

MANAGER FRANK IS FORCED TO PLAY A CRIPPLED LINEUP

VANDERBILT FORSAKES EAST TO CRUSH AUBURN

McGugin Refuses Game With Harvard in Order to Humble Auburn—Must Land Talent to Replace Hardage, Collins and Robbins

Nashville, August 23.—(Special.)—Already the thump of the pickin' has been heard on Dudley field, Assistant Coach Owsley Menier having four of the Commodore out every afternoon of last week, for light practice. Roaming Almie Sikes, "Yunk" Chester, "Dick" Huggins and Captain Nuck Brown composed the quartet of Vandy gridiron stars who cracked the 1913 football season open.

The Commodore first schedule game is with Marvyn on October 4, and will only give Vanderbilt a good workout, for the East Tennessee college is little more than a prep school. The rules committee, in forming this season's schedule, has adhered to the usual big eastern game, after the surprise which Auburn sprung last year in holding the Commodore to a 7 to 7 tie. Coach McGugin decided upon a plan of annihilating everything in the south this season, and after washing the slate clean to go after the big eleven in the east.

Four hard battles are on Vandy's list this year, Michigan, Virginia, Auburn and Sewanee, which will come in the order named, after the black and gold gladiators have disposed of Central of Kentucky and Henderson college, with a clash with Tennessee, sandwiched in between the Virginia and Auburn games. Coach McGugin expects the Michigan game, which will be staged on Dudley field, to prove the toughest struggle of the year, for six times, the Wolverines have roused the Commodore, although in 1904, Vandy was only defeated 10 to 13, at Ann Arbor, by a fluke touchdown. Brother-in-Law Yost's men barely won 9 to 8. Last year the Wolverines were displaced to permit a game with Harvard, but the

BARONS OVERWHELM PELS IN FAREWELL BATTLES OF YEAR

HARDGROVE PROVES INVINCIBLE, WHILE BARONS HIT GLAVENICH HARD IN FIRST, WIN SECOND CLOSELY

SOUTHERN LEAGUE STANDING
Played, Won, Lost, Pct.
Mobile 125 75 49 .605
Atlanta 125 68 57 .544
Montgomery 119 65 54 .546
Birmingham 123 67 56 .532
Chattanooga 120 61 59 .508
Memphis 122 60 61 .498
Nashville 123 51 72 .413
New Orleans 114 39 75 .342

Results Yesterday
Birmingham 12-6, New Orleans 0-5.
Memphis 7-0, Chattanooga 3-10.
Mobile 8, Nashville 6.
Atlanta 8, Montgomery 1.

Games Today
Mobile at Memphis.

The battered Pelicans bade farewell to Birmingham by dropping a double header, 12 to 6 and 6 to 5. Hardgrove held the Birds helpless in the first, while the Barons rapped Recruit Glavenich fiercely, and, aided by errors, swelled the count to 12 runs. Hardgrove proved master of the situation, allowing but two scattered hits. The second struggle evolved from a one-sided affair to a thriller when the Pelicans effected a garish finish in the last inning, which fell short of the lead by one run. Elongated Ed Ery debuted at Rickwood in the second, but was forced to retire after a brief siege of wildness. Foxen relieved the youngster and checked the Pelican onslaught until the seventh, when the result of the game was threatened. Paddy, pitching for the Pels, was hit consistently and was backed poorly.

Taking advantage of the Pels' unfortunate condition, the Barons bunted Glavenich and crippled George Yantz unmercifully in the opening game. Sandwiching a few hits, with the frequent bunts, Birmingham had little difficulty in winning the first.

The fielding of Carroll featured both battles. The substitute gardener effected several brilliant catches and fielded every ball in fine form.

Glavenich opened widely. Marcan and Messenger were walked, while McDonald outsped a bunt to Yantz. Knisely struck out, but Mayer hoisted to McKillen and Marcan scored on the drive. The recruit baffled McGilvray and retired the side on strikes.

