

BASEBALL—AMATEUR AND PROFESSIONAL—ATHLETICS.

SENATORS POUND KATOLL TO ALL CORNERS OF OYSTERTOWN

Orioles' Star Twirler the Easiest Kind of a Mark.

SUFFERS ALMOST TOTAL ECLIPSE

Statesmen Turn Out Twenty-three Hits in All.

BIRDS GATHER IN BUT TWO

Prof. Lee's Curves Too Much for Tail Enders—Game Even Up During Early Part—Double Header on Card for Today.

(Special to The Washington Times.)
BALTIMORE, Sept. 12.—The Senators played the star parts this afternoon in a delightful little skit at Union Park, in which they made exceedingly merry at the expense of Herr Katoll, the Orioles' curve dispenser. Katoll is supposed to be Baltimore's star twirler, but today after twinkling a few short fleeting moments he suffered almost a total eclipse.

When the Senators got after him in dead earnest, to use the slang of the hour, Katoll was dead, easy fruit, and the Washington batsmen passed a pleasant afternoon fattening up their batting averages at his expense.

Hits in Plenty.
Twenty-three hits were made off Katoll's delivery, and included in these were four triples and four doubles. Every man jack on the Washington team had some of the good things, and six of the Senators are credited with three hits each.

Twenty-three hits will win most any game, particularly if the other fellows are a little shy in their batting, and today that was exactly the case. While the Senators were plunking out base hits galore there was a perfect frost in the camp of the Orioles.

Prof. Lee, who holds down the chair of ballistics twirler in Tom Lotous' baseball academy, was delegated to hand out the curves and shoots to the Tail-enders and he played his part so well that the Orioles were only able to garner up but two measly little hits in the whole nine innings. That is the whole story, Washington 23 hits; Baltimore, 2.

Off Day for Promises.

The game promised to be very close at the start. For four innings both teams were shut out, but in the fifth the fireworks began to go off. The Senators found Katoll for four singles and scored three runs. In the sixth they bunched two triples and three singles and scored four runs more. In the seventh the good work was kept up and five runs were made on a triple, two doubles, and two singles. Five singles gave three runs more in the eighth.

Baltimore's only run was scored in the sixth, when Robinson singled, advanced on Sebach's out, and scored on Williams' single. These were the only hits Baltimore made in the entire game. Only two men were left on bases for Baltimore and they were put there by bases on balls.

A double-header will be played tomorrow.

The score:
Baltimore. R. B. PO. A. E.
Sebach, R. 0 0 0 0 2
Williams, B. 0 1 2 0 0
Jones, B. 0 0 16 2 0
Arndt, R. 0 0 2 0 1
Howell, C. 0 0 3 0 0
Mathison, B. 0 0 1 2 0
Gibson, R. 0 0 3 0 0
Robinson, C. 1 1 1 0 0
Katoll, P. 0 0 0 4 1
Totals. 15 27 29 4

Washington. R. B. PO. A. E.
Doyle, B. 0 1 3 3 0
Ryan, C. 1 3 6 0 0
Dechanty, R. 3 3 2 0 0
Keister, R. 2 2 1 1 0
Coughlin, B. 3 3 0 0 0
Carey, B. 2 2 6 1 0
Ely, S. 2 2 2 2 0
Drill, C. 2 2 4 1 0
Lee, P. 1 2 2 1 0
Totals. 15 23 27 9

Earned runs—Baltimore, 1; Washington, 13. Two-base hits—Dechanty, Carey. Three-base hits—Ryan, Dechanty, Keister, Drill. Bases stolen—Coughlin. Double plays—Gibson, Williams and Jones; Jones and Gibson. Bases on balls—Off Lee, 2; off Katoll, 1. Struck out—By Lee, 4. Left on bases—Baltimore, 2; Washington, 7. First base on errors—Washington, 1. Umpire—Johnstone. Time of game—1 hour and 40 minutes. Attendance, 1,319.

BOSTONS DOWN ATHLETICS.

Waddell Gives Base on Balls in Ninth and Quakers Tumble.

(Special to The Washington Times.)
BOSTON, Sept. 13.—The Boston Americans defeated Philadelphia this afternoon in one of the warmest and most interesting games ever seen on the home grounds.

Boston led until the eighth, when a rank decision by Umpire Connolly and an inexcusable error by Freeman netted three runs for the visitors. Up to this time Young had been invincible, only four hits being made off his delivery.

