McGRAW'S TEAM WINS THE FIRST.

Opening of American League Season at Baltimore a Gala Event.

DONLIN GETS TWO TRIPLES.

Muggsy and Keister Also Slug the Ball—Criger Catches for Boston—Other Games.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

National League. Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.	American League. Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	2	1	.667	Chicago	2	0	1.000
Boston	2	1	.667	Detroit	2	0	1.000
Cincinnati	2	1	.667	Baltimore	1	0	1.000
St. Louis	3	2	.600	Washington	1	0	1.000
Brooklyn	2	2	.500	Boston	0	1	.000
New York	1	1	.500	Philadelphia	0	1	.000
Philadelphia	2	3	.400	Milwaukee	0	2	.000
Chicago	1	4	.200	Cleveland	0	2	.000

Friday's Games.

National League.	American League.
Boston 4, Phil. 3.	Baltimore 10, Boston 6.
N. Y. 5, Brooklyn 3.	Wash. 5, Phil. 1.
Cincin. 8, Chicago 7.	Detroit 6, Mil. 5.
Pittsburg-St. Louis game postponed on account of wet grounds.	Chicago-Cleveland game postponed.

Saturday's Schedule.

National League.	American League.
St. Louis at Pittsburg.	Wash. at Philadelphia.
Boston at Brooklyn.	Boston at Baltimore.
N. Y. at Philadelphia.	Milwaukee at Detroit.
Cincinnati at Chicago.	Cleveland at Chicago.

Baltimore 10, Boston 3.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Baltimore, April 26.—Baltimore defeated Boston Friday afternoon in the opening game of the American League season in this city. Not a moment was lost, and not a player questioned the decision of the umpire. Attendance, 10,371. The score:

Baltimore.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Boston.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McGraw, 3b.	4	2	1	2	0		Dowd, lf.	5	1	2	0	0	
Demlin, lf.	4	2	2	0	0		Hemphill, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	
Williams, 2b.	5	0	1	2	1		Stahl, cf.	5	1	2	0	0	
Keister, s.	4	3	0	4	1		Collins, 2b.	4	1	2	0	1	
Seymour, lf.	2	1	2	0	0		Freeman, 1b.	3	1	0	0	0	
Jackson, cf.	4	2	1	0	0		Parent, s.	3	0	0	3	0	
Fouts, 1b.	3	0	1	9	0		Ferris, 2b.	4	0	2	3	0	
Robinson, c.	4	0	3	1	1		Criger, c.	4	2	3	2	0	
McGin'ty, p.	4	1	0	2	0		Kellum, p.	3	1	0	7	0	
							McLean, c.	1	1	0	0	0	
Totals	33	11	27	12	3		Totals	36	8	24	15	1	

Baltimore	3	0	1	0	0	2	0	4	...	10
Boston	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	3	6

Earned runs—Baltimore 6, Boston 4. Two-base hits—McGraw 2, Keister 2, Jackson 2, Collins 1, Criger 1, McLean 1. Three-base hits—Donlin 2. Sacrifice hits—McGraw 2. Stolen bases—Seymour 1, Dowd 1. Bases on balls—By McGinnity 2, by Kellum 4. Struck out—By McGinnity 2, by Kellum 2. Left on bases—Baltimore 4, Boston 6. First base on errors—Baltimore 1, Boston 2. Time—One hour and forty-five minutes. Umpire—Cantillion.

PITCHER WENT TO PIECES.

Chicago's Twirler Lost the Game to Cincinnati.

