

THE WEATHER: Fair today and tomorrow.

Greenville Turns Tables on Local Team in Close Contest by Score of 3-2

LOCALS MISSED SEVERAL GOOD OPPORTUNITIES TO SCORE. ANOTHER GAME MONDAY.

Well, we lost that one yesterday 3-2.

It was a hard game to lose too. Washington hit the Greenville players, Barnes pitched a great game, but a few errors, a little carelessness and the trick was done.

The game started at 4:20, with Washington to bat. Neither team scored in the first. In the second Washington scored two runs or clean hits by Walker, Brown and Davenport. There was no fluke about the way the runs were made; they were clean and earned.

Greenville scored their three in the fifth. Bonner, the first man up, struck out. Watkins dropped the ball, and he reached first, safe. Two hits and a base on balls were the means of scoring him and Moore and Brinkley in the sixth. Washington had a good chance to score.

Taylor singled and then went fast to sleep off first. He was put out between first and second. Cowell knocked out a two-bagger and reached third. J. Cowell struck out and the best Moore could do was to ground out.

It was hard on Barnes to lose that game. He pitched a perfect game and allowed only four scattered hits. Watkins had an off day. His throwing to second was poor and five men stole the base on him.

But cheer up! Everyone is bound to have an off day. Greenville is coming over here again Monday and what we do to them is going to be a shame to print.

Summary of the Game. Table with columns for player names and statistics.

Totals 23 7 5

Greenville: AB. H. E.

H. Thompson, lf. 4 1 0

Joiner, c. 4 0 0

H. Thompson, 3b. 4 0 0

Bailey, 2b. 3 0 0

Bonner, rf. 4 0 0

Lanier, cf. 3 1 0

Moore, ss. 3 1 1

Ragsdale, lb. 3 1 0

Brinkley, p. 3 1 0

Totals 30 4 1

Score by innings: Washington . . . 0 2 0 0 0 0-3

Greenville . . . 0 0 0 0 3 0-3

Two-base hits, H. Cowell. Base on balls, off Brinkley 1, off Barnes 2.

Struck out, by Brinkley 2, by Barnes 6. Double play, Watkins to H. Cowell.

HUDSON RIVER REGATTA. New York, July 25.—There are eleven events in the Hudson River Rowing Association's regatta held here today over the Woodliffe course, including single sculls, junior sculls, intermediate single sculls, junior double jigs, junior four-oared barges, intermediate four-oared barges, junior four-oared gigs, junior and senior four-oared sculls and junior eight-oared shells. J. A. Miller, jr., is referee. Some of the best oarsmen in this section of the country are competing.

NEW CHURCH TO BE BUILT AT SMALL

SERIES OF SUCCESSFUL MEETINGS HAS JUST BEEN CONCLUDED.

Plans for New Church to Be Completed Soon and Work to Be Started on New Church in Near Future.

Rev. J. W. Hoyle of Aurora, assisted by Rev. C. R. Canipe, has just closed a successful series of meetings at Small. All of the meetings were well attended and great enthusiasm was displayed. A new church was organized. Plans for the building will be completed shortly and the people of Small expect to be worshipping in a new building in the near future.

LARGER PARCELS AND CHEAPER RATES

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POSTMASTER GENERAL BURLISON DEFENDS HIS PLAN BEFORE SENATE POSTOFFICE COMMITTEE.

Chairman Clerk of the interstate commerce commission also was present. In the opening of his statement Mr. Burleson replied to the criticism of his abolishing the distinctive parcel post stamp. He asserted that widespread complaint arose against the stamp and that the stamp prevented the shipment of many articles.

"Don't you think those who drafted the law were better able to interpret it than departmental officials?" asked Senator Bristow. "No sir," responded Mr. Burleson. Senator Hoke Smith asked if the solicitor of the department had given an opinion on the matter.

"No sir," said Mr. Burleson. "It seemed so clear to me, being a corned lawyer myself, that I changed it without an opinion." Mr. Burleson contended nothing had been lost by the abolishing of the stamp because he had been able to approximate receipts of the parcel post by having accounts kept at fifty large postoffices where 50 per cent of the mail business was done.

Since the introduction of the parcel post, Mr. Burleson said, the revenue of the Chicago postoffice had increased 21.63 per cent. He believed that due to the parcel post and added that was the greatest increase in the history of the Chicago office.

"That's because the big mail order houses are located there," interrupted Senator Bristow. "Yes, and they were honestly in favor of abolishing the parcel post stamp," said Mr. Burleson. Postmaster-General Burleson produced "the latest figures" to show that on twenty-pound packages the government would make a profit of ten cents. Senator Bryan declared there would be a loss of 3 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Waters of Belhaven are in the city today on a shopping trip.

