

St. Louis Browns Add Another at Expense of the Nationals

Browns Beat Walter Johnson; "Speed King" Batted Hard

St. Louis Compiles Enough Runs in First Inning to Insure Verdict—Triple Play Kills the Nationals' Chances—Score, 4 to 1.

By SID C. KEENER.

The Washington Herald's St. Louis Correspondent, St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 9.—The donation from Griffith and his seventh-place Nationals for the benefit of the St. Louis Society for the Relief and Prevention of Tuberculosis, was today's ball game. This was a benefit event which has been featured by the natives for weeks and weeks, and St. Louis responded with a mob of 20,000. The attendance, while not official is a fair estimate. Every seat barring a few in the bleachers was taken, and although the pastime did not start until 4 o'clock, the park was half filled two hours before the bell. The pass gate was ignored, everybody paid and there were 6,000 prizes for the fans who purchased score cards, peanuts, soda, pop corn and candy.

Prize number one, was an auto, each article purchased contained a number, and the lottery process selected the winners.

Gets Piano for Two Bits.

One fan for a 25-cent score sheet was awarded a \$600 player piano. But the Nationals were not so fortunate—not a bit. They fell a victim to a vicious attack upon the mighty Walter Johnson and the Browns owned a 1 to 1 victory. Yes, St. Louis hears the pennant bee buzzing—the first one since Charley Comiskey won the American Association flag in 1888.

With the Red Sox taming the White Sox and taking first place in this sizzling flag race, the Browns are five and a half games away from the lead. On July 23 they were thirteen games out of first place.

There's only one way to explain this rush of the Browns. They are playing together like a well-oiled machine. They have built a defense around their pitching that is marvelous, and they are punching their bats when they need them. For instance, they brought in three earned runs off Walter on four hits, while Griff had but one run on seven hits. There's the difference, and there was one slip by the Nationals that cost them this game. It came when they were attacking the enemy, and threatened to pass a 3-to-1 handicap. Here's what happened. Morgan singled to left, and Rice put one through Wallace. A fumble by Pratt put Shanks on and filled the sacks with no one down.

Browns Were Shaky.

The Browns were trembling at the knees—they were getting white around the eyes. Then Garrity bounced one that was going over third, but Wallace made a stop, just like he did back in Texas for Cleveland. He stopped the ball, turned around, peered to Severel's glove and Morgan was out at the plate. Severel lost no time, a shot to Slesler retired Garrity. Rice turning third, strayed off the bag. Slesler saw it and quick to a flash tossed to Wallace, and Rice was the third out in a triple play. That finished the attack of the Nationals. They were through, not a hit in the last three innings off Davenport. They couldn't put on an open fire.

The Browns surprised everybody with this rush which started when they saw Walter's fast ball for the first time. Scott lined between Milan and Rice for a double, and reached third when Miller lost out a roller in back of Johnson. Walt out on speed for Slesler and had two strikes when Slesler hit against the left field fence for a double. Shotton and Miller scoring. Pratt tried to sacrifice, he hit two fouls and followed with a single against the left field boards. Slesler against the left field boards, Slesler against the left field boards, Slesler against the left field boards. Severel was thrown out by Almsmith. Severel popped to McBride and Boston popped to McBride.

When the Nationals looked dangerous in the third, Jones switched his defense. McBride singled, Johnson sacrificed, Milan singled and a single by Foster scored McBride then Jones benched Hamilton and sent Davenport to the hill. Slesler went back to first with Wallace to third, Morgan was tossed out by Lavan and Pratt to Slesler retired Rice.