The deluge broke loose in the third when Marcan was hit by an erring slant. Messenger dropped a bunt and outsped the peg to first. McDonald bunted to Glavenich, who, in attempting to catch Marcan at third, threw badly and Marcan and Messenger counted. Gaining a great lead, McDonald neared third as Knisely bunted to short and scored when the throw was relayed from first to Adams. Mayer singled over third, while McGilvray's bunt filled the bases. Glavenich walked Ellam and forced Knisely in. When Carroll grounded to Erwin, Mayer went. Hardgrove was struck out, but Marcan singled, scoring McGilvray and Ellam.

While the Pels were helpless, Birmingham added the final four runs in the fourth. McDonald bunted safely, while Knisely doubled to right. Mayer struck out, but McGilvray singled sharply to right and scored both runners. Mayer taking second on the throw-in, McGilvray scored on Ellam's drive to left. Carroll tripled to deep left field and was caught at the plate, attempting to extend the walk-off to a ninth.

New Orleans' only safeties came in the fifth and seventh, when Kraft and McDowell drove out singles.

Big Ashby Paddy and Ed Ery opened the second, opposing each other on the slab. The Baron recruit inclined toward wildness and was yanked in the third round, with the score tied. Foxen relieved the youngster and checked the Pelicans until the ninth, when McDowell's home run threatened to overwhelm the Barons.

Paddy was rapped for a run in the first session. Marcan singled to right and advanced to third on Messenger's single over second. McDonald forced Speedy Bob at second, Marcan holding third. Knisely flew out to Green and Marcan scored.

The Pels tied in the second, when Kraft was walked. Ery attempted to pick the venturing runner off first, but three badly and Kraft reached third. Hendryx, who had been yanked, was replaced, deadlocking the game by scoring Kraft.

After Ery had been yanked in the third, Foxen downed the Pels. Birmingham forced ahead in the third, with one out. Messenger hit a slow roller to McDowell and beat it out. He hurled second and scored when McDonald singled to left.

A duo was annexed in the fourth and fifth. Ellam walked, but Carroll struck out. Clifton hit to right field and reached third when the ball bounded through Green's outstretched hands. Foxen's single sent Clifton home. With one out in the fifth, Knisely reached first on an infield hit. McGilvray scored him with a triple to center field. Ellam's following crash sent Big Bill over the plate.

In the sixth, Kraft opened with a double and scored on Hendryx's long drive to left. A perfect relay, Carroll hit to Clifton prevented him from gaining a home run. But in the seventh the Pels endangered the seeming victory. With Yantz out, Paddy singled to right, while McGilvray drew a base. Erwin failed to advance the runners, but McDowell drove a home run to deep center field, nearing the lead by one run. Kraft ended the game with a fly to Carroll.

The Official Score
FIRST GAME.
Birmingham—AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Marcan, 2b., 3 1 2 0 0 0
Messenger, rf., 3 1 1 0 0 0
McDonald, 3b., 3 0 1 0 0 0
Knisely, cf., 2 2 0 0 0 0
Mayer, c., 3 1 2 4 1 0
McGilvray, 1b., 4 2 3 9 1 0
Ellam, ss., 2 2 1 0 4 0
Carroll, lf., 3 0 0 0 2 1
Foxen, p., 2 0 1 0 0 1
Totals 25 6 10 21 6 1

Score by Innings:
Birmingham 101 220 6-6
New Orleans 010 001 3-5

Two Base Hits—McGilvray, Clifton, Hendryx.
Home Run—McDowell.
Sacrifice Hit—Knisely.
Stolen Bases—Messenger, McDonald, Knisely.
Base on Balls—Ery 4, Foxen 1, Paddy 2.
Hits Apportioned—Ery 3 with 1 run, in 2-3 innings; Foxen 5 with 4 runs in 4-2-3 innings.
Struck Out—Ery 1, Foxen 4, Paddy 3.
Time—1:53.
Umpires—Hart and Pfenniger.

American Association
At Toledo: Toledo 1-2, Columbus 0-2.
At Louisville: Louisville 7-4, Indianapolis 2-1.
At St. Paul: St. Paul 4, Milwaukee 3.
At Kansas City: Kansas City 5, Minneapolis 7.

Appalachian League
At Bristol: Bristol 4-9, Middleshore 0-1.
At Johnson City: Johnson City 6-2, Rome 7-1. (First game 11 innings).

