CANTILLON AGAIN SHOWS WEAKNESS

Using Falkenberg to Relieve Smith Decidedly Poor Judgment.

TEAM STARTS WELL, THEN FALLS DOWN

Same Old Story in Same Old Way, and Washington Loses Ninth Game.

By THOMAS S. RICE.

The contention that Manager Cantillon, of the Washington ball team, is not showing rare judgment in the matter of estimating the physical condition of his men was borne out when St. Louis beat Washington in St. Louis yesterday by 7 to 5.

Charley Smith was Washington's first pitcher, and was taken out at the end of third inning because his arm was too sore to continue. At that time Washington was three runs to the good. The way the team has been playing was a cinch that the lead was just enough to excite the St. Louis fans to laughter and the St. Louis team to play ball.

Can't Excuse This.

When a new twirler became necessary Falkenberg, of all men! was sent to the slab. If there is a man on the staff who is not consistent and is just the one to allow the enemy to bunch both hits and runs against a national margin, Falkenberg is the one. He is the best at that trick as ever exhibited before the crowned heads of Europe or the bald heads of America. Yet, Falkenberg was sent to the slab, with the result that might have been expected. He pitched four balls. From these Tom Jones culled a two-bagger and Hobe Ferris a home run. The other two were wild. Fine business! A little forte on the anvil chorus, professor!

Falkenberg is absolutely the most unreliable pitcher on the staff, and positively the last one who should be called upon in an emergency when the team has a chance to win. Why he should have been used is as much of a mystery as why the District of Columbia should be a punching bag for every Congressional lightweight who wants to develop a reputation as a watchdog of the Treasury. There is no angle at which he would look good as a relief committee, and Cantillon should be slapped on the wrist with a ten-pound hammer for making that weird selection.

Hard Luck Story Won't Go.

Hughes succeeded Falkenberg, and pitched to two men to give Burns a chance to warm up. Burns got into trouble in the eighth, largely through bad luck, and Keeley pitched the ninth round. Here's a pretty mess. Five pitchers, and off them St. Louis accumulated fifteen hits and seven runs. This might have been accounted for on the theory of an all around off day had it not been the ninth straight beating.

The whole subject of the heavy losses by the Washington team in recent games is an unsolvable problem. The pitchers have been doing well in some games and decidedly punk in others, while the fielding fits in nicely with the twirling, being fine when the pitchers are punk, and rank when the slabmen are all right.

Not All Cantillon.

Of course, we expect to get, and have already received, the usual full and indiscriminate roasts of Cantillon from the class of fans who think the answer to any losing ball club is to change managers, but, aside from certain glaring mistakes such as that of yesterday, and working Walter Johnson the day before, there appears no real ground for attributing the streak of disaster to him. The team has simply collapsed for the time being, and the question is, how long will it remain in the slough of despond?

In hitting Washington is sixth in the American League, with only one real classy performer—Jim Delehanty. All of the widely varying unofficial averages give him more than .300, and he is leading the regular players. Ganley is well below .300, and after him the others in a falling scale that makes the timid observer catch his breath. In fielding the team is not much better than batting, if any, and, thus there is little difficulty in understanding its low position in the race. Still, it should be higher than it is.

The score yesterday tells its own tale. Here it is:

The Score.

St. Louis.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Stone, lf	5	0	3	1	0	0
Hoffman, rf	2	1	0	2	0	0
Williams, 2b	3	1	1	2	2	0
Wallace, ss	4	1	3	0	5	0
C. Jones, cf	4	1	1	2	0	1
T. Jones, 1b	4	2	2	12	0	0
Ferris, 3b	4	1	3	2	3	2
Stephens, c	3	0	2	3	0	1
Waddell, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Schweitzer, rf	2	0	0	3	0	0
*Spencer	1	0	0	0	0	0
Graham, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	35	7	15	27	13	4

*Batted for Hoffman in fourth.

