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RICHMOND TAKES DOUBLE HEADER

Both Games Were Fast Ones and Shaffer Was in His Glory.

THE UMPIRE UNSATISFACTORY

Roanoke Claims That Rank Decision Lost Them the First Game.

Results of Yesterday's Games.

At Danville: First game—Portsmouth, 4; Danville, 1.
Second game: Portsmouth, 8; Danville, 2; twelve innings.
At Roanoke: First game—Richmond, 3; Roanoke, 2.
Second game: Richmond 2; Roanoke, 1.
At Norfolk: Norfolk-Lynchburg postponed; rain.

Where They Play To-Day.

Danville at Richmond.
Norfolk at Roanoke.
Lynchburg at Portsmouth.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Lynchburg	46	20	.706
Norfolk	40	28	.588
Richmond	33	24	.493
Danville	30	29	.425
Roanoke	30	40	.429
Portsmouth	28	44	.371

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROANOKE, VA., July 18.—The Lawmakers took the first of the double-header here this afternoon by a score of 3 to 2. Up to the sixth inning the score was 1 to 0 in favor of the locals, but in this inning the visitors bunched their hits and scored their first run. Another was made in the seventh and eighth. Smith, for the locals, pitched a good, steady game, while Drew, for the visitors, was wild at times. In the ninth inning the locals had an excellent opportunity to tie the score, and but for the rank decision of Staehle in calling Plepho out at first would have done so and probably won the game, as two men were on bases. The game was a fast one, and Charlie Shaffer was in his glory.

The second game was also taken by the visitors by a score of 8 to 1. The locals found Long for six hits, but ragged team work lost them the game. Richmond played an almost errorless game, but one error being made, and that on a hard chance. The scores follow:

First game:

ROANOKE.

Players:	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McMahon, ss	3	0	0	0	5	0
Bateman, 2b	2	0	1	2	2	1
McWhorter, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Cooper, c	4	0	1	8	1	1
Watson, 3b	3	0	1	3	3	0
Lanham, rf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Plepho, 1b	4	1	1	11	0	0
Crutchley, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Smith, p	3	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	29	2	9	*26	15	2

RICHMOND.

Players:	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Doran, lf	4	2	1	2	0	0
Reeve, ss	4	0	0	2	5	0
Siebrie, cf	5	0	2	3	0	0
Hicks, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Cuddy, 2b	4	1	2	2	1	0
Shaffer, 1b	3	0	0	12	0	0
Urich, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Cowan, c	2	0	0	4	2	0
Drew, p	3	0	0	1	5	0
Long **	1	0	1	0	0	0
Whitten, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	3	6	27	15	0

Score by innings: R.
Roanoke 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—2
Richmond 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 0—3

Summary—Two base hits, Crutchley, McWhorter. Stolen bases, Watson. Double plays, Smith to Cooper to Plepho; Reeve to Cuddy to Shaffer; Drew to Shaffer. Base on balls, off Smith 5, off Drew 2. Struck out, by Smith 5, by Drew 2. Sacrifice hits, Watson, Bateman, Reeve, McWhorter. Time of game, one hour and fifty minutes. Umpire, Staehle.

*Shaffer out; bunting third strike.
**Batted for Urich in the eighth.

Second game:

ROANOKE.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McMahon, ss	3	0	0	3	2	2
Bateman, 2b	3	1	1	3	5	2
McWhorter, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Cooper, c	4	0	1	6	3	0
Watson, 3b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Lanham, rf	3	0	2	0	2	0
Plepho, 1b	4	0	0	13	1	1
Crutchley, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Cassidy, p	4	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	33	1	6	27	16	5

RICHMOND.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Doran, lf	2	1	0	5	1	0
Reeve, ss	4	1	0	1	3	0
Siebrie, cf	4	0	0	2	1	0
Hicks, 3b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Cuddy, 2b	3	0	0	1	4	1
Shaffer, 1b	4	0	1	8	0	0
Whitten, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Cowan, c	3	0	0	8	0	0
Long, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	31	2	2	27	11	1

Score by innings: R.
Roanoke 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1
Richmond 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

Summary—Earned runs, Roanoke 1. Stolen bases, McMahon (2), Bateman. Double plays, Bateman to Plepho; Cuddy to Reeve to Shaffer. Base on balls, off Cassidy 3, off Long 2. Struck out, by Cassidy 6, by Long 3. Left on bases, Richmond 4, Roanoke 7. Time of game, one hour and thirty-five minutes. Umpire, Staehle. Attendance, 1,300.

