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## RED SOX AND TIGERS TAKE A STRONGER GRIP ON PLACES

Boston Walloped the Yanks While Detroit Whipped White Sox

## CLEVELAND WON IN THE NINTH

Nosed St. Louis Out In Last Round—It Took Senators Eleven Innings Whip Athletics

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	72	53	.576
Detroit	71	57	.554
Chicago	69	58	.543
St. Louis	59	59	.500
Cleveland	68	60	.531
New York	67	63	.517
Washington	62	63	.496
Philadelphia	28	96	.225

St. Louis, Sept. 2.—In a ninth inning rally Cleveland nosed out St. Louis today 5 to 4. Speaker got one hit in three times up.

Score: R. H. E.  
Cleveland . . . 030 00 002—5 9 3  
St. Louis . . . 000 210 010—4 13 1  
Boehling, Coveleskie and O'Neill; Davenport, Groom and Severide.

**Best Athletes in Ninth.**  
Washington, Sept. 2.—Washington sent Connie Mack's wholesome champion further toward the dungeon today by taking an eleven inning game, 7 to 6.

Score: R. H. E.  
Philadelphia . . . 120 030 000 00—6 14 2  
Washington . . . 400 010 100 01—7 9 1  
Sheehan and Picinich; Harpia, Galia and Garrity. Umpires, Nallin and Oluoghlin.

**Detroit Takes Finer Hold.**  
Detroit, Sept. 2.—Detroit further entrenched herself in second place by defeating Chicago in a hard ten inning battle, 2 to 1. However, Joe Jackson, of the Sox, narrowed the margin separating himself and Cobb for batting by lining out two hits in four trips to the plate, while Cobb got but one safety in an equal number of tries. Jackson also annexed the only stolen base of the game.

Score: R. H. E.  
Chicago . . . 090 000 100 0—1 5 1  
Detroit . . . 100 000 000 1—2 8 2  
Russell and Schalk; Coveleskie and Spencer. Umpires, Connolly and Hildebrand.

**Boston Holds Her Own.**  
New York, Sept. 2.—The Boston Red Sox held their own today when they walloped the Yankees, 5 to 3. Leonard saved the day for the world's championship. Coming to the relief of Foster, after the latter was batted out of the box in the sixth inning, Leonard blanked the Yanks through the rest of the game.

Score: R. H. E.  
Boston . . . 020 020 001—5 10 0  
New York . . . 001 002 000—3 11 2  
Foster, Leonard and Carrigan; McGrigg and Walters. Umpires, Chill and Evans.

## OTHER RESULTS YESTERDAY

- \* Carolina League.
- \* Durham 7, Charlotte 2.
- \* Winston-Salem 5, Greensboro 2.
- \* Raleigh 4, Asheville 0.
- \* South Atlantic League.
- \* Macon 8, Columbia 4.
- \* Columbus 6, Jacksonville 1.
- \* Charleston 6, Augusta 4.
- \* Southern League.
- \* Atlanta 9, Birmingham 0.
- \* New Orleans 4, Mobile 3.
- \* Little Rock 12, Nashville 5.
- \* Memphis 3-4, Chattanooga 0-3.
- \* International League.
- \* Newark 6-4, Toronto 8-2.
- \* Richmond 4-5, Montreal 7-10.
- \* Providence 2-8, Buffalo 7-4.
- \* Baltimore 1-6, Rochester 2-14.

## "LABOR DAY" FOR RING CITIZENRY

Two of The Three Undisputed Champions Will Defend Titles

(By Rings) Labor Day will be all that the name implies for a number of our more prominent ring citizenry next Monday. Two of the three undisputed champions will defend their titles in bouts over the Derby route, with referees' decisions attached. Freddy Welsh and Johnny Kilbane are the two dare-devil champions who will jeopardize their coveted money-getters.

Jess Willard, the third of the recognized title-holders, will remain passive. He prefers the chance of fracturing a few limbs in his circus stunt to that of being detached from his hard-earned title. Besides, Jess does not have to do any tedious training to go through the motions on the tank, whereas if he were to fight he would be inconvenienced to the extent of regulating his mode of living.

Were there undisputed champions in the bantam, welter and middle weight divisions, there is no doubt but that the title-holders in these classes would be seen in action on Labor Day. As matters stand, not even the contenders at these standards will be seen in the ring, for there is no demand for the services of other big champions on a holiday.

Though the featherweight and lightweight championships will be involved on Monday, there is little likelihood that we will pay homage to new champions the day following. Welsh and Kilbane may be treated as joke titleholders, but when pinioned to the task and forced to the limit of their capabilities they CAN fight. This in spite of former views of Welsh as a fighter.