Washington.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Milan, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Ganley, lf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Delehanty, 2b	5	0	1	4	1	0
Pickering, rf	5	2	1	0	0	0
Shipke, 3b	4	0	1	1	1	0
Street, c	4	0	0	3	1	0
Freeman, 1b	4	1	1	12	1	0
McBride, ss	2	1	0	3	7	0
Smith, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Falkenberg, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hughes, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burns, p	1	0	0	0	3	0
*Cates	1	0	0	0	0	0
Keeley, p	0	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	36	5	7	24	16	1

*Batted for Burns in eighth.

St. Louis	1 0 0 2 0 0 4 0 x—7
Washington	2 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—5

Two-base hits—Freeman, Stephens, T. Jones, Wallace (2). Three-base hit—Pickering. Home run—Ferris. Sacrifice hits—Ganley, McBride, Stephens. Double plays—Delehanty to McBride; McBride to Freeman. Passed balls—Stephens 1. Stolen bases—Hoffman, C. Jones. Wild pitch—Burns. Bases on balls—Off Waddell, 1; off Hughes, 1. Wild pitch—By Burns, 1. Struck out—By Waddell, 1; by Graham, 1; by Keeley, 1; by Smith, 2; by Burns, 1. Pitching record—Off Smith, 4 hits and 1 run in 3 innings; off Falkenberg, 2 hits and 2 runs in no innings; off Waddell, 4 hits and 4 runs in 4 innings; off Hughes, no hits and no runs in 1-3 inning; off Burns, 8 hits and 4 runs in 3 2-3 innings; off Keeley, 1 hit and no run in one inning; off Graham, 3 hits and 1 run in 5 innings. Left on bases—St. Louis, 9; Washington, 8. Umpires—Messrs. Evans and Hurst. Time of game—1 hour and 58 minutes.

CLASSY KNIGHTS OF THE COURT

R. W. HILLS—CONNIE DOYLE,

Two Members of Washington Tennis Team Which Stacks Up Against Baltimore in Inter-City Game Today on Chevy Chase Courts.

SPORTING MEN CRY FOR REFORM WAVE

Meeting Called to Organize National League for Clean Athletics.

NEW YORK, June 13.—Within a week there will be called together in a hotel in this city, probably the Waldorf-Astoria, a dozen or more prominent men actively identified with sporting interests.

This meeting will be the first step taken in the direction of a national sporting league, the aim of which will be the protection of American sports and the fostering of personal liberty in all things. Sporting men, and racing men in particular, feel the evils of restriction tightening about them day by day. A wave of reform is sweeping over the country. Prohibition of all sorts seems to be the watchword of the reformers.

The founders of this league will be men of unusual standing in the community, whose names will typify all that is honest and square. Personal liberty will be blazoned on the banner which they will swing before the eyes of the people, and under this banner there will be a great gathering of those who hate hypocrisy, and other fanaticism.

James R. Keene is enthusiastic over the project of forming a national sporting league.

"This national league has got to come," said Mr. Keene, "but unless we have strong, capable men at the helm it will fail."

ACTION OF GOLFERS WAS NOT UNEXPECTED

Attitude of Scotch Players Helped to Wreck Scheme of Olympic Tourney.

The abandonment of the Olympic golf tournament that was to have been held over the Deal and Sandwich courses, England, last week, has created considerable criticism in golf circles.

Considering, however, the antagonistic feeling entertained by many of the leading golfers abroad, the action was not unexpected. A foreign publication has this to say on the subject:

"The attitude of leading Scottish golfers and the involved conditions of entry have combined to wreck the scheme for the Olympic tests at golf.