With the bases full in the ninth and one out, Young showed his skill as a great pitcher by striking out the two

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Washington, 15; Baltimore, 1.
Boston, 5; Philadelphia, 4.
St. Louis-Cleveland—rain.
Chicago-Detroit—rain.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Washington at Baltimore.
Philadelphia at Boston.
St. Louis at Cleveland.
Chicago at Detroit.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C.T. | | Won. | Lost. | P.C.T. |
|--------------|------|-------|--------|------------|------|-------|--------|
| Philadelphia | 72 | 50 | .590 | Cleveland | 63 | 60 | .512 |
| St. Louis | 68 | 52 | .567 | Washington | 56 | 68 | .452 |
| Boston | 69 | 53 | .566 | Detroit | 51 | 72 | .415 |
| Chicago | 65 | 60 | .520 | Baltimore | 46 | 77 | .374 |

remaining men. In Boston's half of this inning a base on balls to Parent and hits by Collins and Freeman scored one run, winning the game. The score:

| | R. | B. | PO. | A. | E. |
|---------------|----|----|-----|----|----|
| Boston | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dougherty, R. | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Parent, ss. | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Stahl, cf. | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Collins, 3b. | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Freeman, rf. | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Leachman, lb. | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Gleason, 2b. | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Criger, c. | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Young, p. | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Totals. 5 14 27 7 2
Philadelphia. R. B. PO. A. E.
Hartill, R. 0 0 2 0 0
Fultz, cf. 1 2 3 0 0
Davis, lb. 0 1 7 0 0
L. Cross, 3b. 0 0 2 2 0
Seybold, rf. 0 0 3 0 0
Murphy, 2b. 0 2 0 1 0
M. Cross, ss. 0 1 2 2 0
Schreck, c. 2 2 1 0 0
Waddell, p. 0 0 1 0 1
Totals. 4 9 26 7 0

*Winning run made with two out.

Two-base hits—Parent, Freeman, Young. Three-base hit—Freeman. First base on balls—Off Young, 3; off Waddell, 2. First base on errors—Philadelphia, 1. Stolen bases—Parent, 3; Freeman, Stahl, Collins, Fultz, M. Cross. Struck out—By Young, 7; by Waddell, 7. Wild pitch—Young. Umpire—Connolly. Time of game, 1 hour and 55 minutes. Attendance, 6,804.

RAIN IN CLEVELAND.

(Special to The Washington Times.)
CLEVELAND, Sept. 12.—The locals were scheduled for two games today with St. Louis, but rain interfered.

GAMES POSTPONED.

(Special to The Washington Times.)
DETROIT, Sept. 12.—The champions arrived here today for a double header, but rain caused the games to be postponed.

DIAMOND DUST.

Chesbro and Tannehill have, by their pitching, done their full share toward making the Pittsburghs two-time champions and a big financial success. They may have exaggerated ideas as to their value to Mr. Dreyfus, but that is a bit of egotism that others than ballplayers have been known to show, and should not cause excessive hammer-wielding. If they can get more money from the American League than from the Pittsburgh Club, then it is up to them to decide where they think they are best off. But they should with all fairness and justice remain with their old club and employer at the same money they could get elsewhere.

Ballplayers are notorious for looking after Number One. They have never figured it out that what is best for all is best for an individual, and they never will. All records show that they never have had cohesion—never have been a unit. It has in the end always been a look out for Number One and to the devil with the hindmost.

But this has been not so much owing to the unsettled character of the ball player as to the shortsightedness of his professional career that makes it necessary for him to make hay while the sun shines; to get all that is coming to him during the few years he can shine as a star.

This has caused the smashing of all ball players' organizations from the Brotherhood to the Players' Protective Association. They are not working together now in their demands for increases of salaries. One or two may combine, such as a "battery," but in the majority of cases they are working individually.

The players are, however, unanimous in their belief that two warring leagues should go on forever for their especial benefit. The public be damned is a trite saying with them, but if they would or could reason out the situation they would see that these big salary demands, which are out of proportion to the business done, will bring the National and American Leagues together for mutual protection quicker than anything else that could come up.

"The players are getting all the money," is the magnates' wall, and there is a big hen on even now, and she is not setting on door knobs either. Something is soon to be hatched. And when peace does come \$17,000 salaries will dwindle down to \$17,000 ones.

A notice of release has been handed Pitcher Lundholm, of the Cleveland club. He was signed for next season, but his work did not make a great impression on Armour.

Strange to say, the Cincinnati team leads in the club batting average of the National League. The "Reds" as a team have a percentage of .285, to the champion Pittsburgh men's .258. The St. Louis team is third, and the Brooklyn fourth. New York is last in the list.

