

BASEBALL Nationals Defeat Orioles by 6 to 1 BOXING Jeffries Boxes with Berger NEW LEAGUE Commercial Houses to Have Ball Teams

REVENGE ON ORIOLES

Nationals Hand the Eastern Leaguers a Trouncing.

OBERLIN PROVES INVINCIBLE

Baltimore Outplayed at Every Angle on Florida Avenue Grounds by 6-to-1 Score—'Rube' Vickers, Late of Philadelphia, Bumped Hard. Washington's Hits Prove Timely.

By WILLIAM PEET.

The curtain was rung down on Washington's exhibition games yesterday, when the Nationals defeated Jack Dunn's Baltimore Orioles on the Florida avenue grounds, 6 to 1.

Vickers Hit Hard.

Two pretty running catches by Schmidt and the work of the Nationals' infield proved the only features. Vickers worked seven innings and was handled roughly, eleven safe slams going to McAleer's braves.

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New York, April 12.—The New York Americans had an easy time with the Utica team this afternoon. Score: Yankees, 9; Utica, 2.

Exhibition Games.

At Boston: Boston Americans, 9; Boston Braves, 11; Boston Red Sox, 11; Boston Terriers, 7.

South Atlantic Results.

At Savannah: Savannah, 6; Columbus, 2. At Augusta: Augusta, 4; Savannah, 6.

Georgetown Plays Eastern.

Hilltoppers Meet East Virginia Collegians To-day.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock the Georgetown University nine will clash with Eastern College of Manassas, Va.

Junior Preps Beat Knickerbockers.

The Georgetown Prep Juniors defeated the fast Knickerbocker nine yesterday afternoon, on their grounds, by a score of 9 to 5.

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Milan, Oberlin, and Schaefer are credited with hits which proved to be bunts that the visiting infielders could not handle in time.

Jack Dunn did not accompany the team, as he took a trip to New York to try and separate Muggsy McGraw from one of his utility players.

Manager McAleer was indisposed and spent the afternoon at his hotel. He expects to be out with the boys in the final work-out today.

George McBride played short for the first time since his illness two weeks ago. He connected for a single and handled cleanly seven chances.

Two hard practice periods are on the boards for this morning and afternoon in preparation for the opening of the league season here Thursday.

Street was caught between third and home in a nifty manner in the fourth inning. Milan hit a hot one at Hall, who, instead of throwing the ball, ran all the way in and headed off the Nationals' catcher five feet from the plate.

Giants, 3; Newark, 1.

New York, April 12.—The Giants and Newark had a red-hot battle at the Polo Grounds this afternoon. Both teams fielded beautifully, the Giants winning in the eighth on hitting and base running.

Score: Giants, 3; Newark, 1. New York RHOAE: Ryan, 0; Kelly, 0; Schall, 2; Gorman, 0; Hess, 0; Hartman, 0; Rorison, 0. Newark RHOAE: Devere, 0; Doyle, 0; Murray, 0; Schomer, 0; Devlin, 0; Schell, 0; Wilke, 0.

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NEW LEAGUE READY

Commercial Houses Six Strong Teams in Line.

ALL ARE BUSINESS HOUSES

Ex-Commissioner Henry L. West Will Pitch the Initial Ball Over the Plate in the First Game of Season—Officers Are Elected and R. L. Conner Named Umpire.

The Commercial Baseball League held a meeting last night at the store of the R. P. Andrews Paper Company for the election of permanent officers and to form the constitution and by-laws for the league.

The officers elected were: William Peet, president; G. W. Swift, of Brentano's, treasurer; Hal Thompson, of Berry & Whitmore, secretary, and W. W. Norman, of Brentano's, umpire.

Six teams are to compose the league, five of which were organized at the meeting last week, leaving one to be selected to complete the league, and after going over the applications of different teams Berry & Whitmore were formally admitted as the sixth club at the meeting last night.

The Commercial League is composed of some of the most prominent business interests in the District, with teams from The Washington Herald, Berry & Whitmore, Brentano's, R. P. Andrews Paper Company, J. T. Varnell & Sons, and Hecht & Co.

Henry L. West, ex-Commissioner of the District, is greatly interested in the league.

Although the schedule has not been drafted, Mr. West will pitch the first ball over the home plate in the opening game of the season.

At the meeting last night a number of resolutions were adopted, among the most important being that the game officials shall consist of an official umpire and scorer, who shall be present at every game, to be paid a sum decided upon by the league, and for any just cause either can be removed by the board of arbitration.

R. L. Conner was elected umpire, and Irvin Becker official scorer. Conner had some experience with the Church League, and also with the Capital City League, last year, and understands the game thoroughly, while Becker was scorer for the National Athletic Association.

Each team is entitled to twenty players, their names to be filed with the secretary immediately after they have signed. All teams shall be in uniform of their own selection, and at least six players in each team shall be regular employees of the business houses which they represent on the field.

