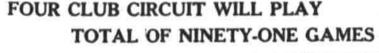
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# MAYS CHECKS CHICAGO'S WINNING STREAK



The schedule for the abbreviated set, the Hornets playing in Durham arolina league, made necessary by that day. Instead of the four-game series, as Carolina league, made necessary by the retirement of Raleigh and Ashe-

was given out Saturday night. While it has not been adopted, that is a mere formality, for it, of course, will be. There wasn't time to await its adoption, because the teams that are sticking must begin playing un-der the revised schedule Monday. The schedule for the remainder of

the season calls for ninety-one games, including two on the Fourth of July, which, by the way, Charlette does not



instead of the four-game series, as was arranged in the six-town sched-ule, series, will now be only three games. Under the revised schedule, Charlotts will be at home the first half of this week, playing Winston, and then goes to Durham. The new schedule is as follows: May 21-22-23-Winston at Charlotte: Durham at Greensboro May 24-25-26-Charlotte at Dur-am; Greensboro at Winston. May 28-29-30-Greensboro at Charlotte: Durham at Winston. May \$1 June 1-2—Durham at Char-lotte: Winston at Greensboro June 4-5-6—Charlotte at Greensboro; Winston at Durham. June 7-8-9—Charlotte at Winston; Greensboro at Durham. June 11-12-15—Charlotte at Dur-ham; Greenaboro at Winston. June 14-15-16—Winston at Char-lotte; Durham at Greensboro. June 18-19-20-Greenaboro at Char-lotte; Durham at Winston, June 21-22-23-Durham at Char-June 25-26-27-Charlotte at Greens-boro; Winston at Greensboro. June 25-26-27-Charlotte at Greens-boro; Winston at Durham. June 25-29-30-Charlotte at Wins-ton; Greensboro at Durham. July 2-3-Charlotte at Durham; Greensboro at Winston Greensboro at Winston. July 4—Morning games, Charlotte at Durham, Greensboro at Winston; afternoon games, Charlotte at Dur-ham. Winston at Greensboro. July 5-6-7—Winston at Charlotte; Durham et Greensboro Durham at Greensboro. July 9-10-11-Greensboro at Char-July 9-10-11—Creensboro at Char-otte: Durham at Winston. July 12-13-14—Durham at Char-otte: Winston at Greensboro, July 16-17-18—Charlotte at Greenslotte: lotte: oro: Winston at Durham. July 19-20-21-Charlotte at Winston: Greensboro at Durham. July 23-24-25-Winston at Char July 23-24-25-Winston at Char-lotte; Durham at Greensboro. July 25-24-25--Charlotte at Dur-ham; Greensboro at Winston. July 30-31, August 1-Greensboro at Charlôtte; Durham at Winston. August 2-3-4—Charlotte at Wins n; Greensboro at Durham. August 6-7-8—Charlotte at Greens August 9-10-11-Greensboro at Charlotte; Winston at Durham. August 13-14-15-Winston at Oharlotte; Greensboro at Durham. August 16-17-18-Charlotte at Durham; Greensboro at Winston. August 20-21-22-Greensboro Charlotte: Durham at Winston. August 23-24-26-Durham at Char-August 27-28-29—Durnam at Char-lotte; Winston at Greensboro. August 27-28-29—Charlotte at Greensboro; Winston at Durham. August 30-31, Sept. 1—Charlotte at Winston; Greensboro at Durham. Roller skating in England is said to date back to 1790.







Various Teams Held Honor test was a pitchers' build between Boland and Russell. The feature play for Brief Period During, inning. the Week.

NEW YORK, May 20 -First place in the major baseball leagues was a hard position to hold last week. Chi cago coming out of the west, climbed over the eastern clubs to first place in the National, and although Bostor

urday, the champions regained it to-day by defeating Chicago, 2 to 1, while New York, leaders for a day were losing to Detroit. The rices are close in both leagues, however, and the coming week may see more changes. changes.

Leading the western invasion, Chi cago had run up a string of ten straight victories when it encounter-ed Philadelphia on Friday. Pat Mo-ran's men, who made the best record of the week in the National, stopped

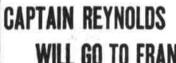
of the week in the National, stopped Mitchell's club and defeated it Pri-day and Saturday. Alexander allowed the visitors only four hits Friday, but Saturday it took l'hiladelphia eleven innings to cluch the victory. Previously Chicago had taken four runnas from Boston

games from Boston. games from Boston. New York slowed up during the week and lost first proce to Chicago Tuesday. St. Louis on Monday and Tuesday defeated New York and each time in ten innings. McGraw's men are hitting well, but their field has been either losse and only Schure.

been rather loose and only Schupp of the pitchers, appears to be in win ning form. Brooklyn was able to break its loos-

ing streak at the expense of St. Louis and Cincinnati and move up in the race by winning four out of five games. New York and Chicago set the pace in the American organiza-tion while Boston met with stubborn