"During the championship meeting at Sandwich, in the last week of May, no one could be found who possessed any information on the subject. Ryder Richardson had submitted the names of those eligible under the St. George's Cup competition to the Olympic committee in London, and there his duties for the moment ceased, though had the meeting taken place at Sandwich and Deal he would have had some voice in its control as secretary of the Royal St. George's Club, but after the strongly antagonistic attitude of certain members of the Royal and Ancient Club it was not altogether surprising that the Olympic committee decided to abandon the meeting. G. S. Lyon, Lambton Golf and Country, Toronto, made a good entry, and H. L. Gaw, Philadelphia Country, also desired to play, but through some informality he came without the specific nomination of his club.

Fourteen Members of Olympic Team To Compete in Pittsburg Carnival

PITTSBURG, June 13.—Fourteen members of the Olympic team are entered to race and toss the weights, etc., in the monster free-for-all athletic meet here on June 20, under the auspices of the Pittsburg Press and Amateur Athletic Union. It is estimated that one-third of this number will make the Pittsburg carnival their farewell appearance in athletics before fellow-countrymen.

The men are veterans at the game. They have achieved all honors possible. Their selection to represent Old Glory in the Olympic revival at London crowned their ambitions, and when they cavort about Pittsburg playground before 50,000 people one week hence it will be their last dabble in strenuous strugles on American soil.

The Pittsburg carnival will be a fitting period and place for their last effort. It will be a rousing meet. The outlook is for 500 entries. From every portion of the Tri-State region have come entries. Greensburg, Uniontown, East Liverpool, Martinsburg, Youngstown, Erie, Clarion, Youngwood, Johnstown, Washington, and dozens of other cities have entered their best boys for the open events.

One striking feature is the fact that young men heretofore taking chances only in the open events have agreed to face the starter in the matches against the members of the Olympic team, world's and American champions. The lads are declared to be showing such form that they feel convinced a chance for triumph awaits them even if the big guns are just now in the finest of fettle by reason of their trials for the American team and also by reason of the close approach of the world's honor events.

The trophies to be awarded in the special events for Olympic team members here are diamond studded and valuable enough to excite the ambitions of any star. The satellites will not permit the emblems to be grabbed by non-team members but will dive into the frays with every whit of reserve energy. This fact will all tend to bring about a consummation devoutly wished by the promoters of the carnival—clean, strenuous sport, a deserved tribute to the thousands of admirers of pure amateurism who live in the vicinity of the Steel City.

Cartmell, Garrels, Huff, Taylor, Sheridan, Hillman, McGrath, Gilbert Dray, Robertson O'Connell, Porter, and others famed in American athletic history during the last decade have before never appeared at the same tourney. Their starts in the Pittsburg game June 20 will mark an era in amateur sports. The controversy between Garrels and Sheridan in the discus events will be a struggle between rivals of East and West. This number on the program will attract sport lovers from Chicago and the metropolitan district. Quiet wagering will be the result.

There will also be a grand passage at skill between athletic teams for valuable silver cups. The Amateur Athletic Union has added a big trophy of this sort for the regularly registered club whose members reap the largest number of points in the open events.

GUGGENHEIM AUTO HITS A NEIGHBOR

NEW YORK, June 13.—Isaac Guggenheim, the multi-millionaire, and director in the American Smelting Company, was riding into Manhansett, L. I., from his summer home at Sands Point, when his automobile crashed into the runabout of Cornelius Van Reck and wrecked it.

Van Reck, a man of sixty, was thrown to the roadside and two of his ribs broken. Constable Ghering accompanied the auto party to Great Neck, where Mr. Guggenheim gave $1,000 bail for his chauffeur's appearance on a charge of reckless driving.

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GERMAN SOCIETIES EFFECT A MERGER

A proposition to merge the German Literary Society of Washington with the Universal German Language League was accepted last night at a meeting of the latter, held at the Public Library. The meeting was well attended by German-speaking residents of Washington.

The following officers were elected: Prof. A. Werner-Spanhoofd, president; Miss Anita Schade, vice president; Gustav Bender, corresponding secretary; George W. Spier, treasurer.

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OLYMPIC ATHLETES IN CARNIVAL TODAY

Practically Whole American Team Will Compete at Travers Island.

