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SOUTHERN BAPTISTS.

ELOQUENT "BROTHER-IN-BLACK" ADDRESSES THE CONVENTION.

WORK OF HOME MISSION BOARD.

SPEECHES OF GREAT INTEREST ON VARIOUS FIELDS OCCUPIED.

REPORT ON THE SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

DR. HATCHER CALLS A BIBLE SOCIETY AGENT TO ORDER.

AN APPEAL FOR THE CUBANS.

Woman's Union Meeting—Wilmington "Doing Itself Proud" in Entertaining the Convention—Body Will Probably Adjourn To-Morrow Night

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 8.—(Special.)—The appearance before the convention of Rev. C. T. Walker, of Augusta, Ga., was an incident of special interest. Rev. Dr. Landrum introduced him as probably the best negro Baptist preacher in the country, who had recently packed Moody's great tabernacle in Atlanta in a meeting of days, as the result of which there were nearly five hundred baptisms.

The colored preacher referred to is a typical negro in appearance, but is an exceedingly graceful and effective speaker. He brought the greetings of his people, expressed the warmest gratitude for what the white people were doing for his race, and asked that while sending the Gospel to the far-off heathen, they should not neglect the heathen at their door, but should labor to bring it to pass that in the final meeting of Shem, Japheth, and Ham, the "brother in black" should be able to make a good appearance.

He brought down the house with his keen sallies of wit and good hits. Indeed, he made the convention forget its rule against applause, and break forth into rapturous applause several times.

The work of the Home Mission Board in the several States was presented by Rev. S. M. Province, of Florida; Rev. E. D. Ware, of Louisiana; Rev. Dr. J. B. Gambrell, of Texas; ex-Governor J. P. Eagle, of Arkansas; Rev. L. W. Wright, of Indian Territory; Rev. J. H. Mannis, of the Indian Territory; Rev. E. V. Rowe, of Mississippi; Rev. J. N. Prestredge, of Kentucky; Rev. A. J. Holt, of Tennessee; Dr. J. S. Felix, of Western North Carolina; Rev. John E. White, State secretary of North Carolina, on work among the negroes; William Ellyson, Esq., State secretary of the Virginia Baptist Mission Board, on co-operative work with the negroes; and Rev. Dr. Henry McDonald, of Atlanta, on the general work of the board.

These speeches were of great interest, and full of information on the different fields to which they referred and the various methods of work.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL WORK.

The report on Sunday-school work this afternoon elicited an admirable discussion, Governor Northen, of Georgia, made an earnest and telling speech, warmly commending the Sunday-School Board and its work.

Dr. J. M. Robinson, of Texas, agent of the American Baptist Publication Society, earnestly opposed the issuing of Bibles by this board, and urged that we should co-operate with the American Baptist Publication Society in this work.

Dr. Hatcher brought down the house in a witty and telling reply to Dr. Robinson, in which he insisted that it was not in the best taste for an agent of the society to introduce this opposition to our doing our own work in our own way.

Dr. Gambrell was very happy in urging that we thank God for the noble work the board has done, and that we rally around and sustain our own board in doing its grand work. Mr. Broughton urged that we should emphasize our Sunday-school work. Dr. Felix eloquently urged the support of the board and its work. Dr. Frost urged that the Baptists of the South should stand together for unity and solidity, and for pushing forward every part of their work. He urged that we should all pull together, and for once do our best in working for this board, and for all of the interests of the convention.

The report was unanimously adopted, and the policy of the board was thus heartily endorsed.

There seems to be general rejoicing over the settlement of the Whitsitt controversy, and a determination to frown on every attempt to reopen it. The reception of Dr. E. C. Dargan's speech for the students' aid fund of the seminary last night, and the cordial response made by the people, in giving over $2,600 to pay that fund out of debt, seem to be regarded as the first endorsement of the settlement of this question.

CUBA.

At the mass-meeting to-night a notable speech was made by Rev. J. V. Cova, of Cuba, a missionary of the convention's, who was exiled from the island a year ago, and who has since been laboring among his people at Tampa, Fla. He made an earnest and eloquent statement of the struggle for freedom which his people are making, and expressed full confidence that they will succeed in their efforts to throw off the Spanish yoke. He was very confident that the success of the insurgents would open up the whole of Cuba to the preaching of the Gospel. In the mean time he was preaching to the Cuban exiles in Florida, of whom there were at least 14,000, and told a very pathetic story of the sufferings of these exiles, their need of the Gospel, and their readiness to receive it.

