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BASE BALL

Tomorrow, October 8
2.30 P. M.

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Sporting News

OLD LOUISVILLE SCANDAL RETOLD

Utterances of John McGraw Recall
Only Case of Proven Dishonesty
in National League Games.

Since the National league was founded in 1876 it has had to deal with but one case of proven dishonesty among its players. That was the famous Louisville scandal of 1877 and, in view of the talk which the recent rash utterance of Manager McGraw of the Giants has occasioned, may well bear retelling.

The Louisville club of that year came east for its last trip of the year looking like a sure winner of the pennant. By winning six of the 12 games to be played the club could make sure of the flag. The first series, one of six games, was to be played against the Hartford team, a second division organization at that time playing on the old Mutual grounds in Brooklyn.

Louisville looked like an easy winner of a majority, if not all of the games. The night before the first contest certain poolrooms in Hoboken, N. J., laid heavy odds that the Hartford team would win. Louisville lost the game the next afternoon through the errors of Graves, Hall and Nichols. Again the poolrooms laid heavy odds on Hartford, and the second game was lost on errors by Devlin, Hall and Nichols.

The bad work was kept up during the whole trip, and the Louisville club returned home with a record of 10 games lost and two won, the Boston club winning the pennant by a margin of three games.

When the players reached Louisville they found rumors of crooked work had preceded them. Devlin called upon President Chase of the club to find out how matters stood. Chase made Devlin believe that he knew far more than he did and gave him until that night to make a full confession. Hall, who had seen Devlin go into Chase's office, went to see the president. Chase saw his opportunity, and by working one man against the other obtained a full confession from each.

The entire team was summoned before the Louisville club directors and each player was asked to give a written order on the Western Union Telegraph company for duplicates of all messages sent out by him during the season. Capt. Graves was the only player to refuse, so he was summarily expelled. Examination of the duplicate telegrams led to the later expulsion of Devlin, Nichols and Hall. Not one of these men was ever permitted to take part in organized baseball thereafter, although Devlin, until the day of his death, pleaded at every National league meeting for reinstatement.

The White Sox won the third straight game from the Cubs yesterday, the score being 3 to 0. Jackson's great hitting featured the contest.

Honus Wagner is unique in baseball in several ways besides being the only man who ever batted for 300 in 17 successive years, and never being a hold-out, he has worked for only one man in his 29 seasons in major league baseball. He went to work for Barney Dreyfuss in Louisville in 1897, and he is still drawing his pay from the same man in Pittsburgh in 1916. No other player has worked for one man anywhere near the same number of years.

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Sporting Notes.
"Rube" Marquard has signed to go on the stump for Wilson as soon as the world's series, in which he is considerably interested, is over.

Two members of the Red Sox are among the 14 American league players who are listed in the 300 batting class. They are Gardner with .311, and Shorten with .297. Brooklyn has two in the National league select class. They are Daulton with an average of .329, and Wheat, whose mark is .319. Shorten has played in only 49 games, but the others have all played in the large majority of the games of their respective clubs.

It is said that Carrigan has decided to play Hoblitzel at first in all games, regardless of the side from which the opposing pitcher flings. Carrigan considers Hoblitzel a better all-around man than Gainer. Capt. Barry is not expected to get into the games unless Janvrin falls down badly. Barry in 93 games hit .298, while Janvrin in 198 games hit for .215. Barry is known to be a good money player, but Janvrin has yet to be tried regularly in a world's series.

Here's a little interesting dope on the comparative batting ability of the rival players, excepting pitchers, in the big series: First basemen, Hoblitzel .264, Daubert .329; second basemen, Janvrin .215, Cutshaw .258; shortstops, Scott .237, Olson .256; third basemen, Gardner .311, Mowrey .243; left fielders, Wheat .310, Lewis .269; center fielders, Myers .261, Walker .267; right fielders, Hooper .268, Stengel .281; catchers, Carrigan .274, Cady .199, Thomas .263, Meyers .249, Miller .262.

Olds are on the Red Sox. Just remember that even the Boston papers two years ago would not admit that the Braves had a chance for the league pennant until after it was clinched. Then remember that the great Philadelphia pitching staff was to make monkeys of the poor hitting Braves. History may not repeat itself, but when you consider what Robinson has been able to do with a very woebly infield all the season, there is a chance of much trouble for Red Sox supporters.

The man who knows the least is often in the biggest hurry to tell it.

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PERSONAL.
R. W. Taber was in Northampton this week to attend the fair.
Miss Marion Whitney of Marlboro is working for Mrs. Glen C. Gould.
Mr. and Mrs. John O. Stone went today to Wilmington to visit a week.
Miss Ruth Robbins went today to her home in Putney to spend the weekend.
Mrs. M. A. Sanderson went this afternoon to Boston to spend the weekend.
Miss Minnie Hodgkins has returned from a visit with relatives in Worcester, Mass.
Mrs. Anna Slate will go today to her home in Holyoke, Mass., to visit over Sunday.
Mrs. Harper of Franklin, N. H., is visiting in town in the home of her brother, George Hodgkins.
Mrs. H. M. Ward, who was a guest of Mrs. Leslie Smith of Putney road, has returned to her home in Northfield, Mass.
Miss Alta Dennison of the Holstein-Friesian office went this afternoon to her home in Bernardston to stay over Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Waste and Attorney A. A. Butterfield of Jacksonville are spending the day in town with friends.
Miss Clara Lindquist, who lately returned from Sioux City, Iowa, where she had been two years, is visiting at A. H. Erickson's.
Mrs. L. M. Pike has resumed work in Sheppy & Blanchard's dressmaking rooms in American building, after a vacation of several weeks.
Miss Marion Simonds will go Thursday to Springfield, where she will act as stenographer for Frederick L. Houghton during the dairy show.
Mrs. Francis P. Blake went to Boston yesterday to spend the week-end with Mr. Blake. She accompanied L. L. Dunham and party there by automobile.
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bingham and grandson, Allen Bingham, went this morning to New York, where Allen will remain through the winter with his father, Harry A. Bingham.
Mrs. E. O. Rice of Fitchburg is expected tonight to visit her cousins, Miss Clara and Miss Nellie Blanchard. Her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Bentley, of Fitchburg, has been here two weeks.

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PERSONAL.
Miss Leach of Gouverneur, N. Y., is a visitor at J. A. Bardwell's.
Mrs. Alice Baird will go tomorrow to New York on business for a few days.
Mrs. Eugene Clark left today for a visit in Forge Village, Littleton, Mass., and Boston.
Dr. Edward J. Henkel of New York is here for a visit of a few days in his old home on Frost street.
Miss Lilah Sherbert has finished work in A. E. Miller's candy store, where she had been working during the summer.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl S. Hopkins and son, Warner, will go tomorrow by automobile to West Rupert, where they will visit until Monday with Mr. Hopkins's brothers.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Olds and daughter, Doris, who had been guests at the Brooks House, went today to Hanover to visit their son, who is a student in Dartmouth college.
Mrs. E. C. Farrington, Mrs. Emma C. Carter, Mrs. Darden of Putney and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carter will go tomorrow by automobile to Barre. Mr. and Mrs. Carter will return Monday by train, the others remaining for a longer stay.

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