PITTSBURGH WINS OPENER AT HOME

President Tener, of National League, and Other Celebrities Witness Game.

ST. LOUIS DEFEATED, 5 TO 1

Misplays by Visitors and Opportune Hitting Cause of Victory.

National League Results

YESTERDAY'S SCORES.

Philadelphia, 4; New York, 12.
Chicago, 2; Cincinnati, 1.
Pittsburgh, 5; St. Louis, 1.
Boston, 9; Brooklyn, 1.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Pittsburgh	7	1	.877
Philadelphia	4	2	.666
Brooklyn	3	2	.600
Chicago	3	4	.428
New York	2	3	.400
St. Louis	3	5	.375
Cincinnati	2	4	.333
Boston	2	4	.333

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

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

Pittsburgh, April 23.—In the presence of Governor Tener, of Pennsylvania, president of the National League, and other baseball celebrities, the Pittsburgh Pirates opened their home season this afternoon, defeating St. Louis, 5 to 1.

Misplays by the visitors netted the Pirates three runs in the fourth inning, and opportune hitting in the sixth round added two more. Adams pitched a steady game throughout for the home team. Score:

Pittsburgh. St. Louis.

AB	R	H	O	A	E		AB	R	H	O	A	E
Lavery, lf	4	0	2	1	1	Huggins, 2b	4	1	1	2	3	0
Kelly, cf	4	1	1	4	0	Magee, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Mowrey, 2b	4	1	1	3	3	Butler, rf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Wagner, ss	4	1	1	1	4	Miller, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Bigbee, rf	4	1	1	2	0	Wilson, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
Kelly, 1b	4	1	1	9	0	Dolan, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	0
Gibson, c	4	0	1	4	1	Crespi, 2b	4	1	1	2	4	0
Adams, p	3	1	0	0	4	Snyder, c	4	0	1	4	1	0
						Ames, p	2	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	35	5	8	27	11	Totals	34	1	8	27	11	1

Score by innings: R.

Pittsburgh	0 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 0—5
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1

Summary: Two-base hits—Huggins, Magee, Butler, Miller, Wilson, Crespi. Three-base hit—Adams. Double-play—Wilson to Snyder. Left on bases—Pittsburgh, 8; St. Louis, 7. Bases on balls—Off Adams, 1; off Ames, 1. Struck out—By Adams, 3; by Ames, 1. Hit by pitcher—By Ames (Kelly). Wild pitch—Hagerman. Umpires—Orth and Byron. Time of game, 1:45.

BRAVES WIN OPENING GAME

Boston, April 23.—The Braves won the opening game of the season for the home people from the Brooklyns, 9 to 1. Tyler gave eleven bases on balls, but the Brooklyns could hit him at opportune times. The Braves banged hits on Rixon and Wagner and drove them both from the mound. Wallace fell on Pfeffer, who finished the eleventh inning for three more Brooklyn runs. Score:

Brooklyn. Boston.

AB	R	H	O	A	E		AB	R	H	O	A	E
Myers, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0	Maranville, ss	4	1	1	2	4	0
Daubert, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0	Evers, 2b	4	1	1	3	4	0
Wheat, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0	Schmidt, c	4	1	1	9	0	0
Stengel, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0	Gowdy, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mowrey, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0	Mann, rf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Olson, 2b	4	0	1	2	4	0	Cravath, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Wheat, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0	Deal, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	0
Fischer, ss	4	0	1	1	3	0	Rudolph, p	4	0	0	0	3	0
Rixon, c	4	0	1	9	0	0	Tyler, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallace, p	3	0	0	0	2	0	Pfeffer, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pfeffer, p	0	0	0	0	0	0							
Totals	35	0	8	27	11	0	Totals	36	9	9	27	14	0

Score by innings: R.

Brooklyn	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Boston	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—2

Summary: Two-base hits—Maranville, Mann, Deal. Sacrifice hits—Myers, Olson, Fischer, Rudolph. Stolen bases—Maranville, Evers, Mann, Deal. Double-plays—Maranville and Deal; Maranville, Evers and Deal. Left on bases—Brooklyn, 8; Boston, 7. Bases on balls—Off Rudolph, 1; off Tyler, 11; off Pfeffer, 1; off Wallace, 1. Struck out—By Rudolph, 3; by Tyler, 3; by Pfeffer, 1; by Wallace, 1. Hit by pitcher—By Tyler (Wheat). Wild pitch—Tyler. Umpires—Rigler and Emslie. Time of game, 2:00.

