

Prunts, Bingles, Stunts and Stings from Fandom

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Took a Flight and Anderson Used the Stick Mightily on Brazelle's Curves

the Eighth the Locals Had Everything Their Way, Having Scored Three Times—Finn Then Regularly Wild and Brazelle Was Hit Four Times Almost Successively, Five Runs Being Made—McCarthy Got a Homer in the Ninth—Blanchfield Home in the Sixth.

The local story, unspcakably good, was again and to Anderson control led from him ab-... the eighth inning and the... with Brazelle's curves, se-... of him before the... and running in five... the story.

THE DISASTER HAPPENED... the eighth after... showed signs of weaken-... the little... was very... Kelly... the ball and he slash-... second base that Sim-... was converted into a... play but for a bad... up on third and hit-... Manager Collins had been... and to him that one of those... who are somewhat com-... the southpaw had arrived and... of the ball warming up his... He appeared quickly... into the pit with the... and amid the cheers and... of the grandstand... had come to the vic-... enough.

THE TWINS LOSE FOURTH STRAIGHT

Hammerly Shows Great Form Against Bob Carter's Bunch, Winning Out 3 to 1—Carter and Fogarty Star in the Field—Errors Responsible For Some Greensboro Runs.

Special to The Observer. Winston-Salem, May 17.—Inability to hit Hammerly spelled the Twins' defeat to-day, the Patriots taking the game easily 3 to 1. Hammerly pitched a splendid game and was given an swell support at critical moments. Carter's work was good at practically every stage, but the one error behind him cost a run and Brent's failure to handle McKevitt's fly to left centre was also responsible for one of the tallies.

Outside of these misplays and an error by Lynch, the game was as pretty as one could wish. In the second inning, Fogarty and Carter each started in right and centre. Walsh drove a hot grounder past first which Fogarty fielded to first in a splendid spurt. With Lynch on second, Hammerly hit to centre, but Carter threw perfectly to the plate, catching Lynch. Anthony's and Jackson's work marked the playing of the visitors. The umpiring of Lucas gave general satisfaction.

Greensboro. AB H PO A E
Anthony, M. 4 2 4 0 0
Sison, C. 3 2 1 0 0
McKevitt, I. 3 2 9 1 0
Bentley, R. 2 0 1 0 0
Jackson, B. 0 1 1 0 0
Hicks, A. 4 1 3 1 0
Lynch, S. 3 1 2 1 1
Walsh, A. 3 0 2 0 0
Hammerly, P. 2 0 0 0 0
Totals 27 8 27 10 1

Winston-Salem. AB H PO A E
Brent, I. 4 1 4 1 0
Carter, C. 3 0 2 1 0
Fogarty, R. 4 0 1 1 0
Dolan, B. 2 0 10 0 0
Redmond, B. 3 0 1 0 0
Lovett, S. 3 0 4 1 0
Snedden, B. 3 0 0 1 1
Schmitt, C. 2 0 2 0 0
Withers, P. 2 0 0 4 0
Totals 27 3 27 13 1

RESULTS AT LOUISVILLE

A Very Ordinary Card Run Off at Churchill Downs
Louisville, Ky., May 17.—A very ordinary card was run off at Churchill Downs this afternoon. Jockey Walsh was set down for the remainder of the meeting for cutting across in front of his field just after the start in the last race. Summary: Slew McGee, straight, 12.35, won; Slew McGee, straight, 12.35, won; Slew McGee, straight, 12.35, won.

NOTICE

The games Monday and Tuesday will be called at 4:30 p. m.; Wednesday 5 p. m. Don't fail to get your tickets at the Buford Cigar Stand and avoid the rush at the gate.