FEDERAL LEAGUE
At Pittsburgh: First game: Cleveland 3, Pittsburgh 6.
Second game: Cleveland 4, Pittsburgh 9.

CHANCE PURCHASES
ANOTHER RECRUIT PITCHER
New York, August 23.—Manager Frank Chance of the New York Americans today purchased the release of Pitcher Rose of the Houston, Texas league club, and he will report here September 10. Rose is a left hander and leads the Texas league pitchers in winning percentage. He has won 25 games, and lost seven.

THEO. B. FURMAN
Expert Fitter
Suits to Order
FINEST REPAIRING AND CLEANING
216-17 Clark Bldg. Phone M. 1506

STARS IN THE OUTFIELD



CHARLIE CARROLL
As a substitute, Carroll is starting as a veteran. The youngster made circus catches of long drives in the sunfield yesterday and relayed safe hits with fine dispatch and accuracy. He is hitting splendidly.

GULLS COME FROM BEHIND AND WIN
Nashville, August 23.—Overcoming a five-run lead the Mobile team batted Bold and took the third straight game from Nashville 8 to 6. Good fielding by Daley and Young cut off two runs at the plate. Berger was hit hard in the early innings and received poor support. Score:

Mobile—AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Stock, ss., 4 0 0 4 2 2
Starr, 2b., 4 2 1 0 2 0
Nashville, 3b., 3 1 2 3 1 0
Pauel, 1b., 4 1 2 8 0 0
Robertson, cf., 4 2 2 4 0 1
Schmidt, c., 1 1 1 6 2 0
Clark, lf., 3 1 2 2 0 0
Miller, rf., 4 0 1 2 1 0
Berger, p., 4 0 0 0 1 1
Totals 31 8 10 27 10 3

Score by Innings:
Birmingham 101 220 6-6
New Orleans 010 001 3-5

Two Base Hits—McGilvray, Clifton, Hendryx.
Home Run—McDowell.
Sacrifice Hit—Knisely.
Stolen Bases—Messenger, McDonald, Knisely.
Base on Balls—Ery 4, Foxen 1, Paddy 2.
Hits Apportioned—Ery 3 with 1 run, in 2-3 innings; Foxen 5 with 4 runs in 4-2-3 innings.
Struck Out—Ery 1, Foxen 4, Paddy 3.
Time—1:53.
Umpires—Hart and Pfenniger.

American Association
At Toledo: Toledo 1-2, Columbus 0-2.
At Louisville: Louisville 7-4, Indianapolis 2-1.
At St. Paul: St. Paul 4, Milwaukee 3.
At Kansas City: Kansas City 5, Minneapolis 7.

Appalachian League
At Bristol: Bristol 4-9, Middleshore 0-1.
At Johnson City: Johnson City 6-2, Rome 7-1. (First game 11 innings).

FEDERAL LEAGUE
At Pittsburgh: First game: Cleveland 3, Pittsburgh 6.
Second game: Cleveland 4, Pittsburgh 9.

CHANCE PURCHASES
ANOTHER RECRUIT PITCHER
New York, August 23.—Manager Frank Chance of the New York Americans today purchased the release of Pitcher Rose of the Houston, Texas league club, and he will report here September 10. Rose is a left hander and leads the Texas league pitchers in winning percentage. He has won 25 games, and lost seven.

THEO. B. FURMAN
Expert Fitter
Suits to Order
FINEST REPAIRING AND CLEANING
216-17 Clark Bldg. Phone M. 1506

MAJORS GRAB PLAYERS ON BARON DRAFT LIST

Molesworth Had Compiled Long List for Drafts, But Recent Sales Have Eliminated Many—Hopes to Land Three By the Slips

So closely are the majors watching the promising players of the minors, that the chance of Birmingham landing several through the drafts is slowly diminishing. Manager Molesworth has been keeping careful tab on the phenoms of the minors and chuckled as he announced that he would have a fine lot of youngsters unless others inserted slips for the players.

But slowly the majors have grabbed the desired players by purchases and have diminished the list of possibilities to a very few. But Manager Molesworth is confident that he will land at least three likely youngsters in the drafts.

