and 5 minutes.

BELL'S TRIPLE DECIDES.

Brooklyn Pitcher Wins Own Game from Cincinnati.

New York, Aug. 10.—Pitcher Bell's three-bagger was the deciding factor in to-day's game with the Reds. It pushed two runs home in the sixth and gave the Brooklyns a winning lead. Score:

Cincinnati.	R	H	O	A	E	Brooklyn.	R	H	O	A	E
Kane, cf	1	1	2	0	0	Burch, lf	1	3	1	0	0
Huggins, 2b	1	0	2	2	0	Hummel, cf	0	1	2	1	0
Lobert, 3b	0	2	1	1	0	Lumley, rf	0	0	2	0	0
Paskert, lf	0	2	3	0	0	Jordan, 1b	2	0	10	0	0
Mitchell, rf	0	1	1	0	0	Lewis, ss	0	1	2	2	0
Ganzel, 1b	0	1	4	3	0	Bergen, c	0	0	5	1	0
McLean, c	1	1	4	1	0	Sheehan, 3b	1	0	4	3	1
Hulswitt, ss	0	0	4	1	0	Alperman, 2b	2	2	1	2	0
Coakley, p	1	1	1	1	0	Bell, p	0	1	0	4	0
Volz, p	0	0	0	0	0						
Mowrey*	0	0	0	0	0	Totals	6	8	27	15	1
Totals	4	9	24	9	0						

*Batted for Volz in the ninth inning.

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0—4
Brooklyn	2	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	x—6

Left on bases—Brooklyn, 5; Cincinnati, 6. Bases on balls—Off Bell, 2; off Coakley, 4. Struck out—By Bell, 3; by Coakley, 2; by Volz, 1. Three-base hit—Bell. Two-base hit—Burch. Sacrifice hit—Bell. Stolen bases—Burch, Huggins, Jordan. Passed ball—Bergen. Umpire—Mr. Rudderham. Time of game—1 hour and 40 minutes. Attendence—2,000.

WAGNER FAR IN LEAD.

Draws Away from Donlin in National League Batting Race.

New York, Aug. 10.—By walloping the ball good and hard last week Honus Wagner increased his lead over Mike Donlin for the batting honors of the National League. He now leads the Giants' great slugger by 14 points, having a percentage of .341, while Donlin, who batted poorly last week, has dropped back to .327.

Including Saturday's game, Wagner has been to the bat 352 times and made 126 hits. Donlin has been to the bat 335 times and has laced out 136 hits.

Donlin, as usual, leads the Giants in hitting, with McCormick second, with a percentage of .304.

Hemphill is the leading swatter of the Highlanders, with .294. Keeler is second with .279.

INDEPENDENCE LEAGUE.

Advents Beat Wallach and Climb a Notch Higher.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Twining A.C.	17	3	.850	Manhattans	8	14	.363
Advent A. C.	14	8	.636	Wallach	6	12	.333
Gurley A. C.	15	10	.600	Ninth Street	4	15	.210

Advent took a well-played game from Wallachs yesterday on McDevitt's Field. Score, 9 to 3.

Seitz, Advent's clever southpaw, was in great shape, making ten batters fan the wind. Mosburg, Seaton, and Rynolds led with the stick, while McDonald handled his thirteen chances in the field in good style. Score:

Wallach.	R	H	O	A	E	Advent.	R	H	O	A	E
Haynie, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	J. Pumpirey, 1b	1	1	4	0	1
Brown, lf	1	1	0	0	0	Dexter, cf	0	0	3	0	0
Ahern, 3b	1	0	5	1	1	Hobbs, 2b	0	1	1	1	0
McD'nald, c,ss	0	0	7	6	0	Mosburg, 3b	2	2	0	2	0
Smithson, ss,c	0	1	3	1	2	W. P'mpirey, ss	3	1	0	0	0
Stewart, cf	0	1	0	1	1	White, rf	1	0	0	0	0
Rynolds, p	0	2	1	1	0	Toense, lf	1	0	0	0	0
Strothers, 1b	0	0	5	1	1	Murphy, c	1	1	11	0	0
Riston, rf	0	0	0	1	0	Seitz, p	0	1	2	1	0
Lynch, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	Seaton, lf	0	2	0	0	0
Totals	3	5	21	12	4	Totals	9	9	21	4	1

Wallach	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—3
Advent	0	0	0	1	1	5	2	0	9—9

Left on bases—Wallach, 5; Advent, 5. First base on balls—Off Seitz, 4; off Rynolds, 9. Struck out—By Seitz, 10; by Rynolds, 9. Two-base hits—Brown, Stewart. Sacrifice hit—White. Stolen bases—Dexter, White, Seaton, Ahern, Riston. Double play—Mosburg to Hobbs to Pumphrey. Hit by pitcher—By Rynolds, 1. Passed balls—Murphy, Smithson. Umpire—Mr. Myers. Time of game—1 hour and 30 minutes.

MARQUETTE LEAGUE.

Marines Clinch Pennant by Defeating St. Vincent's Team.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Marines	19	5	.792	St. Vincent's	10	10	.500
St. Joseph's	15	7	.682	St. Paul's	8	9	.471
Turnerites	10	8	.555	Vigilants	7	8	.465

To-day's game—St. Joseph's vs. Turnerites, at Thirteenth and D streets northeast, at 5:30.

The Marines practically clinched the pennant yesterday by downing St. Vincent's in a nine-inning fray by 2 to 1.

To say it was the best game played this season would not be exaggerating. Both Kerr and Riter pitched exceptionally good ball, and had it not been for Daly's error of O'Connor's infield fly, in the sixth round, on which Meagher scored, the contest would have ended in a tie. Score:

| Marines. | R | H | O | A | E |