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BASEBALL

Tigers Defeat Indians in a Fast Game

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Tacoma	19	13	.594
Vancouver	17	14	.548
Seattle	14	17	.443
Spokane	13	19	.406
Tacoma 2, Spokane 1.			
Seattle 9, Vancouver 1.			

Batteries—Spokane, Hickey and Brooks; Tacoma, Annis and Byrnes.

Spokane's band of Indians drew first "blood" in the battle on the diamond with the Tigers in their home jungles over in the city of destiny and dust, but, with magnificent playing and pinch hitting, the ferocious Bengals worked out a victory. Annis was miserly with his pitching, but Hickey of the brown-skinned "massacrer" was even meaner with his. Consult the hit column for proof.

Most everybody in either team was playing fast and furious all the way through the nine innings, but Spokane was lightly hampered in the fifth, when Cooney's adhesiveness didn't hold Guernsey's pop up, and again in a small-sized "bubble" by Cartwright, but Tacoma's success in winning is due to the Tiger's ability to hit when they had to have a souse at the pill.

The score: R. H. E. Spokane . . . 001000000-1 4 2 Tacoma . . . 00001100x-2 3 1

Fort Wright-Gonzaga Game Is Called Off

A "squabble" over playing grounds threatens to put the "blink" on the deciding game between the Gonzaga college boys and Fort George Wright, which was scheduled for this afternoon. No game of the series with the college has yet been played by the soldiers on their home grounds. They want to play this, the final one, on the fort grounds, but the collegians maintain that as it is the deciding game, neutral grounds should be picked for it. Here, the Fort Wright players claim to have the best of the argument from the fact that they have already played one of their games with the college on neutral grounds. For the present the game is called off.

Spokane College Grabs Series

Spokane college "copped" the series of three games from Coeur d'Alene yesterday afternoon in winning by a score of 6 to 2. Moe pitching for the lake, practically played the game alone. He struck out 16 men and with good support could have taken the laurels from the Spokane college, but that he failed to receive.

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MAJOR LEAGUES

Yesterday's Score.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	18	11	.621
Pittsburg	16	11	.592
New York	18	14	.562
Cincinnati	16	13	.552
St. Louis	16	17	.485
Philadelphia	13	15	.464
Boston	12	19	.387
Brooklyn	12	21	.363

At Pittsburg—R. H. E. New York . . . 4 14 2 Pittsburg . . . 3 6 0 Batteries—Ames and Meyers; Moore, Leever and Gibson.

At Chicago—R. H. E. Philadelphia . . . 1 3 5 Chicago . . . 6 11 1 Batteries—Sparks and Dooin; Cole and Archer.

At St. Louis—R. H. E. Brooklyn . . . 7 13 1 St. Louis . . . 5 11 2 Batteries—Rucker and Berger and Sallee; Bachman and Phelps.

At Cincinnati—R. H. E. Boston . . . 4 10 1 Cincinnati . . . 3 8 3 Batteries—Parsons and Graham; Fromme and McLean.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	21	7	.750
New York	19	8	.704
Boston	16	13	.552
Detroit	17	15	.531
Cleveland	13	15	.464
Washington	14	18	.437
Chicago	9	17	.346
St. Louis	6	22	.214

At New York—R. H. E. Chicago . . . 0 5 3 New York . . . 5 10 0 Batteries—Olmstead and Block; Ford and Sweeney.

At Philadelphia—R. H. E. St. Louis . . . 1 7 1 Philadelphia . . . 3 8 1 Batteries—Powell, Pelty and Stephens; Killifer, Coombs and Thomas.

At Washington—R. H. E. Detroit . . . 0 0 0 Washington . . . 2 6 0 Batteries—Summers and Stange; Groom and Street. (Game called end seventh; rain.)

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Is Donlin to Play Ball Again? Ask Mrs. Donlin and Get a Smile

CHICAGO, May 26.—Is Mike Donlin really going to attempt to get back into baseball?

John McGraw of the New York Giants would like an immediate answer to this question, and Chicago fans, with whom Donlin is popular, are also puzzling over it. The question has been asked Mike several times, but he sidesteps and refers his questioners to his wife—pretty Mabel Hite.

Mabel and Mike are playing at the Princess theater, where the lady half of the Donlin family is



MABEL HITE. MIKE DONLIN.

just about the whole show. Mike plays the part of a detective who is later promoted to a captaincy, and although he has little to do but form an effective background for Miss Hite in one or two emotional scenes, which always get a loud hand from the house, he makes good at his work.

The Donlins deserted vaudeville some time ago for the legitimate. Mrs. Mike is, of course, singing several good songs, but her play is a straight comedy, and Chicago people are supporting it royally.

When Mrs. Mike is asked about her husband's future in the baseball world she just smiles, and intimates that Mike is doing very well as an actor, in proof of which can be seen the Donlin contract at the box of-

office, with an obliging press agent at hand to assure you the figures printed thereon are correct.

