

The World of Sports

BASEBALL YESTERDAY UNIVERSITY WINS FROM ST. JOHNS

American League.
At Washington: Washington 0; New York 5.
At Philadelphia: Philadelphia 2; Boston 4.

Other Games.
Holy Cross 3; Georgetown 5.
University of Virginia-Pennsylvania postponed, rain.
At Atlanta: Atlanta (Southern) 1; Augusta (S. A. L.) 3.
At Athens: Georgia University 4; Mercer 2.
At Blacksburg: Roanoke (Virginia League) vs. Virginia Polytechnic postponed, rain.
At Lynchburg: Lynchburg (Virginia State) vs. Greensboro (Carolina Association), no game.
At Danville: Danville (Virginia State) vs. Charlotte (Carolina Association) postponed, rain.
At Chester, S. C.: Davidson College 1; University of South Carolina 2.
At New York: New York Nationals 7; Anson's Colts 1.
At Louisville: University of Michigan 3; University of Tennessee 3 (11 innings) darkness.
At Greenville, S. C.: Columbia (South Atlantic 2; Greenville (Carolina Association) 5.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, April 13.—Hughes weakened in the seventh inning of to-day's game after making a bad throw to second and New York hammered five runs over the plate, defeating Washington 5 to 0. Lake was very effective with runners on the bases. A one-handed catch by Freeman of McConnell's line fly into right was the feature of the game.

R. H. E.
Washington000 000—0 6 4
New York000 000—5 7 2
Batteries: Hughes, Groom and Street; Lake and outfielder.
Umpires, Egan and Evans. Time 2:15.

Philadelphia, April 13.—To-day's game was played in a drizzle and was won by Boston, 4 to 2. Boston pitched in fine form until the ninth, when he weakened and the home team bunched 4 hits and escaped a shut out.

R. H. E.
Philadelphia000 000—2 9 4
Boston000 000—4 9 2
Batteries: Chech and Spencer. Time 1:35.
Umpires, Connelly and Hurst.

COLUMBIA DEFEATED AGAIN.

The Spinners Hit Opportunely and Defeat the Gamecocks Easily in Second Game.
Greenville, S. C., April 13.—Greenville hit opportunely to-day and again beat Columbia by the score of 5 to 2. Blackstone, the Monaghan Mills find of Tommie Stouch, was hit eleven times, eight of them coming in the last four innings, but fast fielding behind him, coupled with his ability to pitch himself out of serious noles, kept the Gamecocks from crossing the rubber with but two runs. Welcher was touched nine times for a total of fourteen bases. Three of the bluffs came in the second inning and brought two Spinners home. Welcher forced the third run of this inning by walking Beard, the heavy-hitting pitcher and outfielder.

KAUFMAN DEFEATED ROSS.

Jack Johnson, Heavyweight Champion Who Was a Spectator, Laughed at the Efforts of the Fighters—Coffroth Wants to Match Ketchel With Johnson.
Fairmount Athletic Club, New York, April 13.—Al Kaufman, who has aspirations to the heavyweight fist championship honors, to-night met and defeated on points Tony Ross, of Newcastle, Pa., in a ten round bout before the Fairmount A. C. Jack Johnson, the world's champion heavyweight pugilist, was at the ringside and simply laughed at the efforts of the men, apparently feeling self satisfied that no danger threatened his title from this most earnest seeker for a bout for the championship. Kaufman, according to experts at the ringside, did not show that he is in the class of the big negro.

RACING ON LIMITED SCALE.

Statement Issued by Westchester Racing Association Following Meeting of Directors—Value of Stakes Will Not Be Lessened.
New York, April 13.—That horse racing on the Metropolitan tracks this season will be on a limited scale, was indicated in a statement issued by the Westchester Racing Association (Belmont Park) following a meeting of its directors to-day.

South Carolina Defeats Davidson.
Chester, S. C., April 13.—The University of South Carolina defeated Davidson College here this afternoon by a score of 2 to 1. Davidson was somewhat off color, while the South Carolina lads played brilliant ball at both points. Both teams had a number of sympathizers in the crowd and rooting was lively. Batteries: Jones and Belsler; Bailey and Buie. Umpire, Latimer.

