GREATEST RACE MEET IN AUTO HISTORY

Forty-six Fastest Foreign and American Cars Have Been Entered for 500-Mile Event on Indianapolis Speedway.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 28.—What should undoubtedly prove to be the greatest automobile team race ever held in this country will take place on Tuesday, when forty-six of the fastest foreign and American cars, driven by the most expert and daring drivers in the world, will take part in a 500-mile race on the Indianapolis brick motordrome. It has been nine months since the initial announcement of this contest was made by the promoters, and each month has witnessed an increase of interest on the part of the public as well as the manufacturers. Almost six months ago the first entry was made, when Lewis Strang was entered. From that time on the entries were sent in steadily, until the largest field ever drawn together for one event was announced when the entries were closed. The greatest number of entries in any one contest previous to this time was twenty-six.

The long race his assumed even greater proportions than the promoters had anticipated, when the purse of $25,000 in gold was offered for the winners of the first ten places. A capital of $10,000 headed a list of nine others, as follows: Second, $5,000; third, $3,000; fourth, $2,000; fifth, $1,500; sixth, $1,000; seventh, $800; eighth, $700; ninth, $600; tenth, $500.

In addition to this small fortune there have been added side prizes by various accessory makers, which brings the total to be won up to about $40,000. Supplementing the cash prizes are ten bronze plaques, which will be given to the entrants of the ten winning cars. It long has been the rule in motor car racing that the drivers shall receive the cash prizes and the makers the trophies.

Preparations have been made for handling a crowd of 100,000. Parking space for 10,000 automobiles has been provided. In order to prevent accidents to the spectators, 300 men are employed. A military organization, known as the Speedway Guard, is composed of 200 men. These militiamen guard every roadway and gate so that the track has been termed "foolproof." In addition, 100 police and plain clothes men watch the throng throughout the day. A mounted squad aids in directing the crowds to their proper places.

Known as "the greatest race couse in the world," the speedway has been a great centre of attraction for motorists, even when there was no event in progress. The grounds contain 323 acres, all inclosed with a high board fence, and every corner attended by landscape gardeners. There are forty-nine buildings on the grounds, including garages and grandstands. Flower gardens and shrubbery dot the entire tract. The track is two one-half miles in length, and required six months to construct, at a cost of more than $150,000. The entire racing plant as it stands to-day cost more than $800,000.

EDDIE AINSMITH FOR OUTFIELDER

Washington, May 28.—Manager McAleer plans breaking in Eddie Ainsmith as an outfielder when he recovers from his present sprained ankle. He considers the young backstop one of the most natural hitters he has ever seen.

"I'll find a place on this team for Ainsmith," said McAleer to-day. That lad is one of the best players I have ever seen, and as soon as he reports for duty and can show me that his natural stride with the stick is just where it is now—over .300—I'll find a place for him where he can play every day, and be of use to the team. Ainsmith is young and can learn. He has one of the best arms I have ever seen on any young player. Now, the easiest thing in baseball is to learn how to catch a fly ball in the outfield. Of course, some men are always better than others, but almost anybody can be taught how to catch them in some fashion.

"When Easterly, of Cleveland, started in at the field, he didn't look very good. He certainly had no grace, but he caught the ball. He is a better fielder now than he was when he started, but he had to learn.

"I don't see why a fly behind the plate is any harder or even as hard to catch as a fly in the field, or vice versa. A fly ball is a fly ball, and I have a strong opinion that this lad Ainsmith can learn in a short time to be one of the best hitting outfielders in the league.

WIN OR LOSE, WILL KEEP BELT

New York, May 28.—Matt Wells, the English lightweight champion, has brought over the Lord Lonsdale belt, valued at $15,000, which he won from Freddie Welsh. No matter whether Wells suffers a defeat on points or by a knockout while in this country he will hold the English title, for the belt must be contested for at the National Sporting Club of London under certain rules and regulations. Wells says he intends to return to England next fall, when he hopes to get another match with the present British champion. The Madison Athletic Club, of Harlem, which staged the last Brown-Murphy battle, insists that Wells will box ten rounds with Jack Goodman there next Friday night, the conditions calling for catch weights.