WINS FIRST HOME GAME

Chicago, April 23.—Pitcher Douglas held Chicago to four hits three of which were doubles, and the locals won their first home game of the season from Cincinnati to-day, 2 to 1. Score:

Cincinnati. Chicago.

AB	R	H	O	A	E		AB	R	H	O	A	E
Groh, 3b	4	0	1	1	3	0	Saier, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Bescher, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0	Williams, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Bates, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0	Zeider, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	0
Neis, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	0	Merkle, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
Groh, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0	Zwilling, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Rariden, c	4	0	1	4	0	0	Deal, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Luderus, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0	Archer, ss	4	0	1	2	3	0
Gonzales, ss	4	0	1	1	3	0	Wilson, c	4	0	1	9	0	0
Douglas, p	3	0	1	0	3	0	Douglas, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	35	0	9	27	12	0	Totals	35	2	9	27	12	0

Score by innings: R.

Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—2

Summary: Two-base hits—Douglas (2). Sacrifice hits—Douglas, Williams. Stolen bases—Groh, Neis, Groh, Luderus, Gonzales, Douglas, Williams, Zeider, Merkle, Archer. Double-plays—Neis and Groh; Archer, Zeider and Merkle. Left on bases—Cincinnati, 6; Chicago, 8. Bases on balls—Off Douglas, 1. Struck out—By Douglas, 3. Hit by pitcher—By Douglas (Luderus). First base on balls—Off Douglas. Time of game, 1:35. Umpires—Klem and Harte.

EASY VICTORY FOR GIANTS

New York, April 23.—The New York Nationals opened their home season to-day with an easy victory over Philadelphia, 12 to 4. Tesreau pitched strong game for New York, holding the Phillies to four hits in seven innings and striking out five men. Score:

Philadelphia. New York.

AB	R	H	O	A	E		AB	R	H	O	A	E
Paskert, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0	Becker, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Bancroft, ss	4	0	1	2	4	0	Burns, lf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Luderus, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0	Doyle, 2b	4	1	1	2	3	0
Mayer, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0	Merkle, 1b	4	1	1	9	0	0
Cravath, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0	Murray, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Dugey, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0	Stack, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Becker, c	4	0	1	9	0	0	Lelan, ss	4	0	1	2	3	0
Reed, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	0	Meyers, c	4	0	1	9	0	0
Seaton, p	3	0	0	0	2	0	Tesreau, p	4	0	1	0	3	0
Killifer, c	1	0	0	0	0	0							
Totals	36	0	4	24	11	0	Totals	36	4	12	24	14	0

Score by innings: R.

Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
New York	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4—4

Summary: Errors—Bancroft, Burns, Mayer, Killifer, Tesreau. Sacrifice hits—Becker, Seaton. Stolen bases—Becker, Burns, Doyle, Murray, Lelan, Meyers, Tesreau. Double-plays—Philadelphia, 1; New York, 1. Left on base—Philadelphia, 4; New York, 9. Bases on balls—Off Seaton, 1; off Tesreau, 1. Struck out—By Seaton, 1; by Tesreau, 5. Hit by pitcher—By Seaton (Becker). Wild pitch—Seaton. Umpires—Klem and Byron. Time of game, 1:35.

Wins Seventh Straight.

Cluster Springs, Va., April 23.—Cluster Springs Academy won her seventh straight game this afternoon, defeating South Boston Athletics in a slow and featureless game. The score was 6 to 5.

TOO MUCH JOHNSON IS STORY OF GAME

He of Boston Outpitches Mighty Walter, and Climbers Lose Game.

RED SOX WIN BY SCORE 5 TO 0

About 500 Richmond People See Opening of Season in Washington.

American League Results

YESTERDAY'S SCORES.

Cleveland, 4; Chicago, 1.
Washington, 0; Boston, 5.
Philadelphia, 3; New York, 5.
St. Louis, 1; Detroit, 3.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	7	2	.777
Detroit	6	2	.700
New York	4	2	.666
Washington	4	3	.570
Boston	3	4	.428
St. Louis	3	5	.375
Philadelphia	2	4	.333
Cleveland	1	8	.111

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

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

BY GUS MALBERT.

Washington, April 23.—Even the mighty Walter can lose sometimes. He gave a very good illustration of this to-day, when, before a crowd estimated at 15,000 people, he disappointed every one of them, including some 500 souls from Richmond, who had made an especial trip to the capital for the sole purpose of seeing the Swedish phenom perform, by letting the Red Sox win, 5 to 0.