Chicago won seven games during the week and set up a weekly scor-ing mark for the year by making forty-four runs on seventy-one hits. The Chicago pitchers held their op-ponents to eight runs in seven games and three of the games were shut



Captain Robert R. Reynolds, of Asheville, chief of staff of the Cinema War News syndicate, is in Asheville for a visit, preparatory to a trip which

in France. Captain Reynolds stated that he will leave here not later than August 1, and expects to remain in Europe for about two months. He will be accompanied by two camera-

### AMERICAN LEAGUE TIGERS BEAT YANKS,

DETROIT. May 20.-Detroit de-feated New York 1 to 0 today, scoring the winning run in the eighth inning when Spencer was hit by a pitched ball and Boland doubled. The con-

of the game was made in the fourth

With one out and two men on bases Cobb caught Bakers' fly and on bases Cobb caught Basers in threw out Maisel at the plate. R. H. E. New York ..... 000 000 000-0

New York .....000 000 000-0 5 1 Detroit ......000 000 01x-1 4 2 Hatteries: Russell and Walters, Boland and Spencer.

#### INDIANS TAKE TWO.

CLEVELAND, May 20-Cleveland won both ends of a doubleheader from Philadelphia, 3 to 1 and 5 to 2. Gould held Philadelphia to one hit, Bates' triple in the first, that hit driving in Philadelphia's only run. Cleveland

won by bunting. Bush was hit hard in the second game while Bagby would have scored a shutout had it not been for Speaker's error with two out in the ninth Score first game: R, H, E. Philadelphia ...000 200 01x -- 3 9 0 Hatterles: Schauer and Schang; Gould and O'Neill.

Gould and O Nem. Score second game: R.H.E. Philadelphia . 000 000 002-2 5 2 Cleveland . . .001 100 30x-5 10 1 Batteries: Bush, Myers and Meyer, Haley; Bagby and Billings.

#### GROOM EFFECTIVE.

ST. LOUIS, May 20 .- Groom held Washington to six hits, while his team mates bunched six of their ten safe-ties off Gallia in the fourth and fifth innings today, St. Louis winning 4 R. H. E. Score:

Groom and Severeid.

#### MAYS STOPS WHITE SOX.

CHICAGO, May 20 .- Carl Mays checked Chicago's winning streak to-Boston defeating the locals 2 Jim Scott was unable to hold day, to 1. the world's champions who scored one run in the first inning on Barry's single and Hoblitzell's triple and then

added the winning run in the next in-ning on E. Scott's triple and a single by Mays. The victory for Bos-ton today may cause the world's champions to play without the services of their manager, because of a collis-ion at second base between Manaser

# **ABOLISH STYMIES**

## COBB SAYS BASERUNNING IS FAR MORE IMPORTANT THAN BATTING

Base running more important than | become completely rattled and when sating? Bunk you say? But that's a ball player is rattled he is done for ust the claim made by Ty Cobb, the treatest batter who ever lived, in his well take off his uniform and go to greatest batter who ever lived, in his the club house. It is the element of the unexpected

article in the June Baseball Magazine. I am strong for the stolen base because I believe it is possible to do more damage to the opposing team's which makes successful base running cause I believe it is possible to do which makes successful base running so valuable. The batter at the plate is always likely to make a hit. If by batting or fielding or anything else. When you are making a lot of Se is an infielder likely to make an hits you may discourage the opposi-tion. But at the same time they reaerror. Those things are all a part of the game. But the good base run-ner who doesn't follow any set rule sow that the players are not so much to blame. It is really the pitcher who is getting his. Therefore team creates opportunities for himself which are unexpected. For when he play and defensive play, so far as the club is concerned, are not im-paired in the least by the fusilade of is on the paths no one knows what he is going to do next and the very uncertainty makes it impossible for the infielders to do their best work. A stolen base is looked upon by co hits which may win the game and drive the pitcher from the box. The They are inclined to follow the ma-chine schedule of working for pass-es, sacrificing and that sort of thing. All this is important, but if I were same applies to fielding. If a misplay is made it is the fault of some one player. It doesn't affect the other players and it doesn't even affect the man who made it very much. For he

I will stop it or break a leg."

the foundation of the defense.

a manager I would try to develop the unexepected attack rather than follow the routine form. If a thing is unreasons. "I missed that one all right but when the next one comes this way All these things are important. But no one of them, not even a home run expected it is immensely valuable on that very account. The defense can't be prepared. They can't have any with the bases crammed, can guite demoralize an infield and get the de-fense up in the air as clever base set plan. They are swept off their feet. And the attack wins because of its suddenness and its variation running can do. Such base running strikes deep at from the usual schedule,