While the big league scouts have already secured many of those on my list," said the chubby leader, "I will get at least three. I have been watching these youngsters closely, and feel that they will make excellent recruits. While it would reveal my choice to others to announce the likely Barons, I am sure that they will make good men."

Those eliminated by sales may not be lost. Prospectors will make for them in the event they fall, and players may reach their intended destinations. Manager Molesworth will leave Birmingham shortly after the close of the Southern league season for the major leagues and will remain there until the close of the world's series.

PROUGH CONTINUES IN LEAD OF ALL PITCHERS

BARON FLINGER LEADS NEAREST MOUNDMAN BY 58 POINTS—COVALESKI IS SECOND—HARDGROVE IN RUNNING

Big Bill Prough is maintaining an iron grip on the lead of the best twirler in the Southern. With his string of 21 victories and 5 defeats, Prough is leading his nearest opponent, Harry Covaeski, by over 50 points.

"Pug" Cavet is the third in the ranking, while Collegian Conzelman is a close fourth.

Unless Prough suffers an abrupt reversal of form, he will soon clinch the twirling medal. To equal Prough's record, Covaeski will have to win eight battles without suffering a loss.

Big Harry Covaeski has proved himself the work horse of the league. The Pole has participated in 41 contests. He also holds the record of having captured the greatest number of victories, as 24 have fallen to his credit.

In the list of the 10 leading pitchers, the Barons have two in Prough and Hardgrove. Atlanta has three, Mobile, Birmingham and Montgomery two and Chattanooga 1.

Below are the 10 leaders, the records excluding yesterday's games:

Pitchers—Teams— G. W. L. T. Pct.
Prough, Bham. 21 5 1 .808
Covaeski, Chatta. 21 17 9 .270
Cavet, Mob. 23 21 9 .519
Conzelman, Atl. 16 4 1 .690
Price, Atl. 37 18 9 .667
E. Brown, Mont. 21 17 9 .559
Robertson, Mob. 21 13 7 .609
Dent, Atl. 25 11 6 .347
Hardgrove, Bham. 33 16 9 .340
Manning, Mont. 35 17 10 .679

Totals 31 1 5 24 19 3

Atlanta— AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Agter, 1b., 1 2 1 21 0 0
Long, lf., 3 1 2 0 0 0
Welch, cf., 4 1 1 2 0 0
Smith, 2b., 2 0 0 0 4 0
Belash, ss., 3 2 2 1 14 0
Holland, 3b., 2 0 1 1 1 1
Nixon, rf., 4 1 3 1 1 0
Dunn, c., 3 1 1 1 0 1
Dent, p., 4 0 2 0 3 6

Totals 30 8 13 27 23 1

Summary: Three base hits, Manning, Welch, Double plays, Manning, Wares to Snedcor; Wares to Manning. Innings pitched, C. Brown 6 with 10 hits and 7 runs. Struck out, Dent 1, Reid 1, C. Brown 2. Bases on balls, C. Brown 2. Sacrifice hits, Dunn, Holland, Smith 2. Stolen bases, Elwert, Nixon, Time, 1:45. Umpires, Rudderham and Stockdale.

TEXAS LEAGUE
At Dallas: Dallas 11, Austin 7.
At Waco: Waco 3, Fort Worth 8.
At Beaumont: Beaumont 2, Galveston 6.
Three games scheduled.

The Wrong Direction
From "Everybody's Magazine."
Owing to a fog, a steamer stopped at the mouth of a river. An old lady inquired of the captain the cause of the delay.
"Can't see up the river," replied the officer.
"But, captain, I can see the stars overhead," she argued.
"Yes," said the captain gruffly, "but until the boilers burst we ain't a-goin' that way!"

BLACH'S
Surely 'Twere Wisdom to Consider Next Year, Too, When Reading This Ad

BLACH'S WIND UP SALE

SOME \$15 MORE \$20

MEN'S SUITS

SOME \$25 MORE \$20

AT

These Are Imported Mohairs

\$10

The scene is a "Wind-Up"

Sale rush—in fact, day after day of such heavy trading.

