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YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Philadelphia, 5; Boston, 4.
New York, 9; Brooklyn, 8.
St. Louis at Cincinnati; cold.
Pittsburg at Chicago; wet.

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Brooklyn at Boston.
New York at Philadelphia.
Pittsburg at Chicago.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	7	1	.875	Cincinnati	3	4	.429
Pittsburg	5	1	.833	Boston	2	6	.250
Chicago	4	2	.667	Brooklyn	2	7	.222
New York	6	3	.667	St. Louis	2	7	.222

VICTORY FOR GIANTS.

Win Loosely Played Game from the Brooklyn Outfit.

New York, April 26.—Jordan and Doyle each made home runs to-day with two on bases. Each team tried to see which could play the worst and the Brooklyns succeeded in losing. It was a slovenly contest after the first two innings. The score:

Brooklyn.	R	H	O	A	E	New York.	R	H	O	A	E
T. Smith, 3b.	0	1	1	3	1	Devere, lf.	1	2	1	1	0
Burch, cf.	2	4	1	0	0	Doyle, 2b.	2	2	3	1	1
Wheat, lf.	3	2	0	0	0	Murray, rf.*	2	1	1	0	1
Hummel, 2b.	0	2	2	6	1	Seymour, cf.	0	1	1	0	1
Daubert, 1b.	0	1	9	0	0	Bridwell, ss.	1	3	0	5	1
H. Smith, rf.	1	0	1	0	0	Devlin, 3b.	0	0	3	1	1
McMillan, ss.	0	0	1	1	2	Merkle, 1b.	1	1	8	1	0
Erwin, c.	1	0	4	3	1	Meyers, c.	1	2	9	3	0
Bell, p.	0	0	0	1	0	Crandall, p.	0	0	0	1	0
Jordan*	1	1	0	0	0	Becker†	0	0	0	0	0
Wilhelm, p.	0	0	0	0	0	Ames, p.	0	0	1	0	1
Dessau, p.	0	0	0	0	0	Schaefer‡	0	0	0	0	0
						Dickson, p.	1	1	0	1	1
Totals	8	7	24	15	5	Totals	9	13	27	14	7

*Batted for Bell in the second.
†None out when winning run scored.
‡Batted for Crandall in the second.
§Batted for Ames in the fifth.

Brooklyn	2	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	—7
New York	2	3	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	—9

Left on bases—Brooklyn, 7; New York, 2. Bases on balls—Off Bell, 1; off Dessau, 5; off Crandall, 2; off Ames, 2; off Dickson, 1. Struck out—By Wilhelm, 1; by Dessau, 4; by Crandall, 2; by Ames, 3; by Dickson, 3. Home runs—Jordan, Doyle. Three-base hit—Merkle. Two-base hits—T. Smith, Hummel, Doyle. Sacrifice hit—McMillan. Sacrifice flies—Daubert, Seymour. Stolen bases—Daubert, Murray. Double plays—Burch to Daubert; McMillan to Hummel to Daubert; Bridwell to Doyle to Merkle. Passed balls—Meyers, Erwin. Wild pitches—Ames, 1; Dickson, 2. Hit by pitcher—By Dessau, 1. Umpires—Messrs. Klem and Kane. Time of game—2 hours and 20 minutes.

PHILLIES WIN OUT IN NINTH.

Boston Defeated by Quaker City Team, 5 to 4.

Philadelphia, April 26.—A ninth-inning rally enabled the Phillies to beat out Boston to-day by 5 to 4. Bates' double sent in the tying and winning runs. Curtis outpitched Ewing, errors putting him in bad. Shean hit the ball hard for the Bostons. Score:

Phila.	R	H	O	A	E	Boston.	R	H	O	A	E
Titus, rf.	0	0	2	0	0	Moran, lf.	2	1	5	0	0
Bates, lf.	2	2	0	0	0	Collins, rf.	1	0	1	1	0
Grant, 3b.	0	1	2	1	0	Beck, cf.	0	1	2	1	0
Magee, cf.	1	0	1	0	0	Shean, 2b.	1	3	2	2	1
Ward, 1b.	0	1	11	0	1	Herzog, 3b.	0	1	0	2	0
Knabe, 2b.	0	1	5	2	0	Sweeney, ss.	0	0	2	4	1
Doolin, ss.	1	1	0	5	2	Martel, 1b.	0	0	16	1	0
Doolin, c.	1	1	6	1	0	Smith, c.	0	1	3	0	0
Ewing, p.	0	0	0	5	1	Curtis, p.	0	0	0	5	0
Walsh*	0	0	0	0	0	Leise†	0	0	0	0	0
						Graham, c.	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	5	7	27	14	4	Totals	4	7	35	16	2

*Batted for Ewing in the ninth.
†Two out when winning run was made.
‡Ran for Smith in the sixth.