Kilbane has clung to the feather title ever since he humbled Abe Attell on February 22, 1912. Since the memorable afternoon Kilbane has not ventured into the ring with an opponent when the referee was empowered to render an official decision. So his bout with George Chaney at Cedar Point, Ohio, on Monday, will be Kilbane's first to a decision since he ascended the featherweight throne. It is scheduled to go fifteen rounds.

Only once since he became champion has Kilbane shown his true fighting form. That was in his six round bout with Kid Williams in Philadelphia over a year ago. On that occasion Kilbane crammed more fighting into those six rounds than he has in the six hundred or less rounds he has been a party to since becoming champion.

The same thing may be said of Welsh. He relieved Willit Ritchie of the lightweight crown on July 7, 1914. Since then Freddy boy has engaged in but two decision "battles." One was against a decrepit Matty Baldwin, the other against a virtual novice. Both went the limit, Welsh lacking the punch to even floor either opponent.

Welsh has fought often enough since attaining the crest of the lightweight wave, but in none did he give satisfaction; in not one bout did he show the qualifications of a champion. With each succeeding bout his popularity and prestige waned, until he was no longer sought by promoters. However, he was more of a drawing card than ever, because people went to see him perform in the hope that he would be knocked out—and they wanted to be in at the death, so to speak.

He was beaten a number of times, and when Benny Leonard subjected him to a nasty ten-round trouncing, Welsh was consigned to the pugilistic scrap heap. His end was in sight, they said, and Leonard would surely knock out the champion if ever they were to meet again—they said. Leonard did meet Welsh again, and he is a much wiser lad now.

The second Leonard match was one bout Welsh trained for. Prior to the first meeting with Benny, Welsh was content to box with a couple of youngsters, and then he did not train more than four days for the bout. Consequently he was beaten.

## DOGGERS PULLED DOWN ANOTHER GAME FROM TOP

Phillies Perform This Task by Taking Their Third Straight Game

## THE BRAVES LOST CHANCE TO GO HEAD

Giants Trimmed And Then Tied Them—All Clubs Play Double Headers and Break Even.

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Brooklyn	72	47	.605
Boston	70	47	.598
Philadelphia	70	59	.542
New York	57	59	.484
Pittsburgh	56	66	.459
Chicago	56	69	.446
St. Louis	56	59	.484
Cincinnati	48	79	.372

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 2.—The Phillies pulled the leading Dodgers down another game when they won their third straight game by a score of 4 to 1. Inability to solve Demaree resulted in Brooklyn's downfall.

Score: R. H. E.  
Brooklyn . . . 000 000 100—1 5 0  
Philadelphia . . . 000 130 004—4 9 0  
Cheney Smith and Miller; Demaree and Burns; Umpire Klen and Emslie.

## Split A Double-Header.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 2.—The Reds and Pirates split even in today's double bill, Pittsburgh winning the first game, 4 to 3, and Cincinnati copping the second, 7 to 2.

First game: R. H. E.  
Cincinnati . . . 012 000 000—3 10 1  
Pittsburgh . . . 000 002 02x—4 8 1  
Knetzer and Wingo; Harmon and Fisher; Umpire O'Day and Harrison.

Second game: R. H. E.  
Cincinnati . . . 003 201 001—7 9 2  
Pittsburgh . . . 000 200 000—2 6 6  
Moseley, Schulz and Clark; Evans Copper, Carpenter and Schmidt; Umpires, Harrison and O'Day.

## Boston Lost Its Chance.

Boston, Sept. 2.—The Braves lost their chance to pass the Dodgers today when they dropped the first game of a double header to the Giants four to 1 and were played to a 5 to 5 tie in the second contest which was stopped by darkness.

First game: R. H. E.  
New York . . . 031 000 000—4 10 0  
Boston . . . 010 000 000—1 2 2  
Perritt, Sallee and Raridan; Tyler Reulbach and Gowdy; Blackburn; Umpires, Quigley and Byron.

## Tied Next to Bottom.

St. Louis, Sept. 2.—Chicago and St. Louis remained tied for next to last place today by spitting a double header. St. Louis won the first game easily 7 to 3 by pounding Carter out of the box. Chicago took the second contest 5 to 4.

First game: R. H. E.  
Chicago . . . 000 000 210—3 8 1  
St. Louis . . . 000 050 02x—7 7 4  
Carter and Vaughn and Wilson; Watson and Gonzales. Umpires, Rigley and Eason.

## Second game.

Score: R. H. E.  
Chicago . . . 100 030 01—R 5 9 1  
St. Louis . . . 000 300 01—4 7 1  
Hendrix and Wilson; Williams and Gonzales; Umpires, Rigler and Eason.