PORTSMOUTH TOOK TWO.

Umpire Acused by Fans of Robbing Danville.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

DANVILLE, VA., July 18.—Portsmouth took both of the games from Danville in the double-header here this afternoon. The Truckers won the first by a score of 4 to 1, as the result of ragged fielding by the locals. Umpire Hildebrand deliberately robbed Danville of the second game, which was a twelve-inning contest, by making one of the most remarkable and unjust decisions ever known here. The play came up in the ninth inning, when the score stood 2 to 1 in favor of Danville. Barley Kain, for the Truckers, sailed a high fly away in deep left field, and Powell pulled it down after a hard try. After securing the sphere Powell stumbled and fell to the ground. One of the Truckers yelled, "He dropped it," and the umpire allowed Kain to remain on second base. The ball-players and bleachers were wild with anger, and hundreds of people will swear that Powell never loosened his grip on the ball. Hildebrand was given a roasting such as has never been seen here. During the confusion which followed Kain stole third base, and was brought home with a single, tying the score. Three more innings were played, and the Truckers scored in the last half of the twelfth. A single, a sacrifice hit, and another single, was responsible for the run. In this game the work of both pitchers was creditable, though Reville had much the better of the proposition. The Tobacconists were unable to connect with his speedy ones. Despite the superb work of Winston in the box, Danville lost the first game to Portsmouth on account of the sickness of Roggy, the regular third baseman for the locals. Fetzer, the right fielder, was substituted, and being new in the place, made three errors, which netted the visitors two runs in one inning. Danville had a batting rally in the ninth, and saved herself from a shut-out. The scores:

First game:

DANVILLE.

Players.	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Doyle, 2b	3	0	0	1	6	0
Rickards, c. f	4	0	0	0	0	0
Powell, l. f	4	0	0	3	0	0
Fetzer, 3b	3	0	0	2	2	3
Zurlage, 1b	4	1	1	15	1	1
McKenzie, ss	4	0	1	2	3	1
Benny, c	1	0	1	4	1	0
McKnight, r. f	1	0	0	0	0	0
Howard, r. f	3	0	1	1	0	1
Winston, p	3	0	1	0	4	0
Totals	30	1	5	27	18	6

PORTSMOUTH.

Players.	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Titman, r. f	5	0	1	2	0	0
Kelly, 1b	5	0	1	7	1	0
Fischman, ss	3	1	0	6	3	0
Kain, 2b	4	0	0	0	4	0
Anthony, l. f	4	1	1	1	0	0
Lohr, c. f	3	1	0	1	2	1
Daly, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	2
Edwards, c	3	1	0	9	1	0
Kaufman, p	4	0	1	1	2	0
Totals	35	4	4	27	14	3

Score by innings: R.
Danville 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1
Portsmouth 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 1—4

Summary: Earned runs—Danville, 1. Sacrifice hits—Lohr. Stolen bases—Fischman, Edwards. Two-base hits—Zurlage. Three-base hits—McKenzie and Kelly. Double plays—Lohr to Fischman, Kain to Fischman to Kelly. Struck out—by Winston, 2; Kaufman, 9. First base on balls—off Winston, 2; Kaufman, 4. Hit by pitched ball—Kaufman, 1. Passed balls—Benny, 1. Left on bases—Danville, 7; Portsmouth, 6. First base on errors—Danville, 1; Portsmouth, 5. Time of game, one hour and thirty minutes. Umpire, Hildebrand.

Second game:

PORTSMOUTH.