Philadelphia	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	—5
Boston	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4

Left on bases—Philadelphia, 7; Boston, 9. Bases on balls—Off Curtis, 5; off Ewing, 4. Struck out—By Curtis, 1; by Ewing, 3. Two-base hits—Doolin, Smith, Bates. Sacrifice hits—Collins, Martel, Beck, Magee, Ward. Stolen bases—Titus, 1; Magee, 2; Bates, 1. Double play—Grant to Ward. Umpires—Messrs. Rigler and Emslie. Time of game—1 hour and 49 minutes. Attendance, 3,087.

COLLEGE GAMES.

At Hanover—Dartmouth, 5; Bowdoin, 1.
At Durham, N. C.—First game: Georgia, 0; Trinity, 2. Second game: Georgia, 1; Trinity, 1 (called to allow Georgia to catch a train).
At South Bange—Niagara University, 3; Seton Hall College, 6.
At Lexington, Va.—Washington and Lee, 3; University of North Carolina, 2.

TEXAS LEAGUE.

At Houston—Dallas, 0; Houston, 4.
At Waco—Waco, 9; Fort Worth, 4.
At Galveston—Galveston, 1; Shreveport, 2.
At San Antonio—Oklahoma City, 6; San Antonio, 1.

What's in a name? A whole lot to a pitcher if the batsman is Cobb, Collins, Wagner, or Speaker, and a whole lot to the batsman if the pitcher is Mathewson, Plank, Johnson, or Rucker.

YANKEES CUT DOWN

Nationals Take Final Game of Series, 9 to 7.

VISITING PITCHERS ARE EASY

McAleer's Braves Knock Manning and Frill Out of the Box by Driving Six Men Around the Bags in the Third Chapter—The Visitors Grow Dangerous in the Ninth.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Washington, 9; New York, 7.
Philadelphia at Boston; rain.
Chicago at Cleveland; rain.
Detroit at St. Louis; wet grounds.

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

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

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	5	3	.625	Boston	4	5	.444
Philadelphia	5	3	.625	Cleveland	4	5	.444
St. Louis	3	2	.600	Washington	4	6	.400
New York	4	3	.571	Chicago	2	4	.333

By WILLIAM PEET.

The Nationals' long overdue victory against the New York Yankees came to light yesterday on the Florida avenue pasture, when McAleer's braves drove two opposing twirlers off the mound and won in a gallop, 9 to 7.

The contest was one of delight to fans, brimful of heavy and timely hitting and spectacular fielding stunts. New York made the home crowd uneasy by ruffling up Walker's twisters for a quartet of runs in the ninth inning, and also shoving enough men on the sacks to permit of a tie score had Birdie Cree been able to knock the ball over Schafer's dome instead of into the Teuton's bread hooks.

One Victory Out of Four.

This victory helps some, as it proved the only win over Stallings' crew during the present series of four. To-day the Boston Red Sox are in our midst.

It was a long, sad story for New York, here yesterday, with all the dope gone wrong and nothing but a near-brilliant finish to bring cheer to the heart of Manager Stallings. The theory has been that all visiting pitchers had to do was to hold Washington down, and the nine from the outside could make enough runs to win off the home twirlers. This was more or less a correct solution of the problem, and Stallings' men made enough runs, but their own slabmen were so easy that Washington seized the glorious opportunity and grabbed the game. It is but fair to Mr. Stallings to say that when Cree sent Schaefer a snap grounder in the ninth inning, with two out, there were men on second and third base. A clean hit would have meant two more runs, but Cree was not there with the wallop, and a finish that would have made Congress weep was not to be seen.