Chicago, April 26.—Cincinnati won the opening National League game here Friday in the twelfth inning. Captain Corcoran scoring the winning run on his third hit, third steal and two put outs. Hughes went to pieces in the third and lost his game by giving four bases and being hit for three singles, after having struck out the two first men up. Attendance, 3,200. Score:

Chicago.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Cincinnati.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Childs, 2b.	5	1	1	6	0		Dobbs, cf.	6	2	2	0	0	
Hartzell, lf.	3	0	0	0	0		Harley, lf.	6	0	0	0	1	
Dolan, rf.	6	2	5	0	0		Beckley, 1b.	6	1	4	0	1	
Dexter, cf.	6	1	3	0	0		Crawford, rf.	5	2	3	1	0	
Dexter, 1b.	5	2	13	1	0		Magoon, 2b.	4	0	2	1	0	
Dolan'ty, 3b.	6	0	3	2	1		Irwin, 3b.	4	2	5	1	1	
McCor'ck, s.	4	0	2	3	0		Corcoran, s.	6	3	4	0	0	
Kling, c.	5	2	7	1	0		Peitz, c.	6	2	2	4	0	
Hughes, p.	3	0	0	0	0		Newton, p.	5	0	0	2	1	
Menefee, p.	4	0	1	1	0								
Totals	44	8	36	15	1		Totals	48	12	26	9	4	

Chicago	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	—7
Cincinnati	0	0	4	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	—8

Left on bases—Chicago 8, Cincinnati 10. Two-base hits—Beckley 1, Irwin 1, Dolan 1. Three-base hits—Crawford 1. Stolen bases—Crawford 1, Peitz 2, Corcoran 2, McCormick 1, Kling 1. Double plays—Crawford and Irwin 1. Struck out—By Hughes 4, by Menefee 2, by Newton 6. Bases on balls—Off Hughes 1, off Newton 3, off Menefee 2. Wild pitches—Menefee 1. Hit with ball—Doyle 1. Time—Two hours and thirty-five minutes. Umpire—Emslie.

DULL GAME, SMALL CROWD.

Boston Defeated Philadelphia by a Score of 4 to 3.

Philadelphia, April 26.—In a game devoid of interesting features, Boston defeated the Philadelphia National League club Friday by a score of 4 to 3. Both pitchers were effective. Attendance, 779. Score:

Philadelphia.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Boston.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Thomas, c.f.	5	0	2	0	0		H'mltn, c.f.	5	1	0	0	0	
Slagle, l. f.	4	1	1	0	0		Tenny, 1b.	4	1	15	0	0	
D'lanty, 1b.	4	0	12	0	0		Demont, 2b.	4	1	0	5	2	
Flick, r. f.	2	1	1	0	0		Long, s.	4	2	2	4	0	
E'Farland, c.	4	0	4	4	1		Lowe, 3b.	4	0	1	1	2	
W'rt'k, 3b.	4	1	3	0	1		Crollus, r.f.	4	1	3	0	0	
Dolan, 2b.	4	0	0	4	0		Barry, 1. f.	4	1	3	0	0	
Cross, s.	3	1	4	3	1		Kittredge, c.	3	1	3	1	0	
Donohue, p.	3	0	0	5	1		Pitting'r, p.	4	0	0	2	0	
*Douglass	1	0	0	0	0								
Totals	31	5	27	18	4		Totals	36	8	24	15	1	

*Batted for Donohue in ninth.

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

Stolen bases—Tenny 2, Long 1, Crollus 1, Barry 1. Double plays—Cross, Dolan, Delehanty 1; Donohue, Cross, Delehanty 1. First on balls—Demont 1, Kittredge 1, Slagle 1, Flick 2, McFarland 1, Cross 1. Hit by pitcher—Tenny 1. Struck out—Long 1, Lowe 1, Cross 1, Pittinger 1. Delehanty 1, Thomas 1. Wild pitch—Donohue 1. Time—One hour and forty-five minutes. Umpire—O'Day.

OPENING IN NEW YORK.

Giants Won First Game for the First Time in Years.

