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Curtis held the victors hitless until the fourth inning when four straight hits, one a triple, mixed with two bad errors and a game, netted five runs. Brooklyn led up to this time with two runs, garnered in the first and second of timely hitting. A third came in the fourth, when Hummel beat out a slow hit, went to third on Miller's double and scored on an infield out.

The Dodger's could do nothing with Rudolph for the remainder of the game.

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NATIONALS' BATTING AVERAGES

Player	G.	AB.	R.	H.	SH.	SB.	AV.
Beckwith	14	18	2	6	0	0	.333
Gandy	22	23	2	7	4	0	.261
Williams	20	50	4	11	4	0	.220
Milun	20	36	0	7	8	41	.289
Schaefer	24	82	12	23	2	4	.280
Morgan	22	182	27	51	2	0	.276
Shanks	24	234	32	61	5	16	.261
Johnson	24	50	2	15	1	2	.304
Gedeon	12	30	0	8	0	0	.267
Laporte	24	179	10	44	2	0	.246
McBride	20	262	38	61	2	27	.232
Hooper	22	50	0	10	0	0	.200
Heavy	22	103	0	23	2	0	.223
McBride	20	216	22	42	1	10	.189
Hooper	22	50	0	10	0	0	.200
Foster	22	78	8	15	0	0	.191
Groom	17	44	4	8	0	1	.182
Hughes	17	44	4	8	0	1	.182
Engle	17	37	0	1	0	0	.027

BOXERS AWAIT GONG AT ARDMORE ARENA

Danny Lewis and Kid Sullivan Battle Fifteen Rounds to a Decision Tonight.

ADAMSON TO MEET KETCHEL

Danny Lewis and Kid Sullivan will clash tonight in a fifteen-round bout before the Maryland Athletic and Social Club, at Ardmore, Md. This is the star bout of a program of four scraps, which will start at 8:30 o'clock, with young Kid Ernie meeting Jack Knight.

The second day saw Benny Winters facing Jim Smith, while in the semi-wind up, Swatts Adamson and Dummy Ketchel will go six rounds.

This is the second show staged by the Ardmore club and the a crowd of local light fans will journey to the Maryland town is assured. Several special cars will leave Fourteenth and New York Avenue between 7 and 8 o'clock, while the regular train will leave every half hour, starting at 6:30 o'clock. Ten special cars will be ready for the fans when the final bout is over.

Electric lights have been strung from the station to the clubhouse. Everything has been put in readiness, and a fraternal boxing club is ready for the battles tonight. P. F. O'Connor will referee the scraps.

CRICKET DATES SHIFTED.

Local Club Changes Schedule with Philadelphia Eleven.

According to Capt. Jimmy Rose, of the Washington Cricket Club, there will be a change of schedule for the cricket games that will be played here on July 4, 5, and 6. As originally announced the Falls of Chubbill Cricket Club was to play in this city on Independence Day, but this game has been called off, and instead the British-Americans, of Philadelphia, will play on July 4 and 5, and the locals will pit the second eleven against the first eleven of the Washington Cricket Club. Capt. Rose dividing the best bowlers of the regular team between the two contesting forces.

All of these games will be played at the Rock Creek Park grounds, and start promptly at 12 noon. The public will be admitted free to all the games.

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VEACH'S ERROR COSTLY.

Muffs Rath's Fly in Third Inning and Sox Trim Tigers, 3 to 2.

Detroit, July 1.—The White Sox took another from the Tigers, 3 to 2, today. The Sox took the lead in the third, when two runs were scored, a Clottee walk-off and Veach's single sent him to third. Beall being caught at second. On Veach's miff of Rath's fly, Clottee scored. Rath stole second and third and scored on Lord's double. Score: Sox, 3; Tigers, 2.

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