Manning was the first offering for New York. He was foolish enough to give a base on balls in the first inning to Milan, first up. Milan started to steal. Knight took a perfect throw from Sweeney, touched Milan, and then dropped the ball. Schaefer sacrificed, and Milan scored on Lelivelt's hit to left.

The Balloon Goes Up.

Three flies retired Washington in the second inning, but the third saw the slaughter. Street flied to Cree. Walker bunted, instead of hitting out, as was expected, and was safe. Milan singled through Manning, Walker going to second. Schaefer slammed to left, scoring Walker, putting Milan on third and himself taking second on the throw to the plate. That was the end of Manning. Frill succeeded him, and was equally depressing to New York's vision of cleaning up the series. He hit Lelivelt, filling the bases. Elberfeld singled to center, scoring Milan and Schaefer. Gessler came to the front with a three-base wallop to right that scored Lelivelt and Elberfeld, and then up rose Robert Unglaub with a whack to center that tallied Gessler. The tragedy ceased when McBride lined to Austin, who doubled up Unglaub at first.

Frill was done right there. He was succeeded by Warhop, who did not work himself to death, and thereby was foolish, for the two runs made off him kept the New Yorks from tying the score. Street walked off Warhop to open the fourth inning, and took second on Walker's single to left. Milan forced Street at third. Schaefer fanned, but Lelivelt doubled to left, scoring Walker and Milan. That was the last of Washington's scoring. Warhop had little else but a glove, but that was enough to stop the home nine.

New York began late, and wound up strong, but could not overcome the shortcomings of Manning, Frill, and Warhop. They never touched the plate until Wolter reached it in the fourth. He walked, took third on Chase's single, and scored when Cree drove into a double play. Sweeney singled in the fifth inning, after Austin had singled to left and been thrown out trying to make it a double. Warhop walked. So did Hemphill. Wolter's double to right scored Sweeney and Warhop. Two runs.

Yankees Grow Dangerous.

Then a long hiatus to the ninth inning, when there was some excitement, you bet. Laporte, Knight, and Austin singled in succession in the ninth—nothing violent, just plain singles—filling the bases. Sweeney's hot grounder was booted by Schaefer, and Laporte and Knight scored. Roch batted for Warhop and flied to Lelivelt. Hemphill grounded out, via Walker and Unglaub. Wolter's long fly to Lelivelt was cleanly muffed, which let in Austin and Sweeney. Chase walked, but Cree grounded to Schaefer.

The game must not be dismissed without especially honorable mention of the great catch by Austin in the eighth inning that retired Walker, last man up for Washington. It was a line drive that Austin hit hith his glove in back handed fashion, knocked into the air, turned around and caught.

The Score.

NEW YORK.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Hemphill, cf.	4	0	0	4	0	0
Wolter, rf.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Chase, 1b.	4	0	1	6	0	0
Cree, lf.	5	0	0	3	0	0
Laporte, 2b.	4	1	1	2	2	0
Knight, ss.	4	1	2	2	2	1
Austin, 3b.	4	1	2	5	2	0
Sweeney, c.	4	2	2	1	3	0
Manning, p.	1	0	0	0	1	0
Frill, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warhop, p.	1	1	0	0	2	0
Roch*	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	7	9	24	12	1

*Batted for Warhop in ninth.

WASHINGTON.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Milan, cf.	2	3	1	0	0	0
Schaefer, 2b.	3	1	1	2	5	1
Lelivelt, lf.	3	1	3	2	1	1
Elberfeld, 3b.	4	1	1	1	1	0
Gessler, rf.	4	1	2	1	0	0
Unglaub, 1b.	4	0	1	12	0	0
McBride, ss.	4	0	0	3	4	1
Street, c.	3	0	1	6	1	0
Walker, p.	4	2	2	0	2	0
Totals	31	9	12	27	14	3

New York	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	4—7
Washington	1	0	6	2	0	0	0	0	x—9