New York, April 26.—Nearly 10,000 persons saw the opening of the baseball season here Friday afternoon. Score:

Brooklyn.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	New York.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
L. Davis, lf.	3	1	1	0	0		VanHalt, cf.	2	1	2	0	0	
Keeler, rf.	4	0	0	0	0		Selbach, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	
Jennings, cf.	3	2	1	3	0		G. Davis, 1b.	4	1	0	1	0	
Kelley, 1b.	3	1	12	0	1		Hickman, rf.	4	1	0	0	1	
McCreery, cf.	4	0	3	0	0		Strang, 3b.	3	0	4	2	1	
Daly, 3b.	4	0	0	2	0		Ganzel, 1b.	4	0	9	0	0	
Dahlen, s.	4	1	1	1	0		Murphy, 2b.	4	1	1	1	0	
McGuire, c.	3	1	6	1	0		Bowerman, c.	3	0	8	2	1	
Donovan, p.	3	0	0	1	0		Matth'son, p.	3	1	0	2	0	
Totals	31	4	24	15	2		Totals	31	5	27	8	3	

New York	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	...	—5
Brooklyn	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	—4

Earned runs—Brooklyn 1. First base on errors—New York 2, Brooklyn 2. Left on bases—New York 5, Brooklyn 5. Base on balls—Off Matthewson 2, off Donovan 3. Struck out—By Matthewson 8, by Donovan 6. Two-base hits—Van Haltren 1, Dahlen 1. Sacrifice hits—Kelley 1. Stolen bases—Van Haltren 1, G. Davis 1, L. Davis 1. Double plays—Bowerman and Ganzel 1. Passed balls—Bowerman 1, McGuire 1. Umpire—Colgan. Time—One hour and forty-seven minutes.

St. Louis Will Play Saturday.

Pittsburg, April 26.—The Pittsburg baseball season will open Saturday. This decision was reached by the officials of the Pittsburg club late Friday. The condition of Exposition Park has improved to such an extent that it was deemed advisable to abandon the original plan of deferring the opening game until Monday. Pittsburg and St. Louis will be the opposing teams.

NEWS OF THE BASEBALL PLAYERS.

Thinks St. Louis Will Finish as Good as Second in Championship Race.

Hugh Fullerton, the baseball editor of the Chicago Tribune, a good judge and an able logician, picks the St. Louis team to finish second in the National League. A good third will do if the ball played in getting there is good.

Ed Hanlon claims that Lave Cross treated him shabbily in signing with the Philadelphia American Club. "When Cross was playing sub to McGraw in St. Louis he begged me to take him," says Hanlon, "and promised he would play for me as long as he was wanted. I wanted him this season, but he forgot his promise."

Wyroski, the St. Louis amateur who joined the St. Paul club this spring, struck out eight of the champion amateurs of Minnesota in an exhibition game the other day.

It is said that John McGraw got himself "in bad" with his constituents in Baltimore because he patronized a St. Louis establishment for the uniforms of his team. When the Baltimoreans began to kick about Johnnie's patronizing outside houses while he gets his living in Baltimore, he tried to stall them off with the shrewd plea that he did not want to patronize any house the National League patronizes. Yet the several clubs in the National League patronize the same house, it is said, among them the St. Louis team. McGraw is a wise fellow, but he was not politic in that deal.

Roy Evans, who was with St. Louis in 1897, is now pitching for San Francisco in the California League. He had a very good slow ball.

"I would sooner see one of my players drunk than see him sitting up late at night playing poker or even talking or reading," says Clarke Griffith. "Drink is bad, but late hours are worse." Likely enough some of Griffith's American League players may take his hunch on this and get a barrel of benzine on board whenever they feel afflicted with insomnia.

Donlin is playing left field for McGraw in Baltimore. They say Mickey is nailing the ball well, but what he does not know about playing left would make Kruger a great base runner.

That eminent picker of "dead ones," Henry Merrill of Wilkesbarre, says that Sutor Sullivan, the slowest man that ever wore a shoe, made better plays at shortstop than Ed Williamson, Hugh Jennings or Herman Long ever did, and that Sullivan should be back in the National League. Just think of that.

In pleading the case of the Philadelphia club against La Joie, Colonel Rogers, owner of that organization and a lawyer, made an argument which endured two hours. His point was that the reserve clause of the National League contract, signed by Lajoie in 1900, should entitle the Philadelphia National League Club to that player's services in 1901. Lajoie did not think so, and signed with the Philadelphia American Club.