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BOSTON TAR BABY TO FIGHT SMITH

New York, May 28.—Sam Langford, rather than remain idle, has agreed to box ten rounds with Farmer Jim Smith, of Westchester, at the National Sporting Club next Thursday night. Smith's recent victory over Morris Harris warranted the bout with Langford, and the latter promptly accepted when he heard from Tom O'Rourke. Smith comes very near being the best lightweight in America, and as he has improved wonderfully O'Rourke thinks he may make things extremely interesting for the Boston tar baby.

BATTLE IN AIR MAY BE STAGED

Chicago, May 28.—The Aero Club of America is working hard to make the Chicago meet a success. The completion of the $100,000 guarantee fund for the aviation meet in Grant Park, on the lake front, August 12 to 20, insures the holding of the meet. The announcement was made at a dinner given by Harold F. McCormick to the members of the Aero Club of Illinois. A prize of $200 was ordered to be offered to artists of Chicago for the best poster design submitted before June 1.

The executive committee will communicate with the War Department at once with a view to securing the entries of the army and navy aviators. One of the features of the meet will be, if suitable tactics can be arranged, a theoretical attack on Chicago by aeroplanes and the defense by another group, thus staging, for the first time in aviation history, an actual "battle in the air."

Not only is it hoped that thirty-six of the best of the world's air men will be in Chicago in August, but there will be women fliers also. It is more than likely that the Baroness de la Roche, Mlle. Helene Dutrieu and Mlle. Marie Varvingt, of France, and Mrs. Martin, the British aviatrice, wife of J. W. Martin, the American aviator, will be seen in their flying machines at the Chicago aerodrome.

The meet is designed more for educational purposes and for developing the usefulness of the aeroplane than for any other reason. It is not to be a money-making scheme. Any surplus that remains after all expenses have been paid will be turned over to the United Charities.

MARYLAND REFUSES AUTO CONCESSIONS

Washington, May 28.—Reciprocity is now the slogan of the District of Columbia authorities with respect to treatment of automobilists on the two sides of the Maryland-District of Columbia line. For the privilege of using the roads of Maryland the motorists of this city are compelled to register their cars with John E. George, motor vehicle commissioner of Maryland. The fees secured from Washington automobile owners amount to about $40,000 this year.

Efforts to secure a reciprocity agreement with Maryland whereby District motorists would be able to tour over the roads of that State in return for a like concession from the District having failed, the commissioners have adopted a regulation, which is now in effect, requiring Maryland motorists entering the District to display a District license tag on their machine.

PITTSBURG WINS BY GOOD HITTING

Both Pitchers, Suggs and Leifield, of Opposing Teams, Are Hit Hard.

WAGNER'S BATTING TIMELY

Rain Prevents Game Between Chicago and St. Louis.

Cincinnati, O., May 28.—Opportune hitting allowed Pittsburg to win from Cincinnati to-day, 7 to 5. Wagner's batting was timely. Both Suggs and Leifield were hit hard. The score:

Pittsburg.	AB	H	O	A	E	Cincinnati.	AB	H	O	A	E
Byrne, 3b..	5	1	1	2	1	Bescher, lf	5	3	2	0	0
Leach, cf..	3	1	3	1	1	Egan, 2b..	3	1	1	4	2
Carey, lf...	5	1	3	0	0	Bates, cf..	4	1	2	0	0
Wagner, ss	3	2	4	3	1	Hb'zel, 1b	4	0	10	1	0
M'K'nie, 2b	4	2	1	4	0	Mitch'l, rf	4	1	2	1	0
Hunter, 1b.	4	2	10	0	0	Grant, 3b..	3	0	2	1	1
Wilson, rf.	4	1	3	0	0	Down'y, ss	4	3	3	4	1
Simon, c...	3	0	1	0	1	Clarke, c..	2	0	5	3	0
Leifield, p..	4	1	1	2	0	Suggs, p..	1	0	0	1	0
						M'Quil'n, p	0	0	0	0	0
						*M'Lean ..	1	0	0	0	0
Totals ...	35	11	27	12	4	Totals ...	31	9	27	15	5

*Batted for Suggs in eighth.