First base by errors—New York, 3. Left on bases—New York, 6; Washington, 3. First base on balls—Off Manning, 1; off Warhop, 2; off Walker, 4. Innings pitched—Manning, 2 1-3; Frill, 2-3; Warhop, 4 2-3. Hits made—Off Manning, 4; Frill, 3; Warhop, 5. At bat—Against Manning, 9; Frill, 4; Warhop, 18. Struck out—By Warhop, 1; Walker, 4. Three base hit—Gessler. Two base hit—Lelivelt, Wolter, Gessler. Sacrifice hit—Schaefer. Stolen bases—Wolter, Chase. Double plays—Austin to Chase, Schaefer to McBride to Unglaub. Hit by pitcher—By Frill, Lelivelt. Passed ball—Street. Umpire—Messrs. Evans and Egan. Time of game—1 hour and 50 minutes. Attendance—2,707.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

Many of the rooters, during the ninth innning, used hot water bags on their feet and kept their fingers crossed by the liberal use of tire tape.

In handling a swift drive from the bat of Dixie Walker, in the ninth act, Austin gave an exhibition of diabalo, spinning the sphere in the air and finally catching it four yards from third base.

A fine exhibition of high and lofty acrobatics was indulged in by Messrs. Schaefer and Sweeney, in the third inning. "Germany" came home on Elberfeld's hit and tripped Sweeney. They both went down, after performing various horizontal parabolic curves, and as Schaefer scored a run, he, of course, enjoyed the gentle exercise most.

Right fielder Wolter ran fully fifty yards to nab McBride's swift smash in the fifth session. It was a great catch, but in the next half Gessler duplicated the stunt by a hard run and one-hand catch of Laport's drive that had all the earmarks of a two-bagger.

During the swatfest in the third inning one well-meaning but misguided rooter in the stand endeavored to perform a solo barn dance on the roof of the players' cyclone cellar. "Reddy" O'Day appeared on the scene, and when he showed the danger signal ("Reddy" simply removed his hat) the enthusiastic terpischorean artist desisted at once.

The Department of Agriculture was represented at the game, but kept their vegetables to themselves.

It don't pay for Stallings to put on too many "Frills."

Walker's slowing down in the ninth and Lelivelt's evident desire to make a spectacular catch, which, by the way, resulted in an error, came near giving the Gothamites a chance to tie the score.

There were some scares thrown out in in the ninth. It seems that a six-run lead may be quickly cut down. After four runs were scored by the Yankees it looked exceedingly dangerous after a double steal with Cree at the bat. Fortunately Cree grounded to Schaefer, who threw him out at first.

Walker got two hits yesterday and scored two runs. With a little luck he would have gotten four. Austin robbed him in the eighth and Hemphill had to cover some ground for a short fly in the sixth. Few pitchers of ability can do much more than fan at them.

The lake in right field is still a source of bother to the fielders. Gessler took two showers during the game and on Chase's hit literally waded into the center of the puddle. Not to be outdone, he chased Wolter into the foaming breakers with his triple in the third.

Austin pulled off a ringer when he robbed Walker of a hit in the eighth. The hit and catch were made so quickly that it was hard to realize what had been done. Austin seemed to jump with the swing of the bat, succeeded in stopping the drive, and caught it coming to the ground.

Germany Schaefer was on deck with the ginger at all times. His error was made on a difficult drive, and was quite excusable, although it came at a very inopportune time. In the first inning he laid down a pretty sacrifice.

Lelivelt batted 1,000, getting two singles, a double which scored two runs, and was hit with the ball in his four trips to the plate.

The outfield contributed six of the dozen hits yesterday, which is going some for any team. Milan and Gessler batted .500. The doctor gathered in two fat clouts yesterday which were certainly beauties, one to right for three bases and a paste between Cree and Hemphill for two, and which kept the fielders guessing.

It isn't how they win that counts so much with the fans; it is whether they win. Yesterday's game was replete with all the things that go to make up a game that is popular with the fans. Hits, runs, errors, good plays and poor plays, and plenty of them all the time, is what the average fan pays to see.

Warhop puts reverse English on every ball he delivers.

Sweeney can surely peg to second. Two men died, being caught by a mile. Milan was out on an attempt, but Knight fumbled.

It was a distinct relief to note that there were no attempts at Marathon races after a runner, such as the Kid pulled off the other day; also there were no wild ones heaved to the pigeons who fly around the stands. McBride's low throw was made from deep left short.