NEW YORK, June 13.—Practically the whole of the American Olympic team will compete in the eighty games of the New York Athletic Club, at Travers Island today.

It was learned yesterday that Rector, the University of Virginia flyer, would not compete.

More than usual interest is centered in the 440-yard run. Harry Hillman, of the New York Athletic Club, and J. B. Taylor, of the University of Pennsylvania, will clash.

All eyes will be turned on Horr, the Irish-American Athletic Club weight thrower. Martin Sheridan thinks he is the wonder of the age, and picks him to throw the discus farther than any man ever threw it before.

Halstead, the Cornell wonder and now a member of the New York Atuletic Club, will start from scratch in the mile run. Halstead is the fastest man the country has known since the days of Tommy Coneff.

Entered in the same event is J. P. Sullivan, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, who was beaten by Halstead last Saturday.

Melvin Sheppard, the world's greatest middle distance runner, will try for a new half mile record.

Another interesting event will be the pole vault. Dray and Gilbert, of Yale, will fight it out.

In the sprints the real form of Robertson should be shown. Cloughan, the Auburn sprinter of the Irish-American Athletic Club, will try to beat his big captain.

DURAS PLAYS TO TIE IN CHESS TOURNEY

Draws With Carl Schlechter and Divides 7,000 Crowns of Prize Money.

PRAGUE, Bohemia, June 13.—With the nineteenth round, contested at the exposition in this city yesterday, the international chessmasters tournament, started on May 18, came to a conclusion, with a tie for first place between O. S. Duras, of Prague, and Carl Schlechter, of Vienna, each having scored 13½ points out of a possible 18. These two players were paired in the final round today and, as expected, a draw resulted.

The victors divide the sum of 7,000 crowns between them. M. Vidmar, also of this city, finished in third place, with 13 points to his credit, having been unable to do better than draw with the American, Marshall, in his last game. Vidmar's share of the prize money is 2,000 crowns.

The other prize winners are A. Rubinstein, Lodz, 1,500 crowns, fourth; R. Teichmann, London, 1,000 crowns, fifth; G. Maroczy, Budapest, 800 crowns, sixth; F. J. Marshall, of New York; P. S. Leonhardt, of Leipsic, and H. Salwe, of St. Petersburg, divided 1,300 crowns, being tied for seventh, eighth, and ninth places; D. Janowski, Paris, 300 crowns, tenth.

Other results today were as follows: Leontieff beat Kvicacla, Chotimirski lost to Prokes, Leonhardt succumbed to Spielmann, Bardeleben lost to Alapin, Treybal was beaten by Teichmann, Mieses drew with Maroczy, Rubinstein drew with Suechting, and Salwe won from Janowski.

Schlechter is engaged to meet Dr. E. Lasker, the world's champion, who has been here the past week, in a match of five games to test the Rice gambit.

WISCONSIN CREW OFF FOR POUGHKEEPSIE

MADISON, Wis., June 13.—The Wisconsin crews leave today for Poughkeepsie.

A bad scare was thrown into the camp of the crew men on the eve of their departure for the East when the faculty announced late this afternoon that Dexter Witte, who has been rowing number four in the varsity boat, was ineligible to row in the regatta, but at a special meeting of the athletic council last night the matter was straightened out, and Witte was allowed to keep his seat in the shell.

Coach Ten Eyck and Director Hutchins will accompany the crews.

DIDN'T FIND OUT.

"Pa," said little Bobby, who had been allowed to sit up a little while after supper, with the understanding that he was to ask no foolish questions, "can God do everything?"

"Yes."

"Can he make a two-foot rule with only one end to it?"

"One more question like that," said his father, "and you will be packed off to bed."

Bobby was silent for a few moments and then asked: "Pa, can a camel go ten days without water?"

"Yes, my son."

"Well, how many days could he go if he had water?"

The next thing Bobby knew he was in bed.—Exchange.