Some time ago Donlin was reinstated in good standing by the national commission, and he announced he would practice with some of the fast city league clubs about Chicago. Then, he said, if he found he could get into condition he would rejoin the Giants.

Careful perusal of the sporting columns printed here fall to show the name of Donlin appearing in any box scores, and Mike is playing seven nights a week, with two matinees.

Donlin appears to be in excellent physical condition and there is no doubt McGraw would welcome the player back with the Giants.

Those four awful wallpoppers the despised and downtrodden Cardinals have recently decorated the Giants' frames with must have made McGraw long for anything, but mostly a change of scenery.

SPORT BREVITIES

Christy Mathewson's blow-up on the western trip of the Giants hasn't caused any particular joy over in Chicago, as Mordecai Brown, the old reliable of the Cubs, has lost every time out, up to May 15.

Willie Keeler tried his hand at batting for one of the regular New Yorkers the other day, and he fouled out.

Latest reports from Bugs Raymond, the only personally conducted athlete in history, is that he is taking to the services of his keeper kindly, but he is not pitching winning base ball.

The Browns appear to be hopelessly out of the running. Hedges however, has refused an offer for the team, which would put him even with the game.

New York fans are now blaming it on the comet.

Miller Huggins appears to be the man Bresnahan needed. The former delight of Cincinnati has steadied the Cardinals' infield and is playing grand ball at the second corner.

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Johnson Slings Some "Webster" at Corbett

Belittles Him as Fighter; Says His Bump of Vanity Over-Developed and That He Can Teach Him Some Yet.

BY THE RINGSIDER.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 26.—Jim Jeffries will come to town today for his exhibition in connection with the Pacific club's boxing show at Dreamland on Friday night. He will return to Rowdennan on Saturday morning and resume his training. The big fellow had a busy day yesterday, engaging in the best spell of boxing since he began work. He went 11 rounds—three each with Armstrong, Choynd and Jack Jeffries and two with Sam Berger—and was ready for more, but his sparring partners had had enough.

Jack Johnson has been in a most dignified mood. First he treated the moving picture man, who was taking camp pictures yesterday, with a hauteur (get that, kid) and then turned his attention to Jim Corbett.

With all the pomposity of a higher-up, Mr. Johnson delivered himself of the following: "My attention has been called to a number of interviews to which Mr. Corbett has submitted, in which he has taken occasion to criticize me. It is my opinion that Mr. Corbett's bump of vanity, the evolution that makes one think well of one's self, is abnormally developed. Mr. Corbett asserts that he is going to the camp of Mr. Jeffries to teach my prospective opponent how to accomplish my downfall—to render me hors de combat, as it were—in 15 rounds."

"I dare say that Mr. Corbett was quite an accomplished exponent of the manly art in his day, but his day has passed. If Mr. Corbett will condescend to visit me in my quarters here and will have the hardihood to don the mitts with me I venture the assertion he will garner more knowledge of the manly art of self-defense than he ever dreamed of. Yah, yah."

Whereupon George Little threw a fit and Sparring Partners Cotton and Cutler had to be taken away in the wagon.

When John Arthur Johnson hit the grit this morning he was accompanied part of the way by Tom Flanagan, brother of John Flanagan, the weight thrower. Flanagan, who is an expert on road work, will reduce that part of Johnson's training to scientific basis.

Stanley Ketchel is expected to join the Jeffries camp as soon as he gets through with his eastern engagements.

COAST LEAGUE

Yesterday's Score.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Vernon	29	23	.558
San Francisco	29	23	.558
Portland	27	22	.552
Oakland	27	26	.509
Los Angeles	27	29	.482
Sacramento	17	34	.333

At Portland—R. H. E. Portland . . . 6 8 1 Sacramento . . . 3 6 3 At Vernon—R. H. E. Vernon . . . 1 5 2 to the crookstone. Heneke and Oakland . . . 4 7 1 Taylor were batteries for Oregon At San Francisco—R. H. E. At San Francisco . . . 0 5 0 heavy work for the W. S. C. of Los Angeles . . . 2 8 2 Pullman.

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Pal Moore Gives Jem Driscoll Worst Drubbing of His Life

BY MAX BALTHASAR.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 26.—Jem Driscoll, the English featherweight champion, who will fight at Colma July 2, caught a tartar in Philadelphia last night when he stacked up against Pal Moore, the 18-year-old boy who has been creating havoc in the ranks of the eastern bantams and featherweights.

According to the dispatches Moore gave Driscoll the trouncing of his life, carrying the Englishman along at such rate that he began to squeal, quite rude. The referee ordered Moore to cut out the rough stuff, but it did not stop his aggressive engagement will come west to begin training for his fight with Abe Attell at Colma, the law allowing, on July 2.

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