"Connie" Mack evidently has secured a good pitcher in Henry Schmidt, formerly of the Oakland (Cal.) Club. While on the Coast he landed twenty-

seven victories in thirty-seven games. Many of these were shut-outs. An average of less than five hits per game was made off his delivery.

The best evidence that American League players are not going to flock back to the old league in the droves that was expected is Dreyfus' search of minor leagues for material. He has two men now, Cushman and Sebring, and another one, Laughton, and his position that of pitcher.

The Brooklyn team at present is in a badly crippled condition. Captain Keeler, Tom McCreery and Bill Dahler are on the hospital list. The latter may be able to play today, but Keeler and McCreery are liable to be out of the game for several days. McCreery has a very sore foot, while Keeler is lame owing to a strained tendon in his left leg. Aherna, too, is in no condition to catch, and young Latimer has been worked in the last few games.

Tom Cortorran must not be listed as a Red certainty, for just now he is a red uncertain proposition. "I would like to have it understood," said the shortstop, "that I have not given any pledge to return to Cincinnati. Neither have I agreed to go to any other club. I do not want to be placed in the position, should I desire to leave Cincinnati, of being a target for criticism. I have promised to sign no contract with anyone until the season is over, and that is the only pledge anyone has from me."

The Boston triumvirate and Manager Buckenberger have been working with might and main to get together their team for 1903, with considerable success. It was announced yesterday that Abbatichio of the Nashvilles had been secured to play second base; that Dexter had been signed for 1903; that Virgil Garvin, released by Comiskey, had accepted terms; that Moran had also signed. Director Conant says that he has no doubt that Willis will sign by the end of the season. The only hold-outs are Demott, who has undoubtedly signed with Washington, although he is still in the hands of the Nationals, and Herman Long, who has been unable to get the same terms that he got last season.

PIGEONS FLY FOR PRIZES.

Local Young Birds Average 44 Miles an Hour in Their First Race.

For the first time in many years Washington pigeon flyers are competing for prizes, the gifts of local merchants. The requests of the committee appointed by the Washington district, of the National Federation, to arouse interest in the sport, have been liberally answered, and four handsome and useful prizes will be competed for in each race.

The first race took place last Sunday, from Chester, Va., distance about 110 miles, when the birds averaged forty-four miles an hour. Two hundred and eighty-nine birds from seventeen flocks were liberated by Mr. C. W. Peck, who wired: "Birds liberated 7:45 a. m. clear, slight north wind." More favorable conditions prevailed at home, the wind being from the southwest, but the weather was partly cloudy. The following is the entry and average speed of the first return to each loft:

A. S. Johnstone, 13 entries, average speed, 1,283 yards; Philip Kraus, 30, 1,276; William J. Toy, 18, 1,271; Charles Ruppert, 19, 1,270; J. H. Dove, 23, 1,270; R. A. Hunt, 36, 1,270; James Greenwood, 23, 1,265; James Flaherty, 7, 1,262; Harry Pennington, 15, 1,260; William Boyd, 3, 1,241; W. H. Sertor, 12, 1,240; L. B. Nye, 16, 1,209; A. C. Harmon, 18, 1,165; Walter Norwood, 12, 1,082; W. F. Dismer, 4, day record; John Peabody, 8, no report; W. F. Thill, 14, no report.

The diploma winners are: A. S. Johnstone, first and fourth; Philip Kraus, second and third; W. J. Toy, fifth, and Charles Ruppert, sixth.

The next race will take place tomorrow from Bedford, Va.

LOCAL TENNIS EXPERTS

OUT FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

District Contests to Begin September 22 on M Street Grounds.

The Bachelors' Lawn Tennis Club has completed arrangements for its fifteenth annual District championship tournament, which will be begun on the court on M Street, September 22, under the rules of the National Lawn Tennis Association.

Entries for the various contests will close Saturday, September 20, with Mr. E. E. Whitney, 2014 M Street, secretary of the club. The details are: A handsome first prize for gentlemen's "singles," "all comers," and a second prize for the "runner up." Winner to play Mr. J. C. Davidson, present champion of the District. The championship trophy must be won three times before it becomes the winner's individual property. Entrance fee is \$1.50. Suitable first prizes for gentlemen's "doubles," and a second prize to the runners-up. Entrance fee \$1 for each player.

The consolation prize is open to all players beaten in first match played in a single.

The games committee consists of Messrs. W. P. Metcalf, John C. Davidson, E. E. Whitney, N. T. Wilson, and A. R. Adee. Mr. J. Miller Kenyon will officiate as referee.

Poultry Show in December.

Plans for the annual show of the Washington Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Association were completed at a meeting of that organization held Thursday night. The exhibition will take place at Masonic Temple, December 8 to 12.