Dr. J. B. Gambrell made a telling speech on mission work in Texas, telling of the vast extent of the territory, its enormous resources, and its bright promises. He insisted that the people are among the most intelligent and well-educated in the country, and need the very best preachers. They did not need men who were of no account in the older States, but the very pick of our preachers here.

Dr. Gambrell frequently brought down the house by his wit, sanctified commonsense, and palpable hits.

Rev. Dr. R. A. Venable made an earnest, effective speech on the general subject of home missions.

PREACHERS TO-DAY.

Among the preachers appointed to fill the city pulpits to-morrow are Drs. W. E. Hatcher, W. W. Landrum, F. C. McConnell, Carter Helm Jones, J. William Jones (special sermon before the Confederate veterans), W. L. Pickard, W. H. Whitsitt, J. B. Gambrell, W. R. L. Smith, George Cooper, Henry McDonald, E. C. Dargan, E. M. Poteat, and F. S. Dunaway.

Wilmington is "doing herself proud" in entertaining the convention.

The body will probably adjourn on Monday night.

CONVENTION NOTES.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 8.—At the special mass-meeting to-night in the interest of home missions, a resolution was adopted, conveying expressions of sympathy to Delegate T. H. Stout, of Georgia, who, since his arrival, had received a telegram informing him of the death of his wife.

The Daughters of the Confederacy have invited the convention to attend the Confederate memorial exercises at 4 P. M. Monday, May 10th.

Rev. J. William Jones, D. D., of Virginia, will preach a sermon to-morrow night before Cape Fear Camp, Confederate Veterans, at the First Presbyterian church.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION.

Executive Committee Report—Work Among Negroes and Foreigners.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 8.—The Woman's Missionary Union meeting opened at 9:30 A. M., with a prayer-service, led by Mrs. J. L. Johnson, of Mississippi. State reports were heard from Missouri, Mississippi, Maryland, Louisiana, Tennessee, South Carolina, and North Carolina.

The Executive Committee of the Woman's Missionary Union reported as follows:

"1. Believing that the recommendations of the Home, Foreign, and Sunday-School boards are the results of prayerful study of the needs of the various Southern Baptist fields, we heartily commend them, and suggest that the amount asked for by each be apportioned among the different States.

"2. Trusting the promise of God that the Holy Spirit will be given to those who ask, we suggest that we continue to unite in special prayer for the work and workers during the first week of January; also, that one week in the year be observed with special prayer and gifts for the needs of the Home Board. We recommend the use of the mission card daily, as a valuable source of information and inspiration.

"3. Appreciating that the best workers in the Church are those who have been trained from childhood, we call attention to the necessity of forming societies for young women, boys, and girls, and again advise the appointment of a band superintendent in each State which has not previously appointed one.

"4. Knowing it to be God's desire that all shall be saved, we are impressed with the responsibility of work among the colored people and foreigners, and recommend that mothers' meetings and industrial schools be organized wherever possible, that personal work among those with whom we are in daily touch in our homes may be earnestly prosecuted.

"5. Convinced that knowledge means power, interest, and zeal in mission work, we recommend the constant use of the publications of the Sunday-School Board at Nashville, and those of the Maryland Baptist Mission rooms, also the Foreign Mission Journal and State religious papers, and Kind Words, as especially interesting for young people.

"6. Knowing that central committees are enabled to do more correspondence and to distribute more literature when provision is made for postage, we urge a careful consideration of the subject, and the adoption of any proffered plan to secure sufficient funds."

The report was unanimously adopted.

The meeting then adjourned until 3 P. M. Sunday.

SUFFOLK.

Memorial-Day Preparations—School-Commencement Programmes.

SUFFOLK, VA., May 8.—(Special.)—The committee appointed by the Town Council to select a date and make the necessary arrangements for the appropriate celebration of Memorial-Day has put the matter in the hands of Tom Smith Camp, Confederate Veterans. Thursday, May 20th, has been selected as the day, and Rev. W. A. Barr, the talented rector of St. Paul's Protesant Episcopal church, will deliver the memorial address. There will be a parade of the veterans and military, and a half holiday will be had on that day.