Score by innings:	R.
Pittsburg	1 2 0 0 0 0 1 1 0—7
Cincinnati	0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 2—5

Summary: Two-base hits—Wagner, Byrne, Downey, Egan. Three-base hits—Hunter, Wilson, Bates. Sacrifice hits—Egan, Suggs, Simon, Clarke, Hoblitzel. Stolen base—Carey. Double plays—McKechnie to Wagner to Hunter; Mitchell to Hoblitzel; Egan to Hoblitzel. Left on bases—Pittsburg, 5; Cincinnati, 9. Hits—Off Suggs, 11 in 8 innings; off McQuillen, 0 in 1 inning. First base on balls—Off Leifield, 6; off Suggs, 2; off McQuillen, 1. Struck out—By Leifield, 1; by Suggs, 2; by McQuillen, 1. Time of game, 2:15. Umpires, Klem and Doyle.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

Mobile, 1; Memphis, 7.
New Orleans, 10; Nashville, 8.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Milwaukee, 5; Indianapolis, 3.
Louisville, 12; Minneapolis, 5.
First game—Columbus, 4; St. Paul, 1. Second game—Columbus, 5; St. Paul, 9.
First game—Kansas City, 3 (ten innings). Second game—Kansas City, 8; Toledo, 5.

EASTERN LEAGUE

At Jersey City: Jersey City, 4; Providence, 1.
At Baltimore: Baltimore, 3; Newark, 1.
At Jersey City: Jersey City, 4; Providence, 1.

WHIST TOURNAMENT WILL OPEN TO-DAY

Washington, May 28.—Practically the whole pick of the whisters of this section are here to-day, ready for the opening of the Southern Whist Association's annual tournament to-morrow.

The entry list from the clubs of this city, Baltimore, Norfolk and Richmond is unusually large, and it is expected that the three matches to-morrow and Tuesday will be close.

Last year at Norfolk, the Washington Chess and Whist Club won the team trophy, and the representatives of the local organization are said to have an excellent opportunity to repeat this time.

Wise Defeats Roanoke Rapids.

Roanoke Rapids, N. C., May 28.—Wise defeated Roanoke Rapids here Saturday by the score of 10 to 1, due to the pitching of R. Coleman, who let the strong Roanoke team down without a hit. The only run scored by the home team was the result of a base on balls and an error in the ninth inning. The Wise team fielded and batted well.

Score by innings:	R.	H.	E.
Wise	0 0 0 0 0 0 4 1 0 5—10	9	2
Roanoke	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1— 1	0	4

Batteries: W. R. Coleman and C. Coleman, for Wise; E. Winston and Harrison, for Roanoke Rapids.

Boulevards Defeat Elbas.

The Boulevards defeated the Elbas in a pretty game at the Hermitage Park Saturday afternoon, the feature of the game being the batting of Deasy and the pitching of both Haskins and Lestor. The Boulevards go up against the strong Sidney Star team next Saturday, and a fast game is expected.

Score by innings:	R.	H.	E.
Boulevards	2 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—4	5	2
Elbas	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1	5	3

Batteries: Boulevards, Haskins and Amos; Elbas, Lestor and Fisher.

Summary: Two base hits—Amos, Fisher. Three base hit—Deasy. Stolen bases—Amos, Vaden, Lestor, Butcher. Bases on balls—off Haskins, 3; off Lestor, 5. Struck out—by Haskins, 12; by Lestor, 10. Time of game, one hour and forty-five minutes. Umpire, Gregory. Attendance, 300.

Winning Team a Gold Mine.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 28.—A winning ball team is a gold mine. The Philadelphia Nationals have played to more paid admissions since April 15 than ever before. In 1895 the club made $90,000 on the season, a sum that has never been excelled. But if the Quakers remain factors in this year's race it is predicted that this high-water mark will be nearly doubled.