It is said that Win Mercer gets $3,600 for the season from the Washington club. It is hard to see Winnie the Raven as a $3,600 man. But the highest-priced man of all is Dick Harley, who never could go back on a fly ball. He gets $3,900 for the season, including a bonus of $1,500 for signing a contract.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

Umpire Haskell Took Prompt Action With a Recalcitrant.

Philadelphia, April 26.—The Washington league team defeated Connie Mack's Athletics in the opening game of the season Friday. The first ball was thrown from the pavilion to Umpire Haskell by Mayor Ashbridge. Many of the local players received floral tributes from their friends, and the appearance of Lave Cross at the bat elicited rounds of applause. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Washington	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	4	8	1
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	7	7

Batteries: Carrig and Clark; Frazer and Powers.

Detroit 6, Milwaukee 5.

Detroit, April 26.—With two men on bases and two out in the ninth inning Friday, Elberfeld drove the ball to the clubhouse, winning the second game of the season of the local American League team. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Detroit	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	2—6	12	3
Milwaukee	0	2	0	2	0	0	1	0	0—5	7	4

Batteries: Owen, Siever and Buelow; Garvin and Leahy.

Des Moines 6, Minneapolis 4.

Des Moines, April 16.—Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Des Moines	0	0	0	3	2	0	1	0	...6	11	2
Minneapolis	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0—4	9	2

Batteries: Pollchow and Conwell. Parvin and McConnell.

President Hickey Stricken.

St. Joseph, Mo., April 26.—Thomas J. Hickey, president of the Western League, was stricken Thursday with a serious illness and was removed to a hospital, where an operation was performed upon him Friday. He will be confined to the hospital several days.

Western Association.

At Toledo—Fort Wayne, 5; Toledo, 4.
At Louisville—Indianapolis, 13; Louisville, 0.
At Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids, 8; Marion, 4.
At Dayton—Dayton, 12; Columbus, 3.

High School Athletic Team.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carlyle, Ill., April 26.—The Carlyle High School will be represented in the athletic events at the annual meeting of the South Central Illinois High School Association at Centralia May 10 by a team composed of Louis Heltmeier, August and Oscar Beckemeyer, Revie Brown and Harry Houlet.

Wesleyan 13, Lincoln 6.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Bloomington, Ill., April 26.—Baseball: Illinois Wesleyan University, 13; Lincoln University of Lincoln, Ill., 6.

Carleton, 13; M. C. I., 9.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Fredericktown, Mo., April 26.—Carleton College, Farmington, Mo., defeated M. C. I. of Fredericktown, Mo., by a score of 13 to 9.

Baseball Scores.

Lincoln, Neb., April 26.—University of Nebraska 17, University of Kansas 14.
Champaign, Ill., April 26.—Baseball: Illinois, 7; Minnesota, 0.
Cedar Rapids, April 26.—Cedar Rapids 16, Knox College 1.

Amateur Baseball Club Notes.

—The C. F. B.s would like to arrange a game for Sunday, the Monroes, Lynch Ryes or Orphan Boys preferred. Address E. J. Schmitt, No. 749 South Third street.

—George Herbert would like to join some good team in the 13-year-old class as shortstop or second baseman.

—The Spauldings will play at Lebanon, Ill., Sunday with the strong players of that city as opponents.

—The M. C. P. & C. club has organized and would like to hear from all strong clubs in and out of the city.

—The Dodson-Braun club, formerly the Marionettes, has organized for the season with the same players as last year, namely: Minch, Carroll, Kerwin, Gorman, Gahman, Byrnes, Deaton, A. Hoffman, Maull and Braun. Their previous record should not be forgotten. They would like to hear from Trenton, Lebanon, Breese, Flora, Moberly, De Soto and other teams in and out of town. Address H. B. Deaton, No. 2710 Lafflingwell avenue.