City League Opens To-Morrow.
Great interest is being centered in the opening games of the city baseball league which will be played to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, between the following teams: Class A, Hornets vs. Elizabeth; Class B, North Tryon Street vs. Juhior Dilworth; Class C, First Ward, vs. South Tryon Street. All of the teams will match and some interesting games are predicted.

WILL ENTERTAIN OLD VETERANS

Annual Reunion of South Carolina Division to be Held at Chester, June 23-24—Hustling Little City Invites Southern Power Company to Locate General Offices There—To Vote Bonds for Street Improvements.
Special To The Chronicle.
CHESTER, S. C., April 14.—Good luck has come to Chester in securing the annual reunion of the South Carolina division of Confederate Veterans this year. It was decided in Greenville last year that the reunion should be held in Chester in 1909. At a meeting of Walker-Carter chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy yesterday it was decided to hold the reunion at this meeting of the "Founding committees" all the necessary arrangements for the reunion. These are composed of energetic, hustling men, who will work to make the occasion highly successful and a time of enjoyment to all who may attend the reunion. The Legislature at its recent session appropriated \$1,500 to defray all the necessary expenses of the occasion. This town will make ample provision for the reunion. At this meeting of the camp Mrs. James G. Gage, wife of Judge Gage, of this circuit, was elected sponsor. Four delegates were selected to attend the State reunion in Memphis, Tenn., June 8, 9 and 10. The city council published in the local papers to-day notice of an election on May 4 to decide whether or not the city of Chester shall issue bonds to the amount of \$25,000 for the purpose of repairing, improving and extending its streets and water system.

AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Duncan 2b	5	1	3	2	0
Winn, ss	3	0	0	11	3
Hampton, lb	3	0	1	10	0
Armstrong, 3b	3	0	0	0	1
Hackney, cf	3	1	1	1	0
McAlpine, 2b	3	1	1	0	0
Lambeth, rf	3	1	1	0	0
Hedgepeth, p	4	0	0	2	0
Totals	23	6	7	21	4

Diamond Dust.

Too bad the weather wouldn't permit Brazzelle to show the Virginians what he had for them. However, he will have his chance in Lynchburg to-day.

The visitors put up a plucky game, and barring a single inning in Danville should have been scoreless. The final score was 6 to 0 in favor of the Red Sox.—Danville Register.

The Spinners are putting it all over the Columbia Salles in the series of practice games, and say they take as much delight in beating them as they would trouncing Spartanburg.

McKevitt's bunch of ex's gave the Lynchburg shoemakers a scare Monday, but smiling Al Orth pulled his bunch up and won in the eleventh inning after two men were down.

The Hornets and Shoemakers will battle on the diamond in Lynchburg to-day. A comparison of relative strength can be had from these games, as the Patriots are just ahead of the Hornets.

The sports in Greenville, who are inclined to place their money on the result of the games there, received a jolt from the authorities, who have turned the public that any one caught betting on the games will be arrested and brought before the mayor for trial.

President Harry Pulliam of the National League has undergone a successful operation on his left eye. Pulliam will remain in Nashville several days and then go to Cincinnati. He does not know when he will report for work. He has gained fourteen pounds in the past month and is looking well.

Hedgepeth, for Carrelins, pitched a good game yesterday and succeeded in getting himself out of a hole several times. Once, with a man on third and second and none out, he fanned the next three batters in succession. This used to be a pet stunt of the eccentric "Bugs" Raymond.

No hit allowed, no batter walked, fourteen struck out, twenty-seven successive batters retired, is the remarkable work of Pitcher Sam Weems, of the Macon team of the South Atlantic League, made in Macon Monday when the locals defeated Mercer University, one to nothing. In addition neither team made an error. Weems' record equals the world record held by Cy Young and Addie Joss.

