

Nick's 12th-Frame Homer Wins Series

NEW LONG GAME RECORD IS SET WHEN EL PASO BEATS LAS CRUCES 20 TO 19

LITTLEST LEAGUER SLAMS ONE OF RED FULWEIDER'S CURVES OVER THE WALL

Huge Crowd Goes Wild When Tiny Left Fielder Ends Scoring by Shoving Ball Around Bases With Homer in Twelfth Inning of Tightest Baseball Tucson Ever Saw—Kitty Brashear's Baseball Wit Retires Phoenix With Bases Full and But One Out—Galt Replaced by Fullweider—Hall Goes in for McCreery

BY IRWIN LOCKE

TUCSON, May 2.—With the game tied in the twelfth inning, two men out and Hall clinging close to first base, Demaggio, the tiny dangerous Phoenix left fielder stepped up to the plate and picking up one of Red Fulweider's best curves slammed it a mile high over the right field fence for a home run and won the game, giving Phoenix the first series in the new Rio Grande League.

Despite the fact that the crowd felt that Demaggio had stolen the game from them with his well directed slam they gave him an ovation when he crossed the plate. The attendance was the largest seen here, a thousand being a low estimate and they were "funs proper." One side was given as much encouragement and applause as the other. The players did their share and contributed twelve innings of the tightest and most exciting ball seen here.

Twenty-three men were in the game. Captain Brashear sliding to second in the fourth sprained an ankle and Felts was sent to right field and Fuller to first for the next inning. The loss of "Kitty" meant a great difference to the Tucson team. Tucson and Phoenix each used two pitchers and two men were hurt. Scanton was injured in the groin while sliding into second and was replaced by Young. Brown batted once when McCreery was taken out and before Hall was sent in.

The first two innings neither scored then both made one in the third. Phoenix got another in the fourth and Tucson two in the fifth. Phoenix tied in the seventh and the eighth. In the twelfth, there was no score. Then, that miserable little Demaggio broke up the game with a home run. Curses! Chief Galt slammed out a two-bagger in the fifth and everybody thought he would win his own game but he faded around second and was tagged out on a beauty of a throw from Lynn. Stadill walked then Stroloff slammed out a two-bagger. Fuller ripped out a hot grounder which Dowling fumbled. Stadill ran in. Stroloff journeyed to third and Ful-

ler was safe. Felts sent another hot one to Dowling who scooped it allowing Fuller to get second and Felts first. Cox made a line drive to McCreery, who nabbed it. He made a short arm throw to second and caught Felts who was forced and then Dowling spun in down to first catching Cox out.

This retired the side. Had Galt stuck on second the chances are Tucson could have sewed up the game right here.

In the seventh Phoenix tied the score. Natt grounded out to Fuller. Scanton grounded in the same place and was safe. Hester bunted to Galt who tried to catch Scanton at second. Scanton was safe and Hester also. On an overthrow to first Scanton made third and Hester second. Brown then batted for McCreery and made a safe hit to right sending in Young, who was running for Scanton. Demaggio took a walk and filled the bases.

Wise Old Kitty Then "Kitty" Brashear showed his baseball intelligence by sending in Fulweider, although Galt received an ovation from the fans when he went to the bench. Dowling flew out to Felts. McCreery fouled out to Callan. This retired Phoenix with the bases full.

There were no more scores till the twelfth. Young flew out to Stadill. Hester sent a foul to the fence but McCreery made a beautiful catch and two were out. Hall hit safe to right then Demaggio stepped up and an awful thing happened. Over the right field fence went the sphere and Hall and the "Vor" scored. The last half of the ninth brought forth a walk for Barton and Fulweider fanned. Stadill was at the bat and Barton ran for second, but Kane claimed Dowling tagged him, although to everyone in the grandstand it was certain Barton slid under and was not touched. Stadill slammed to McCreery who caught Stadill, forcing him at second and ending the game.

Another thing which displeased the crowd was Stadill's hit over the right field fence on which he was allowed only two bags. Brashear drew the

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
PHOENIX	3	2	.600
El Paso	1	1	.500
Las Cruces	1	1	.500
Tucson	2	3	.400
Albuquerque	—	—	—
Douglas	—	—	—

No games today.

TUESDAY'S SCHEDULE

Tucson at Phoenix.
Las Cruces at El Paso.
Douglas at Albuquerque.

attention of Kane to the home run flag. Kane remembered this and when Demaggio sent the ball over the same place he called it a home run, although Demaggio stopped and waited when he arrived on second in his journey around the bases.