—The Wabash B. B. C., local freight office, has organized for the season with the following players: Jim Timmons, c.; C. L. Vandewater, p.; Mike O'Donnell, 1b.; Mat Cooper, 2b.; Mike Doyle, 3b.; Mike Maxwell, s.; Charles Nash, l. f.; Gable Billings, c. f.; Bob Milton, r. f. They would like to hear from all first-class clubs. All challenges should be addressed to Bob Milton, No. 1 Franklin avenue.

The Clemens avenue team will play the Republics at Forest Park Sunday morning. The Clemens avenue boys have the strongest line-up and expect to come out victorious. The line-up is as follows: Clemens avenue team—J. Scott, 2b.; B. Gray, r. f.; R. Parker, 3b.; V. Mulholland, s.; J. Burbach, p.; E. Niggeman, c. f.; D. Ehlers, 1b.; C. Arnheiter, l. f.; H. Ehlers, c. Republics—R. Burke, p.; R. Junod, s.; G. Marcy, l. f.; G. Bickelhaupt, 1b.; G. Burbach, c. f.; F. Hassemer, r. f.; T. Grady, c.; H. Flood, 2b.; D. Bickelhaupt, 3b.

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Reiff Piloted the Winner.

London, April 26.—H. J. King's Esmeralda II, ridden by Lester Reiff, won the Princess of Wales Handicap of 500 sovereigns at Sandowne Park Friday. Richard Croker's Harrow, with Johnnie Reiff up, finished second, and Nahlband came in third. Nine horses started.

Shafter Took Sweepstakes.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Sycamore, Ill., April 26.—At the live-bird shoot held Friday, Captain James Shafter took the sweepstakes and first money. He grassed every bird. Traps were set at twenty-five yards rise and birds were sprung at unknown angles.

White Won From McWeeny.

White won the pool tournament match at the Grand Friday night from McWeeny by a score of 125 to 113. The game Saturday night will be between Leon and Clayton. The score:

White—Total, 125; high run, 13.
McWeeny—Total, 113; high run, 13.

Mrs. Hillyard Won Tennis Match.

London, April 26.—In the lawn-tennis covered-court ladies' championship games Friday Mrs. Hillyard beat the holder of the championship, Miss Lowther, by 2 to 6.

PUBLIC DEMANDS SPECTACULAR RACING.

St. Louis Turf Patrons Desire Steeplechasing—Track Owners Favorably Disposed.

EXCUSES FOR POOR WORK.

A Turfman Cites a Case Wherein It Is Shown How an Unsuccessful Trainer Worked a Lot of Harm by Explaining.

There seems to be quite a disposition among the patrons of the turf about St. Louis to demand something spectacular, as well as speculative, for their money this season. There also seems to be a disposition on the part of the race-track owners to meet the public demand, which is a very remarkable and surprising disposition, indeed.

This public longing for the spectacular in horse racing is evinced in a demand for steeplechasing. Among American turfmen—that is, professional, betting-ring turfmen—and there are few of any other kind—steeplechasing has always been regarded with disfavor. Race-track owners and bookmakers do not like it because steeplechases are poor betting races. You know, most track owners and the bookmakers measure racing by the wads in the cashier's boxes. No race is a good race with them unless the betting on it is heavy and in the favor of the layer of odds. The public does like steeplechasing as a spectacle, but not as a betting proposition, for steeplechases are perhaps undeservedly famous for their crookedness and jobbery. Yet every time one of them is run every man, woman and child on the track is high in the stand watching the race instead of standing on the ground with back to the track listening to the official caller as they do while flat races are being run.

Bookmakers hate the steeplechase, because people will go to look at it—not to bet on it. They cry "no jumpers. They are all crooked and rob the public." Why should the jumping race be a betting race? Why not turn slates on it and refuse to book to it? Let it be run for pure sport's sake and the purse. Then there will not be any cheating. Of course, the bookmakers will not pay for a race (they pay the purses in all races) if they cannot book to it. They overlook the fact that the jumping race may act as the gaudy fly which conceals the fatal hook that gets the gudgeon. The spectacle may bring people who might not come without it. They might bet on other races. Thus the bookmaker gets even. The track managers hate to pay for a purse for a race. Yet steeplechasing might make it worth their while at the gate.