The Browns counted their last run in the sixth. Slesler singled and went to third on a passed ball, and wide throw by Almsmith. Pratt scored the run with a single. Score:

The Score.

| ST. LOUIS | AB | R | H | O | A | E |
|---------------|----|---|---|---|----|---|
| Shotton, If. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Miller, rf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Slesler, 3b. | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Morgan, cf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Marsans, c. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Severel, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rice, lf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wallace, 1b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lavan, ss. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hamilton, p. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Davenport, p. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 4 | 7 | 3 | 15 | 2 |

WASHINGTON

| AB | R | H | O | A | E | |
|--------------|----|---|---|---|----|---|
| Milan, cf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Foster, 3b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Morgan, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Shanks, lf. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Garrity, 1b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Almsmith, c. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| McBride, ss. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Johnson, p. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 15 | 2 |

NOTES OF THE GAME

The final is tomorrow and Boehling will go against Koob.

It was the largest week-day crowd that has ever seen a game at Sportsman's Park. Easily 20,000.

Atrock and Sawyer amused the crowd with their circus tactics.

It's been a long time since the first four batters have hit Walter Johnson like the Browns first four. Shotton, Slesler and Pratt hit terrific line drives. They found the seam on speed that's all.

When the Nationals rallied in the third with their three successive singles, Jones switched to tighten his defense. Slesler went from third to first, Wallace to third and Borton to the bench.

The play that ruined Griff was in the third. With runners on second and third, two out, Rice hit one that was going to right for a single and two runs, but Pratt made a wonderful stop, grabbed the ball with his glove and turned the out by a step.

Jones had Davenport prepared to pitch a double-header here against the Indians Friday and of course now can hardly go through with this trick.

After the first, Johnson recovered his stride, but his pals could not overcome the handicap of three.

Milan had one lucky hit, but lost a legitimate one. He opened the game with a liner over first which Borton speared with his glove a foot off the dirt. In the third Clyde dropped a pop fly.

There is only one excuse for Rice for allowing the triple play and probably that is not an excuse. He may have thought there was one out when Garrity bounded to Wallace with the full house.

They don't beat Walt twice in three days very often.

The Browns have won nineteen of their last twenty-one games.

It's easy to explain why the Nationals are not winning. They have scored four runs in four games here.

Goes to White Sox.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 9.—Brick Eldred, star center fielder for the local North-west League club, has been sold to the Chicago White Sox. It was announced yesterday. He will report at the close of the season.

Rice counted his fourth assist in the series from right when he caught Lavan's liner in the fourth and doubled Severel off second.

ALEXANDER "THE GREAT"

New York, N. Y., Aug. 9.—Besides being the leading pitcher in games won and lost in both the National and American leagues thus far this year, with twenty games won and eight lost, Grover Cleveland Alexander, star of the Phillies, is quite a batter. He is doing his best to disprove the popular belief that it is a waste of time for a pitcher to go to bat. In the last six games he has played he has made ten hits and scored three runs. He has been at bat twenty-one times, giving him a batting average for the six games of .476. As a pitcher Alexander is also a great batter!

RED SOX CAPTURE AN OVERTIME GAME

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Boston stepped into first place today by defeating the White Sox 3 to 1. In the seventh inning pitchers battled between Shore and Alexander. In the third round Cady started with a double, the only long hit of the game, and a sacrifice and a single brought him in. In the White Sox fourth Weaver beat out a hit, and two singles and an infield out scored him tying the count. Four singles in the twelfth ended the combat. Score:

AB O A E

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| Boston | 6 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Chicago | 9 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

SMITH'S HOME RUN WINS FOR INDIANS

Cleveland, Aug. 9.—Elmer Smith's home run over the right field screen in the seventh inning with Leonard and Pratt base gave the Indians a 5 to 3 victory over the Yankees today. Smith's homer came just after Pipp had placed one over the screen, sending his team into the lead in the sixth. Score:

AB O A E

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| Cleveland | 11 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| New York | 11 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

JAPANESE IS BEATEN BY WILLIS E. DAVIS

Seabright, N. J., Aug. 9.—In the second round of the invitation tennis tournament of the Seabright Lawn Tennis and Cricket Club here today, Hachihire Mikami, a swarthy, sinewy, slim, stout-hearted little Japanese, was defeated by Willis E. Davis, an American national clay court champion. The score was 6-2, 6-0.

