

BASEBALL Only Four Hits Off Gray, But Nationals Are Beaten GEORGETOWN Important Meeting of the Athletic Association Held TENNIS

NATIONALS STUNG BY TIGERS, 4 TO 2

Detroit Puts One Over in the Opening Game.

GRAY ALLOWS BUT FOUR HITS

Washington's Southpaw Twirls Five Ball, but Timely Swats and Street's Error Count Heavily Against Him.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Washington at Detroit.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

Special to The Washington Herald.

It was a freak battle in several respects, but most prominently in the fact that at the close Detroit had not a single casualty to contribute to the left-on-base column, every man who made first having scored, with but one exception, this being Cobb, who was thrown out trying to steal.

Brilliant Work by Gray.

To appreciate Gray's good work it is necessary only to call attention to the fact that not a single Tiger reached first base in six of the eight innings.

Browne Hits for Three Bases.

Washington opened with a rush, Browne hitting the first ball Willett pitched to the score board in left center and taking third.

The Tigers came back in a way that made the crowd think it was going to be treated to an old-time slugging bee.

The Exciting Seventh.

The fifth saw both teams retired in order at the bat.

SEABROOKE WINS GAME.

Defeats Fast Langdon Nine by a Single Tally.

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NOTES OF THE GAME.

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MANAGERS ELECTED

Blue and Gray Athletes Hold Annual Meeting.

CARLIN IS CHOSEN PRESIDENT

Daniel McCann and Edward Carr, of Junior Class, Secretary and Treasurer—Freshmen Victorious Over Sophomores in Election of Assistant Managers—Excellent Reports.

The annual meeting of the Georgetown University Athletic Association was held yesterday afternoon in Gaston Hall, and at it the business of the past year was wound up and officers for the coming season were elected.

The junior class nominations for the executive committee were unanimously selected to serve in those positions.

The freshmen finally beating out the sophomores by bringing about the election of the first-year man to every one of the minor offices.

The election of Johnnie Martin as captain of the track team for the next winter was announced at the meeting and was hailed with applause.

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VERSATILE PLAYER.

SHINE IN ATHLETICS

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

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GAMES TO-DAY.

St. Louis at New York.

Chicago at Brooklyn.

Pittsburg at Boston.

Cincinnati at Philadelphia.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

RECORDS OF WEEK

SHOW IMPROVEMENT

Slight Change for Better Is Noted in Stick Work.

DONOHUE LEADS WITH .278

However, Captain Has Taken Part in but Five Games—"Wild" Conroy the Real Leader, with Mark of .248—Street Increases Average by 60 Points—How They Stand.

A slight improvement is noted in the batting averages of the Nationals during the past week.

The advent of the new players and transfer of several regulars seem to have brought good results and reminded certain players that the pennant race is well under way and the "wrecking-out season" at hand.

Capt. Donohue is leading the strikers with an average of .278, but as the newcomer has participated in but five games, the honor goes to the next in line, "Wild" Conroy.

In twenty-nine games played to date "the widow" has been at bat 113 times, scored 8 runs, and credited with 28 singles, and an average of .258.

Browne, another late acquisition, halling from the world's champions, stands second, with an average of .244 for eleven games.

A slight improvement is noted in the stick-work of "Jim" Delehanty, who finished among the leaders last season.

During the past week "Del" has boosted his mark from an average of .148 to .152. Slowly, but he is hopelessly sure of the job, but right in the "dozers" hands.

These will never do, and it's up to the big fellow to come around soon, or follow several other former comrades to "scenes of childhood."

The entire team is battling for the peculiarly remarkable average of .156, an increase of three points over last week's mark. Hope below tells the tale:

How They Stand.



TENNIS TOURNEY ON TO-DAY

Bachelor Raquet Wielders Ready for the Test.

Entry List Indicates Interesting Competition—Several Out-of-town Players to Compete.

The Bachelors Lawn Tennis Club has put its new courts, situated in Cathedral avenue, in condition for play, and the fifth annual tournament for the championship of the Middle Atlantic States, beginning this afternoon at 3 o'clock, will be played upon them.

While a large entry list has already been secured, entries will continue to be accepted until 3 o'clock, when the drawings will be made and play will begin at once.

A new championship trophy has been offered by the club, to replace the handsome silver bowl won last year for the third consecutive time by Conrad B. Doyle.

Several out-of-town players have entered, and the matches promise to be of unusual interest.

A number of good teams are entered in doubles, and the play for possession of the silver cups offered two years ago by J. T. Hendrick promises to be spirited.

As the intercity match with Baltimore, which was to have been played on Saturday, could not be played on account of rain, it has been indefinitely postponed, and the tournament which begins to-day furnishes the first opportunity which lovers of good tennis have to see the game played this year.

The Cheery Chase car line passes within two blocks of the Bachelors new grounds, which are also within a few minutes' walk of the new Connecticut avenue bridge.

SPORTING SIDELIGHTS

By BILL BAILEY.

With two Marathons to look after, Jim O'Shea is as busy as a second-story workman on a dark night.

It didn't take Jack Johnson long to get rid of his end of the O'Brien long purse, all of which leads us to acknowledge that he is a good two-handed money pitcher.

Pitcher Joe Doyle, of the New York Highlanders, has everything, including blood poisoning.

When the Giants are losing Arlie Latham looks as funny as a barrel of pickles to New York fans.

If they can keep Fred Kelley awake, he will probably be given a chance to umpire the game between Egan's Eagles and Monk's Hummies to be played some afternoon this week.

At a recent game in Cleveland during the last Nationals-Naps series, some person hailing from Washington and wearing a straw hat caused a mild flutter of excitement. The Cleveland Plain Dealer in referring to the incident says: "It may be all right to wear a straw hat in Washington now, but brother, they are not considered as fair in Cleveland when an overcoat is still an apparel of comfort."

"Manager Lake of the Boston Americans" says Spanglish "won't reveal the name of his scout." Perhaps it's old man Weston.

Now that Big Linthicum has a lame arm, it's hard to see where Michigan can expect to win any more baseball games.

Center Rush Ashton, of the Holy Name Society, comes out with the bold declaration that his club will put a crew on water, and course the strength of this, the Potomac will disband at once.

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