The idiotic Turf Congress rule which obliges race tracks to give certain purses in every race, thus making the win of a selling dog as valuable as that of a stake horse, operates against steeplechasing. It obliges track owners to put up too much money for jumpers, though a good jumper is worth as much as any other kind of a good horse. As a rule, however, jumpers are ex-flat racers found lacking in speed or staying power and it does not seem reasonable at first that a flat racer who was not worth two saddle towels should get as much money for winning over the jumps as a cup horse does for winning a terrific race on the flat. In England the cup horse gets the money, and the jumpers must take less, save in the isolated cases of stakes like the Grand National and the Lincolnshire Hurdle. But the race pleases the people, and the people deserve something more for their money than a chance to patronize the books, the bar and the touts.

It is said that the management of the Fair Grounds and Delmar Park are not opposed to steeplechasing, in fact, that they rather favor it. While the desire to maintain the golf links at the Fair Grounds as a social feature may prohibit steeplechasing there—the horses would ruin the links—Delmar Park with its hills and dales, its creeks, hedges, up-banks, dikes and double ditches, should provide a steeplechase course out of sight.

Steeplechases are popular and profitable at Chicago, Detroit, New York and even at New Orleans. So they might make a hit in St. Louis.

Schreiber has sold Corrigan to Dan Burns for $10,000. It is a good price for a good horse. There never has been a 2-year-old nearer worth the money than the son of the new Hanover, the prepotent Sain. It sounds funny, this hearing of Schreiber selling a horse, for he always has been buying them and never selling. The Dutchman seems to have his luck coming back to him. Everyone is pleased to see it happen so. Schreiber has faults. He has options, good and bad, sound and unsound, fair and unfair. Broken as his dialect is when he rages, he never failed to make himself understood when he expressed them. Schreiber was spoiled in his turf infancy by having it perpetually drummed into his ear that he was the only honest turfman alive. He heard it so often that he got to believing it. Then he became unpleasant when he began expressing his opinion of other turfmen. By and by when Fred Cook (and others) went on the turf he was not alone in his probity and integrity. He has experienced a lot of hard fortune in recent years. But it seems that he has at last stemmed the tide and that the fickle jade is again smiling on her favorite. Schreiber is popular about St. Louis. He lives near this city. With all his faults he possesses one great virtue. It is gratitude. He never forgot a good turn. This one saving grace goes a long way to counter balance the faults he may have.

"If there is one man on the turf more contemptible than another, it is the trainer who sells a horse as a dead one and then cries 'dope' when the new trainer brings the horse into winning form," says a turf man. "I have in my mind's eye one trainer who had a very fine stable of picked horses bought regardless of cost by a millionaire turfman. The horses were bought when they were good ones. The succeeding year they ran poorly. When the owner demanded why, he was met with excuses about the weight the handicapper was giving them, the way they got off at the post, the ride they received and the stuff the feedman supplied. The result of this was that a good judge, a good starter and good jockeys and honest providers of stable supplies got into the bad graces of this turfman, who was a power in the sport. The following year the stable was discontinued and the horses sold. They were bought by different people. All of them were not only winners, but turned out horses of exceptional merit as well. Now, when a horse is good before you buy him, bad while you have him, and good again when you sell him, you naturally want to know what is wrong. So it was in this case. People began to inquire why previously good horses did not run well in certain hands and then after leaving them ran well again. What excuse could the trainer give, but that they were doped? To cover up his own inability to make horses run under him as they did under capable men, an incompetent man accuses competent ones of resorting to illegitimate and ruffianly practices to achieve success that he could not gain. What is the limit in the way of libel and traduction?"

BOOKIES AGAIN HARD HIT.