Immediately after Memorial-Day the annual school commencements will begin, and the first on the list being that of the primary and introductory departments of Suffolk College, conducted by the Misses Finney, which will take place at the City Hall on Friday night, May 21st. The commencement exercises proper will occur on the 6th, 7th, and 8th of June. Rev. T. McN. Simpson, of Farmville, one of the leading divines of the Virginia Methodist Conference, will preach the baccalaureate sermon, and Rev. H. E. Johnson, D. D., of Norfolk, who is an orator of fine repute, will deliver the annual address before the Victoria Literary Society.

The closing exercises of the West-End Home School—Miss Lizzie J. King, principal—will occur on the 4th of June. Mr. St. Leon Scull, of Windsor, N. C., a former cadet at Suffolk Military Academy, will deliver the address.

The following gentlemen have been elected to represent the Main-Street Methodist church at the District Conference, which meets in Hampton in July: Dr. W. D. Wood, Dr. A. W. Eley, and Captain G. T. Parker, delegates; Dr. H. A. Morgan, E. L. Folk, and R. W. Baker, alternates.

Tom Smith Camp, Confederate Veterans, has decided to visit the Tennessee Centennial, and will leave Suffolk for Nashville on the 21st of June.

At the recent marriage of Mr. B. W. Sebrell and Miss Annie Little, of Southampton county, which was reported in the Dispatch of last Sunday, Mr. Charles Turner, of Richmond, presided at the organ and rendered a beautiful wedding march, which had been composed especially for the occasion.

Rev. J. F. Love, pastor of the Suffolk Baptist church, is attending the Southern Baptist Convention, now in session at Wilmington, N. C.

Rev. W. B. Holcomb, of Ashland, Va., who recently conducted a very successful revival meeting in Suffolk, is now engaged in a similar work in Smithfield, some twenty miles from here.

Mr. Henry Jones, one of our most prominent citizens, has been critically ill this week with pneumonia and heart trouble.

Mrs. S. R. Chandler and her nephew, Master Marion Butler, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. J. D. Dickerson's family, on Main street.

Mrs. T. Jackson Eley is visiting relatives in Surry county, and will extend her visit to Smithfield.

Mrs. Arthur Woolford left here last Wednesday for Baltimore, where her husband has an important position with a railway company.

Mrs. Frances C. Skinner, of Hampton, has been visiting her niece, Mrs. A. B. Cramer, of Suffolk, this week. Mrs. Skinner was a resident of Suffolk over fifty years ago, and though the town has grown and improved very much, she was enabled to recognize a few old landmarks.

It is a notable coincidence that within the past two weeks three former students of Suffolk College have been married—namely, Miss Dove Batte, of Texas; Miss Annie Little, of Southampton county, and Miss Marie Ruby Gilliam, of Nansemond county.

A very enjoyable musicale was given last night by the pupils of West-End Home School.

Mr. William H. Twitty died at 5 o'clock this morning, at the residence of his mother, on Clay street. The deceased was born in Murfreesboro', N. C., July 5, 1836, and was the oldest child of the late Rev. James F. Twitty, D. D., of the Virginia Methodist Conference, who died in Petersburg in 1892. Young Mr. Twitty, who had been connected with the Bank of Commerce in Norfolk for over three years, was taken sick with lung trouble just five months ago, and was at first critically ill, but gradually improved, and some two or three months ago he returned to his mother's home, in Suffolk, where he passed away this morning without a struggle.

NEWPORT NEWS.

Many Candidates for the Common Council—The Post-Office.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., May 8.—(Special.)—There is a total of nineteen candidates for the Common Council. Fourteen of the list are regular nominees of their respective parties or factions. Of this number seven are Democrats, three anti-Lamb, and one Lamb. The remaining three Republicans were nominated by both factions. The other candidates are independent and Democrats and Republicans, including Councilman J. L. Sibley, who was defeated in his ward mass-meeting for the Democratic nomination. Only seven members of the Council are to be elected this spring, and the mixture of candidates is likely to cause considerable cross-firing during the campaign.