Players.	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Titman, r. f	4	0	0	2	0	0
Kelly, 1b	4	0	2	8	0	1
Fischman, ss	5	1	2	4	4	0
Kain, 2b	5	1	0	3	2	0
Anthony, l. f	5	0	2	0	0	0
Lohr, c. f	5	1	1	2	1	0
Daly, 3b	4	0	0	3	3	1
Edwards, c	5	0	0	14	1	0
Revell, p	5	0	2	0	5	0
Totals	42	3	9	36	16	2

DANVILLE.

Players.	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Reggie, 3b	4	1	0	4	0	0
Rickards, c. f	4	0	1	5	0	1
Powell, l. f	5	0	1	3	0	0
Fetzer, r. f	4	0	0	2	0	0
Doyle, 2b	5	1	2	2	3	0
Zurlage, 1b	4	0	0	10	0	1
McKenzie, ss	5	0	2	1	1	0
Benny, c	5	0	0	9	2	0
Howard, p	5	0	2	0	5	0
Totals	41	2	8	36	11	2

Score by innings: R.
Danville 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2
Portsmouth 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—3

Summary: Earned runs—Danville, 1; Portsmouth, 1. Sacrifice hits—Rickards, Zurlage, Kelly, Daly. Stolen bases—Doyle, Kelly, Kain and Lohr. Two-base hits—Powell, Doyle, Revell, Fischman. Struck out—by Howard, 9; by Revell, 12. Bases on balls—off Howard, 1; off Revell, 2. Left on bases—Danville, 6; Portsmouth, 7. First base on errors—Danville, 1; Portsmouth, 2. Time of game, two hours and fifteen minutes. Umpire, Hildebrand.

EXTENDED SCHEDULE.

Lynchburg Would Like to See More Games and Double Season.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LYNCHBURG, VA., July 18.—The proposition to extend the playing schedule of the Virginia League from September 8th to 22d, seems to meet with approval here, especially if it means a rearrangement of the existing schedule, whereby some of the numerous games with Danville and Roanoke may be displaced with games with the other teams.

In addition to this, there are many supporters of the game here who would prefer to see the season divided at the close of this week and start a new race.

TWENTY INNINGS OF GREAT BALL

Astorias and Thebans, Negro Organizations, Have Warm Contest.

Twenty innings of great ball! Two hours of solid fun! Yells, screams and "sayings," and then some coaching.

That's what happened at Broad Street Park yesterday afternoon when the Astoria negro baseball team defeated the Theban nine by the score of 8 to 5.

More than a thousand negroes witnessed the exhibition, and many white people were there to see the diamond gladiators trot around the bases.

Happy Eckstone bobbed his head in the gate, wishing to get some exercise, and not knowing that a game was about to start, and immediately Happy was surrounded by an inky cloud. Every negro rooter who has seen a game here this season wanted Happy to be the umpire, and Happy was there with the indicator. He had a loud voice and did all right, except when he was called on to decide who was at bat. In the last of the game, both sides were bunching their best hitters, and Happy was called on to decide who was at bat last.

"That's easy enough to decide," said the Richmond twirler, "ask the scorer."

"The scorer has went," came the answer.

"All right, I know. The black one was at the bat last in the other inning."

"Naw, I were not," said five voices at once.

But it was finally settled, and Happy wasn't called on again to say which should swat the sphere. There were no home runs made, but there were some very long drives.

DAY WITH THE BIG LEAGUES

Results of Yesterday's Games.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Pittsburg: Pittsburg, 9; Philadelphia, 3.
At St. Louis: St. Louis, 5; Brooklyn, 6.
At Cincinnati: Cincinnati, 5; Boston, 4.
At Chicago: Chicago, 3; New York, 3. Called at end of twelfth inning—darkness.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Washington: Washington, 6; Chicago, 3.
At Philadelphia: First game—Philadelphia, 2; St. Louis, 4. Second game—Philadelphia, 10; St. Louis, 5.
At Boston: Boston, 5; Detroit, 2.
At New York: New York, 6; Cleveland, 4.

Games Scheduled for To-Day.