Batting and Fielding Averages of Colts

Players.	Games.	A.B.	R.	H.	2B.	3B.	H.R.	S.H.	S.B.	T.B.	Per Cent.
Verbout	7	31	4	6	2	0	0	0	0	8	.286
Baker	33	126	32	30	3	1	0	7	0	35	.238
Wallace	28	106	32	37	4	1	2	3	6	46	.349
McCabe	33	132	28	41	8	2	1	8	0	54	.311
Egan	33	118	26	39	8	4	1	3	5	58	.331
Martin	32	128	27	41	5	1	0	2	12	48	.320
Mattis	33	126	26	38	5	3	7	3	8	69	.302
Cowan	33	114	20	28	4	1	0	2	5	34	.246
Sullivan	20	55	5	12	2	0	0	6	2	14	.218
Barker	14	40	4	9	2	2	0	1	1	15	.225
Pierce	11	25	3	5	1	0	0	0	0	6	.209
Donnovan	6	23	6	8	0	0	0	0	0	8	.348
Merchant	2	6	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	.167
Dobson	3	13	3	3	1	0	0	1	2	4	.231
Rapp	1	3	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	5	.667
Totals		1,046	217	300	45	15	12	37	59	405	

Team batting average .287

Players.	Put Outs.	Assists.	Errors.	Total Chances.	Per Cent.
Verbout	3	13	1	17	.941
Baker	37	82	4	123	.967
Wallace	65	5	1	71	.986
McCabe	40	3	6	49	.878
Egan	61	72	13	146	.917
Martin	84	104	17	205	.917
Mattis	47	2	0	49	1.000
Cowan	294	24	10	328	.970
Sullivan	105	17	2	124	.984
Barker	15	20	4	39	.897
Pierce	2	12	2	16	.875
Donnovan	5	11	0	16	1.000
Merchant	0	4	1	5	.800
Dobson	34	0	0	34	1.000
Rapp	0	1	0	1	1.000
Totals	792	370	61	1,223	

Team fielding average .950

DAY IN THE BIG LEAGUES

RESULTS YESTERDAY

NATIONAL.
Pittsburg, 7; Cincinnati, 5.
Chicago-St. Louis, rain.
No other games scheduled.

AMERICAN.
Cleveland, 5; Chicago, 5 (called on account of rain).
St. Louis, 12; Detroit, 6.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.	Last Year.	Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.	Last Year.
New York	23	13	.639	.588	Detroit	30	10	.750	.543
Chicago	22	13	.629	.645	Philadelphia	20	16	.556	.774
Philadelphia	23	15	.603	.433	Chicago	17	16	.515	.345
Pittsburg	21	16	.568	.533	New York	18	17	.514	.667
Cincinnati	16	17	.485	.581	Boston	18	17	.514	.548
St. Louis	15	17	.469	.457	Cleveland	17	22	.436	.433
Brooklyn	14	23	.379	.371	Washington	13	22	.371	.457
Boston	9	20	.237	.412	St. Louis	13	26	.333	.226

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY

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

BRITISH OFFICERS ARE AFTER POLO CUP

This Week Will Witness Greatest Match World Ever Has Seen—Cream of the Ponies Will Be Under Saddle.

New York, May 28.—With only two days intervening before a quartet of British cavalry officers will ride on to the Meadowbrook Hunt Club's polo grounds at Hempstead Plains, Long Island, to meet the American holders of the international polo trophy, the months of preparation for the greatest polo match the world has ever seen are practically complete.

The superlative is warranted, for not since the game began in Persia 2,000 years ago have as many dollars and people backed a contest of this sort. Notwithstanding that there has been some criticism of the prodigal expense to which the American players have gone to provide the cream of polo ponies from the world over, even the English players are backed by a popular subscription fund of $50,000, in addition to what heavy expenses the individual players assume in coming here to try to take away the cup.