HEAVY RAINFALL THIS MORNING

HEAVIEST RAIN IN YEARS FELT IN WASHINGTON THIS MORNING.

MAIN STREET FLOODED

One of the heaviest rains seen in Washington in years, fell last night and after a brief cessation, started again this morning at about nine o'clock. The rain fell in torrents and all traffic on the streets was practically suspended for an hour. The low places in the country, at the outskirts of the city, were flooded with water to a depth of from two to three feet. Main street in front of the Brown Drug Company, was flooded with water, the water coming up to the sidewalk and right to the doors of the drug store and Spencer's.

Large Number of Fans View Ball Game at Greenville

A large number of Washington baseball enthusiasts accompanied the team to Greenville yesterday. They did some strong rooting too. A number made the trip via automobile, while others left here on the 3:20 train. Among those who saw the game, were Misses Ada Rhodes, Mae Dlouct, Eliza Branch, Nina Blount, Mrs. A. S. Buford and Messrs. Squires, Peg. Jones, William Knight, Zoph Potts, Claude Jordan, F. C. Kugler, William Baughman, Tom Bland, Wm. Ellsworth, Elbert Weston, Charles Sterling, F. S. Worthing, Charles Cowell, Lester Savage, I. Hughes, Dr. Carter, William Ellison, Carl George, Caleb Bell and Harley Sparrow.

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Making Your Dollar Do Double Duty

Our dollars come hard enough to most of us to make us interested in anything which will tend to give them greater purchasing power. And so our readers will appreciate our repetition of the same idea in these talks on advertising, when we call attention again to the daily possibilities for economy and saving offered by careful and intelligent buying of the year-in, year-out things that all of us must buy.

BATTING AVERAGES OF LOCAL PLAYERS

Table with columns for player names and batting averages.

CROSS ATLANTIC IN OPEN BOAT

SAILORS EXPECT TO START TODAY ON LONG VOYAGE ACROSS ATLANTIC.

BOAT IS 14 FT. LONG

New Bedford, Mass., July 25.—Thomas A. Johanson and Lawrence Erhard, of the crew of the revenue cutter Acushnet, hope to be able to start, as planned, on their trip across the ocean today in a fourteen-foot power boat. Their boat has been given several trials to deep sea in rough weather and they are confident that they can make a record.

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Brewery Flow Intoxicates The Fish

Mendota, Ill., July 25.—There will be no more fishing in the Mendota Creek for months to come. It is improbable that the fish will be able to see the bait for several weeks. The banks are lined with hundreds of dead fish and the creek is full of others dead drunk. Because of failure to pay the government tax the Mendota brewery was closed and 1,051 barrels of beer were emptied into the river.

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NEW CLASS FOR N. Y. Y. C.

New York, July 25.—Women sailors are given an opportunity of racing for the Commodore Hastings Cup in the N. Y. Y. C. regatta today. Several prominent society women who own and handle yachts are in the competition.

McDERMOTT OUT OF FIVE-MILE SWIM

St. Louis, Mo., July 25.—Over 75 star swimmers are entered for the third annual five-mile paddle to be staged under the auspices of the Western Rowing Club tomorrow. Michael McDermott, the Chicago wonder, has changed his mind about entering the contest, relieving the contest of a topnotcher.

CONNIE MACK PITCHER

Irvin Corbett of Wilmington to Go With the Athletics.

Irvin Corbett, a Wilmington boy, who has made quite a reputation as an amateur pitcher, has been signed by Connie Mack, of the Athletics. Corbett will report to the Athletics pilot September 1. Corbett has been pitching sensational ball for the past three years, getting much of his training as a member of the Atlantic Coast Line team. Last season he twirled for the Georgetown Preps, and while in the North attracted the eye of Mack.

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GREENVILLE AND ROBERSONVILLE HERE NEXT WEEK

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Washington has two good games scheduled for the beginning of next week. Greenville will play here Monday and will be followed Tuesday by Robersonville. The fans are already acquainted with the Greenville players, and know what kind of a game they put up. Robersonville is said to be in good shape this year and will also, without doubt, put up a good game against the locals. Both games will be played at Fleming Park.

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M. H. WHITE IS DEAD

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GRASSHOPPER CURE FOUND.

Lawrence, Kan., July 25.—Grasshoppers which appeared in great numbers in Ness county, causing fear among the farmers for the crops, are being killed by millions by a form of fungus, according to reports received by S. J. Hunter, state entomologist, from special investigators for the department. A shipment of weeds on which are clusters of dead grasshoppers has been sent to the University of Kansas here. The fungus is being studied to see if it be possible to distribute it.

Remember the Date for the Opening of the Washington Tobacco Market is Wednesday August 20th. The Highest Prices will be Paid For All Grades. All Farmers Needing Aid In Housing Their Tobacco Crop Will Be Taken Care Of