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

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs.	W.	L.	P.C.	Clubs.	W.	L.	P.C.	Clubs.	W.	L.	P.C.	Clubs.	W.	L.	P.C.
Chicago	50	34	.711	Cincinnati	37	27	.578	Philadelphia	48	30	.615	Detroit	41	33	.519
New York	51	35	.646	Brooklyn	39	30	.565	New York	47	30	.610	St. Louis	41	39	.513
Pittsburg	51	29	.638	St. Louis	32	36	.471	Cleveland	40	32	.590	Washington	28	50	.359
Philadelphia	44	42	.524	Boston	27	43	.386	Chicago	44	35	.557	Boston	20	51	.247

Chicago, 3; New York, 3.

CHICAGO, July 18.—Three gifts by Lundgren in the first inning, followed by Devlin's double, scored all of New York's runs. Four passes by Wilts, together with a single and a wild throw by Devlin, gave Chicago enough to tie the score in the fifth inning. The game was called at the end of the twelfth on account of darkness.

Score: R. H. E.
Chicago 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 8 0
New York 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 5 0

Batteries: Lundgren, Taylor and Kling; Wilts and Bresnahan. Time, 3:00. Umpires, Johnstone and Conway.

Brooklyn, 6; St. Louis, 5.

ST. LOUIS, July 18.—Brooklyn bunched hits in two innings, which, coupled with errors, scored enough runs to defeat the St. Louis team.

Score: R. H. E.
St. Louis 0 2 1 0 1 1 0 0 0—5 7 5
Brooklyn 2 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0—6 12 3

Batteries: Brown and Murray; Scanlon, Strickett, and Bergen. Time, 2:08. Umpire, Emslie.

Pittsburg, 9; Philadelphia, 3.

PITTSBURG, PA., July 18.—Philadelphia bunched five errors in the first inning, which, with four hits and three passed balls, gave Pittsburg six runs and the game.

Score: R. H. E.
Pittsburg 6 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 *—9 8 1
Philadelphia 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 1—3 10 5

Batteries: Leever and Phelps; Lush, Ray, and Donovan. Time, 1:40. Umpires, Carpenter and Klem.

Cincinnati, 5; Boston, 4.

CINCINNATI, O., July 18.—Cincinnati won to-day's game by scoring on Bridewell's fumble in the tenth inning after two men were retired and the bases filled.

Score: R. H. E.
Cincinnati 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 1—5 8 1
Boston 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0—4 12 3

Batteries: Ewing, Fraser and Schlei; Doran, Lindaman, and Cinderman. Time, 1:48. Umpire, Conway.

New York, 6; Cleveland, 4.

NEW YORK, July 18.—After Cleveland had taken the lead in the second inning to-day, the New Yorks began to pile up the runs, and won 6 to 4.

Score: R. H. E.
Cleveland 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—4 12 1
New York 0 0 1 3 0 0 2 0 *—6 10 2

Batteries: Bernhardt, Bulow, Clark and Bemiss; Orth and Kleinow. Time, 1:53. Umpire, O'Loughlin.

St. Louis, 4-5; Philadelphia, 2-10.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., July 18.—Philadelphia and St. Louis played two games to-day, each team winning one. Powell's pitching gave the first game to St. Louis, and the second was won by the home team by heavy hitting.

First game:

Score: R. H. E.
St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 2—4 8 3
Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0—2 4 2

Batteries: Powell and O'Connor; Plank, Powers, and Armbruster. Time, 2 hours. Umpires, Sheridan and Hurst.

Second game:

Score: R. H. E.
St. Louis 0 1 0 3 0 0 2 0 0—5 9 2
Philadelphia 0 0 1 0 4 3 2 0 *—10 13 3

Batteries: Jacobsen and Rickey; Coombs, Bender, and Schock. Time, 2:05. Umpires, Hurst and Sheridan.

Boston, 5; Detroit, 2.

BOSTON, July 18.—After losing seven straight games, Boston won to-day's game from Detroit, 5 to 2.

Score: R. H. E.
Boston 0 0 3 0 0 0 2 0 *—5 5 2
Detroit 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 9 1

Batteries: Dineen and Armbruster, Mullin, Siever, Eubank, and Schmidt. Time, 1:52. Umpires, Evans and Connolly.