Mikami, as the score indicates, won the first set. But in the eighth game of this set the Japanese player abandoned a tendon while lunging for one of Davis' terrific forehand drives. He fell to the ground, his face distorted with pain, and stayed there for a minute. He got up, fell to the ground again, slowly and more fully.

He finished the match, did this little Japanese, after a rest of ten minutes, and lost. And after the match, with his ankle swathed in bandages, he said that he would be unable to play tomorrow to play in the doubles with Kumagai, the Japo-peril.

This Japo-peril, with Davis and George McHutch, each won two matches in the singles and as the result of the third day's work each of the players moved into the semi-final round. The other bracket will be filled by the winner of the R. Lindley Murray-William T. Tilden second match.

Griffith Buys Southpaw From the Des Moines Club

LEAGUE THROWS OUT BIG PROTEST

National League Officials Fail to Act on Braves' Kick on Umpires.

ADOPT NEW RULES

New York, Aug. 9.—At a four-hour conference at league headquarters today, the club owners of the National League adopted several new rules and upheld at every point the umpiring corps against charges of favoritism and inefficiency brought against it by the Braves. By several hundred Boston fans, charging discrimination against the Braves was not even considered.

The following new rules were adopted:—Hereafter coaching from the players' bench will be restricted. The players will be allowed to address remarks only to members of their own team. No word shall be spoken either to or about an umpire, rival player or spectator.

The official scorer hereafter must be notified not less than five minutes before a game of the line-up of the teams.

It was decided, as a token of appreciation to Robert Emmie, that on next Saturday, the twenty-fifth anniversary of his appointment as official scorer of the National League, a fitting testimonial shall be given him between the games of a double-header at Ebbets Field, Brooklyn.

The following magnates were present at the meeting, which was presided over by President John E. Tener: Harry H. Haughton, Boston; Charles H. Ebbets, Brooklyn; Charles Weeghman, Chicago; Harry N. Hempstead, New York; Schuyler B. Britton, St. Louis; William F. Baker, Philadelphia. The only absentee was Barney Dreyfuss, of Pittsburgh, and Garry Herriman, of Cincinnati.

W. C. Temple, former president of the league and donor of the Temple Cup, was a visitor at the meeting.

Charles Thomas Will Report Here Next Week—Ryan Looks Youngster Over.

OTHER SPORTING GOSSIP

By WILLIAM PEET.

Charles Thomas, southpaw pitcher from the Des Moines club of the Western Association, was yesterday purchased by Manager Griffith, and will be here when the Nationals return from the present Western invasion.

According to reports, Thomas has the endorsement of Jack Ryan, at present on scout duty, but you can bet there is a whole lot behind the whole business.

The Des Moines club is handled by Frank Isbell, former White Sox player, and a person familiar with Griffith.

It was Isbell who recommended Ueber Faber to Griff back in 1913, and the Old Fox had Mike Kahoe look Faber over, with the result that Faber was not purchased, because Kahoe felt he would not do.

Last year Isbell recommended Carl Sawyer, and Griff took him simply because Isbell said the youngster had the makings of a good ball player.

The signing of Thomas was probably done for the same reason. Griff told the writer last spring, "After this I will never turn down another ball player my old friend Isbell recommends. I am sorry that I did not grab Faber when I had the chance."

The American League race may yet result in a monkey and parrot finish. That is, while the big fellows are scrapping for the prize the "dark horse" may sneak in and grab it.

Here's a hot one from the pen of Bozeman Bulger, the baseball writer of the New York Evening World.

