

THE "HAS-BEENS" BECOME THE ISERS

THE CINCOOS GO DOWN IN DEFEAT BEFORE THEM.

The Score stands 10 to 7.—The Has-Beens a Little Stiff, But Will Be Ready for Another Game in 1913.—The Sum of \$17.00 Was Realized, Which Goes to the Library.

Everybody is doing it now. Singing the praises of the "Has-Beens" victory. The laudatory expressions are being warbled forth in a little song entitled: "The 'Has-Beens' Are the Isers."

While they are singing and everybody else is singing it would be only right and proper to manifest a unanimous spirit and give the poor, defeated Cincoos a little song. By parodizing a little verse to cheer and comfort them in their poignant grief:

Cheer up, little Cincoos. Don't you cry. You will be a "Has-Been" By and by.

But, stiffness permitting, we will come down to the game. That is we will bring the game to us. The "Has-Beens" made 10 runs. They really did and have 100 or more witnesses, who were in the grandstand and saw them do it.

The Cincoos made 7. The former organized the A. O. C. B. S. of U. S., which unabbreviated is the Ancient Order Come Back Sons of the United States.



A characteristic Cinco expression when the "Has-Beens" scored four runs in one inning.

properly in the Patriotic Order Sons of Swat. They then got busy. They slugged and swatted and swatted, (don't be shocked at the last word, cultured reader, it is exactly what they did), and when the affair was ended they came forth victors.

This was a "Has-Been" victory and by the stiffness of their joints it is going to be a "has-been" write up.

For the Cincoos, however, it must be stated that Morris did some hefty swatting, cracking out a homer and two timely singles. Ray Hoover also distinguished himself by clever work at first base and Fields also played a good fielding game.

Cinco was the bright particular star for the "Has-Beens." The lanky youth had the youngsters guessing all the time. He pitched as he always pitched and if he possessed any characteristic Has-Been tendencies they were not exhibited and if you will pardon the expression he pitched like he "ain't" went nowhere.

"Rube" Newman played a sensational game at third, making a stellar stop and throw at a critical period. Morrison and Weddington played bang up games at short and first, accepting a number of chances without a bobble.

steamed passed third at full speed, smearing the plate with an exhaust equal to the street roller. Ross Cannon's wallop was a lallapollosa. He whaled the ball over left field fence and it is said it damaged the tarpaper road. If such is the case let the county send the bill to the "Has-Beens" and they will pay it with a couple of extra runs.



The leaders had a picnic while Cline "monkeyed" the youngsters.

Everybody had a good time and about \$17 was taken in for the benefit of the library. The library is welcome to the money. The "Has-Beens" had lots of fun and if they recover another game will be played May 23, 1913.

The two teams lined up as follows: "Has-Beens": Davis, 1f; Morrison, ss; Newman, 3b; Means, cf; Weddington, 1b; Oglesby, 2b; Bingham, rf; Roger, cf; Cannon, cf; Cline, p; Morris, c; Hoover, 1; Barrie, 2b; Fink, ss; Fields, 3b and p; Cook, lf; Sappenfeld, cf; Dally, rf; Patterson, p and 3b. Umpire: Mr. Sapp.

People Party For Little Girls. Yesterday's Greensboro News contained the following: Yesterday afternoon at her home on Blandwood avenue, Mrs. Irving H. Eldridge very pleasantly entertained a party of little girls at a porch party in honor of her cousin, Cottrell Sherrill of Concord, who is her guest.

The hostess had planned a number of unique guessing games which afforded much merriment. The vine covered porch where dainty refreshments were served was beautiful with its decorations of pink and white roses mingled with palms and ferns.

Marion Gilmer, Elizabeth Harrison, Mabel Alderman, Eugenia Patterson, Aleese Sapp, Mary Turner, Sallie Alston, Love Ireland, Claire Stafford, Dorothy Brown, Lucile Hull, Dorothy and Maude Herrington, Frances Milliken, Margaret Chamberlain, Maurine Moore, Lois Petty, Margaret Hunt, Frances Shaw, Virginia Schenck, Louis Stamey, Lena Albright, Dorothy Haller, Mary Louise Patterson, Cottrell Sherrill and Mary Lilly Eldridge.

Killed by Fall From Attack of Vertigo. Frankfurt, Germany, May 24.—Frank Hill, Consul General of the United States here, was yesterday seized with vertigo and toppled over a stair railing. He fell three stories and was instantly killed.

KNOWS NOW Doctor Was Fooled by His Own Case For a Time.

It's easy to understand how ordinary people get fooled by coffee when doctors themselves some times forget the fact.

A physician speaks of his own experience: "I had used coffee for years and really did not exactly believe it was injuring me although I had palpitation of the heart every day. (Tea contains caffeine—the same drug found in coffee—and is just as harmful as coffee.)"

"Finally one day a severe and almost fatal attack of heart trouble frightened me and I gave up both tea and coffee, using postum instead and since that time I have had absolutely no heart palpitation except on one or two occasions when I tried a small quantity of coffee which caused severe irritation and proved to me I must let it alone."