Washington, 6; Chicago, 3.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 18.—Washington defeated Chicago to-day in a well-played game by the score of 6 to 3. The features were the pitching and home run hit of Falkenburg, with three men on bases.

Score: R. H. E.
Washington 0 2 0 0 0 4 0 0 *—6 8 0
Chicago 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—3 6 0

Batteries: Falkenburg and Heydon; Owen and Sullivan. Umpire, Mr. Connor. Time, 2 hours.

LAWMAKERS HOME FOR THREE GAMES

Richmond Team Returns to Play Benny's Tobacconists from the River Dan.

WANTED TO TAKE THEM ALL

Having Had Reasonable Success With Highlanders, May Now Climb Ladder.

Danville is said by many followers of the game to have the best-hitting team in the league, and she comes here to-day for three games. There are liable to be some blasts heard around the diamond to-day, to-morrow and the next day.

The Lawmakers will arrive this morning about the same time that Benny, with his nine, comes to Richmond. The game will be called at 4:30 o'clock, and there will be a large crowd to witness it, for the fever of excitement has penetrated every soul in Richmond about this time.

Eckstone will pitch to-day's game, and Salve will likely work to-morrow. Then on Saturday Colonel Still will go in the box and win another game for the Lawmakers.

Fresh with the victory of the double-header in Roanoke yesterday, the Lawmakers will arrive this morning and will go against Benny's nine from Danville this afternoon. The three games with the Tobacconists will certainly result in two victories for the home team, and then Norfolk will be scared for the second place.

Shaffer has gotten his team together of late, and the boys are playing in great style. Many of them are also hitting better than they did a few weeks ago. But in the series to be played this week, the Lawmakers will have all they want to keep the visitors from smacking the ball.

The report that the Cotton States League has gone to pieces is a mistake. It was the Georgia State League that went defunct, and the Cotton States players are yet holding to their jobs. Buck Hooker, the old Manchester boy, was recently made manager of the Vicksburg team and is very popular with the fans there. He thinks a great deal of Johnny McEvoy, who is playing third base for him, and in one game used this fast infielder in the box. Johnny won his game. He was pitching here in the days of Hulcher and Bowers and made good.

W. Browne, of Washington, brother of George Browne, the fast player on the New York Giants, is in Richmond, and will be given a try in the outfield by the Lawmakers. He is waiting here to meet Manager Shaffer. Browne has been playing independent ball around Washington and is said to be a good hitter.

Cassidy had his horse shoes with him again yesterday and won the game for Roanoke, after Long had held the Highlanders down to two hits. Cassidy has won more games from Richmond than he has from any other team.

Having won two of the three games played in Roanoke, the Lawmakers will tackle Benny's bunch from Danville to-day and try to get all of the games. They certainly need them badly enough.

In the South Atlantic League there is a Willie, and he is doing nice work in the pitchers' box. The family name must have something to do with the gait the pitchers trot in.

"Is everybody happy?" was the question that a player on the winning team asked yesterday. The echoes answered.

TRITTON IN THE BOX; WHISTLER AT THE BAT

Skit Written by Lazarus, With Apologies to Casey, About Well-Known Players.

Bob Tritton, the Richmond boy who is now in business here, but who once aspired to become a great ball player, did work for the Birmingham team in the Southern League a few years ago, and until he lost control had all of the great ballologists looking four different ways for hits. Tritton was pitching one day for Birmingham, and Lew Whistler, now the manager and part owner of the Memphis nine, was with the Montgomery team. Tritton had his game won all the way through, but there did come a time in the ninth inning when it looked as though the score would be tied. Whistler ambled up while men were on the bases and Tritton sent one over the heart of the plate. Whistler just simply landed safely against the sphere and there was uneasiness for a time felt that Birmingham had lost the game.

Sidney F. Lazarus, then writing for a sporting paper in the Southern League territory, and who is something of a poet, wrote the following about Whistler hitting the ball and Duffy's great catch in center field:

Whistler at the Bat.