Harry Davis, resident of Mississippi, insists that screens in front of a grandstand are the worst thing in baseball. "We've stopped them in Mississippi," he says. "Listen. They put up screens in the little town that I came from, so as to be like a big league, and it caused a lot of trouble. Two old war veterans who had never missed a game, watched an exciting finish behind this screen. In their enthusiasm they climbed up the wire netting, trying to get it down. In the scramble that followed the wire whippers were caught in the meshes of the wire and the game had to be postponed while the firemen cut them down.

Those screens were taken out the next day and the excitement passed by the city council, and you can bet they'll never get back again."

From New York yesterday we grab the following bit of dope: Old Hughie Fullerton tells the story of an adored, adored fan who spent five years in figuring out 15,578,943 possible plays in baseball.

The next day he went to the game and he figured how new ones he had never thought about.

In the same way you can prove a number of things by figures, but you don't always collect when the end is over.

Figures have their little nook in one corner of the game, and by reaching in for a handful one can take stock of just what show New York has of catching Brooklyn in these seven weeks that lay off. He had 94 games. Therefore, each club has 69 games left. Here is the situation:

Brooklyn.....Won 59 Lost 35
New York.....Won 49 Lost 45

Members of the staff of the Herald are pleased to announce that the Cardinals will start at 4:15 p. m. with fifteen minutes grace, if necessary. The club first mentioned is the home club. Spalding's ball will be used and will be furnished by the umpire.

The following is the affidavit of Norman Sills in reference to the Steel Plant-Machinist game:

Board of Governors, Amateur Baseball Association.

Genlman: Having attended the meeting of the amateur baseball commission held August 7, 1916, I heard the arguments presented by Messrs. La Clair and Crooks, managers of the Machinist and Steel Plant teams, respectively, and others authorized to speak against and for the reopening of the commission in both sections will start at 4:15 p. m. with fifteen minutes grace, if necessary. The club first mentioned is the home club. Spalding's ball will be used and will be furnished by the umpire.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the said commission at New York, New York, this 9th day of August, 1916.

Witness: M. A. Pusey. NORMAN SILLS.

RALPH T. BARTLETT, Notary Public.

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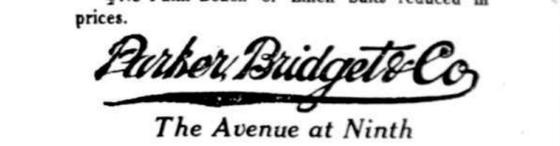
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Intersectional Series Will Open Here on Saturday

The intersectional series for the District championship will get under way Saturday when the Treasury team battles the Southern Auditors on the Terminal Railroad Y. M. C. A. grounds in the first game. This decision was reached last night at a meeting of the board of governors of the local amateur association.

The case of the Machinist-Steel Plant game will be reopened as Norman E. Sill, of the Steel Plant team, presented a sworn statement in reference to the case and the association will hold a meeting Friday night when this case will be heard.

Verstein, of the Bureau and Steel Plant team, attempted to be reinstated on the Bureau club and his appeal will be heard on Friday night. The schedule adopted for the series is as follows:

SECTION A.

Aug. 14—Catholic vs. Rosedale, Catholic grounds.
Aug. 15—Potomac vs. Rosedale, Potomac grounds.
Aug. 16—Catholic vs. Catholic, Catholic grounds.
Aug. 17—Rosedale vs. Rosedale, Rosedale grounds.
Aug. 18—Rosedale vs. Catholic, Rosedale grounds.

SECTION B.

All games played at Terminal Railroad Y. M. C. A. grounds.

Aug. 12—Government vs. Y. M. C. A.
Aug. 13—Government vs. Sunday School.
Aug. 14—Y. M. C. A. vs. Sunday School.
Aug. 15—Sunday School vs. Government.
Aug. 16—Sunday School vs. Y. M. C. A.

All games in both sections will start at 4:15 p. m. with fifteen minutes grace, if necessary. The club first mentioned is the home club. Spalding's ball will be used and will be furnished by the umpire.