The two Republican factions here are unable to give a satisfactory explanation of the delay in Washington over the appointment here of a postmaster to succeed Mr. Tucker, the Democratic incumbent, whose term expired on the 15th of last month, but the friends of both applicants are sanguine as to the matter, and say the delay augurs well for their side of the contest. The applicants are Messrs. Fred. Read, chairman of the anti-Lamb faction, and W. T. Hopkins, chairman of the other wing of the party in this city. A leader of the Lambites, who is close to Dr. Richard A. Wise, the defeated Republican candidate for Congress in this district, who is contesting the seat of Hon. W. A. Young, said yesterday that he had it on good authority that President McKinley had determined not to make any appointment in this district till the Wise-Young contest was decided. He then said that if Dr. Wise succeeded he would control the patronage of the district, just as the other Virginia Republican congressmen are doing.

The ladies of the Harwood Young Women's Christian Temperance Union gave their first reception at the residence of Mrs. Joseph Charles. About 100 persons were present. Miss Julia Harwood was crowned Queen of May.

The sunken wreck of the German sailing-ship, J. D. Bischoff, which was destroyed by fire here on the 27th of last month, will be sold at public auction next Tuesday.

Secretary-of-the-Commonwealth J. T. Lawless passed through the city yesterday afternoon en route to Smithfield, where he will spend several days at the residence of Hon. R. E. Boykin.

THE AIR IS VOCAL.

Commencement of the Staunton Commencement Season.

STAUNTON, VA., May 8.—(Special.)—Up here in Staunton it may be said that the commencement season is well on, and from this time forward the very air will vibrate with sonatas, etudes, polonaises, coming in birdlike notes from the commencement halls of Staunton's female colleges.

Last night at the Mary Baldwin Seminary the graduating recital of the classes in instrumental and vocal music and in elocution was held. A splendid audience crowded the chapel and applauded to the echo the evidences of efficiency of the performers. The graduates in instrumental music are Miss Miriam Reynolds, Miss Sue Wright, Miss Nettie Lamberth, Bee Bose, and Miss Lena Sheppard. Vocal graduates—Miss Miriam Reynolds and Miss Minerva E. Sheldon. Graduate in elocution, Miss Edna Ingles Gekeson. Undergraduates in elocution—Miss Mary Daniel Carson, and Miss Nonye Regina Whooley.

Miss Gekeson, who has an attractive stage presence and a voice of rare sweetness and modulation, was justly and loudly applauded for her recitation of Robert Buchanan's "The Lights o' Leath."

Miss Whooley's recitation of Grace Denis Litchfield's "Madeline Braban," stamped the elocutionist as possessing the power of accurate conception, and picturesque portrayal of the author's work.

In the rendition of Schubert-Liszt's "The Erlking," Miss Reynolds evidenced accurate technique, enlivened by a soft grace of execution that was most attractive.

Ex-Congressman Harry St. George Tucker has just returned from Roanoke, where, as one of counsel for the plaintiff, he obtained a verdict of $5,700 in the case of Wysong vs. the Norfolk and Western railroad.

Miss Bennett, of Richmond, who has been the guest of the Misses McChesney, returned to her old Kentucky home yesterday.

Mrs. Hunter McGuire is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. Alexander Forest Robertson.

NORTHUMBERLAND.

Mail Contract—Bridge Question—The Crop Prospects.

HEATHSVILLE, VA., May 8.—(Special.)—The contract to carry the mail on the new route from Heathsville to Merry Point, from July, 1897, to July, 1901, has been awarded to I. M. Dunn, of Albemarle, N. C., at the rate of $228.71 per annum. The mail leaves Heathsville at 5:30 A. M. and returns from Merry Point at 8 P. M., travelling eighteen miles each way over rough country roads with two by-stations. The present contractor, who is filling out the unexpired year, receives compensation at the rate of $575 per annum.

The matter of building a bridge across Hampton Hall creek, between the counties of Northumberland and Westmoreland, was acted upon favorably at the last meeting of our Board of Supervisors. It now remains for Westmoreland's board to act before work can be commenced. Messrs. King & Sanford were the successful bidders for the construction of the bridge.

The recent rains have greatly refreshed the planted and growing crops in this section. From present indications, it is thought that the grass crop will be short this season.

ANTI-TOBACCO-TAX PROTEST.

Meeting of Boards of Trade Next Saturday.