Standing of Clubs

CLUB	Won	Lost	P.C.
Spartanburg	12	8	.600
Greensboro	11	9	.550
Winston-Salem	10	9	.520
New York	11	10	.510
Anderson	9	11	.450
Charlotte	8	13	.381

CAROLINA LEAGUE

CLUB	Won	Lost	P.C.
Danville	13	6	.674
Richmond	11	8	.579
Portsmouth	8	11	.421
Norfolk	9	11	.447
Lynchburg	8	11	.421
Roanoke	8	12	.400

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

CLUB	Won	Lost	P.C.
Little Rock	15	9	.625
Nashville	14	9	.610
New Orleans	13	10	.565
Atlanta	13	12	.520
Mobile	13	14	.481
Montgomery	13	15	.464
Birmingham	10	17	.370
Memphis	7	18	.280

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE

CLUB	Won	Lost	P.C.
Charleston	15	9	.625
Jacksonville	16	11	.593
Columbia	15	11	.577
Cleveland	12	14	.462
Augusta	11	15	.423
Columbia	9	14	.391
Savannah	5	19	.208

NATIONAL LEAGUE

CLUB	Won	Lost	P.C.
Pittsburg	17	9	.654
Chicago	17	12	.586
Philadelphia	12	15	.443
Boston	12	12	.500
Cincinnati	14	15	.483
Brooklyn	11	13	.458
New York	10	13	.435
St. Louis	12	17	.414

AMERICAN LEAGUE

CLUB	Won	Lost	P.C.
Detroit	18	8	.692
New York	14	9	.609
Philadelphia	14	9	.609
Boston	14	9	.609
Chicago	11	12	.478
St. Louis	10	14	.417
Cleveland	9	15	.375
Washington	6	16	.273

SPARTANS USED THE BIG WILLOW

Langham Got Busy With the Stick, Happing Out a Home Run and Then Some—Three of Stouch's Pitches Badly Slaughtered by the First Engagement of the Week.

Special to The Observer. Spartanburg, S. C., May 17.—Up to the fourth inning it looked as if the Spinners would have no trouble in taking the game, outfielding and out-hitting the locals and playing a better game all-around, but in the third inning, Langham hit a home run to deep right and started a rally. In the next inning, however, with the bases full, Langham again hit to deep right and scored three runs, stopping on third himself. From this time on the Spartans hit the ball and crossed the plate at will. Stouch used three pitchers to stop the hitting but each of them looked alike. Touchstone was batted from the rubber in the sixth and Betcher, who played first up to this point, relieved him. The first three men to face Betcher singled and then Rickard hit to left for three bags. Just here Stouch sent in Blackstone, who also was easy. The game was full of fast fielding and at times was exciting. Score by innings:

CLUB	AB	H	PO	A	E
Spartanburg	3	0	3	5	0
Dingle, B.	3	0	1	4	1
Spring, I.	4	1	4	1	0
Langham, I.	5	2	12	0	0
Martin, J.	3	0	1	2	0
Ritter, B.	3	0	1	4	1
Dickinson, C.	5	2	4	0	0
Rickard, C.	4	2	1	1	0
Blackstone, P.	0	1	0	0	0
Abercrombie, P.	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	32	14	27	13	3

CLUB	AB	H	PO	A	E
Greenville	4	1	3	0	1
Goodman, I.	4	1	0	1	0
LaGrass, S.	4	1	0	1	0
Betcher, I.	4	2	11	0	0
Touchstone, P.	3	0	0	3	0
Childs, B.	4	1	1	3	0
McLatchie, B.	4	1	2	3	1
Wingo, C.	3	2	2	0	0
Beard, C.	3	2	0	0	0
Totals	34	9	24	13	3

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Boyd, R. 4 1 3 0 1
Goodman, I. 4 1 0 1 0
LaGrass, S. 4 1 0 1 0
Betcher, I. 4 2 11 0 0
Touchstone, P. 3 0 0 3 0
Childs, B. 4 1 1 3 0
McLatchie, B. 4 1 2 3 1
Wingo, C. 3 2 2 0 0
Beard, C. 3 2 0 0 0
Totals 34 9 24 13 3

HOMER WON THE GAME.