THE BLACK HAND IN ART.

One of the methods by which the thrifty Camorro maintains itself on its native Italian heath is the opera claque. Whenever a notable "guest" performance, or debut, is projected, the interested artist is approached and informed that unless the claque is placated a stormy debut may be looked for, and brave, indeed, is the man or woman who can contemplate appearing before a strange public with the certainty that no opportunity will be lost for hisses, hootings, and catcalls. In the great majority of cases the Black Hand treasury is substantially swelled.

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CRACKS ARE PRIMED FOR TENNIS MATCHES

Colston Brothers, of Baltimore, Matched Against Strong Doyle Combination in Doubles.

The Baltimore tennis team will arrive in Washington at 2 o'clock today, and will be immediately conveyed to the Chevy Chase Club for play in the inter-city matches.

In the doubles the Colston brothers will be matched against the Doyle brothers, of Washington, and those who witnessed the inter-city matches last year will know what sort of a contest to expect. Last year the Washington players won in a hard, three-set match, and whatever the outcome, this match is bound to be one of the best of the day.

Wagner and Atkinson will play Davidson and Glazebrook, who have long been identified with tennis in the District, and the result of this match is most difficult to forecast.

Last year Washington won both matches, and consequently the local players are anxious to retrieve themselves, and especially so on Washington courts. The Baltimore team has been considerably strengthened since the matches of last summer, for continued practice and inter-club matches have tended to widen each player's individual experience, and the benefit has been in the improved playing and general increased interest in the sport which has been evident around the city this spring.

While the Baltimore team is admittedly the strongest that can be got together in local tennis circles, the same may be said of the Washingtonians, and a forecast of the result is hardly possible. Philadelphia won from Washington nine matches to three, and the following Saturday from Baltimore by ten matches to two. Thus it will be seen that there is every indication of the closest match yet, and the match will be anybody's until the results are known.

After play a dinner will be tendered the Baltimore players by the Washington men at the Chevy Chase Club.

KENNEDY'S CHARGES ARE HARD AT WORK

Yale Oarsmen in Grueling Practice Row Against Wind and Tide.

GALES FERRY, Conn., June 13.—Coach Kennedy's lament that the Yale crew has been unable to do hard work because of rough water has been stilled by the rows he has given the oarsmen the past two nights. Last evening he sent the varsity eight down stream over the course and back, this being the dose of nine miles of rowing in a single stretch in two days.

Most of them have lost the three or four pounds weight they accumulated during the week's inactivity. Coach Kennedy's policy will be to work the eight at their top notch for a week and give them five days' rest before the Harvard regatta.

Last night's row was taken against wind and tide. The return four miles was with all the elements favoring, but Kennedy refused to allow the stroke to be lifted over twenty-six, and the time made was only about 23 minutes 30 seconds, a trifle less than last night.

FOUR DAYS' RACING AT ROCKVILLE FAIR

Entries Close August 20—Pools Will Be Sold, Promoters Promise.

ROCKVILLE, Md., June 13.—The race committee of the Rockville fair has announced the following events for the approaching exhibition, which is scheduled to take place at the fair grounds here August 27-30.

August 27—Mixed race, 2:30 trot, 2:33 pace; purse, $300; run, half mile and repeat, $150; run, five furlongs and repeat, $150

August 28—Mixed race, 2:14 trot; 2:17 pace; purse, $400; mixed race, 2:19 trot, 2:22 pace, $400; run, mile dash, $150; run, half mile and repeat, $150.

August 29—Free-for-all, trot or pace; purse, $500; 2:22 trot, $300; 2:27 pace, $300; hurdle race, mile dash, $150; run, five furlongs an drepeat, $150.

August 30—County race; trot or pace (horses owned in Montgomery county sixty days prior to race), $300; run, half mile and repeat (same as county race above), $150; consolation run, five furlongs and repeat, $150.