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GIANTS AND CARDS SPLIT DOUBLE BILL

New York, Aug. 9.—The Giants and Cardinals broke even today, the former winning the second game, 8 to 4, after dropping the first, 3 to 2. In this game the Cardinals scored all three runs in the first inning on one hit, and a bunt by Bescher. A base on ball, Herzog's error and two infield outs gave them the tallies. Benton held the Cardinals to three hits, but Doak, although hit twice as hard, was effective in the pinches. In the second game, Steeler was hit hard and his own poor fielding put him in hot water. Pettit weakened toward the end, the Cardinals scoring all their runs in the last three innings. Score by innings:

First game: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
New York.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
St. Louis.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Batteries—Doak and Gonzales; Benton, Smith and Quisenberry. Umpires—Messrs. Bron and Quisenberry.

Second game: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
St. Louis.....0 1 2 0 1 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
New York.....0 1 2 0 1 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Batteries—Doak and Gonzales; Benton, Smith and Quisenberry. Umpires—Messrs. Bron and Quisenberry.

M'LAUGHLIN TO PLAY AT LAKE FOREST NETS

Lake Forest, Ill., Aug. 9.—Two out-of-town players remained in the men's singles after yesterday's play here in the twenty-ninth Western lawn tennis championship tournament. The number will be increased to four if Maurice K. McLaughlin and Kenneth Hawkes, of Los Angeles, appear today, as expected. Ward Dawson, of San Francisco, and Clifford Lockhart, of Kansas City, went through their third-round matches yesterday in good form. Dawson won the feature match of the day from A. T. Green, Jr., of Chicago, runner-up to Heath Byford, in the Illinois championship, 3-6, 6-3, 7-5. Lockhart won from M. A. James, of Chicago, 6-4, 6-4.

Two for Purcellville Club.

Special to The Washington Herald.—The local Purcellville, Va., Aug. 9.—The local team defeated Clarendon in both a 3 and 1 to 0 scores.

The first game was featured by the hitting of Stewart and Hamilton's fielding, which the second was a pretty pitching duel between Johnson, Stewart, Clarendon's star third baseman, and Ike Sillcutt, the lone run of the game being the result of Capt. McDaniels' four-base smash into Nicholas' corn patch. Score:

First game: R. H. E.
Clarendon.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Purcellville.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Second game: R. H. E.
Clarendon.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Purcellville.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Batteries—Sillcutt and Howe; Stewart and Davidson. Umpires—Dr. Snyder and Davidson.

COMPLETE STATISTICS OF THE MAJOR LEAGUES

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

| AMERICAN | NATIONAL |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| St. Louis, 4; Washington, 1. | Phillies, 1; Cincinnati, 0. |
| Athletics, 7; Detroit, 1. | Cincinnati, 8; Phillies, 7. |
| Cleveland, 5; New York, 3. | St. Louis, 3; New York, 0. |
| Boston, 3; Chicago, 2. | New York, 8; St. Louis, 4. |
| | Brooklyn, 6; Chicago, 6. |
| | Pittsburgh—Boston, rain. |

GAMES TODAY.

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| Washington at St. Louis. | Cincinnati at Philadelphia. |
| Athletics at Detroit. | St. Louis at New York. |
| New York at Cleveland. | Chicago at Brooklyn. |
| Boston at Chicago. | Pittsburgh at Boston. |

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

| Team | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|------------|-----|------|------|
| Boston | 60 | 44 | .577 |
| Chicago | 61 | 46 | .570 |
| Cleveland | 59 | 45 | .567 |
| New York | 55 | 49 | .528 |
| Detroit | 57 | 51 | .528 |
| St. Louis | 56 | 51 | .523 |
| Washington | 51 | 53 | .490 |
| Athletics | 20 | 80 | .200 |
| Brooklyn | 60 | 25 | .706 |
| Boston | 55 | 28 | .663 |
| Phillies | 56 | 41 | .574 |
| New York | 50 | 46 | .521 |
| Chicago | 46 | 55 | .455 |
| St. Louis | 46 | 59 | .438 |
| Pittsburgh | 40 | 67 | .374 |
| Cincinnati | 40 | 67 | .374 |



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MACKMEN AT LAST WIN A BALL GAME

Detroit, Aug. 9.—Bush held the Tigers to four hits today and the Athletics won 7 to 1.