Salesmen are eager to give quick service, customer equally anxious to buy and go.

"Broken lines" comprise the stocks, anyway. That's why Blach's offer said—\$18 suits for \$10.

(Continued to right.)

Suits \$12.50 Woollens—Some \$20 and \$30
More \$25 and \$27.50

Shirts at 65c Were One Dollar
And Much Better

3d Ave. at 19th Making Birmingham History

NATIONAL LEAGUE

STANDING
Played, Won, Lost, Pct.
New York 115 80 35 .696
Philadelphia 112 67 45 .598
Pittsburgh 113 62 51 .549
Chicago 113 62 51 .549
Boston 113 49 64 .434
Brooklyn 112 51 61 .450
Cincinnati 121 48 73 .397
St. Louis 118 43 75 .364

Giants Make Clean Sweep
New York, August 23.—New York made it a clean sweep over Chicago today, the visitors losing 3 to 2. Marquard had a slight edge on Smith, who tossed his game away in the fifth when he threw wild to first on a grounder.

In his hands by Shafer. Shafer took two bases, stole third and scored on Fletcher's infield out. Evers and Zimmerman were put off the field in the seventh inning for nagging Umpire Riegler. Score:

Chicago—AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Leach, cf., 3 0 0 3 0 0
Evers, 2b., 2 0 0 1 0 0
Fletcher, 1b., 4 0 1 1 0 0
Schulte, rf., 4 0 2 1 0 0
Zimmerman, 3b., 3 0 0 1 0 0
Corriden, 3b., 1 0 0 1 0 0
Saler, 1b., 3 0 0 6 2 0
Williams, rf., 4 0 0 3 0 0
Bridwell, ss., 4 0 0 1 4 1 1
Miller, c., 4 1 2 4 1 0 0
Archer, c., 4 1 2 4 1 0 0
Sweeney, 2b., 2 0 0 0 3 0
Smith, p., 2 0 0 0 0 3
***Brennahan 1 0 1 0 0 0
***Good 0 1 0 0 0 0
Lavender, p., 0 0 0 0 0 0
***Needham 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 33 2 7 24 7 2

Score by Innings:
Chicago 000 000 000
New York 110 610 000-8

Summary: Two base hits, Schulte, Marcan. Three base hits, Brennahan. Stolen bases, Shafer, double plays, Marquard, Fletcher to Merkle. Base on balls, Marquard 2, Smith 1. Struck out, Marquard 6, Smith 1, Lavender 2. Hits, Smith 8, in 7 innings; Lavender 0, in 1 inning. Time, 1:54. Umpires, Riegler and Byron.

Reulbach Wins
Brooklyn, August 23.—Brooklyn won from Cincinnati today in the first inning. The final count was 5 to 3. Packard, who succeeded Suggs, held the locals runless. The visitors had to earn both their runs.

Umpire Klem cleared the Brooklyn bench of all substitutes except Coach Phelps and Yingling in the fifth inning because of a chorus of protests over a strike called on Collins. Score:

Cincinnati—AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Becker, lf., 5 1 1 1 0 0
Bates, rf., 4 0 1 1 0 0
Egan, 2b., 3 0 0 3 2 0
Marans, cf., 4 1 2 1 0 0
Hoblitel, 1b., 4 0 0 11 0 0
Tinker, 3b., 4 0 1 1 4 0
Dodge, 3b., 4 0 0 4 4 0
Clark, c., 3 0 1 2 4 0
Suggs, p., 0 0 0 0 0 0
Packard, p., 2 1 1 2 1 0
***Shepard 1 0 0 0 0 0
***Killing 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 36 2 8 24 15 0

Score by Innings:
Cincinnati 000 000 000
Brooklyn 110 610 000-8

Summary: Two base hits, Schulte, Marcan. Three base hits, Brennahan. Stolen bases, Shafer, double plays, Marquard, Fletcher to Merkle. Base on balls, Marquard 2, Smith 1. Struck out, Marquard 6, Smith 1, Lavender 2. Hits, Smith 8, in 7 innings; Lavender 0, in 1 inning. Time, 1:54. Umpires, Riegler and Byron.