DANVILLE, May 8.—The Board of Trade of Martinsville, in meeting, vigorously opposed the proposed increase of 2 cents per pound in the revenue tax on manufactured tobacco. The board has invited a general meeting of representatives from boards in Virginia and North Carolina, at Danville, next Saturday, May 15th, to take concerted action in trying to prevent the proposed increase. Several boards have appointed delegates, and there will probably be a large anti-tax convention held here next Saturday.

Death in Staunton.

STAUNTON, VA., May 8.—(Special.)—Mr. E. D. McQuain, one of the Western State Hospital staff, who has served there faithfully for years, died at his residence to-day; aged 37 years. He died from the effects of a carbuncle.

A Boat 4,500 Years Old.

(Harper's Round Table.)

A Viking craft found in Norway some time ago was in use about the year 1000 A. D., and at once became famous as by far the oldest specimen of water-craft in existence. The boats in the Gizeh Museum, it was decided by the learned, were used at least 4,500 years ago, and were contemporaneous with the Dashur pyramids of the eleventh Egyptian dynasty.

With this boat and the two which remain in the Cairo Museum were two more, which still rest in the sands which stretch desolately from the Dashur pyramids, near which they were found.

The five boats were found buried at a considerable depth, not far from the famous largest pyramid, and in such orderly form, and with such mathematical relationship to the great pile of stone, that it was evident that they had been buried with design at that particular spot.

The boats were found to be alike in the material of which they were constructed, and in their general dimensions. The cedar of antiquity, which entered into so much of the construction of things of wood, was used in building these boats. While the equipments of the boats had generally disappeared with time, their shapely outlines still remained.

The boat that is in Chicago now was probably better preserved than any. It is 30 feet long, 8 feet of beam, and 4 feet of hold. A well-preserved and peculiarly marked and designed piece of rudder of wood was found near the boats.

WON IN THE TENTH.

NORFOLK WRESTED THE VICTORY FROM THE JOHNNY REBS.

AN EXCITING AND CLOSE CONTEST.

Leever Won and Then Lost His Game—Paterson Took the Lead from Newark, and Richmond Is Tied for Second Place.

Richmond, 6; Norfolk, 7.
Newark, 3; Paterson, 5.
Lancaster, 6; Hartford, 7.
Reading, 4; Philadelphia, 7.

THE LAYOUT FOR TO-DAY.

Hartford at Philadelphia,
Lancaster at Paterson,
Reading at Newark.

WHERE THE CLUBS PLAY TO-MORROW.

Newark at Richmond.
Paterson at Norfolk.
Hartford at Philadelphia.
Lancaster at Reading.

CLUBS.	Richmond.	Norfolk.	Lancaster.	Reading.	Philadelphia.	Newark.	Paterson.	Hartford.	Games Won.	Per Cent.
Richmond		3	2	2	0	0	0	0	7	.636
Norfolk	3		1	2	0	0	0	0	6	.600
Lancaster	1	1		0	0	0	0	0	2	.333
Reading	0	0	0		1	0	0	1	2	.250
Philadelphia	0	0	0	1		1	1	0	3	.300
Newark	0	0	0	0	4		1	1	6	.600
Paterson	0	0	1	0	2	1		2	6	.666
Hartford	0	0	2	1	0	2	0		5	.556
Games lost	4	4	6	6	7	4	2	4		

It took ten innings to decide the game of ball at Broad-Street Park yesterday afternoon, and the Richmond cranks, rooters, and base-ball enthusiasts—nearly 5,000 in number—who gathered at the grounds to witness the contest, were treated to one of the prettiest exhibitions of the national game ever given in this city, and they were afforded more than their money's worth in sensations.

The game didn't go to suit them exactly, as Norfolk defeated the Johnny Rebs, who appeared for the first time in their spick and span gray suits, but nobody registered a kick, for the contest was waged fairly and squarely, and the Norfolks won the game entirely on its merits. They didn't appear to have a ghost of a show to win until the seventh inning, and then it was a three to one shot that Richmond had the victory; but base-ball, like a mule, is a most "unsartin" thing.

HAYDEN HITS THE BALL.