(With Apologies to Cassoy.)

There was ease in Whistler's manner as he stepped into his place,
There was pride in Whistler's bearing, and a smile on Whistler's face;
And when responding to the jeers he lightly doffed his hat,
No stranger in the crowd could doubt 'twas Whistler at the bat.

Two thousand eyes were on him as he rubbed his hands with dirt,
One thousand tongues were guying when he wiped them on his shirt;
Then while the writhing Tritton ground the ball into his hip,
Defiance glanced in Whistler's eye, a sneer curl'd Whistler's lip.

And then young Tritton held the ball, and then he let it go,
And then the park was jolted by the force of Whistler's blow,
And then the leather-covered sphere went sailing through the air,
Then Duffy made a start for it, and the race was on for fair.

The ball went for the scoreboard, and Duffy for the ball,
The crowd was simply paralyzed, they couldn't move at all;
Then Duffy made a jump for it, came down with ball in hand,
And enthroned himself a hero, the greatest in the land.

Oh, somewhere in this favored land the sun is shining bright,
The band is playing somewhere, and somewhere hearts are light,
And somewhere men are laughing, and somewhere children shout,
But there's no joy in Montgomery since Lew Whistler was put out.

FAVORITE TAKES THE VENUS STAKES

Victoria B., an Added Starter, Took the Second Place.

WINNER CAPTURES BIG MONEY

Race Was for Two-Year-Olds at Five and a Half Furlongs.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, July 18.—James R. Keene's Mentha, the favorite at 2 to 1, won the $7,500 Venus stakes for two-year-olds, five and one-half furlongs, at Brighton Beach to-day. Victoria B., an added starter, paying 4 to 1, for the play was second, with Yankee Girl, third. The time was 1:07 2-5.

First race—selling, five and a half furlongs—Al. Powell (4 to 5) first, Jaunty (11 to 10 and out) second, Anna Lerota Daly 300 to 1 and 80 to 1) third. Time, 1:08 1-5.

Second race—steeplechase, about two miles—Hyla's (1 to 3 and out) first, Pure Pepper (7 to 2 and 7 to 10) second, Ike (12 to 1 and 5 to 2) third. Time, 4:30.

Third race—selling, one mile and a quarter—Red Friar (7 to 2 and even) first, Miss Riley (7 to 2 and even) second, Lancasterian (3 to 2 and 8 to 5) third. Time, 2:06 3-5.

Fourth race—the Venus stakes, five and a half furlongs—Mentha (2 to 1 and 4 to 5) first, Victoria B. (10 to 1 and 4 to 1) second, Yankee Girl (8 to 1 and 3 to 1) third. Time, 1:07 2-5.

Fifth race—six furlongs—First Premium (9 to 2 and 7 to 5) first, Tiptoe (5 to 2 and even) second, Lady Anne (3 to 5 and 7 to 10) third. Time, 1:12 1-5.

Sixth race—one mile and a sixteenth—Ocean Spray (5 to 1 and 2 to 1) first, Hera (8 to 1 and 3 to 1) second, Kittredge (8 to 5 and 7 to 10) third. Time, 1:48 1-5.

Racing at Latonia.

(By Associated Press.)

CINCINNATI, O., July 18.—Four favorites won at Latonia to-day. Snow Drift won the steeplechase handicap, the attraction of the day by a length from Ena. Frank Mc. finished third. Summaries:

First race—one mile—Eva Clair (5 to 2) first, Sou Mate (5 to 1) second, Prince of Pless (3 to 1) third. Time, 1:44 3-5.

Second race—six furlongs—Nonie Lucille (9 to 5) first, Rallert (even) second, Ban Posal (20 to 1) third. Time, 1:17.

Third race—one mile—Cottontown (3 to 5) first, Alma D. (2 to 1) second, Gus Heidorn (6 to 1) third. Time, 1:41 3-5.

Fourth race—steeplechase, handicap, Clubhouse course—Snowdrift (3 to 1) first, Ena (10 to 1) second, Frank Mc. (2 to 1) third. Time, 3:35 4-5.