It has been noticed that the pitchers need a little coaching in fielding. On Monday Oberlin made two bad breaks and yesterday Walker lost Sweeney on not covering the bag in time. After this Warhop and Hemphill were passed in succession and Sweeney's run counted on Wolter's drive for two bases.

Everybody but McBride got a hit. George has been a bit erratic this spring, but will soon settle down in his usual stride. He hit in hard luck every trip, flying out three times.

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COMMERCIALS WIN HANDILY.

American Security Loses One-sided Game by 18 to 4.

The Commercial National Bank yesterday trimmed the American Security and Trust Company in a seven-inning game, by 18 to 4. Rawlings, for the Trust Company, pitched well for three innings, after which the Commercial team had things their own way, making seventeen runs in the last four rounds.

Seay, for the bank team, had better support all through the game than Rawlings. Score:

Com. N. B.	R	H	O	A	E	Am. S. & T.	R	H	O	A	E
Hooter, 2b.	2	2	1	4	0	Boykin, ss.	1	1	0	1	1
Stoddard, 3b.	2	2	2	2	1	Gray, rf.	3	3	0	0	0
S. Seay, p.	1	1	1	2	0	Rawlings, p.	0	1	0	7	1
Salb, c.	1	1	2	1	0	West, c.	0	1	6	1	0
Drennen, cf.	1	1	0	0	0	Johnson, 2b.	0	0	0	0	1
H. Seay, 1b.	2	1	6	0	2	Maloney, 2b.	0	0	7	0	1
Hines, ss.	3	2	6	2	1	Finley, 1b.	0	0	6	0	2
Freeman, lf.	3	2	1	0	0	Burrell, cf.	0	0	1	0	2
W. Seay, rf.	3	0	2	0	1	Holand, lf.	0	0	1	0	0
						Gray, p.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	18	12	21	11	5	Totals	4	6	21	10	8

Commercial National Bank	0	1	0	4	5	4	4	—	18
American Security and Trust	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	—	4

Earned runs—Commercial National Bank, 7; American Security and Trust, 4. Left on bases—Commercial National Bank, 6; American Security and Trust, 5. First base on balls—Off Rawlings, 8; off Seay, 4. Innings pitched—By Rawlings, 6; by Gray, 1. Hits made—Off Rawlings, 10; off Gray, 2. Struck out—By Rawlings, 4, by Seay, 2. Two-base hits—Gray (2), Hoover, Salb. Sacrifice hit—Holland. Stolen bases—Stoddard, Salb, H. Seay (2), Hines, W. Seay, Boykin, Gray (2), Holland. Hit by pitcher—By Rawlings, 1; by Gray, 1. Umpire—Mr. Kinney.

KLING PAYS HIS FINE.

Chicago, April 6.—John Kling, the Cub catcher, to-day conferred with President Murphy and Manager Chance, and after the meeting paid the $700 fine assessed by the National Commission, and announced that he would formally report to the Cubs to-morrow morning. Kling will again be a fixture behind the bat.

MINOR LEAGUE GAMES.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Baltimore—Baltimore, 2; Toronto, 4.
At Newark—Newark, 5; Montreal, 3.
At Jersey City—Jersey City, 2; Buffalo, 3.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

At Memphis—Rain.
At Atlanta—Atlanta, 4; Nashville, 1.
At Montgomery—Montgomery, 4; Birmingham, 2 (first game). Montgomery, 5; Birmingham, 0 (second game).
At Mobile—New Orleans, 7; Mobile, 5 (first game). New Orleans, 5; Mobile, 4 (second game).

WESTERN LEAGUE.

At Topeka—Des Moines, 7; Topeka, 8.
At Wichita—Lincoln, 3; Wichita, 10.
At St. Joseph—St. Joseph, 5; Sioux City, 9.
At Denver—Omaha, 1; Denver, 4.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

At Augusta—Augusta, 7; Jacksonville, 1.
At Savannah—Savannah, 10; Columbia, 1.
At Columbus—Columbus, 6; Macon, 2.

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Central	1	0	1000	Technical	0	1	.000
Western	0	0	.000				

Business High School's baseball team, last year's champions, opened the 1910 season yesterday by outclassing Eastern High, 10 to 1, at Union Park.