It wasn't exactly Richmond day, but there were enough here to make the prestige of the metropolis of the Old Dominion quite positively felt. They were Washington fans, there can be no question about that, and for six of the nine innings they had their fill of enjoyment while the blond-haired titan hurled such balls as he alone can hurl. They yelled and yelled, and then yelled more, as many after many seconds the rubber to be mowed down like early peach blooms in a frosty springtime. Johnson never worked better than he did for those six frames.

The story briefly told is that, bromidic as it may sound, there was entirely too much Johnson. An explanation is due. Walter Johnson occupied the hill for the Washingtonians, and still there was another Johnson in the field. His name is Jim or James, depending upon the part of Boston you hail from. But be that as it may, Jim or James, in an endeavor to please Tuthermont Street and Beacon Hill, proved worthy the patronymic he bears and likewise worthy to wear the mantle of the flaxen-coated individual from the "wild and woolly," once Walter decides to give up the business of pitching for the more lucrative, but less pleasing pastime of sheep-raising.

Johnson of Boston actually outpitched Johnson of Washington. He blanked the Climbers. It may not happen again this year or next year or for many years to come, but just at this writing the Bostonian has the edge. In the first place, he allowed but six hits, while Sir Walter was biffed successfully nine times. In the matter of strike-outs, Walter gains the decision, but for all-around effectiveness, the count goes to Teaville.

However, it was a grand exhibition of what a ball game can be made. Fielding stunts of the near-hair-raising kind were pulled off time and again. Speaker nailed a fly that edged from the hat of Clyde Milan after a heartrending and nerve-racking run, and Milan's realism literally robbed Speaker of a safe blow in the sixth, when he catapulted into a lift into the shillalah of the man who is always running Ty Cobb a close second for premier slugging honors.

The first count of the game came in the seventh, with one man out. Walker was hit twice in succession, which, with a wobble by Howard Shanks in left, brought home the initial pay check. Three came over in the eighth, due to some more lurid fielding, aided by some clouting of the sphere. Just to add more gall to the wormwood, the Red Sox lead-off Speaker drove home another, making a quintet, in the ninth.

Once or twice the Senators challenged, but their efforts were always shortive. They were beaten, and beaten by a club that to-day played the better brand of baseball. Of course, the people on the Richmond special were disappointed, but they had a good time, and they enjoyed themselves. Everywhere they were greeted with the warm hand and even the regional bank bidder was forgotten by the goodly bunch of Washington. The score:

Boston. Washington.

AB	R	H	O	A	E		AB	R	H	O	A	E
Hooper, rf	4	1	1	2	0	0	Moeller, rf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Henriksen, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	0	Milan, cf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Lewis, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0	Speaker, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Gardner, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0	Judge, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
Hoblitzel, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0	Morgan, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	0
Carrigan, c	4	0	1	4	1	0	Pickering, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Scott, ss	4	0	1	1	3	0	Shanks, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Wood, p	3	0	0	0	2	0	Henry, ss	4	0	1	2	3	0
							Ainsmith, c	4	0	1	9	0	0
							Johnson, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	35	5	8	27	11	0	Totals	35	0	8	27	12	0

Score by innings: R.

Boston	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5—5
Washington	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Summary: Two-base hit—Henriksen. Sacrifice hits—Henriksen, Carrigan, Johnson. Stolen bases—Hooper, Henriksen, Lewis, Gardner, Hoblitzel, Carrigan, Scott, Moeller, Milan, Speaker, Judge, Morgan, Pickering, Henry, Ainsmith. Double-plays—Henriksen and Hoblitzel; Henry, Morgan and Judge. Left on bases—Boston, 7; Washington, 8. Bases on balls—Off Johnson, 1; off Wood, 1. Struck out—By Johnson, 3; by Wood, 2. Hit by pitcher—By Johnson (Scott). Wild pitch—Johnson. Umpires—Dineen and Chill. Time of game, 1:52.

COBB WINS FOR DETROIT

St. Louis, April 23.—Cobb's sacrifice fly in the tenth inning scoring Navarre, whose double had scored Bush, gave Detroit a victory here to-day. St. Louis had the visitors beaten one more frame in this inning, and made the score 1 to 0 in its favor. Score:

St. Louis. Detroit.