From all reports interest in the match extends to four continents—to England and all her colonies in every part of the world, but especially to India, where most of the challenging players have been famous in inter-regimental games, and to the Western States of our own country, and even South America, if for no other reason than that the ponies have been brought from those sections. And the players admit that the ponies play more than half the game.

In two months' practice, in New Jersey and Long Island, the visiting players have become well known, and their playing form has been keenly followed in the practice games. The Americans, including the Waterburys, Harry Payne Whitney and Devereux Milburn, are idols to followers of the game. The British team probably will be made up of Captain Leslie Cheape, Lieutenant Edwards, Captain Hardress Lloyd and Capthin Wilson.

The Meadowbrook field has been surrounded with stands to accommodate thousands of spectators, and boxes have been sold as high as $200 each. The rich, velvety turf has been cultivated, trimmed and rolled for some months, especially for the international contest. The first game is called for Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, and the match will be decided by the best two games out of three.

Polo was introduced into the United States in 1876 by James Gordon Bennett, and the first public match of record was played June 11, 1879, in Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

The first international tournament for the American polo cup was played at Newport in 1886, and on account of the excellent team play of the English and the superiority of their ponies they carried away the cup. That was a quarter of a century ago, and it was not won back until the year before last. Now another team of English army officers is after it again, and has brought a stable of thirty-five high priced English bred polo ponies in an endeavor to lift the trophy.

BLACK CHAMP READY TO MEET ALL COMERS

New York, May 28.—"Look out, Jack! Here comes Sam Langford."

A fat man in the balcony at the National Sporting Club, where Johnson was viewing the "white hopes" Friday night, caused a laugh with this sally, which, however, was not relished by the champion. Johnson got his cue for a speech right there, and made it plain that if some promoter showed him the color of real money he would fight Langford or anybody else.

"I put up $5,000 as a forfeit once to bind a match with Sam Langford, Al Kaufman and our departed friend Stanley Ketchel, but the only one who had nerve enough to cover it and fight was Ketchel. Woodman, who is Langford's manager, backed right down when he found that my money talked, but ever since then he has been telling folks Langford can't get me into the ring.

"Now, to settle this tiresome controversy," continued Johnson, "let me say that if any responsible promoter in America, England or France hangs up a suitable bunch of coin, and there is no interference, I will fight Langford under any conditions Woodman may name. If Langford wants to bet $10,000, or even $20,000, on the side, Lil' Arthur will accommodate him. But I'd rather box with a white man, because that's where the interest and also the money is. I don't want to meet second and third raters, but a man worthy of a battle with me. I am interested in the proposed fight in Oklahoma between Jim Flynn and Carl Morris. I knocked Flynn out several years ago, but they tell me he has improved a lot. He must have shown better form to stop Faufman the way he did. If Morris can put Flynn away in a hurry he'll look like the only real white heavyweight in the world, and just say that I'll give him a match as soon as he is ready. Personally, I think Morris is a big stiff, and if this mill with Flynn is on the level he'll be an exploded phenomenon. But they tell me the sharp fellows out in Oklahoma know how to make things sure, just the way they do at the winter race tracks.

"Mister O'Rourke deserves credit for getting up his white hope tournament. It was good fun, sure enough. Palzer is a very promising young fellow who needs experience. He is game, and likes to fight. That's half of it, my boy. If a fellow is chicken-hearted and doesn't care for boxing, good night. I'm not worrying about my title just now, because I don't see anybody that can make me perspire. But young fellows are springing up all the time, and some day we may discover one who can give me a fight. Then, I say, may the best man win."

CONLEY RECEIVES SEVERE BEATING

New Orleans, La., May 28.—Joe Coster, of Brooklyn, administered a severe beating to Frankie Conley, of Kenosha, Wis., in a twenty-round bout at the West Side Athletic Club, Algiers, this afternoon. Three judges were unanimous in awarding the Brooklyn boy the honors, and he is now slated to meet Abe Attell for the featherweight championship.