Reulbach Wins
Brooklyn, August 23.—Brooklyn won from Cincinnati today in the first inning. The final count was 5 to 3. Packard, who succeeded Suggs, held the locals runless. The visitors had to earn both their runs.

Umpire Klem cleared the Brooklyn bench of all substitutes except Coach Phelps and Yingling in the fifth inning because of a chorus of protests over a strike called on Collins. Score:

Cincinnati—AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Becker, lf., 5 1 1 1 0 0
Bates, rf., 4 0 1 1 0 0
Egan, 2b., 3 0 0 3 2 0
Marans, cf., 4 1 2 1 0 0
Hoblitel, 1b., 4 0 0 11 0 0
Tinker, 3b., 4 0 1 1 4 0
Dodge, 3b., 4 0 0 4 4 0
Clark, c., 3 0 1 2 4 0
Suggs, p., 0 0 0 0 0 0
Packard, p., 2 1 1 2 1 0
***Shepard 1 0 0 0 0 0
***Killing 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 36 2 8 24 15 0

Score by Innings:
Cincinnati 000 000 000
Brooklyn 110 610 000-8

Summary: Two base hits, Schulte, Marcan. Three base hits, Brennahan. Stolen bases, Shafer, double plays, Marquard, Fletcher to Merkle. Base on balls, Marquard 2, Smith 1. Struck out, Marquard 6, Smith 1, Lavender 2. Hits, Smith 8, in 7 innings; Lavender 0, in 1 inning. Time, 1:54. Umpires, Riegler and Byron.

Reulbach Wins
Brooklyn, August 23.—Brooklyn won from Cincinnati today in the first inning. The final count was 5 to 3. Packard, who succeeded Suggs, held the locals runless. The visitors had to earn both their runs.

Umpire Klem cleared the Brooklyn bench of all substitutes except Coach Phelps and Yingling in the fifth inning because of a chorus of protests over a strike called on Collins. Score:

Cincinnati—AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Becker, lf., 5 1 1 1 0 0
Bates, rf., 4 0 1 1 0 0
Egan, 2b., 3 0 0 3 2 0
Marans, cf., 4 1 2 1 0 0
Hoblitel, 1b., 4 0 0 11 0 0
Tinker, 3b., 4 0 1 1 4 0
Dodge, 3b., 4 0 0 4 4 0
Clark, c., 3 0 1 2 4 0
Suggs, p., 0 0 0 0 0 0
Packard, p., 2 1 1 2 1 0
***Shepard 1 0 0 0 0 0
***Killing 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 36 2 8 24 15 0

Score by Innings:
Cincinnati 000 000 000
Brooklyn 110 610 000-8

Summary: Two base hits, Schulte, Marcan. Three base hits, Brennahan. Stolen bases, Shafer, double plays, Marquard, Fletcher to Merkle. Base on balls, Marquard 2, Smith 1. Struck out, Marquard 6, Smith 1, Lavender 2. Hits, Smith 8, in 7 innings; Lavender 0, in 1 inning. Time, 1:54. Umpires, Riegler and Byron.

Reulbach Wins
Brooklyn, August 23.—Brooklyn won from Cincinnati today in the first inning. The final count was 5 to 3. Packard, who succeeded Suggs, held the locals runless. The visitors had to earn both their runs.

Umpire Klem cleared the Brooklyn bench of all substitutes except Coach Phelps and Yingling in the fifth inning because of a chorus of protests over a strike called on Collins. Score:

Cincinnati—AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Becker, lf., 5 1 1 1 0 0
Bates, rf., 4 0 1 1 0 0
Egan, 2b., 3 0 0 3 2 0
Marans, cf., 4 1 2 1 0 0
Hoblitel, 1b., 4 0 0 11 0 0
Tinker, 3b., 4 0 1 1 4 0
Dodge, 3b., 4 0 0 4 4 0
Clark, c., 3 0 1 2 4 0
Suggs, p., 0 0 0 0 0 0
Packard, p., 2 1 1 2 1 0
***Shepard 1 0 0 0 0 0
***Killing 1 0 0 0 0 0