AB	R	H	O	A	E		AB	R	H	O	A	E
Austin, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0	Bush, ss	4	0	1	2	3	0
Pratt, ss	4	0	1	2	3	0	Navarre, rf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Williams, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0	Cobb, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Austin, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0	Veach, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Gedeon, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	0	Crawford, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Ireland, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0	Stanage, c	4	0	1	9	0	0
Stephens, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0	Dubuc, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
Severeid, c	4	0	1	9	0	0	Cole, p	4	0	1	0	3	0
Davenport, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0							
Leverett, p	3	0	0	0	2	0							
Totals	35	0	9	27	10	0	Totals	36	1	9	27	11	0

Score by innings: R.

St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Detroit	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1

Summary: Sacrifice hits—Williams, Stephens, Navarre, Cobb, Crawford, Stanage, Cole. Stolen bases—Austin, Williams, Austin, Gedeon, Ireland, Stephens, Navarre, Veach, Crawford, Stanage, Dubuc. Double-plays—Gedeon and Davenport; Bush, Navarre and Dubuc. Left on bases—St. Louis, 8; Detroit, 8. Bases on balls—Off Leverett, 1; off Cole, 1. Struck out—By Leverett, 1; by Cole, 3. Hit by pitcher—By Leverett (Navarre). Wild pitch—Leverett. Umpires—Chill and Sheridan. Time of game, 1:52.

SNATCH VICTORY IN EIGHTH

Philadelphia, April 23.—Frank Chance's Yanks snatched a victory from the Athletics by an eighth inning rally, which netted four runs. The final tally was 5 to 3. The Athletics started off with a run and knocked King Cole, the Yankee star artist, out of the box in two innings.

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ROANOKE VICTOR IN RAGGED GAME

Opening Contest at Home With Portsmouth Results in Score of 11 to 10.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Roanoke, Va., April 23.—The opening game of the season in Roanoke this afternoon resulted in a victory for the Tigers by a score of 11 to 10. It was a ragged exhibition of baseball, as the score would indicate. Errors, hits, sensational catches, and erratic box work went to make up the great variety of stuff handed out, both by the Tigers and the Pirates.

In the first round, Malloy started in to do the twirling for the Roanoke team, but he was helpless, not being able to locate the plate. After yielding several passes he was relieved by Barnhart. Barnhart in turn was sent to the bench in the second for a like weakness. Boyle, the Carolina League twirler, took up the burden and held the visitors to two runs after he got out of the hole he found his team in. Muth, for Portsmouth, was hit hard when hits counted. Portsmouth tied it up at 10 and 10 in the sixth, but lost in the eighth by one tally. The game abounded in errors. The score:

Roanoke.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Moran, cf	5	1	1	3	0	0
Mills, rf	4	3	1	0	0	0
Goalby, 2b	3	2	2	3	3	1
Burke, lf	4	1	1	4	0	1
Graham, 1b	5	1	1	3	0	1
Irmscher, 3b	5	1	1	0	1	1
Hummel, ss	3	1	0	4	4	3
Welscher, c	3	0	2	10	0	0
Malloy, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Barnhart, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Boyle, p	3	1	2	0	1	0
Totals	34	11	11	27	10	7

Portsmouth.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Knox, rf	5	2	1	2	0	0
Boyd, ss	4	3	2	0	1	1
Karst, 2b	1	0	0	0	2	1
O'Brien, cf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Alexander, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Cook, c and 2b	4	1	2	1	1	1
Howsella, 2b	5	1	1	3	3	0
Tannehill, 1b	5	0	1	11	0	0
Copeland, c	2	1	0	3	1	0
Muth, p	3	1	0	0	2	0
*Schwartzje	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	10	9	24	10	3

*Batted for Muth in ninth.

Score by innings:	R.
Roanoke	5 3 2 0 0 0 1 1 x—11
Portsmouth	2 4 1 0 0 2 0 0 0—10

Summary: Two-base hits—Irmscher, Alexander. Three-base hits—Burke, Boyle, Cook, 2. Stolen bases—Graham, Irmscher, Welscher, 2, Boyd. Sacrifice hits—Goalby, Burke, Welscher, Cook. Sacrifice fly—Graham. Bases on balls—Off Malloy, 2; off Barnhart, 3; off Boyle, 1; off Muth, 3. Left on bases—Roanoke, 7; Portsmouth, 10. Hit by pitched ball—Copeland, 2 (by Boyle); Goalby (by Muth). Hits—Off Barnhart, 1; off Boyle, 8. Struck out—By Barnhart, 2; by Boyle, 6; by Muth, 1. Time of game, two hours. Umpires, Norcum and McKee. Attendance, 1,200.