Conley was a 7 to 5 favorite with the crowd, which fairly well filled the big arena and sweltered in the excessive heat. Both boys appeared to be in excellent condition, and when they stepped upon the official scales they tipped the beam at 122 pounds.

Coster led off with a left to the chin, a short, vicious jab, which he used almost at will after the eighth round, cutting the Kenosha boy's lips until they were raw. Conley became wilder as the fight proceeded, missing right and left swings and running into stunning right and left jabs to the face.

Only in the seventh round did Conley make much of a showing against Coster. He then forced the fighting, and in the clinches pushed hefty jabs to Coster's mouth and nose. Three or four times he straightened up the Brooklyn boy with rights and lefts to the face and wind, getting a few short left jabs in return, the bell ending the second round after Conley had added a hard jab on Coster's face.

In the first, fifth, sixth, fifteenth and nineteenth rounds the honors were about even, but with the exception of the seventh Coster had the fighting all his own way, beating Conley at his own game of infighting, breaking through his guard and bobbing his head back and forth with right and left swings. It was the first time Coster had engaged in a twenty-round bout, and was his first appearance here.

CLASSY FIELD OF DISTANCERS

New York, May 28.—As classy a field of professional distancers as has been seen in competition hereabouts in many moons will star in the twenty-mile run which will be held on Decoration Day at McNulty Field here. Tom Longboat, the Canadian Indian, who sent in his entry for the run several days ago, is confident of carrying off the honors. The mighty son of the Onondagas will have to go at his best, however, as he will be pitted against Hans Holmer, winner of the Powder Hall Marathon; Gusta Ljungstrom, Henry St. Yves, the sensational French distancer; Jim Crowley, the former winged fistite; Matt Maloney, of Yonkers; Abbe Woods, of Montreal, and Bill Kohlmeinan, of Finland.

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VIRGINIA LEAGUE

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.	Last Year.
Norfolk	20	9	.690	.462
Roanoke	17	13	.567	.577
Richmond	17	14	.548	.483
Petersburg	13	16	.448	.517
Lynchburg	13	19	.406	.442
Danville	10	19	.345	.500

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.
Danville at Norfolk.
Richmond at Petersburg.
Lynchburg at Roanoke.

DETROIT TIGERS LOSE TO ST. LOUIS

Bush's Fielding Is Only Bright Feature of Listless Game.

TIE PLAYED AT CHICAGO

Rain and Darkness End Contest in the Tenth Inning.

Detroit, Mich., May 28.—In a listless game, featured only by Bush's fielding, St. Louis defeated Detroit to-day 12 to 6. The score:

St. Louis.	AB	H	O	A	E	Detroit.	AB	H	O	A	E
Shotton, cf	5	2	2	0	0	Drake, lf..	5	0	2	0	1
Austin, 3b..	3	0	1	5	0	Bush, ss...	5	1	3	6	0
Meloan, rf.	3	1	1	0	0	Cobb, cf...	5	2	0	0	0
Laporte, 2b	4	1	3	3	0	Craw'd, rf	5	2	1	1	0
Hogan, lf..	5	1	2	0	0	Dele'ty, 1b	5	1	11	1	1
Clarke, c...	5	1	3	0	1	Mor'ity, 3b	3	1	0	3	0
Wallace, ss	2	1	0	0	0	O'Le'ry, 2b	4	1	3	4	0
Hal'ran, ss	3	1	1	2	1	Stanage, c	4	2	8	2	1
Rowan, 1b.	5	3	14	0	0	Cov'ton, p	1	0	0	0	0
Ham'ton, p	4	2	0	5	0	Works, p..	1	0	0	0	0
						*Mullin ...	1	1	0	0	0
						†Shaller ..	0	0	0	0	0
						Willett, p.	0	0	0	1	0
Totals ...	38	13	27	15	2	Totals ...	39	11	27	15	3

*Batted for Works in seventh.
†Ran for Mullin.