PHOENIX

AB. R. H. PO. A. E.					
Demaggio, lf.	5	1	2	0	0
Dowling, 2b.	5	0	0	5	1
McCreery, ss.	5	0	1	2	0
Lynn, c.	4	0	1	2	0
Pittman, cf.	5	1	1	2	0
Natt, rf.	4	0	1	0	0
Scanton, 3b.	3	1	2	0	1
Hester, lb.	5	0	0	17	2
McCreery, p.	2	0	0	0	2
Hall, p.	2	1	1	2	0
Young, 3b.	2	1	0	0	0
Brown	1	0	1	0	0

Totals.....44 5 10 36 21 1
Batted for McCreery in seventh.
TUCSON:

AB. R. H. PO. A. E.					
Stadill, lf.	5	2	1	2	0
Stroloff, ss.	6	1	2	4	1
Fuller, rf.-lb.	5	0	0	12	2
Brashear, lb.	2	0	1	6	0
Cox, lf.	4	0	1	2	0
Callan, c.	5	0	1	3	5
McCreery, 3b.	4	0	1	3	0
Barton, cf.	4	0	1	4	1
Galt, p.	3	0	2	1	1
Felts, rf.	3	0	1	1	0
Fulweider, p.	2	0	0	0	0

Totals.....43 5 10 36 24 4
Score by Innings:.....
Phoenix.....001 100 100 602 10 1
Tucson.....001 020 000 000 2 10 4

SUMMARY

Home runs—Pittman, Demaggio. Two base hits—Stadill, Galt, Stroloff. Left on bases—Phoenix: 5; Tucson: 8. First base on errors—Phoenix: 2. Base on balls—off McCreery: 2; off Hall: six. Off Galt: 1; off Fulweider: 1. Struck out—By McCreery: 2; by Hall: 6; by Galt: 2. Hit by pitcher—Lynn. Stolen bases—McCreery. Double plays—Hester to Hall. Sacrifice hit—Cox. Nine hits off McCreery in six innings, 25 at bat; one hit off Hall in six innings, 19 at bat; 7 hits off Galt in 6½ innings, 26 at bat; 3 off Fulweider in 5½ innings, 18 at bat. Umpire—Kane. Time of game—2:40.

National League

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	12	3	.800
Chicago	10	6	.625
Boston	8	6	.571
Cincinnati	9	8	.529
St. Louis	10	9	.526
Brooklyn	6	10	.375
Pittsburgh	5	11	.313
New York	3	19	.231

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

New York at Philadelphia.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.
Boston at Brooklyn.

CARD'S NEW HURLER

ST. LOUIS, May 2.—Playing errorless ball and using the new pitcher, Lee Meadows, the locals took the last game of the series.
Score— R. H. E.
Cincinnati.....1 7 2
St. Louis.....3 9 0
Batteries—Leah and Clarke; Meadows and Snyder.

CUBS 7—PIRATES 1

CHICAGO, May 2.—Vaughn had the batters at his mercy, while McQuillan was hit hard. Rain fell two-thirds of the game.
Score— R. H. E.
Pittsburgh.....1 4 2
Chicago.....7 9 2
Batteries—McQuillan, Mamaux and Gibson; Vaughn and Bresnahan.

COAST LEAGUE

Salt Lake 1; San Francisco, 1. Morning game. Called in the twelfth on account of rain.
Salt Lake, 9; San Francisco, 2. Afternoon game.
Venice-Oakland: Rain.
Los Angeles, 3; Portland, 0. (One game only.)

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Chicago, 4; Buffalo, 0. First game.
Chicago, 5; Buffalo, 1. Second game.
St. Louis, 1; Newark, 0. First game.
St. Louis, 2; Newark, 1. Second game.

SPORT... COMMENT

It took twenty-three players to stage that 12th inning victory for the Senators yesterday, and a thousand people to see it all. The word "BOOST" will now become one of the prominent parts of our Phoenix vocabulary, so that this burg may match the baseballism of the good old Pueblo.

League gossip has it that Hester is to get one more heavy hitting outfielder and one southpawed pitcher sent. This listening might be good to the local fans who, since the winning of the inaugural series, have come right out and demanded pennants and other outward evidences of victory. With one more good pitcher—Burt Coy, for instance—and one more lovely hurler, Phoenix will put up an awful battle or that start spangled baseball banner.

More hospital stuff. Now it's Scanton that's hurt. Also Kit Brashear. Both will don uniforms for the coming series at Riverside park.

A race chat meeting was held all over town yesterday by disgusted motorcycle racers and the followers of the sport. The date of the contest is the only thing about it to be



changed, for the committee decided to hold the eight-race program at the fair grounds next Sunday.

Demaggio, the sturdy little chorus girl who plays left field for Phoenix, will stand a good chance of winning the Gass Bros. Meals for the first home run in the Tucson-Phoenix "serious" here. We don't know who is best man to win the good ticker reward, for appropriating the most bases, but Harry Johnson says it goes, just as it lays. Ungrammatical but eloquent.

F. C. Gettins' suggestion that the Senators be met with a land is a winner. It was a hard fought series and the locals deserve a lot of commendation.