The Brooms crept slowly up the score as the game progressed, until in the ninth, with Richmond two runs in the lead, Hayden, who had been run in to do the batting, smacked out a three-bagger against right-field fence, scoring Wentz, who had preceded him to first, and himself crossing the rubber on Leever's awful throw, and the score was tied. The whole Richmond team seemed to get mixed up in this play, and Leever, though he might have retired Hayden at the plate, lost his head and threw the ball up against the grandstand. The fans, who had previously been smiling all over themselves, begun to realize that the Johnny Rebs were up against it hard, and their smiles gave place to a ghastly pallor. They were not disgusted; not a bit of it. The game had been too pretty for that, but they were just a little sick at heart, for who among them had imagined that the Johnnies would lose the victory, which seemed to be sitting like a halo of glory around their heads.

LEEVER LET DOWN.

Leever twirled for Richmond, and Clausen, the man from sunny Italy, tossed the leather for Norfolk. Both did well, but Leever had all the best of the argument, so far as pitching was concerned. He had absolute control, and was easily master of the situation until the sixth inning, when he seemed to let down with a great, big slump, and from that time on he was severely punished. He cannot kick over the loss of his game, for, though he had won it, he himself deliberately threw it away. There were errors made behind him, but, as a rule, they were inconsequential, and only one of them really hurt much. That was made by Elsey, who had previously played great ball. Indeed, the work of the whole team was gilt-edge, and Boyle, the new shortstop, who made his initial bow to a Richmond public, won honors galore. His playing was really refreshing. He pounced on everything that entered his territory, and made two beautiful stops of terrific balls.

WAS INTERESTING THROUGHOUT.

On the whole, the game was intensely interesting, and exhilarating exciting, the finish being very much of the heart-disease order. For the first three innings neither side scored, though Richmond, in the third, got two men on the bags before any one was out.

It was in the fourth, though, that the work began in earnest. Two men were out when Boyle went to the bat. He put one high up in the air, the Norfolkians letting it drop safe, thereby yielding the white-headed shorty two bags. Wells was then presented with his base, and Kain succeeded to the ash. Barley had one strike called on him, and while kicking over it, Clausen sent him another over the bag. The little fellow paid no heed to this, but gathering himself together, landed on the next one, which floated out of McFarlan's reach into deep centre. While Mc. went after the sphere Wells and Boyle went home, and Barley, who had reached third, started home. He was caught at the plate and the side was retired. In the next inning, however, Foster, who led off with a safe bunt, scored, and in the next—the sixth—Kain and Foster both batted home runs, the former sending the ball into centre and the latter taking the right garden.

THERE WAS TROUBLE HERE.

The spectators fairly went wild over this, but trouble loomed up on the horizon in that inning. Richmond was five to Norfolk's nothing, when Billy Smith, the first Norfolkian to stand at the plate, was given his base on balls. Snyder flew out to Sholta, and Clausen made a hit to left field, which Elsey fumbled, and Smith scored, while Clausen went to second. Boyle caught Clausen between second and third, and had him dead when Sholta dropped the ball and let him go to third. McFarlan, in the mean time, reaching first and second. Leahy went out on a fly ball to Elsey, which permitted Clausen to score, and Schaffer then retired the side.

In the seventh inning neither side scored, but in the eighth Boyle, assisted by two errors, added another run to Richmond's score. The Norfolks came in, and Lever gave Clausen the walk. The Italian had been on the bag but a few moments when McFarlan, with a prodigious swipe, put the ball over left-field fence, near the club-house, for four bases. That added two more runs to Norfolk's score, and in the ninth the score was tied. That was the inning in which Hayden's three-bagger and Leever's rank error did the work. It of course necessitated the playing of another inning, and in the tenth Richmond went out in one, two, three order. McFarlan, who led off for Norfolk, made a two-bagger, though, and on a wild pitch by Schmidt, who had been substituted for Leever, went to third. He had no time to rest there, for Leahy shot one down to first bag, which Wells let go through him, and McFarlan trotted home, winning and ending the game.

Appended is the official score:

RICHMOND.

	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Elberfeld, 3b.	5	0	2	1	1	0
Elsey, l. f.	5	0	0	4	0	1
Hargrove, c. f.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Sholta, 2b.	5	0	0	6	1	1
Boyle, ss.	5	2	1	2	4	1
Wells, 1b.	4	1	0	5	0	1
Kain, r. f.	3	1	2	1	0	0
Foster, c.	4	2	3	6	2	0
Schmidt, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leever, p.	4	0	0	0	1	1
Totals	36	6	8	27	9	5

NORFOLK.