Smith's Long Hit in First Inning Decided the Game Between Wilson and Wilmington.

Special to The Observer. Wilmington, May 17.—The Eastern Carolina League opened here to-day with Wilmington against Wilson. The visitors won 1 to 0 by Smith knocking a home run in the first inning. The game was the first errorless game ever played here and for the only time in the history of professional ball here the ball was parked.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Wilmington 1 3 0
Wilson 0 1 0
Batteries: Wilmington: Howard and Kite; Wilson: Cowles and Gilmore. Umpire, McLaughlin. Attendance, 1,700.

MUR'S SUPERB PITCHING.

Fayetteville Pitcher Holds Raleigh to Contest, But Lost on a Costly Error.

Special to The Observer. Raleigh, May 17.—Mayor Wynne pitched the first ball at the opening game of the Eastern Carolina League season in this city to-day between Raleigh and Fayetteville which was won by the former, the score being 1 to 0. The pitching of Mur for Fayetteville was a feature, the locals getting only two hits off him.

Games Yesterday

Virginia.
Danville 3; Richmond 2.
Roanoke 4; Portsmouth 6.

Southern.
Birmingham 1; Memphis 1.
New Orleans 3; Montgomery 1.
Little Rock 3; Nashville 0.
Atlanta 2; Mobile 1.

South Atlantic.
Macon 3; Savannah 1.
Augusta 3; Charleston 4.
Chattanooga 6; Columbia 2.
Jacksonville 7; Columbus 0.

Eastern.
Rochester 1; Baltimore 2.
Buffalo 3; Newark 0.
Toronto 4; Providence 2.
Montreal-Jersey City. Rain.

American.
St. Louis 4; Washington 0.
Chicago 0; Philadelphia 1 (12 innings).

National.
Boston 6; St. Louis 1.
Brooklyn 1; Pittsburg 11.
New York 6; Cincinnati 0.
Philadelphia 1; Chicago 8.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia, May 17.—Chicago scored an easy victory here to-day by hitting the ball hard. Coveleskie was knocked off the rubber in the sixth inning. Manager Chance had his injured left shoulder subjected to an X-ray examination to-day and it was discovered that a bone was broken. The injury was caused by a collision between Chance and Gibson, of Pittsburg, nearly two weeks ago. Chance will be kept out of the game a month.

Score: R. H. E.
Philadelphia 100 000 00-1 8 2
Chicago 101 000 120-8 11 2
Batteries: Coveleskie, Foxen and Dering; Brown and Moran and Archer. Time, 1:54. Umpires, Johnstone and Cusack.

New York, May 17.—Mathewson pitched his first shut-out game of the year to-day, Cincinnati being beaten 6 to 0.

Score: R. H. E.
Cincinnati 000 000 00-0 6 0
New York 000 002 31x-6 9 1
Batteries: Rowan and McLean; Mathewson and Meyer. Time, 1:48. Umpires, Klen and Kane.

Brooklyn, May 17.—Pastorius gave eight bases on balls to-day and this, with hitting by the visitors and ragged fielding by the locals gave Pittsburg the game 11 to 1.

Score: R. H. E.
Pittsburg 005 000 000-11 11 3
Brooklyn 000 000 000-1 6 4
Batteries: Letfield and Gibson; Pastorius, Scanlon and Bergen. Time, 1:38. Umpires, Rigler and Truby.

Boston, May 17.—St. Louis found Dornier easy and won from Boston to-day 5 to 1.

Score: R. H. E.
St. Louis 000 004 110-6 7 2
Boston 000 000 010-1 3 4
Batteries: Lash and Bresnahan; Dornier, Tuckey and Bowerman. Time, 1:52. Umpire, O'Day.

EASTERN CAROLINA.

GOLDSBORO THE WINNER.

Defeated Rocky Mount in First Game by Score of 4 to 2—Large Crowd Witnesses the Contest.