Three Favorites and Three Second Choices Landed at Nashville.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Nashville, Tenn., April 26.—Three favorites and three well-played second choices got the money at Cumberland Park Friday. The sport was of the very best, and a good field faced the flag for each event. The attendance was large, and the weather clear and warm.

In the second race, at half a mile, for 2-year-olds, W. H. Jackson's Balance All, who won the Belle Meade Stake Wednesday, went to the post at 1 to 3, and finished last. She ran her race at the post. Marie Belle, well played, won by a half length from Swan Dance.

Kindred won the third event in easy style. He was off running and won by eight lengths, after being pulled in the stretch.

Akers carried off the jockey honors, winning three straight mounts. The betting was heavy, and the books again finished in hard luck. It is reported that all of the penciliers are far behind the game.

The Country Club Stakes, a selling event at one mile and seventy yards, will be run Saturday, when the best field of the meeting will face the starter. Terminus, the Turf Congress winner, will go to the post a strong favorite, and likely enough Isobel will be second choice.

Most of the horses here will leave Sunday for St. Louis, and a few for Newport, Louisville will get but a small proportion.

Nashville Summaries.

First race, seven furlongs, selling—Virgie d'Or, 93 (Winslett), 2½ to 1, won; Sue Johnson, 102 (May), 6 to 5, second; Clarence B., 108 (Dade), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:28. Slier, Nancy Seitz, Sauce Boat, Badinage and Lamina also ran.

Second race, half mile—Marie Bell, 100 (W. Woods), 2 to 1, won; Swan Dance, 100 (A. Weber), 15 to 1, second; Roby Ray, 100 (Dade), 30 to 1, third. Time, :50. Balance All and Lady Burlington also ran.

Third race, thirteen-sixteenths of a mile, handicap—Kindred, 122 (Combs), 6 to 5, won; Ben Ledi, 101 (Winslett), 2½ to 1, second; Felix Bard, 106 (Shaw), 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:21. Young Henry also ran.

Fourth race, nine-sixteenths of a mile—Lemuel, 103 (Aker), 2 to 1, won; Kaffir, 103 (O'Neill), 5 to 1, second; Pilaster, 103 (Forehand), 4 to 1, third. Time, :56. Easter Boy, Konnan and War Cloud also ran.

Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth, selling—Aurea, 103 (Aker), even, won; Windward, 103 (Ryan), 5 to 1, second; Lady of the West, 98 (A. Weber), 2½ to 1, third. Time, 1:49. Ignis and John Bull also ran.

Sixth race, eleven-sixteenths of a mile, selling—Echo Dale, 102 (Aker), 2 to 1, won; Villmar, 104 (Ryan), 5 to 1 second; Snowstorm, 104 (Forehand), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:08¼. Cypress ran second, but was disqualified for fouling. McLemore, Donna Belle, Enigram, Lady Hastings, Jim Nap, Mavie, San Mateo and Whitney, Jr., also ran.

Saturday's Nashville Entries.

First race, selling, six furlongs:

The Thrush	96	Ida Quicklime	101
Sivister	91	Clifford, Jr	102
Epigram	95	Ed Neland	102
McLemore	97	Kildaffie	104

Second race, maiden 2-year-olds, four and a half furlongs:

Doubleday	102	Sans Pariel	102
Me	102	Easter Boy	105
Swan Dance	102	Crimean	110
May Quick	102		

Third race, mile and seventy yards:

Isobel	101	Talala	105
Larkspur	102	Chopin	109
Beans	104	Terminus	111

Fourth race, six furlongs:

Fridolin	86	Weideman	89
Jim Nap	91	Joe Gilmore	99
Khaki	91	Nancy Seitz	100
Nick Lahart	96	Hilee	102

Fifth race, selling, one mile:

Lady Strathmore	101	Vequeath	104
Varro	103	Ignus	104
L. W.	104	Swordsman	107

Sixth race, selling, six furlongs:

Miss Gollightly	91	Robert Gray	104
Alea	95	Annie Lauretta	105
Sauce Boat	100	Laureate	105
Badinage	102	Hansborough	106

Clear; fast.