Entries close August 20. Records made that day no bar. The announcement is made that pools will be sold on the races, which last year was prohibited by the county authorities.

PIEDMONTS WIN.

The Piedmont White Sox outclassed the Manhattans on the Monument grounds, winning 8 to 0. Stevenson, Piedmont pitcher, allowed two hits, while the Piedmonts batted the Manhattan pitchers all over the lot, Scott, Ford, and Ross knocking home runs in the sixth inning. The pitching and batting of Stevenson were the features. The Piedmonts challenge uniformed clubs. Address John Ross, captain, 535 New York avenue northwest.

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"Now, I don't know how that would impress most people, but nothing could induce me to take anything there. I should expect that by some mysterious sleight-of-hand performance my jewels would be changed before my very eyes."

ATTELL SIGNS UP WITH OWEN MORAN

Meet at Colma Club in Twenty-Round Bout on September 7.

By TAD.

NEW YORK, June 13.—Abe Attell and Owen Moran have signed up at last.

They will box September 7. Jim Coffroth, manager and matchmaker of the Colma Club, met the fighters and managers in New York and the whole affair was done with inside of an hour. Coffroth, who was due to leave for the West on the 3:30 limited yesterday, arrived here about 2:30, and quickly doffing his benny and sky piece, sat down to peddle some of the well-worn but tasty jam.

Abe listened a long time without blinking an eyelash. Charley Harvey, who manages Moran, stood behind Coffroth and nodded his assent like a toy pup in a candy store. Coffroth was strong for a forty-five round fight. Harvey, thinking for Moran, who is in England, was also strong. Abe was just as strong for a short go, figuring that the longer it went the more he'd have to scrap.

Finally, as things seemed to grow dimmer and dimmer, Harvey agreed to the twenty-round thing and Coffroth, knowing the value of the match, sat down and fixed up the papers.

When Coffroth left Attell, who had been thinking a bunch, said, "You know I wouldn't go over twenty rounds with this fellow, because we can get just as much of a crowd at that distance as we can in a finish go. I'm betting we do, and so is Coffroth. Moran is the only boy who has given me a good fight in the past two years and he's tough stuff, too."

Silent Charlie Harvey doesn't know just how twenty rounds will suit Moran and has to put up $1,500 forfeit just the same. Charlie left the office combing his Buffalo Bill and wearing a worried look.

HIS NECK BROKEN, WALKS OFF FIELD

Slide to Second Base in Ball Game Probably Fatal to Player.

PUNXSUTAWNEY, Pa., June 13.—With his neck broken and his head swinging from side to side, Frederick Lockard, twenty years old, walked from the baseball diamond to the grandstand, and sat on a seat several minutes before he fell unconscious.

None of his companions was aware of his probably fatal injury until he was taken to the hospital. Lockard, who was playing in a game between the Cubs and the Tigers of the City League yesterday afternoon, attempted to steal second base. As he slid to the sack, Second Baseman Dock caught the ball. Dock fell on his knee over the base, catching Lockard's head as the latter glided in.

It is thought had the injured man been kept still after the accident he could have been saved, as the spinal cord remained uninjured, when the spine snapped. His walking to the grandstand caused the broken bones to sever the cord.

ON TO LATONIA!

CINCINNATI, Ohio, June 13.—Secretary Dillon, of the Latonia Jockey Club, announced today that a large number of Eastern horses would come to Latonia to race, because of the blow dealt the game in New York yesterday.

Preparations have begun to double the stable room at the Milldale course. It is expected that the present meeting of forty days will be extended to run all summer, and porsibly through the fall.

NORTHEAST JUNIOR LEAGUE.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Mt. Royals	4	1	.800
Florida Avenue Stars	3	2	.600
Mt. Vernons	3	2	.600
Baltics	2	2	.500
Nationals	2	3	.400
Clippers	0	4	.000

The Nationals yesterday defeated the Clippers by 7 to 6 in a closely played game.