GOLF HANDICAPS ARE ANNOUNCED

Ouimet and Travers Placed at Scratch, With Evans Given One Hole.

New York, April 23.—The handicap list for this year, issued yesterday by the United States Golf Association, contains the names only of those players who are eligible for competition in the national championship tournament with handicaps of five strokes or better.

Jerome T. Travers, the national champion, and Francis Ouimet, national open champion, are placed together on scratch. Charles Evans, Jr., who reached the semi-finals in last year's championship tournament stands alone with a handicap of one. J. G. Anderson, the runner up last year together with W. J. Travis, a former champion, and Warren K. Wood, the Western champion are rated at two strokes each.

In the next division with three strokes each are four former champions—E. M. Byers, H. C. Egan, W. C. Fownes, Jr., and R. A. Gardner. Findlay S. Douglas, who won the amateur honors sixteen years ago is rated at four strokes and L. A. James, winner in 1902, has a rating of five. In all, there are sixty-two with four strokes or better and 165 with five strokes each.

Among the Southern golfers in the list with a handicap of four strokes is F. F. Mayberry, Charleston C. C., South Carolina.

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Federal Team Opens Season in Chicago, and Home Team Wins.

Federal League Results

YESTERDAY'S SCORES.

Chicago, 9; Kansas City, 1.
Pittsburgh, 6; Brooklyn, 5.
Baltimore, 3; Buffalo, 4.
Indianapolis, 0; St. Louis, 3.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
St. Louis	6	1	.857
Buffalo	3	2	.600
Baltimore	3	3	.500
Indianapolis	3	4	.428
Brooklyn	2	3	.400
Kansas City	3	5	.375
Chicago	3	5	.375
Pittsburgh	1	3	.250

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

Buffalo at Baltimore.
St. Louis at Indianapolis.
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.
Kansas City at Chicago.

Chicago, April 23.—Chicago's Federal League team opened its season here to-day, and Joe Tinker's men regained their batting eyes and defeated the Kansas City club, 9 to 1. Art Wilson, former catcher for the New York Nationals, knocked out two home runs. Score by innings: R. H. E.

Kansas City	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1 5 2
Chicago	0 3 1 2 0 2 0 1 0—9 16 1

Batteries: Johnson, Stone, Hogan and Easterly; Hendrix and Wilson.

Victory for Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 23.—The Pittsburgh Federals to-day defeated Brooklyn, 6 to 5. The visitors used three pitchers, while Barger, for the locals, although allowing eight hits, was invincible in pinches.

Score by innings: R. H. E.

Brooklyn	0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—5 8 3
Pittsburgh	1 2 0 0 0 0 2 0 1—6 14 4

Batteries: Marion, Chappelle, Lafitte and Owens; Barger and Berry.

Baltimore Beats Buffalo.

Baltimore, April 23.—Baltimore defeated Buffalo to-day, 4 to 3. Krapp relieved Moore in the fourth inning after Baltimore had scored two runs.

Score by innings: R. H. E.

Baltimore	0 1 1 2 0 0 0 0 *—4 9 2
Buffalo	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1—3 5 4

Batteries: Wilhelm and Jacklitsch; Moore, Krapp and Blair.

St. Louis Wins in Ninth.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 23.—St. Louis made three runs in the ninth and won to-day from Indianapolis in the opening game of the season here.

Score by innings: R. H. E.

St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—3 9 0
Indianapolis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 5 2

Batteries: Keupper and Hartley; Falkenberg and Texter.

PEARSON YIELDS ONLY THREE HITS

His Effective Pitching and Loose Work by Norfolk Give Petersburg Game.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Norfolk, Va., April 23.—Effective pitching by Pearson, of Petersburg, and loose work by the Norfolk infield, caused the Tars to lose their first game of the Virginia League season to the Goobers this afternoon by the score of 5 to 4. Pearson held the Mary Janes to three scattered hits, one of them a scratch single, and another a pinch hit by Ulrich in the ninth.