Riverside Turf Exchange.

Steamer Jacob Richtman leaves foot of Pine street at 1:15 p. m. 25c round trip.

Leaves foot of Davis street, 2:30, 3, 3:30 and 4; take Catalan or Broadway car south to Davis street.

FOUR FAVORITES BEATEN.

Cushing's Derby Candidates Made First Start at Lakeside.

Chicago, Ill., April 26.—Four favorites were beaten at Lakeside Friday. J. E. Cushing's two Derby candidates, Dyxona and Guy H., had their first start in the fifth race. The former showed brilliant speed for seven furlongs, and then tired. Several stables arrived from the California tracks.

Lakeside Summaries.

First race, four and one-half furlongs—Hurt Sargent, 110 (R. Jackson), 12 to 1, won; Prince Webb, 110 (Coburn), 3 to 1, second; Hat Mitchell, 107 (Vitatoe), 12 to 1, third. Time, :57 2-5. Sly Maid, Last Knight, Poppy A., Countess Tekla, Birthday Present and Harvey Bennett also ran.

Second race, five and one-half furlongs—Incandescent, 109 (Crowhurst), 5 to 2, won; John Grigsby, 111 (W. Wilson), 3 to 1, second; Mark Miles, 114 (Caywood), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:09 2-5. Bleor, Loose Sleeve, Sallie Regent, Lady Montree and Cosner also ran.

Third race, five and one-half furlongs, selling—Irma S., 109 (Robertson), 3 to 1, won; Harvey Saal, 111 (Vitatoe), 2 to 3, second; Laura G. G., 106 (R. Jackson), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:10. Frank Ireland, Lucille Bramble, Olekma, Daisy O., Zacatosa, Gray John and Lamity also ran.

Fourth race, five and one-half furlongs—Emma M., 106 (Coburn), 11 to 5, won; Miss Dooley, 109 (Narvaez), 8 to 1, second; Jake Weber, 108 (Crowhurst), 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:10 1-5. Sunlocks, Little Boy Blue, Ninety Cents and Pending also ran.

Fifth race, one mile—Branch, 107 (Corner), 7 to 10, won; Leo Newell, 93 (R. Jackson), 7 to 1, second; Odnor, 95 (Davison), 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:42 1-5. Dyxona and Guy H. also ran.

Sixth race, one mile and an eighth—Myth, 102 (Davisson), 1 to 2, won; Dagmar, 107 (Coburn), 3 to 1, second; Papa Harry, 107 (J. Baker), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:56. Defender II, Lamachus, Dan Cupid and Lew Hopper also ran.

Saturday's Lakeside Entries.

First race, one mile, selling:

Zacatosa	108	Yoloco	107
Vincennes	108	Golden Scepter	106
Preveir	108	Tillie W	108
Jack Adie	108	Ice	104
Oxnard	108	Barbara M	91

Second race, half mile:

Hayden	118	Fisher's Hornpipe	115
Bridge	118	Lucy Locke	115

Third race, six furlongs:

Sevoy	113	Money Muss	91
Expelled	106	Watita	85
Minyon	91	Floranthe	85

Fourth race, five furlongs, selling:

Stuart Young	110	Blue Ridge	101
Lou Woods	106	Lady Bird	96
Last Knight	104		

Fifth race, mile and an eighth, handicap:

*Charley Moore	110	Sunlocks	90
*Roy Boy	100	Ben Chance	92
Dinet	100	Cluster	85
Louisville	100	Ed Adack	85
Frangible	97		

Sixth race, mile, selling:

Boney Boy	112	Crosby	102
Louisville	103	Jake Weber	97
Debride	109	W. J. Debos	95

Seventh race, mile, selling:

Maryland Reserve	108	About	97
Defender II	108	Loose Sleeve	97
Chauncey Fisher	108	Give All	89
Inverary II	106	Red Apple	52
Ollie J.	106	Jack Doyle	89
Lissome