Score by innings:	R.
St. Louis	2 0 3 0 4 0 0 1 2—12
Detroit	0 2 0 0 0 2 0 2 0— 6

Summary: Two-base hits—Moriarity, Hamilton, Meloan. Three-base hits—Stanage, Cobb, Rowan. Sacrifice hits—Austin, Meloan. Stolen bases—Bush, Cobb, Delehanty (2), Moriarity, Austin. Double play—Crawford to Stanage. Left on bases—St. Louis, 7; Detroit, 7. Hits—Off Covington, 4 in 2 innings (none out in third); off Works, 5 in 5 innings; off Willett, 4 in 2 innings. Struck out—By Works, 6; by Willett, 1; by Hamilton, 2. First base on balls—Off Covington, 4; off Works, 1; off Willett, 2; off Hamilton, 2. Time of game, 2:20. Umpires, Mullen and Evans.

PLAY TO A TIE

Chicago, Ill., May 28.—Rain and darkness put an end to the second game of the series here to-day in the tenth inning, with the score 5 to 5. Cleveland hit Walsh hard in the seventh for four runs, and Chicago did the same to Harkness in the ninth, tying the score. The score:

Chicago.	AB	H	O	A	E	Cleveland.	AB	H	O	A	E
M'Int're, rf	4	1	3	0	0	Graney, rf	4	0	1	0	0
Lord, 3b....	4	1	1	0	0	Olson, ss..	5	1	2	3	1
Doug'ty, lf.	3	2	1	1	0	Jacks'n, cf	5	3	4	0	0
Bodie, cf...	4	2	2	0	0	Stovall, 1b	5	2	9	0	0
Collins, 1b..	4	2	5	2	0	Bir'am, lf.	4	1	2	1	0
Tan'hill, 2b	2	0	0	3	0	Turner, 3b	3	2	1	1	0
Chou'rd, *2b	1	0	0	0	0	Ball, 2b....	4	1	2	2	0
Corhan, ss.	2	0	4	2	0	Land, c...	4	1	7	6	0
Zeider, ss..	1	0	1	0	2	Hark'ss, p	4	0	0	0	0
Sullivan, c.	2	0	8	0	0	Gregg, p..	0	0	1	0	0
Payne, c...	2	1	2	0	0						
Walsh, p...	4	0	2	8	0						
*Messenger	1	0	0	0	0						
†Callahan..	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals ...	34	9	20	16	2	Totals ...	38	11	129	12	1

*Batted for Tannehill in eighth.
†Batted for Corhan in eighth.
‡Two out when game was called.

Score by innings:	R.
Chicago	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0—5
Cleveland	0 0 0 0 1 0 4 0 0—5

Summary: Two-base hit—Jackson. Three-base hits—Dougherty, Bodie. Sacrifice hit—Turner. Stolen bases—Dougherty, Jackson, Land, Payne. Double plays—Birmingham to Land to Turner; Land to Ball; Gregg to Stovall. Left on bases—Chicago, 3; Cleveland, 6. Hits—Off Harkness, 7 in 8 innings, off Gregg, 2 in 1 2-3 innings. First base on balls—Off Harkness, 3; off Walsh, 2. Struck out—By Walsh, 8; by Harkness, 3; by Gregg, 2. Time of game, 2:05. Umpires, Dineen and O'Loughlin.

AMUSEMENTS

Academy—"The Girl of the Golden West."
Lubin—Vaudeville.

Academy Stock To-Night.

The Schiller Players will begin their summer season at the Academy to-night in a great production of David Belasco's well-known success, "The Girl of the Golden West." It was originally announced that this play would be presented for the entire week, but owing to the prior engagement of the Academy for the commencement of the Woman's College on Thursday night, June 1, it was found necessary to announce that the company would lay off on that night, and such was the intention of the management, until it was intimated that a worthy charity might be benefited by a performance at the Bijou Theatre on that night. For a long time there has been on foot a movement to endow one or more free beds in the Memorial Hospital for children, and the management of the Schiller Players and the management of the Academy announce that they will move the company to the Bijou Theatre for a benefit performance, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Memorial Hospital for Thursday night.