It was also decided that all money in the treasury at the end of the season shall be divided among the different teams.

A resolution was adopted that any team leaving the grounds before the game is finished or has been called by the umpire shall forfeit the game. Games are to be played for the present on the diamond at Georgia avenue and Kenyon street northwest.

Another meeting will be held Friday night at R. P. Andrews Paper Company's for the hearing of the committee selected to arrange the schedule for the season. This committee is composed of T. B. White, R. L. Conner, and G. W. Davis.

PICTURES OF GREAT FIGHT

Between Nelson and Wolgast at New Lyceum Theater.

Pictures of the Nelson-Wolgast forty-round battle on February 22 last, at Richmond, Cal., are being shown at the New Lyceum this week. This is the first time they have appeared in the city.

The pictures begin by showing the training of Ad Wolgast, who is going through shadow boxing. The Battler is shown going through the rope-skipping stunt in preparation for the contest.

Then follow after round of one of the greatest of glove contests ever decided between little men.

Nelson was the aggressor in the long battle, hammering Wolgast all around the ring. However, the new champion refused to break ground, and had Nelson at his mercy toward the finish.

In the last round the referee is seen stopping the fight, though the game little Dana insists that he can continue to the forty-five round limit.

Regular A. C. Team in Line.

Special to The Washington Herald. Alexandria, Va., April 12.—The Regular Athletic Club has organized for the coming season, and would like to hear from all of the fast teams of the District.

Olympia A. C., Linworth A. C., Broadboks, Georgetown Olives, and St. Stephen's preferred. Address: Edward Martin, Box 207, Alexandria, Va.

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Defeats National Cathedral in Slow Seven-Inning Game.

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ST. JOHN'S IN THIRTEENTH.

Error by Scillon, Mount St. Joseph's Right Fielder, Loses Game.

Annapolis, Md., April 12.—St. John's College won a remarkable thirteen-inning victory from Mount St. Joseph's College, of Baltimore, to-day, 4 to 3. The locals got the winning tally when, with two men down, Scillon, the visitors' right fielder, muffed an easy fly.

The figures of hitting show the remarkable feature of the game, St. John's got a total of sixteen safe singles, one a three-sacker, and one two-bagger, but the superb fielding of the visitors at some of the critical stages nipped the locals' chances in the bud.

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JACKSONVILLE RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—Five furlongs. Miss Lucia, 99 (Kearney), 2 to 1; second, Mary Ann, 100 (Traylor), 5 to 1; third, Green Leaf, 101 (Cohen), 6 to 1; fourth, Green Leaf, 102 (Cohen), 6 to 1; fifth, Green Leaf, 103 (Cohen), 6 to 1; sixth, Green Leaf, 104 (Cohen), 6 to 1.

SECOND RACE—Five furlongs. Magnification, 105 (Kearney), 2 to 1; second, Magnification, 106 (Kearney), 2 to 1; third, Magnification, 107 (Kearney), 2 to 1; fourth, Magnification, 108 (Kearney), 2 to 1; fifth, Magnification, 109 (Kearney), 2 to 1; sixth, Magnification, 110 (Kearney), 2 to 1.

THIRD RACE—Five furlongs. Rubbing Water, 111 (Kearney), 2 to 1; second, Rubbing Water, 112 (Kearney), 2 to 1; third, Rubbing Water, 113 (Kearney), 2 to 1; fourth, Rubbing Water, 114 (Kearney), 2 to 1; fifth, Rubbing Water, 115 (Kearney), 2 to 1; sixth, Rubbing Water, 116 (Kearney), 2 to 1.

FOURTH RACE—Five furlongs. Rubbing Water, 117 (Kearney), 2 to 1; second, Rubbing Water, 118 (Kearney), 2 to 1; third, Rubbing Water, 119 (Kearney), 2 to 1; fourth, Rubbing Water, 120 (Kearney), 2 to 1; fifth, Rubbing Water, 121 (Kearney), 2 to 1; sixth, Rubbing Water, 122 (Kearney), 2 to 1.

FIFTH RACE—Five furlongs. Rubbing Water, 123 (Kearney), 2 to 1; second, Rubbing Water, 124 (Kearney), 2 to 1; third, Rubbing Water, 125 (Kearney), 2 to 1; fourth, Rubbing Water, 126 (Kearney), 2 to 1; fifth, Rubbing Water, 127 (Kearney), 2 to 1; sixth, Rubbing Water, 128 (Kearney), 2 to 1.

SIXTH RACE—Five furlongs. Rubbing Water, 129 (Kearney), 2 to 1; second, Rubbing Water, 130 (Kearney), 2 to 1; third, Rubbing Water, 131 (Kearney), 2 to 1; fourth, Rubbing Water, 132 (Kearney), 2 to 1; fifth, Rubbing Water, 133 (Kearney), 2 to 1; sixth, Rubbing Water, 134 (Kearney), 2 to 1.

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