Lawrence, who started for Norfolk, was driven from the mound in three innings. Gaston replaced him in the fourth with one man on and none out. Norfolk threatened to tie the score in the ninth, but with the bases full and two out, Damrau made a good stop on Pressly's grounder, and tagged Ulrich for the force-out. Score:

Petersburg.	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Keller, lf	2	1	0	4	0	0
Laval, cf	4	2	2	2	0	0
Craven, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Jackel, 2b	4	0	2	1	2	1
Damrau, 3b	3	0	0	1	4	0
Busch, ss	4	0	0	1	2	1
Barnett, 1b	4	0	0	10	2	0
Lowe, c	3	1	1	7	0	0
Pearson, p	4	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	33	5	6	27	11	2

Norfolk.	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Tennant, lf	4	1	0	1	0	0
Pressly, 1b	5	1	0	16	2	0
Cleveland, 3b	4	1	1	1	1	1
Hart, cf	4	0	0	0	0	1
McMahon, ss	4	0	0	0	3	1
Allen, rf	2	1	0	2	0	0
Stein, 2b	3	0	0	2	5	1
Stewart, c	3	0	1	6	0	0
Lawrence, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Gaston, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
*Cochran	0	0	0	0	0	0
**Ulrich	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	32	4	3	27	16	4

*Cochran ran for Gaston in sixth.
**Ulrich batted for Gaston in ninth.

Score by innings:	R.
Petersburg	1 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0—5
Norfolk	0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 1—4

Summary: Two-base hits—Stewart. Double plays—Stein to Pressly; McMahon to Stein to Pressly. Innings pitched—By Lawrence, 3; by Gaston, 6. Hits—Off Lawrence, 4; off Gaston, 2. At bat—Against Lawrence, 13; against Gaston, 29. Struck out—By Pearson, 5; by Lawrence, 1; by Gaston, 5. Base on balls—Off Pearson, 4; off Lawrence, 1; off Gaston, 1. Wild pitches—Lawrence. Passed balls—Lowe and Stewart. Hit by pitched balls—Gaston and Allen. Left on bases—Petersburg, 4; Norfolk, 7. Time of game, 2:05. Umpires, Tone and Clark.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

At Birmingham—Birmingham, 7; Montgomery, 2.
At Chattanooga—Chattanooga, 3; Atlanta, 1.
At Memphis—Memphis, 0; Nashville, 1.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE

At Albany—Albany, 8; Macon, 2.
At Columbus—Columbus, 0; Jacksonville, 2.
At Columbia—Columbia, 4; Augusta, 1.
At Savannah—Savannah, 7; Charleston, 2.

Victory for Fredericksburg.

Fredericksburg, Va., April 23.—Fredericksburg High School defeated Sparta High School at baseball here to-day, 15 to 4. Hits—Fredericksburg, 13; Sparta, 6. Errors—Fredericksburg, 4; Sparta, 5. Batteries: Fredericksburg—Sale and Solan; Sparta—Wright and Brooks.

With the Amateurs.

Little Midgets Win.

The Little Midgets defeated the Spring Hill Porters in a very interesting game by the score of 9 to 8 yesterday. The game was well-fought throughout, as it took ten innings for the Midgets to win.

Score by innings:	R.
S. H. P.	2 2 0 0 0 2 0 0 2 0—8
Little Midgets	2 0 2 3 0 0 0 1 0 1—9

Batteries: for Spring Hill, Smith and Moore; for Midgets, L. Caravati and Caravati.

UNION UNIVERSITY HUMBLES LINCOLN

The Virginia Union University baseball team won in careless style from Lincoln University yesterday afternoon by a score of 6 to 2. There was nothing surprising about the game except that the visitors were so easy. It was Lincoln's inability to make herself dangerously felt, coupled with Union's ability to tide over every apparent crisis that made the contest rather one-sided and listless at times. The game was not entirely devoid of features, however. Two thrilling double plays were pulled off by the locals, while Hucles did the starring stunt. Thomas and Barnum made good batteries for the Pennsylvanians.

Union won the game in the first inning. It was one of those old-time swatfests culminating with six runs. In the following inning, Lincoln made her only two tallies. Then the game settled down to seven scoreless innings. Thompson, for Union, proved remarkably cool-headed in his first big game.

Lincoln will leave for Lawrenceville to-day for a game with St. Paul there on Saturday. In the meanwhile Bob Winston will take his charges down to the Peninsula for a game with Hampton Institute. Manager Buckner was successful in contracting with the Lincolnites for a game here next Tuesday afternoon.

A large mid-week crowd witnessed yesterday's game. Score:

Union.

AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.		AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Nash, c	4	1	1	1	1	0	Hogan, 3b	4	0	0	3	3	2
Daniel, 2b	4	1	1	1	4	0	Goss, 2b	4	0	1