Philadelphia made one run in the first and in the third scored four more on a triple by Whit, Leonard a bunt and a hit by McBride. They annexed another in the seventh on a pass, a sacrifice and a wild pitch and got their last run in the eighth when Melnis singled and Haley doubled over third. Score:

AB O A E

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| Detroit | 10 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Philadelphia | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

DODGERS LAND BY HAMMERING HURLERS

Brooklyn, Aug. 9.—The Dodgers ground Vaughn and Prendergast today, shutting out Chicago, 6 to 0. Larry Cheney allowed the Cubs only 2 hits and only one man, Slesler, in the fourth, got as far as third base. Four hits gave the Dodgers two runs in the first inning, Vaughn driven from the box. They bounced more hits off Prendergast in the third and fourth and a volley in the seventh sent him into retirement also. Score by innings:

AB O A E

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| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Brooklyn | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 6 |

ALEXANDRIA WHITE SOX TO PLAY VIRGINIA GRAYS

Manager G. C. Payne, of the Alexandria White Sox, announces that his team will play a practice game tonight on the North Alfred street grounds, against the Virginia Grays. The following players are asked to report at 5 o'clock: Wenzel, center field; Murphy, left field; Conlon, right field; Robertson, catcher; Payne, third base; Hicks, shortstop; Roberts, second base; Peverell, first base; Quyle, or Hantsman, pitcher.

It is important that these men show up tonight for Manager Payne figures on this line-up for his championship game next Sunday.

Novelle Roberts, of 509 Queen street, Alexandria, won the prize 3 barrel of flour, put up by the White Sox Club last week.

YACHT ELENA WINS THE BIG BOAT RACE

Newport, R. I., Aug. 9.—With her lee rail buried in a smother of foam, as she heeled to a stiff-reaching breeze, Morton F. Plant's schooner yacht Elena, traveling at a speed of 12 knots, crossed the finish line off Brenton Reef. Lightship this afternoon an easy winner of the King's cup. She won the Astor cup yesterday, so she has honors to spare.

The Elena sailed against three schooners and five sloops. She took the lead soon after the start and was never headed during the race. She won from the second place Commodore Van der Bilt's Aurora, by 14 minutes, 20 seconds.

By special arrangement the "Forties" which sailed for a special cup offered by Commodore George E. Baker, Jr., sailed over a course of twenty-seven miles instead of thirty-eight. The winner of the Commodore's cup was "The Squaw" owned by J. S. Lawrence. Her actual time was 4 hours, 17 minutes and 19 seconds.

REDS AND PHILLIES DIVIDE DOUBLE BILL

Philadelphia, Aug. 9.—Cincinnati broke even with the Phillies today, winning the second game, 8 to 7, after Alexander had defeated Schulz in a pitching duel, 1 to 0. Singler, by Niehoff and Kilbride, and a sacrifice gave the Phillies a victory in the first game. All Cincinnati's runs in the second were made while Bender was pitching. Cincinnati made fifteen hits. A single by a thrown ball by Luderus let in two runs.

Philadelphia rallied in the ninth, Niehoff singling and stealing second. Cravath could not bring him in. Score by innings:

AB O A E

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|--------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

TO PLAY ALL-STARS

The Holy Name baseball team will play Charley Marx all-star team Friday at 5:30 o'clock at Fifth and Florida avenue northeast.

This will be the first game of a three-game series between the Holy Name and the team of the Holy Name.

All players of the all-star team will please report to Wright, who will have charge of the team, on Friday.