Fifth race—five and a half furlongs—Mildred (11 to 10) first, Marmoreen (10 to 1) second, Fair Fagot (6 to 5) third. Time, 1:09 4-5.

Sixth race—mile and three furlongs—Mamie Algol (7 to 5) first, Little Elk (7 to 1) second, The Only Way (20 to 1) third. Time, 1:22 3-5.

Seventh race—one mile—Lady Charade (2 to 1) first, Oberon (10 to 1) second, Don Trent (40 to 1) third. Time, 1:43 4-5.

Winchester, 4; Danville, 2.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

STAUNTON, VA., July 18.—Staunton lost the third game of the series against Winchester to-day by the score of 4 to 2. Batteries: Staunton—Gardner and Kay; Winchester—Felser and Woodward.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE

Augusta, 5; Jacksonville, 1.

AUGUSTA, GA., July 18.—The locals were sent in the air in the first inning and slept for three more, but in the fifth awakened and batted Parkins all over the lot, through the balance of the game. The locals took the series.

Score: R. H. E.
Jacksonville 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 3 1
Augusta 0 0 0 0 1 3 1 0 0—5 8 3

Batteries: Parkins and Shea; Moore and Carson. Umpire, Ryan. Time, 1:40.

Charleston, 3; Savannah, 2.

CHARLESTON, S. C., July 18.—In the ninth inning to-day, with the score 2 to 0 in favor of the visitors, Deaver yielded three safeties and gave two bases on balls consecutively, which resulted in Charleston making three runs.

Score: R. H. E.
Charleston 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—3 6 4
Savannah 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—2 4 1

Batteries: Savidge and Reisinger; Deaver, Kane and Khalkoff. Time, 1:45. Umpire, Macal.

Macon, 1; Columbia, 0.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 18.—Chandler's single and Lipe's double did the work in the eighth. Rhoton broke his arm sliding for a base.

Score: R. H. E.
Columbia 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 3 3
Macon 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 9 0

Batteries: Heismann and Smith; Clark and Hornish and Robinson. Time, 1:45. Umpire, Latham.

Eastern League.

At Buffalo: Buffalo, 6; Newark, 3.
At Montreal: Montreal, 4; Jersey City, 2.
At Toronto: Toronto, 5; Baltimore, 4.
At Rochester: Rochester, 7; Providence, 1.

Eastern Association.

At Milwaukee: First game—Milwaukee, 2; Toledo, 15. Second game—Milwaukee, 6; Toledo, 1.
At Kansas City: Kansas City, 1; Louisville, 4.
At Minneapolis: Minneapolis, 1; Columbus, 2. (Twelve innings).
At St. Paul: St. Paul, 11; Indianapolis, 2.

Southern League.

At Atlanta: First game—Atlanta, 8; Little Rock, 3. Second game—Atlanta, 3; Little Rock, 0.
At Birmingham: Memphis-Birmingham, rain.
At Montgomery: Montgomery-New Orleans, rain.
At Nashville: Nashville, 4; Shreveport, 11.

MR. A. C. LIPSCOMB BUYS WALNUT HILL

Home of Late Treasurer Todd Brings $10,250 at Court Sale.

RENTAL AGENTS KEPT BUSY

Desirable Houses Will Not Be Sufficiently Numerous to Go Around.

"Walnut Hill," the desirable home of the late Walter J. Todd, treasurer of Henrico county, was sold yesterday at public auction to Mr. A. C. Lipscomb. The country place consists of house and 25 acres. The price paid was $10,250. The court will have to confirm the sale before a transfer of the property is made. Messrs. Edward B. Rose, Green & Redd, and J. Thompson Brown & Company, real estate agents and auctioneers, conducted the sale.

Messrs. Brown & Company sold two houses on Eggleston Street to A. C. Burnett for $705 for the two.

All the real estate men, except those who are also rental agents, report dull business, but they are not complaining about it. They say this is the time of the year to look for dull business, and then, in addition, the horrible weather and the almost constant rains of the past two weeks, have played the wild with what business there was to do.