Burley's superb pitching and errorless support gave the Stenographers the upper hand throughout, and the Capitol Hill boys never had a look-in.

After a long delay, because the caretakers of the park refused to put the grounds in shape, Umpire Shorty Hughes called "Play!" Capt. Davis, of the Rhode Island avenue team, lost the toss, and Business was first at bat. Whitmarsh walked and McCarthy hit the first ball pitched for a two-bagger. Naughten walked, and Davis drove one through the Eastern infield, scoring Whitmarsh and McCarthy. Bealle's grounder got away from Evans, and Davis came home.

With a three-run lead, the champs added four more on timely hitting and good base running in the fourth, and in the sixth three more came in like manner.

Eastern was lucky to score, their only tally showing up in the seventh, when, after Harris had gone, Fitzhugh was hit by a pitched ball and stole second, taking third on Babcock's strike-out, Burley's wild pitch rolling to the grand stand. Defandorf sent Davis a slow roller and was thrown out at first, Fitzhugh coming home on the out.

Eddie Naughten, the Business catcher, grabbed a hard foul fly near the Eastern bench, while Capt. Davis and Whitmarsh excelled in the field. McCarthy was the heavy hitter, with three good, healthy wallops out of four times up.

For Eastern, Ligon twirled a fine game after the fifth inning, and Capt. Parker was strong behind the bat. The Capitol Hill boys were not discouraged at their defeat and are determined to make things interesting for the other schools.

"Shorty" Hughes' decisions were never questioned. As usual, he proved absolutely impartial.

The Score.

Business.	R	H	O	A	E	Eastern.	R	H	O	A	E
Whitmarsh, ss.	1	1	1	2	0	Varela, ss.	0	0	2	0	1
McCarthy, 1b.	2	3	12	0	0	Ligon, p.	0	0	0	3	1
Naughten, c.	1	0	7	2	0	Parker, c.	0	0	9	3	1
Davis, 2b.	2	2	0	2	0	Evans, 3b.	0	1	2	3	1
Bealle, cf.	1	0	0	0	0	Donn, 1b.	0	0	4	0	0
Schram, rf.	0	0	0	0	0	Harrison, 2b.	0	0	1	2	0
Dodge, 2b.	1	2	1	1	0	Fitzhugh, 2b, 1b	1	0	5	2	0
Scott, lf.	1	0	0	0	0	Babcock, cf.	0	0	3	1	0
Burley, p.	1	0	6	6	1	Defandorf, lf.	0	1	0	1	1
						McCaffrey, rf.	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	10	8	27	13	1	Totals	1	2	27	14	5

Business	3	0	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	—10
Eastern	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1

Earned run—Business. First base by errors—Eastern, 1; Business, 3. Left on bases—Business, 6; Eastern, 5. First base on balls—Off Ligon, 3; off Burley, 3. Struck out—By Ligon, 7; by Burley, 7. Three-base hit—McCarthy. Two-base hit—McCarthy. Sacrifice hits—Scott, Dodge. Stolen bases—Davis (3), Dodge (2). Burley. Fitzhugh. Wild pitch—Burley. Umpire—Mr. Hughes. Time of game—1 hour and 40 minutes.

ANOTHER VICTORY FOR LYNCH.

Wins Fall from "Bumps" Turner in Thirteen Minutes.

Frank Lynch put another feather in his cap last night at the Gayety Theater when he threw "Bumps" Turner in thirteen minutes. Turner was decidedly the hardest proposition Lynch has met this week.

In winning the fall Lynch used a half-Nelson and an arm lock. P. F. O'Connor acted as referee, Capt. Schaefer and Wid Conroy, of the Washington baseball team, time keepers. To-morrow afternoon Lynch will meet John Paul, of Richmond, and in the evening he will take on Joe O'Neill.

Fort Hunt, 4; Swift & Co., 2.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Fort Hunt, Va., April 26.—Fort Hunt defeated the Swift & Co. team here this afternoon in a seven-inning game by the score of 4 to 2. Both teams played good ball, but the handling of the stick won the game for the locals.