INTERIORITES DEFEAT THE BUREAU TEAM

Game Their Own Until the Final Inning, When the Money Makers, Too Late, Seemed Able to Bat.

The Interiorites, of the Department League, defeated the Bureaus, 5 to 4, yesterday at the National League Baseball grounds. The game was all the Interiorites until the last session, when the money-makers seemed to gain courage and swat the leather.

Pete Russell's twirling was superb for the first five innings, but either he lost his power over the men who "make \$100,000 before noon every day," or else they were able to find the horseshoe. Kirby was in his usual form and had the backing that he should have had. Things might have looked a little different for the Interiorites.

There is no game scheduled for the Department League today. The team from the Navy Yard and a picked team from Waynesboro will play in their stead. Both teams have a strong lineup and a snappy game is looked for.

The score:
Interior. R. B. PO. A. E.
Bradley, c. 0 0 3 1 0
Bielaski, 3b. 1 1 2 1 0
Bunn, H. 0 1 0 0 0
Treagle, 2b. 0 1 2 1 0
Sullivan, 2b. 0 0 5 2 0
Jones, lb. 0 0 7 0 1
Staley, cf. 0 1 0 0 0
Russell, p. 0 0 0 1 0
Lamar, rf. 0 0 0 0 0
Totals. 5 4 18 7 3

Bureau. R. B. PO. A. E.
Lord, ss. 0 0 0 0 1
Cranston, 2b. 0 1 3 1 1
Beach, c. 0 1 6 1 0
Bielaski, 3b. 1 2 2 0 0
Crooks, lb. 1 1 2 1 0
Wilkinson, cf. 1 1 0 0 0
Lay, rf. 0 0 2 0 0
Thorpe, cf. 0 0 0 0 1
Budke, rf. 0 0 0 0 0
Kirby, p. 0 1 0 5 0
Totals. 4 7 18 8 4

Interior. 1 3 0 0 0-5
Bureau. 0 0 0 0 0-4

RECORDS ARE IN DANGER.

Crack Performers Will Work for New Marks at Today's A. A. U. Meet.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—An excellent entry list, both in regard to quality and quantity, has been received for the senior and junior track and field championships of the Amateur Athletic Union, which will be held under the auspices of the New York Athletic Club at Travers Island tomorrow.

Despite the fact that records have been broken constantly during the past few years, there is a pretty good chance of several more falling by the wayside at this meeting. The records most in danger on this occasion are those for the shot put, hammer and discus, and there is a slight chance of the ancient figures for the five-mile run being altered.

George Gray, holder of the American record of 47 feet for the shot, is entered again, after an absence of five years from the competition. He is trained purposely to beat the old record.

Flanagan and De Witt, the Princeton giant, are close to record form in hammer throwing, and their rivalry is likely to cause the present record of 171 feet 9 inches, by Flanagan, to be broken. Hennenman, of Milwaukee, and M. J. Sheridan have been alternating in raising the figures for the discus, and one of them may break the record again on Saturday.

A grand contest is looked for in the five-mile senior championship if Alex. Grant, W. H. McVicar, and Jerry Pierce, the Indian, toe the mark. The Indian, who is under suspension for the help of accepting a suit of clothes as first prize in a race, will be allowed to run under protest.

Pierce forced Kanny, who won this event last year, to do great time, and some say the Indian would have won but for his efforts in winning the junior championship the day before. Arthur Duffey, of 94-5 seconds fame, is not on the list. He is reported, however, to be on his way from England in company with Sam Jones, the jumper, to take part in the games.

Duffey will, of course, be welcome to compete if he arrives in time. Jones won the English championship while abroad, and is said to be jumping close to 6 feet 4 inches.

For the first time in several years a Canadian team will be part of the senior championship. The team is composed of J. P. Craig, John D. Morrow, and R. H. Osborne, sprinters, and J. Desmarreux, whose specialty is throwing the 56-pound weight.

If Desmarreux beats the ancient Hercules, James Harefield Mitchell, the latter will probably abandon his intention of competing at the Canadian championships this year.

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INTERNATIONAL CRICKET.

United States and Canadian Teams Will Play at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—The thirteenth international cricket match between teams representing the United States and Canada will be played tomorrow on the grounds of the Germantown Cricket Club, at Manheim, this city. Of the twenty-nine games already played the United States have won nineteen, Canada has won eight, and two have been drawn.

For the first time in many years the Associated Cricket Clubs of Philadelphia, under whose auspices the games will be played, has extended an invitation to this city to be represented on the United States team. The men selected for this honor are M. R. Cobb and C. H. Clarke.