The rental agents, however, are not complaining of dull business. They are kept busy from early morn 'till dewy eve exhibiting rent lists and showing premises. There is no longer a doubt of the fact that there are more would-be renters in Richmond than houses to rent—that is, desirable houses.

To-Day's Sales.

The following auction sales are announced to take place to-day:

At the same hour J. Thompson Brown and Company will sell Clay Street dwellings. They will first sell the corner lot and brick dwelling thereon, No. 114 East Clay. After this sale, they will offer No. 111 East Clay Street.

At 6 o'clock, at the same hour, J. Thompson Brown and Company will sell on the premises the basket and woodenware factory adjoining the old fair grounds. All the improvements, machinery, etc. and the good will of the concern will be sold.

It is announced that the work on the Jefferson Hotel, including the auditorium, has been progressing so rapidly of late that the entire work is now something over 65 per cent. complete. The builders no longer have any doubt of their ability to complete the entire work early in the fall. When the building is completed, the Jefferson will undoubtedly have the finest and most complete auditorium annex of any hotel in the South.

RIVERSIDE STRIKE.

Leaders Not Taken Back and Sympathetic Strike is On.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

DANVILLE, VA., July 18.—When the eighty operatives of the Riverside Cotton Mills, who went out on a strike because of the employment Monday of twelve German immigrants, returned to work this morning, in view of the fact that the foreigners had left, all but four were given their positions back.

The four, who were not taken back are supposed leaders in the trouble, and as a result, about five operatives were out to-day on a sympathy strike.

It is thought that the whole affair will blow over in a few days.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

Shreveport, 11; Nashville, 4.

NASHVILLE, TENN., July 18.—The home run of Pitcher Fisher, of Shreveport, was a feature of to-day's game, which the visitors always held safe.

Score: R. H. E.
Nashville 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0—4 10 4
Shreveport 0 5 0 1 1 3 0 0 1—11 12 5

Batteries: Fleet and O'Neill; Fisher and Rapp. Time, 1:57. Umpires, Schurster and Pfenninger.

Atlanta, 8-3; Little Rock, 3-0.

ATLANTA, GA., July 18.—Atlanta took both games of a double-header from Little Rock to-day, outplaying the visitors in the first game.

First game—

Score: R. H. E.
Atlanta 1 0 0 1 0 0 3 0 *—8 7 0
Little Rock 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—3 7 5

Batteries: Seller and Archer; Keith, Allen and Douglas. Time, 1:40. Umpire, Rudderham.

Second game—

Score: R. H. E.
Atlanta 1 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 *—3 7 0
Little Rock 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 8 1

Batteries: Dugman and Archer; Johnson and Douglas. Time, 1:45. Umpire, Rudderham.

No Games.

MONTGOMERY, July 18.—Montgomery-New Orleans; rain.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., July 18.—Birmingham-Memphis; rain.

PLAY AT PINE BEACH.

Richmond Whist and Chess Club to Be Guests of Norfolk.

The Richmond Whist and Chess Club will leave here for Pine Beach Saturday morning over the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, and will be entertained by the Norfolk Whist and Chess Club at the seaside resort that day, where a match game will be played. The members will return here Sunday.

Those who will go are Dr. R. F. Gaskins, F. S. Valentine, John R. Cary, H. D. Barksdale, J. A. Spence, F. E. Montague, B. M. Anderson, C. C. Chapin, W. Mac Jones, W. P. Wood, C. L. Cooke, John Murphy, S. L. Kelly.

The clubs have already played a number of match games, and the Richmond club won each time.

Dr. R. Fuller Gaskins is president of the Richmond club, which has recently moved into its new quarters, No. 701 East Grace Street.

Tennis Contest.

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SOUTH BOSTON, VA., July 18.—A tennis game of unusual interest was played between Houston and South Boston this afternoon at Hodges Park. Gilmer Easley and Easley Bouldin represented the visitors, and Dr. Briggs and Robert East the home team. Score: Houston, 9, 2; South Boston, 6, 6.

East then played Bouldin, single, 6 to 0, and Briggs beat Easley, 6 to 3.

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