JASPER'S COSTLY COFFIN.

Jasperi M. Smith, of Atlanta, Ga., is either going to get married next year or crawl into the $7,000 casket he has built and bid farewell to earthly joys. Jasper is to be seventy-five years old in 1909 and he says that ever since his youth he has sworn to be married when he attained that age. Also, coincident with his long matrimonial dreams, Mr. Smith had meditated a deal upon death and has meantimes ordered his coffin. It has been completed and the $7,000 has gone to make a most elaborate coffin. It is of the old fashioned kind with square corners and bulging sides, for Jasper says he is liable to wake up and wants room to extend his elbows or scratch his head when the great trump sounds. Atlanta is wondering what bizarre episodes will next occur in the career of her eccentric millionaire.—Exchange.

THE OLD PHILOSOPHER.

"Happiness is sweeter when it comes by surprise," says the old Philosopher, "but even then it has a cyclone power which knocks a man off his feet, till Trouble creeps up an' gets him again. I once knew a man who was always growling about his troubles—night and day it was the same old song. By and by all his troubles left him, and they thought he would be on the very hilltop of happiness, but no! They saw him going about like a stranger in a strange land. 'What's the matter?' they asked him. 'Why,' he answered, 'I've lost every trouble I had, and, somehow or other the world don't seem right to me. It ain't the same place. The old landmarks are gone.'"—Atlanta Constitution.

American League.

Yesterday's Results.

St. Louis, 7; Washington, 5.
Detroit, 5; New York, 2.
Cleveland, 4; Boston, 2.
Chicago, 5; Philadelphia, 1.

Today's Games.

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

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct
Chicago	27	20	.574
St. Louis	28	21	.571
Cleveland	27	22	.551
Detroit	25	23	.521
New York	23	23	.500
Philadelphia	23	25	.479
Boston	22	29	.431
Washington	18	30	.375

National League.

Yesterday's Results.

Chicago, 7; Brooklyn, 1.
Boston, 1; Cincinnati, 0.
Pittsburg, 4; New York, 0.
St. Louis, 4; Philadelphia, 2.

Today's Games.

Pittsburg at Boston.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct
Chicago	29	16	.644
Cincinnati	26	19	.578
Pittsburg	26	19	.578
Philadelphia	21	21	.500
New York	23	22	.500
Boston	20	26	.435
St. Louis	21	30	.412
Brooklyn	16	30	.348

Amateur Leagues

Yesterday's Results.

Departmental League—War, 6; Treasury, 4. Interstate Commerce, 16; Agriculture, 7; the Ellipse.

Capital City League—St. Stephen's Institute, 9; Government Printing Office, 2; Capital Park.

Sunday School League—Fifth, 14; Waugh, 1; Sixth and D streets northeast.

Marquette League—St. Joseph's 6; St. Vincent's, 5; Thirteenth and D streets northeast.

Commercial League—National Electric, 12; W. B. Moses, 11; Eighth street and Florida avenue northeast.

Independence League—Twining A. C., 7; Manhattans, 6; McDevitt's Field.

Columbia League—Brookland Cardinals, 12; Independents, 0; First and W streets northeast.

R. R. Y. M. C. A. League—Shopmen, 16; B. & O., 4; Fifth and Florida avenue northeast.

Today's Games

Departmental League — Postoffice vs. Interior; Interstate Commerce vs. Agriculture; on the Ellipse.

Capital City League—Atlantics vs. Brentwood, at Capital Park.

Sunday School League—First vs. Grace, at Sixth and D streets northeast.

Marquette League—Commissioners vs. St. Peter's, at Thirteenth and D streets northeast.

Commercial League—E. J. Murphy vs. Car Department, at Fifth street and Florida avenue northeast.

Independence League—Ninth Street Christian Church vs. Advent A. C., at McDevitt's Field.

Columbia League—Eckingtons vs. Metropolitans, at First and W streets northwest.

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