

SPORTING NEWS

RAIN INTERRUPTS BUT CHAMPS WIN

Here Is But Six Innings of Play When Double Bill Was Ordered

ALBERT HITS HOMER

The Game Was Well Played And Was Marred Only By Interruptions By the Rain Farman Held Builders to One Hit.

With two on the corners Gardiner... relief of Trailkill proved a... for Calbert hit the first ball... beyond the center field fence... a home run, giving the Champs... counts and a victory in Natur... abbreviated clash of six innings... being caught between showers... Farman save for his wildness was a... and yielding but one hit. It... he had issued two passes... two runs counted on it. The Tar... were soon to Trailkill and the... derickled himself from some... holes during the first few innings... it was in the fifth that he gave up... a pass and was on the verge of... another when Gardiner was... and with two out Calbert hit a... that rested beyond the center... fence and three counted. Then... the bases choked Parmelee slash... a double to left and two more count... ending the scoring.

JIM THORPE'S SPEED BIG HIT IN THE A. A.



Jim Thorpe.

Jim Thorpe, who is playing fast ball for the Milwaukee Brewers, seems to have the stolen base record for the season put away on ice. Though his batting is not high, the Indian has shown so much speed on the base paths that the Cincinnati Reds have been trying to grab him up.

PRINCE PACERS IN BIG DETROIT RACES

Detroit, Mich., July 24.—Joe Patchen III, prince of pacers, who established himself in the hall of racing fame, by pacing the mile in 2:03 1/4, will try a comeback here today in the \$5,000 chamber of commerce stake, the pacing feature of the opening race of the Detroit grand circuit meeting. The ancient pacer will have some fast company. Billy Dale, winter favorite for the 2:06 class, and a star performer on the Ohio tracks last season is an entry.

JAPANESE PLAYERS TO PLAY AMERICAN STARS

Boston, July 24.—Many leading tennis players will appear tomorrow on the courts of the Longwood Cricket club for the opening tournament the oldest in the country under club auspices. The competitors will afford tennis followers an opportunity to compare the work of two Japanese players, L. Kumagae and H. Makami, with that of the ranking American stars, who are expected to approach top form at this time.

WHERE THEY PLAY

VIRGINIA LEAGUE

Rocky Mount at Norfolk. Petersburg at Newport News. Portsmouth at Hopewell.

CAROLINA LEAGUE

Durham at Asheville. Greensboro at Charlotte.

CIRCUSES, MOVIES AND BASEBALL NOW SAFE

Dallas, Tex., July 24.—Circuses, baseball and the movies may go ahead and plan to run next year. The peanut average in Texas this year is 246,000, which is expected to yield \$219,000 bushels, it was learned here today.

BAKED BEANS FOR TWENTY YEARS TELLS HOW

Cleveland, July 24.—Baked beans may be Boston's forte but Pat Finnegan, cook on the naval training ship Dorothea stationed here, knows a thing or two about that delicacy. He's been baking them for twenty years—for 17 years he was cook on a U. S. battleship, and he's prepared 124,000 gallons of baked beans.

Here's his recipe for beans: "Begin with the best navy beans; cook 'em one hour in cold water; then boil two hours slowly; put salt pork in while boiling; bake three hours in a slow oven, with plenty of molasses and a pinch of mustard. A whole onion adds a tasty flavor."

BIG EXCURSION

Spring Hope, Enfield, Scotland Neck, and Intermediate Points to NORFOLK, VA. VIA ATLANTIC COAST LINE THURSDAY, AUGUST 10th. Train leaves Rocky Mount 6:50 a. m. Leaves Norfolk, returning 9:00 p. m. Fare from Rocky Mount, \$1.75. W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Mgr. T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agt.

TOMMY LONG LOOKS GOOD WITH CARDS



Tommy Long after a high one.

Tommy Long, the Cards' little outfielder, seems to be in the midst of a prosperous season. He is batting well over the three hundred mark and fielding a fast game though in discouraging surroundings. Tommy has been in and out of fast company several times during the past few years, but looks good to stick if he continues his present pace.

HOW THE MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS HITTING

Chicago, July 22.—Leading players in the major baseball leagues up to and including the games of Wednesday, leading hitters: A. L. Spink, Cleveland, .389; National League, Robertson, New York, .349. Leaders in total bases: American League, Spink, Cleveland, 103; National League Zimmerman, Chicago, 109. Leaders in runs scored: American League Spink, Cleveland, 67; National League not given. Leading base stealers: American League, Cobb, Detroit, 36; National League, Carey, Pittsburg, 30. Leading home run hitters, Baker, New York, 8; National League, Williams of Chicago, 10. Leading pitchers who have taken part in 15 or more games: American League, Cullop, New York; National League, Hughes, Boston.

JEAN DALE'S WHIP WILL HELP HOOSIERS



Jean Dale, recently let out by the Cincinnati Reds for all-round "indifference" toward his work, is expected to strength to Hendricks' has been in and out of several times in the past. Last season he won eight for Cincinnati.



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Edwards, p.	3	0	0	2	4	0
Edwards, c.	2	0	0	1	1	0
Edwards, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Edwards, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	19	2	1	18	11	0

STANDING OF CLUBS

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Newport News	17	3	.850
Rocky Mount	12	8	.600
Portsmouth	10	10	.500
Petersburg	10	10	.500
Norfolk	6	14	.300
Hopewell	6	15	.280

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Charlotte	13	1	.929
Durham	10	7	.588
Asheville	8	7	.533
Winston	11	10	.524
Greensboro	9	9	.500
Raleigh	3	15	.167

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Brooklyn	48	52	.480
Boston	43	54	.443
Philadelphia	41	55	.427
Chicago	42	45	.483
New York	39	42	.481
Pittsburg	37	42	.468
St. Louis	41	48	.461
Cincinnati	35	52	.409

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	51	36	.586
Boston	49	37	.570
Cleveland	49	39	.557
Washington	47	40	.541
Chicago	47	40	.541
Detroit	45	44	.511
St. Louis	38	48	.442
Philadelphia	19	61	.237

Clubs	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Nashville	54	24	.691
New Orleans	52	26	.667
Chattanooga	46	33	.581
Atlanta	43	32	.573
Memphis	42	35	.543
Birmingham	41	44	.482
Little Rock	38	51	.427
Mobile	38	53	.415

BASEBALL SUMMARY

SUNDAY RESULTS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE Cleveland 2; St. Louis 5. Detroit 9; Chicago 12.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago 3; New York 3. Cincinnati 1; Philadelphia 8. St. Louis 1; Boston 2.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

New Orleans 1; Mobile 3. Nashville 5; Little Rock 1. Memphis 1; Chattanooga 2.

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