Baker's Bearcat Is All Ready Cross-Country Dash Starts This Week

BY W. F. STURM

Baker's Partner in Transcontinental Auto Dash

LOS ANGELES, May 2.—With no unforeseen accidents to interrupt E. G. Baker and his transcontinental Stutz should reach San Pedro harbor tomorrow afternoon, via boat from Frisco. The old warhorse wired me today that the car should be in the world's fair town Monday.

After meeting Baker at San Pedro we shall drive to Los Angeles and remain there for a day or so, as Baker plans to go to the car the final grooming for its dash to New York. We will drive from here to San Diego and get things in shape for the start on May 2 or 3. While I have not yet completed arrangements, I believe we shall start from the exposition grounds. I have asked Fred W. Jackson, prominent in auto circles there to start us. Our present intention is to leave San Diego at midnight, in order to escape some of the traffic which would cut down our time were we to start in the daytime.

We are not going to make any predictions as to time, but if flesh and blood and a sturdy motor can do it, we hope to make a one-man drive record that will be worth shooting at, should any other driver wish to attempt it. The story of the trip is perhaps old to Arizona Republican readers. Briefly, Baker will get a one-man auto drive record from San Diego to New York. At present there is no such record. I go along as an observer of the A. A. A. and the representative of newspapers to gather data as to road conditions and to see that Baker drives every inch of the 3400 miles.

Whether the pride of the big type

American League

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	13	4	.684
Detroit	13	6	.684
Chicago	11	8	.579
Washington	8	6	.571
Boston	5	6	.455
Cleveland	8	10	.444
Philadelphia	4	10	.286
St. Louis	5	13	.278

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Washington at Boston
Philadelphia at New York

NAPS' KNOCK OUT

CLEVELAND, May 2.—Two passes, a single, and wild throw to third won the game in the ninth. Steen and Weiland were knocked out.
Score— R. H. E.
Cleveland.....7 15 1
St. Louis.....6 9 2
Batteries—Steen, Coombs and O'Neill; Weiland, Baumgardner, Lowdermilk and Agnew.

CICOTTE EASED UP

CHICAGO, May 2.—After Deuss' one bad inning in the fourth, when five hits scored three runs, Cicotte eased up in the sixth and Detroit put two runs across, enough to win.
Score— R. H. E.
Detroit.....4 8 0
Chicago.....3 9 0
Batteries—Dauss and McKee; Cicotte, Faber, Wolfgang and Schaik.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Telegraph office for the following: J. A. Britton, J. R. Martin, and Sarlin Anzures care H. R. Scorse.

BAD BITE

"Well, I see the Germans have taken Lodz."
"Oh bite. Loads of what?"

Terrific Wind Storm Blows Balls Out Of Line And Two Dozen Walk In Odd Contest

Well-sanded El Paso Fans Watch Three Hours and Seventeen Minutes While Mackmen Webble Out a Victory

FOURTEEN ERRORS BUT ALL EXCUSABLE

Teams See-Saw Through Nine Innings of the Darnedest Ball Ever Played, While Audience Chews Up Grit

BY BUD RUTHERFORD

EL PASO, May 2.—Playing in a blinding rainstorm which at times completely obscured the players from the view of the fans in the grandstand, the El Paso and Las Cruces clubs of the Rio Grande Association established a precedent yesterday afternoon when the local Mackmen defeated the visitors by the score of 20 to 19, in probably the longest game in the history of minor league baseball for some time to come. Helpless before the terrific gale which whipped the players from practically every angle, the twirlers of the contending teams found accurate pitching impossible, a total of twenty-five bases on balls being given by the four hurlers who participated in the game.

Score—

Las Cruces.....20 120 125 19 18 8
El Paso.....061 022 143 20 14 6
Batteries—Russell, Kallio and T. Bliss; McGlynn, Knight and J. Bliss.

ARIZONA REDS CLEAN

ACRE CITY 16 TO ONE

Opendorf's Arizona Reds journeyed to Acre City near here yesterday and walloped the natives by the free silver score of 16 to 1.

The Indians played fast ball, and the only score made against them was accomplished on John Miller's home run. Morales pitched six innings, struck out 7 men and allowed 5 hits.

At Acre City.....16 7 5
Arizona Reds.....16 22 3
Batteries—Morales, Morista and Enos; Miller and Thomas. Time of game—1:40. Umpires—H. Opendorf and Young.

Morista was given a try out after the sixth inning, striking out 4 and allowing two hits. Miller pitched for Acre City, struck out 2 men and got touched for 22 bingles.

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A survey of the box score of the game shows a total of 39 runs, 32 hits, and 11 errors being chalked up against the two clubs. Eighteen of the hits belonged to the visiting squad while fourteen were picked off the combined work of Russell and Kallio by the Mackmen. Eight errors were marked against the Las Cruces players, while a total of six bungles were charged to the local aggregation, both clubs playing ragged loose ball in the face of the wind which swept the park from fence to fence.

Stoney McGlynn, the veteran ex-major league twirler who inaugurated the game for the local team was taken from the contest in the fourth inning