The company engaged for the Academy is said to be the best ever brought here.

Barton Heights Defeated.

The Invincibles defeated Barton Heights Saturday by the score of 8 to 3. The feature of the game was the pitching of Gentry, for the Invincibles, who struck out ten men and only allowed two hits.

Score by innings:	R.	H.	E.
Invincibles	1 1 1 0 1 2 1 1 0—8	8	2
Barton Heights	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—3	2	3

New World's Record.

New York, May 28.—A world's record of 141 feet 4 3-8 inches for throwing the discus was established to-day by Martin J. Sheridan, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, at Celtic Park. The previous record was set by him two years ago at 139 feet 10 1-2 inches.

In a new contest-throwing, instead of putting a thirty-five-pound weight from a seven-foot circle, Mat McGrath set the mark at 53 feet 11 inches.

In the 100-yard dash, Gwynn Henry, the Texas sprinter, starting from scratch, negotiated the distance in 10 seconds flat.

National Champion Wins.

Newark, N. J., May 28.—Frank Kramer, the national bicycle champion, today won the national championship one-mile race, taking two of the three heats, respectively, in 2:50 and 3:01 4-5. The odd heat went to Joe Fogler. Floyd MacFarland won the one-mile handicap, starting from sixty yards, in 1:56 4-5.

Vanderbilt's Hessian Wins.

Paris, May 28.—W. K. Vanderbilt's Hessian to-day won the Prix Du Trocadero, at eleven furlongs, at the Long Champs course. His La Hire finished second for the Prix Du Parc Princes, a three-year-old event, at eleven furlongs, stake $2,000. Nash Turner's Alby was second for the Prix De Neuilly, a selling race, at once mile and seven furlongs.

To Arrange for Prize Meet.

Washington, May 28.—A delegation of Savannah, Ga., business men, including Mayor Tiedemann and several Aldermen, are en route to New York, where they will meet officials of the Automobile Club of America and arrange for holding the next grand prize automobile race in Savannah. A request for the Vanderbilt Cup race, which has hitherto been run over the Long Island course, will also be made by the delegation.

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Standing of Colt Pitchers

Name.	Games	Won.	Lost.	Tied.	P.C.
Barker	6	2	4	0	.333
Pierce	8	2	5	1	.250
Verbout	6	5	1	0	.833
Lothrop	4	2	2	0	.500
Trevillian	1	0	1	0	.000
Donnovan	6	4	1	1	.667
Merchant	1	1	0	0	1.000
Rapp	1	1	0	0	1.000
Totals	33	17	14	2	.548

Ward worked only one inning of one game.

BOSTON WANTS BALL ON SUNDAY

Boston, May 28.—Armed with a petition bearing 10,000 signatures, Benjamin F. Sullivan, of East Boston, intends to go to Washington this week to persuade Secretary of War Stimson to allow Sunday baseball games at the forts in Boston Harbor.

Opposition to the games, Mr. Sullivan said, comes from ministers, who fear that Sunday baseball at the forts might, if permitted, be an entering wedge for a general Sunday baseball movement in Boston and throughout the State.

Baseball on Sunday has been played at Fort Banks, Fort Warren and other places down the harbor until last year, when a protest by the citizens of Winthrop was carried to the United States district attorney and the War Department ordered the games stopped.

Pertinent Comment

BY GUS MALBERT

Until the Lynchburg meeting of the Virginia League, which is to be held in the Hill City next Wednesday, is over, volumes upon volumes will be written in anticipation of what the magnates will actually do. The importance of the meeting cannot be overestimated. Optimists to the contrary notwithstanding, the Virginia League needs some mighty bolstering before things run smoothly, if, indeed, they ever do run smoothly again.

While it is not desired to emphasize the strained relations between the chief executive of the league and certain other interests, the fact that these relations are strained is at once apparent to readers of the daily papers. If the Lynchburg meeting is to amount to anything at all, it must first of all resolve itself into