INHERITANCE TAX FRUITFUL
Britain Realizes From \$90,000,000 to \$95,000,000 Annually—Gross Capital Values of the Estates Contributing to This Revenue is \$1,500,000,000.
Washington Herald.
British inheritance taxes, drawn from a population of 44,000,000, yield \$90,000,000 to \$95,000,000 annually, out of a total internal revenue of \$470,000,000 to \$480,000,000.
This is the substance of a report by Charles M. Pepper, who has been investigating the subject for the Bureau of Manufactures, Department of Commerce and Labor, in connection with the tariff revision.
Revenues from the death duties, Mr. Pepper says, is little more than half that from excise imports and considerably more than half the amount realized from the income tax. The gross capital value of the estates contributing to the inheritance tax in 1908 was more than \$1,500,000,000 and the net value was a little below \$1,400,000,000. Gross value of the personality was \$1,113,000,000, and of the realty, \$415,000,000.
Of various classes of inheritance taxes the chief source of revenue are estates proper which last year netted approximately \$71,500,000; legacies, \$12,500,000, and successions \$3,500,000.
An indication of the kind of wealth which is made to contribute to the revenue through the inheritance duties is afforded in a detailed statement of the different classifications. On a little more than \$1,000,000,000 gross capital value of personality, shares or debentures of public companies were valued

at \$480,000,000; mortgages, \$98,000,000; loans on bonds, notes, etc., \$67,000,000; stocks or funds of the United Kingdom, \$45,000,000; foreign stocks and bonds, \$35,000,000; insurance policies, \$41,000,000; household goods, \$34,000,000.
Detailed analysis of valuation show that about 4,000 estates pay the bulk of the inheritance taxes. Of the \$3,583 estates contributing in 1908, 3,915 were of \$50,000 and upward, and aggregated a total net capital value of approximately \$1,000,000,000, out of the total of \$1,400,000,000. In only two years since 1899 have the estates of this class exceeded 4,000. In 1900 they numbered 4,227 and in 1907, 4,172. In other years since 1899, they ranged between 3,789 and 3,845.

HE TELLS OF ZELAYA'S INSULTS
J. H. Gregory Reveals Enmity Toward Americans at Nicaragua—Former Charge d'Affaires at Managua Confers With Secretary Knox—Preparing Report.
Washington Herald.
John H. Gregory, Jr., former secretary and charge d'affaires of the American Legation at Managua, Nicaragua, has been in Washington for several weeks preparing a report upon political conditions in Nicaragua.
Mr. Gregory was recalled on March 12, because of the strained relations between the United States and Nicaragua, which developed as a result of the negotiations for the settlement of the Emery claim.
Mr. Gregory had several conferences with the Secretary of State shortly after his arrival in Washington, in which he gave a detail account of the treatment he had received in Managua.
The details of his report have never been made public, but it is known that the Nicaraguan government tampered with Mr. Gregory's official dispatches, and did other things to harass him.
The post at Managua has not been a comfortable one for the American diplomatic representative for some time. Last summer the Nicaraguan government made it so hot for J. G. Coolidge, then minister there, that he asked to be transferred. The State Department was unable to comply with this request, and Mr. Coolidge resigned from the diplomatic service rather than remain at Managua.
According to letters received at Mobile, Ala., the report that Mr. Gregory was virtually a prisoner at Managua is confirmed.
These letters were from several individuals of reputation in the Nicaraguan capital, and agreed in particulars of the indignities put upon the American charge.
They said that Mr. Gregory was watched by spies day and night, and that soldiers were at every entrance of his residence, the American legation. Whenever he left the latter he was shadowed, the minions of the Nicaraguan dictator being none too polite in their surveillance, and on many occasions minor officers of the Zelaya government openly insulted the young Louisiana man.

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Anderson Mills Form a League.
Anderson, S. C., April 13.—The schedule for the Anderson Mills League has been worked out and given to the newspapers for publication by President and Treasurer W. P. Nicholson and Secretary O. M. Palmer. The league will be composed of six teams, Anderson, Gluck, Riverside-Toxaway and Hrogon Mills, of this city; Jackson Cotton Mills, of Iva, and the Belton Cotton Mills, of Belton. The league is a very complete one, and the traveling expenses will be very slight. The schedule gives 20 playing Saturdays, beginning with the 17th, when the following games will be played: Anderson at Belton, Cox at Riverside-Toxaway, and Jackson at Gluck.

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