The second meeting with Leonard meant Welsh's pugilistic existence. He trained industriously and conscientiously for almost two weeks. Leonard did not neglect his training, as a matter of fact he entered the ring in the best condition of his meteoric career.

But Welsh also had trained. For the first time in years he scaled, under 135 pounds in ring costume. And such an exhibition Welsh did put up! It was scintillating and smacked of the Welsh of old, the Welsh who out-toughed McFarland and beat Jem Driscoll.

Charley White will meet this same Welsh on Monday at Colorado Springs. The bout is listed for twenty rounds, and it will probably go the limit; as a matter of fact, it will go the distance. Welsh will not strive for a knockout, and will be content to outbox White in the twenty rounds. White's only hope for victory lies in a knockout, and Welsh is still skillful enough to avoid a hay-maker in twenty rounds.

HEAR THE CONCERT TONIGHT at Harbor Island Auditorium. No charge for admission.—Adv.

## EAST WILMINGTON WINS REACH CUP

Ended Interurban League Schedule By Beating Cubs At Hilton Park

By winning from the Cubs 4 to 1 at Hilton Park yesterday afternoon the East Wilmington team won the trophy cup offered by A. J. Reach & Co., to the team in the Interurban League winning the pennant. Three post-season games have been played at Hilton and the East Wilmington team have won them all, scoring a total of 28 runs to their opponents' 6.

Pearfall, for East Wilmington, pitched gilt-edge ball and was accorded fine support by his teammates. He secured the only extra basehit in the game, a two-bagger. Casteen, for the Cubs, also twirled a fine game. He struck out nine batters, but a combination of hits and errors in the sixth inning proved his undoing.

New York "was weakened considerably by the absence of Horne and Wilson, their star batterymen, but as it was the large number of spectators were rewarded by a fine game of ball.

AB.	R.	H.	E.	
East Wilmington	3	1	1	0
Walsak	3	1	1	0
V. Pearfall	4	0	0	0
S. Jones, ss. and p.	4	0	1	0
Barlow, lf.	3	1	1	0
Shannon, lb.	4	1	1	0
O. Pearfall, p. and ss.	4	1	2	0
P. Jones, cf.	4	0	0	0
Greenwald, 3b.	4	0	1	2
Strickland, rf.	3	0	0	0
Totals	33	4	7	2

## DONATIONS RECEIVED.

Numbers of People Contribute to Catherine Kennedy Home.

Quite a number of Wilmington people contributed during the month of August to the Catherine Kennedy Home and a report of these contributions has just been given out by the secretary. They are: A. Friend, coffee; Sterchi-Bancroft Co., \$6.00; Mrs. L. K. Taylor, preserves; Mrs. T. F. Bagley, groceries; Mrs. H. F. Wilder, groceries; A. friend, groceries; Trinity Methodist church, lemonade; Frost Ice Cream Co., 2 gallons ice cream; Miss Worthy, fish; Mrs. Clayton, magazines; Mrs. Reiger, magazines; J. Hicks Bunting, drugs; R. R. Bellamy, drugs; Independent Ice Co., 75 pounds of ice daily; Plate Ice Co., 20 pounds of ice daily.

AB.	R.	H.	E.	
Cubs	4	0	0	1
Futrell, 2b.	4	0	0	1
Bremer, rf.	4	0	0	1
Page, lb.	3	1	0	1
Childs, 3b.	4	0	1	0
Sweeney, ss.	4	0	3	1
Rich, lf.	3	0	1	0
Sweeney, ss.	4	0	3	1
Gordon, cf.	3	0	0	1
Todd, c.	4	0	1	0
Roast, p.	4	0	0	0
Totals	33	1	6	4

Score by Innings:  
East Wilmington . . . 000 013 000—4  
Attendance 350.

## GIANTS NOW LEADING

Went in First Place When They Trimmed W. L. I. Yesterday.

In the City League games at Robert Strange Playground yesterday afternoon the Boys' Brigade whitewashed the Immanuels in the first contest, 7 to 0, and in the second game the Giants trimmed the W. L. I. 5 to 2. This morning the Giants are leading the league and the Immanuels and W. L. I. are second and third respectively.

Although yesterday officially ended the City League schedule, there are several more games that will have to be played on account of several being postponed the early part of the season. However, the only teams to participate in the remaining games are the Infantrymen, Giants and Immanuels. The Brigadiers have completed their part of the schedule.

Boswell was on the mound for the Brigadiers in the first game and his twirling clinched the contest. He was opposed by Jacobs. Corbett twirled for the Infantrymen and was hit at the opportune time. Yates pitched a good game for the Giants.

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