Special to The Observer. Goldsboro, May 17.—The opening game of the Eastern Carolina League series was played in this city to-day between Goldsboro and Rocky Mount, the locals winning out by a score of 4 to 2.

The visitors made their runs in the first inning, but during the remainder of the game they could get no further than third base. The game was rather slow for the first two or three innings but after this period it was a fine exhibition. A fumble and a wild throw in the fourth inning gave the locals a lead of two runs which they held until the close of the game. Both teams batted well, but could not bunch their hits, and in the view of about 1,500 people, the Giants won their first game. The locals will have their best twister in the box in to-morrow's game, and the fans are quite sure that Goldsboro will at least take two out of three from the visitors.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Goldsboro 000 000 000-4 2 2
Rocky Mount 000 010 010-2 4 2
Batteries: Weems, Robinson and LaFitte; Shultz and Lauson. Umpire, Gordon Lewis. Time, 1:45.

Augusta, Ga., May 17.—Pierce, after holding the Gulls down to one hit for eight innings, weakened in the ninth, and with a two-bagger, a three-bagger and a single the score was tied. The Gulls won in the eleventh by a base on balls, a pass and a hit. The batting and fielding of Nadeau and McKish were the features of the game.

Score: R. H. E.
Augusta 002 001 000-3 9 2
Charleston 001 000 021-4 5 2
Batteries: Pierce, Hanks and Carson; Foster, May and Reisdinger. Time, 2 hours. Umpire, Van Syckle.

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 17.—In the seventh inning a home run by Aleock, after Johnston had doubled, tied the score. The locals then struck a slugging streak and ran in four more in the 8th. Manager Dobbs was put out of the game in the second for disputing a decision. Meek was fined \$10 and Kahloff \$5 for the same offense later in the game.

Score: R. H. E.
Chattanooga 000 000 24x-6 6 3
Columbia 200 000 000-2 9 0
Batteries: Chapman and Meek; Wagner and Kahloff. Time, 1:40. Umpire, Westervelt.

Columbus, Ga., May 17.—Columbus suffered her worst defeat of the season to-day at the hands of Jacksonville, being shut out by a score of 7 to 0. Jacksonville pitched by a fine game, while errors of the locals counted for much.

Score: R. H. E.
Jacksonville 000 000 000-7 9 1
Columbus 000 000 000-0 4 4
Batteries: Weaver and Rod; Helm, Masing. Time, 1:30. Umpire, Daly.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

Cleveland, O., May 17.—New York defeated Cleveland to-day 6 to 5 in a 12-inning game. Berger's wildness and Clarke's poor throwing were responsible for the defeat.

Score: R. H. E.
Cleveland 002 120 000 00-5 9 2
New York 011 000 020 00-6 12 3
Batteries: Berger and Clarke; Lake, Brockett and Kleinow and Blair. Time, 3:14. Umpires, Hurst and Evans.

Detroit, May 17.—Crawford tripled in the eighth inning with the bases full, and decided the game in favor of Detroit. Carrigan and Moriarty have been suspended indefinitely because of their altercation of Sunday.

Score: R. H. E.
Detroit 000 000 000-6 11 0
Boston 020 000 001-3 10 1
Batteries: Killian and Stange; Burchell, Steele and Spencer. Time, 1:40. Umpires, Sheridan and Kerin.

Chicago, May 17.—Philadelphia and Chicago clashed in another extra inning game to-day and this time the visitors won in the twelfth.

Score: R. H. E.
Chicago 000 000 000 00-0 6 1
Philadelphia 020 000 001-0 5 3
Batteries: Scott and Sullivan; Krause and Thomas. Time, 2:35. Umpires, Conolly and Egan.

St. Louis, May 17.—By taking this afternoon's game 4 to 0 from Washington, St. Louis made a clean sweep of the series.