	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McFarlan, c. f.	5	2	2	4	1	0
Leahy, ss.	5	0	1	0	4	0
Schaffer, 1b.	4	0	0	11	0	1
Weddige, 3b.	4	0	0	1	1	0
Weihl, l. f.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Wentz, 2b.	4	1	1	2	5	0
Hayden, r. f.	1	1	1	0	0	0
Smith, r. f.	2	1	1	2	0	0
Snyder, c.	4	0	0	7	0	1
Clausen, p.	3	2	1	0	1	0
Totals	36	7	6	27	11	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Richmond	0	0	0	2	1	2	0	1	0	0	—6
Norfolk	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	2	1	—7

Summary: Earned runs—Richmond, 3; Norfolk, 2. Home runs—Kain, Foster, McFarlan. Three-base hits—Kain, Hayden. Two-base hits—Boyle, Weihl, McFarlan. First base on errors—Richmond, 1; Norfolk, 2. Bases on balls—Off Leever, 3; off Clausen, 3. Left on bases—Richmond, 5; Norfolk, 4. Struck out—By Leever, 5; by Clausen, 4. Double plays—Boyle to Wells. Stolen bases—Elberfeld (2), Boyle, Foster, McFarlan, Weihl. Wild pitches—Schmidt, 1. Time of game—2 hours. Umpire—Mr. McNamara. Attendance, 4,850.

The Jersey Lads This Week.

Billy Smith and his Norfolk lads left for home last night, and they will try conclusions on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday with Paterson.

Richmond will tackle Newark here on the first three days, and then we will swap with Norfolk, giving them Newark while we take Paterson.

Many familiar faces to Richmond ball cranks will be seen on the Newark team. Prominent among them will be Jimmy Gilman and Harry O'Hagan. Jimmy has given up his custom-house job and is holding down second bag for Newark and captaining the team.

Boyle, if yesterday's work is a sample of what he can do, is a whole orchard of peaches. He is as active as a cat, and covers more territory than any short-fielder thus far seen here.

Kain has certainly come out in his batting and he wields a most vicious stick now.

Barley occupied rightfield yesterday, taking the place of Goodenough, who hurt his hip in Friday's game.

Norfolk and Richmond split even on the week, but it is somewhat peculiar that both teams should have lost two out of the three on their home grounds.

The A. I. T. base-ball team defeated the Church Hill Amateurs Saturday afternoon by a score of 7 to 5. The features of the game were the pitching of Woodfin and the outfield work of the A. I. T's.

The Church Hill Grays defeated the Elbas yesterday by a score of 2 to 1.

ATHLETICS WON.

Defeated Reading by Opportune Hitting—Brilliant Plays.

READING, PA., May 8.—(Special.)—The Athletics defeated Reading this afternoon by opportune hitting, aided by bad errors. R. Schaub's home run was the longest hit of the season. Carey, Moran, and Childs played brilliantly. Attendance, 1,800. Score:

READING.

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Slater, 1b	1	3	9	0	0
Newell, 3b	0	1	0	4	0
Minnehan, r. f.	0	0	0	1	1
Hill, l. f.	0	0	1	0	0
Leighton, c. f.	1	2	5	0	1
McIntyre, 2b	1	1	3	0	0
Spratt, ss.	1	3	4	2	3
Barckley, c.	0	0	2	1	0
Delaney, p.	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	4	10	24	10	5

ATHLETICS.

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Moran, c. f.	1	1	3	0	0
McVey, c. f.	2	1	0	0	0
Carey, 1b	1	0	12	0	0
Harley, r. f.	1	0	3	0	0
Battam, ss.	1	1	4	4	1
R. Schaub, 3b	1	2	1	3	0
Childs, 2b	0	0	2	3	0
Fox, c.	0	0	2	2	1
Jordan, p.	0	2	0	3	0
Totals	7	7	27	15	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Reading	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	—4
Athletics	3	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	*	—7

Summary: Earned runs—Athletics, 1. Two-base hit—Newell. Three-base hit—Battam. Home run—R. Schaub. Stolen bases—Leighton, Spratt, Delaney. Left on bases—Reading, 5; Athletics, 4. Struck out—By Delaney, 2; by Jordan, 1. First on errors—Battam, E. Schaub, Carey, Harley. First on balls—Off Delaney, 2; off Jordan, 1. Passed balls—Barckley. Umpire—Mr. Snyder. Time of game—2 hours and 15 minutes.