The home team is much faster than it was last year, and they are starting out for a record-breaking season by winning four out of the six games already played. Score:

Fort Hunt	1	1	0	2	0	0	x	—4
Swift & Co.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

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BAN JOHNSON REMOVES McALEER'S SUSPENSION

Outfielder George Browne Reports for Duty—"Doc" Reisling Undergoes Operation—Other Gossip.

Late yesterday afternoon Manager Jimmy McAleer, of the Nationals, received a telegram from President Ban Johnson, of the American League, which read: "Your suspension dating from April 20 has been raised."

This means that Manager Jim will be on the bench and the coaching lines just as soon as he is physically able, which may be to-day or Thursday. McAleer watched yesterday's game from the clubhouse window, and sent out directions by substitute players from time to time. He said last night:

"I nearly died in the ninth inning. It looked to me as if that New York crowd was going to tie the score. Maybe it wasn't a relief when Schaefer threw the last man out. I hope I never have to watch another game from the clubhouse, but it was cold and windy and I was afraid to take a chance in the grand stand."

Just before yesterday's game was finished Outfielder George Browne drifted into the ball park and greeted his team mates. He has been laid up for more than three weeks with a spiked leg. The accident occurred in the first game against Richmond, and at that time it was thought best for Browne to go to his home in New York.

Browne says he has had a tough time of it, as blood poisoning set in, and the wound refused to heal properly. Even now the outfielder is in no condition to play ball, and it will be many weeks before his name appears in the Nationals' line-up.

It will be remembered that last winter Browne married a pretty New York girl, and has decided to live in the city of skyscrapers. George is a Washington boy, and has a host of friends in the Capital.

"Doc" Reisling, one of McAleer's pitchers, who thinks old man Job, or Biblical fame, had nothing on him in the way of hard luck and suffering, hopes to be out with the boys in a day or two for a lot of much needed practice.

Reisling bumped into a dose of tonsilitis down in Norfolk, and, after he had shaken the intruder, as he supposed, the hoodoo followed him to Washington and broke out with a vengeance last week. yesterday afternoon the twirler underwent an operation, and both tonsils were lifted out of his system. He thinks he will be able to take his turn in the box next week.

District fans will get their first glimpse of the Boston Red Sox here this afternoon, when the Speed Boys, as the Boston papers have dubbed them, open up a four-game series.

Patsy Donovan is the Boston manager, and makes no bones of the fact that he expects his charges to finish one, two, three in the race for the pennant.

Although the Philadelphia Athletics have just cleaned up three straight victories over the New Englanders, the Red Sox always put up a great game in the Capital and are tough customers to beat.

Manager McAleer said last night that he would work either Gray or Johnson in the box this afternoon.

The following letter is only one of many received during the past few days and shows how keenly the fans feel about McAleer's suspension. This letter explains itself:

William Peet, Sporting Editor The Washington Herald:

If you have no serious objection, we'd like to register a kick and thereby get the soreness out of our system.

When Manager McAleer was suspended for sassing the umpire in Boston last week it looked as if it might be a good warning for the boss not to play with fire in the future, but when the suspension takes on the aspect of a perpetual affair, it kind of makes one feel like getting up and starting something.

Manager McAleer apparently had some cause for flying off his handle in that second Boston game on Patriots' Day, as the crowd was encroaching on his fielders' territory, making it possible for the opposing batsmen to get a double on a fly into the crowd, in accordance with the ground rules, which might otherwise be an easy out.

Ban Johnson could have taken this fact into deeper consideration and let Mac off with a lighter setdown, but to hand out what is beginning to take on the appearance of a three weeks' stunt is kind of rubbing it in.

Of course, we realize how much this "holler" is going to influence the Big Smoke in his future decisions in similar cases, but, just the samey, we feel better for having exploded, anyhow, although our real grouch will remain with us until Mac is back on the field with the boys once more. We need him, so here's hoping. Yours truly,

BASEBALL FAN NO. 13.

VIRGINIA WINS A GAME.

Charlottesville Collegians Trounce Davidson by 12 to 4.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Charlottesville, Va., April 26.—Virginia closed her home season to-day by easily defeating Davidson, 12 to 4. The North Carolinians tried three pitchers, and they were found for a total of twelve hits. Brown twirled for seven innings for Virginia. He yielded but three hits and fanned ten. Rixey pitched the last two innings. In the final session he was given ragged support, three