Score: R. H. E.
St. Louis 004 000 000-4 4 0
Washington 000 000 000-0 2 3
Batteries: Petty and Criger; Groome and Street. Time, 1:40. Umpires, O'Loughlin and Perrine.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Atlanta, Ga., May 17.—Atlanta won the game with Mobile this afternoon in the 9th inning on a double error.

Score: R. H. E.
Mobile 100 000 000-1 2 3
Atlanta 000 000 002-2 4 0
Batteries: Stockdale and Hardy; Johns and Smith. Umpire, Rudderham. Time, 1:45.

Birmingham, Ala., May 17.—In a half drizzle, Memphis and Birmingham played a remarkable 9-inning tie game this afternoon.

Score: R. H. E.
Birmingham 010 000 000-1 5 2
Memphis 010 000 000-1 8 1
Batteries: Dickson and Raub; Dik and O'Leary. Time, 2 hours. Umpires, Carpenter and Moran.

New Orleans, May 17.—The locals could not solve Guene's delivery until the 8th inning when a base on balls and three safe hits, one a triple, scored three runs.

Score: R. H. E.
New Orleans 000 000 100-1 5 0
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Batteries: Guene and Sharron; Fritz and Schriver. Time, 1:50. Umpires, O'Brien and Fitzsimmons.

Little Rock, Ark., May 17.—Little Rock won to-day and moved into first place. Bunched hits in the seventh were responsible for two of the runs and a double steal for the third.

Score: R. H. E.
Little Rock 000 000 20x-3 6 2
Nashville 000 000 000-0 4 1
Batteries: Buchanan and Casey; Perdue and Seabough. Time, 1:35. Umpire, Pennington.

SOUTH ATLANTIC

Macon, Ga., May 17.—An error by Shortest Leard in the first inning gave Savannah two runs, and with this lead the tall ends won out. Both pitchers did excellent work, Weems' fielding being a feature. Centre Fielder Howard, of the Savannah team, broke his ankle in the fourth inning in sliding to a base.

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BOOKMAKER IS ARRESTED.

Sheriff and Deputies Make Arrests Just as the Bookies Were About to Cash In — Steeplechase Feature Event.

Richmond, Va., May 17.—Just as the bookies were about to cash in at the finish of the first steeplechase at the Virginia fair grounds this afternoon, Sheriff Kemp and a squad of deputies descended upon the betting ring and arrested William Bartlett, alias Nowland, of New York, who is alleged to have been running the books, and Michael O'Rourke, who is said to have been the doorkeeper. They were locked up. Jockey J. E. Sullivan, who rode Young Blitzen in the first steeplechase, was set down by the stewards for improper riding and they will recommend to the jockey club that his license be taken away.

The final steeplechase was the feature of the day, Essex winning by a neck after a great race with Lizzie Flat. The horses were abreast throughout, lapping almost every jump. Summaries:

First race, 5 furlongs, 3 year olds and up, purse \$200; Notless, first; Jack Patton, second; Undeterred, third. Time, 1:03.

Second race, Steeplechase, about 2 miles, for hunters qualified under rules of national steeplechase association, purse \$200; Clover Croft, first; Young Blitzen, second; Rolfe, third. Time, 4:05 1-2.

Third race, 6 furlongs for 3 year olds and up, purse \$100; Lamp Trifler, first; Fancy Bird, second; Chaplain, third. Time, 1:14 4-5.

Fourth race, steeplechase, about 3 miles, purse \$250; Essex, first; Lizzie Flat, second; Bertha Barker, third. Time, 4:11 1-2.

It seems that Charlotte always gives the other fellows a start. Nobody has been able to stop Spartanburg since they left here and now Greensboro has started up.

MECKLENBURG DECLARATION ANNIVERSARY PUZZLE

IT CAN BE SOLVED.

CAN YOU DO IT?

In connection with the 134th anniversary of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence The Oberver Company is submitting a (134) mathematical puzzle to its patrons and