As this will be the only international game played in this country this year, the Philadelphia clubs want to give as great an attraction as the annual international matches with English or Australian teams which usually take place in their city in the fall.

The United States team will be composed as follows: R. D. Brown, P. H. Clark, T. C. Jordan, and P. N. Le Roy, of the Germantown Cricket Club; J. B. King, C. Coates, and E. M. Cregar, of the Belmont Cricket Club; J. A. Lester, of the Merion Cricket Club; H. A. Haines, of the Philadelphia Cricket Club; M. R. Cobb, of the Livingston Field Club; C. H. Clarke, of the Knickerbocker Athletic Club, and F. S. White, of Germantown, and C. C. Morris, of Merion, substitutes.

PETER MAHER WILL NOW CHALLENGE TOM SHARKEY

Latter Says He Would Not Consider Offer of Match as He Is Out of the Ring.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Peter Maher, who defeated Jim Jeffords at the Broadway Athletic Club, Philadelphia last night, intimates that he would issue a challenge to Tom Sharkey.

Sharkey, when seen today, said that he had retired from the ring, and was going to devote his attention to business. "I wouldn't even think of an old Peter Maher," said the former sailor. Sharkey is said to have made \$70,000 during the past eight years.

COMPLAINS THAT HE WAS UNJUSTLY FINED

Red Tape Results in \$100 Penalty for \$6 Offense.

Charles C. Cook Had Arranged to Pay Patent Medicine License and Was Awaiting Word When Arrested.

Mr. Charles C. Cook, of 1137 Seventh Street northwest, has written The Times complaining of the treatment he received at the hands of the municipal authorities.

Mr. Cook explains that he is a manufacturer of proprietary medicines, and he refers to a note published in The Times recently noting his application to the District Commissioners for information regarding the legal requirements for the manufacture and sale of such articles in the District. The reply to this communication was in effect that the license fees would be furnished him on application to the Assessor.

In the meantime, however, he was arrested and taken to court and fined \$100, though he proved his intent to keep within the law, stating that he was still awaiting a reply to his letter to the Commissioners.

Says Inspector Called.

Mr. Cook says that an inspector who called in regard to his license told him what he would be, and assured him that "a man would be up to see him about it." While he was awaiting the promised caller and a reply from the Commissioners a policeman appeared with a warrant and he was taken to court. He says he endeavored to have the Commissioners summoned as witnesses to prove that he had endeavored to obey the law and also tried to get speech with the District Attorney to explain matters.

The next day his case was called in court and despite his statement of the facts a fine of \$100—the license fee is but \$8—was imposed. He telegraphed to Baltimore for the money but the message was delayed until after banking hours. The court, he says, gave him until 4 p. m. to pay or go to jail, and the intervention of a brother Mason saved him the latter humiliation.

Letter Arrived Too Late.

"This morning, September 11," adds Mr. Cook, "the communication from the Commissioners, which I was longing to receive, arrived, but too late to be of any avail."

Commissioner Macfarland, in speaking of the matter yesterday, said that there was nothing in Mr. Cook's letter to indicate that haste was necessary.

Accordingly when it was received on September 5 it was referred by the Commissioners to the Board of Pharmacy for their report. This board has no office in the District Building, and the letter was not returned until September 9. It was then referred to the Assessor September 10, and returned by him on that day. The Commissioners replied to Mr. Cook on the latter September 10, and he received it in the morning mail September 11.

Fine May Be Remitted.

Commissioner Macfarland explained that this was about as quickly as the matter could be expected to go through the usual channel of business, unless haste was required. It is a well-known fact, he said, that routine matters require about ten days to be disposed of when they require reference to two or more departments, as in this case.

Mr. Cook communicated with the Commissioners yesterday in regard to the matter, and it is understood that an effort will be made to have the fine remitted or reduced to a nominal sum.

PHILLIES LOSE TO PITTSBURG PIRATES

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results of Yesterday's Games.

Brooklyn, 5; Cincinnati, 4.
Philadelphia, 2; Pittsburgh, 5.
Chicago-New York—postponed.
St. Louis-Boston—postponed.

Where They Play Today.

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

Standing of the Teams.

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|--------------------|------|-------|------|
| Pittsburg | 92 | 34 | .73 |
| Brooklyn | 68 | 58 | .54 |
| Boston | 63 | 58 | .52 |
| Cincinnati | 61 | 63 | .49 |
| Chicago | 60 | 64 | .48 |
| St. Louis | 55 | 66 | .45 |
| Philadelphia | 50 | 73 | .40 |
| New York | 44 | 77 | .36 |