LANCASTER AND HARTFORD.

The Former Team Beaten on Their Own Grounds.

LANCASTER, PA., May 8.—(Special.)—The game between Lancaster and Hartford to-day went to the latter. Score:

LANCASTER.

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Buttermore, r. f.	1	0	0	0	0
Ward, 2 b.	1	4	3	1	1
Leidy, c. f.	0	0	2	1	0
Larocque, 1 b.	0	0	9	0	0
Seybold, l. f.	0	0	2	0	0
Henry, 3 b.	2	2	1	1	1
Madison, s. s.	1	2	2	4	2
Roth, c.	0	0	4	2	2
Dolan, p.	0	0	1	2	1
*Yeager	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	6	9	24	11	7

HARTFORD.

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Radford, 2 b.	2	5	4	1	0
Heine, s. s.	0	0	4	2	2
Simon, l. f.	1	0	1	0	1
Burns, r. f.	0	2	2	0	0
Thornton, 1 b.	1	3	8	0	0
Cavell, c. f.	0	1	4	0	0
Doherty, 3 b.	1	1	1	2	0
McCauley, c.	1	0	3	0	0
McMackin, p.	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	7	13	27	6	3

*Yeager for Dolan in ninth.

Summary: Earned runs—Lancaster, 1. Two-base hits—Ward (2) and Madison. Stolen bases—Radford, Simon, Thornton, Doherty, and McCauley. Left on bases—Lancaster, 5; Hartford, 11. Struck out—By Dolan, 3; by McMackin, 1. Double play—Dolan to Larocque. First base on errors—Lancaster, 3; Hartford, 4. First base on balls—Off Dolan, 4. Hit by pitcher—Seybold. Passed ball—McCauley. Umpire—Mr. Clime. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes.

TURNED THE TABLES.

Paterson Takes the Game from Newark—Couldn't Hit Him.

NEWARK, N. J., May 8.—Paterson turned the tables on the local Atlantic League champions here this afternoon, winning a well-played game to the tune of 5 to 3. It was the last contest of the present series between the rival teams, Newark getting the first two. An inability to hit the pitching of Jones was the main cause of the local team's defeat. Score:

NEWARK.

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Wright, c. f.	0	1	4	0	1
Rothfuss, J., 1 b.	0	1	8	0	0
O'Hagan, r. f.	0	0	2	0	0
Shehan, l. f.	0	0	2	0	0
Cargo, s. s.	0	1	1	3	2
Gilman, 2 b.	1	0	0	0	0
Daley, 3 b.	1	1	5	3	0
Rothfuss, A., c.	1	1	2	0	0
Carrick, p.	0	0	0	1	0
Stewart,	0	0	0	0	0
Wittrock	0	0	0	0	0
Boyd	0	0	0	0	0
Hodge	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	5	24	7	3

PATERSON.

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Keister, s. s.	2	2	3	1	0
Heidrick, l. f.	0	1	0	0	0
Haller, 1 b.	0	0	10	0	0
Wagner, 3 b.	2	3	3	0	1
Robinson, c. f.	0	1	3	0	0
Stafford, r. f.	0	0	2	0	0
Smink, c. f.	0	0	4	2	0
Smith, 2 b.	1	0	2	2	1
Jones, p.	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	5	8	27	8	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Newark	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	—3
Paterson	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	1	*	—5

Summary: Earned runs—Paterson, 2. Two-base hit—Jones. Stolen bases—Haller, Keister, and Wagner. Left on bases—Newark, 5; Paterson, 9. Struck out—By Jones, 3; by Carrick, 4. Double play—Stafford and Smith. First base on errors—Paterson, 3; Newark, 2. First base on balls—Off Carrick, 5; off Jones, 4. Hit by pitcher—Daley and Heidrick. Passed ball—A. Rothfuss. Umpire—Mr. Jones. Time of game—2 hours and 15 minutes.

UNIVERSITY'S TOUR.

Will Play Several Colleges at the North.

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, May 8.—(Special.)—The 'Varsity base-ball team leave here to-morrow morning on