"When we began using Postum it ceased work—that was because we did not make it according to directions—but now we put a little bit of butter in the pot when boiling and allow the Postum to boil full 15 minutes which gives it the proper rich flavor and the deep brown color. I have advised a great many of my friends and patients to leave off coffee and drink Postum. In fact I daily give this advice." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Many thousands of physicians use Postum in place of tea and coffee in their own homes and prescribe it to their patients. "There's a reason," and it is explained in the little book, "The Best Way to Well-Being," in use.

UNDERWOOD MAKES REPLY TO CRITICS.

Voted Same on Bristow Amendment As Many Who Favored Wilson's Nomination.

Lexington, May 23.—The following letter was written by Oscar W. Underwood to Morrison H. Caldwell, of Concord, in answer to a communication with regard to Bristow amendment in the bill for electing Senators by popular vote:

"Dear Caldwell: Yours of the 19th reached me this morning in reference to the Bristow amendment. Of course, as you understand, the Bristow amendment is merely in line with amendments to the constitution that have repeatedly passed the House of Representatives since the civil war and received the votes of the Democrats in Congress."

"It places the election of United States Senators exactly on the same status as members of Congress. It does not in any way change the qualifications of voters, and I do not think there would have been any real question raised about the matter if it had not been for the fact that I was a candidate for the presidential nomination and the Wilson men in the House tried to use my vote to affect the result of the election in North Carolina."

"In this day and time there is no possibility of a force bill being set. I really believe it is an injury to our people in the South for some of our statesmen to continue to talk about it. If the Bartlett proposition had been agreed to in the House, the Senate undoubtedly would not have concurred and it would have resulted in the defeat of the resolution to elect United States Senators by the people."

"As I have always been heartily in accord with the main purpose of the resolution, I could not vote for a proposition that I felt was intended to defeat it. Of course the real vote was on the adoption of the Bristow amendment itself. Two hundred and thirty-seven voted in favor of it and thirty-nine against it. All the Democrats from New Jersey, Mr. Wilson's State, voted with me against the Bartlett amendment, as did Mr. Henry, of Texas, and Mr. Burleson, of Texas, who were recently in North Carolina making speeches for Governor Wilson. On the passage of the Bristow amendment Burleson and Henry both voted for it, as did Messrs. Kitchin, Page, Poin and Stodman of your State and most of the Democratic members from the South."

"When the final vote was taken in the Senate, Senator Simmons of your State voted for it and Senator Overman, who gave out the interview against me, stated in the Senate when his name was called (on the final passage of the joint resolution as amended) which was the Bristow amendment: 'I am paired with the senior Senator from South Carolina (Mr. Tillman). If he were present he would vote 'nay' and and I would vote 'yea.'"

"I send you the Record of June 12, 1911, with copy of page turned, giving the vote of the Senate and also the Record of May 13, giving my speech on the vote in the House. 'I think after an examination of these records you will see that the charges against my vote were purely for political reasons to affect the present campaign, and that the position I took was really sustained by the Senators and members of Congress from North Carolina, because if they really thought there was danger in the Bristow amendment they would not have voted for it."

"Of course, it goes without saying that I am not in favor of a Force Bill, but am in favor of electing United States Senators by the people and cast my vote to accomplish the result. Sincerely yours, 'OSCAR W. UNDERWOOD.'"

WHAT SENATOR OVERMAN SAYS ABOUT IT.

The Bristow Amendment to Constitution May Annul the Disfranchisement of Unworthy Negroes.

Washington, D. C., May 16.—Replying to your telegram asking my views on the Bristow amendment, I favored in the Judiciary Committee and in the Senate, the amendment providing for elections of Senators by the people. I was and am very much opposed to the Bristow amendment, and voted against it. Senators represent the State and its sovereignty."

"I am bitterly opposed to the Federal government controlling not only the time and place but the manner of holding state elections. I was and am opposed to permitting United States marshals, supervisors returning boards and perhaps the army of the United States at the polls during our elections. 'I remember the tribulations, the sorrows, the suffering, the horrors and infamy of the years from 1897 to 1900 when Federal election laws were on our statute books until repealed by a Democratic Congress in 1901. I voted for the bill as amended by the Senate and I am satisfied that my State while favoring the election of Senators by the people would never ratify it with the Bristow amendment. Senator Root and others upon the floor of the Senate admitted that Congress would have the power under the Bristow Amendment to annul the provisions of our election laws and the grandfather clauses as found in the constitution of Southern States and give it power to make Federal laws to control elections in such a manner as to insure to all persons the right to vote and he meant to put the country on notice that that was the meaning of the amendment. 'Every Democratic Senator except one voted against the Bristow amendment. I do not believe any Southern State will adopt it as submitted. We cannot afford to risk the chance of Federal control of our election of Senators when in times of great political upheavals and sectional heat and hate it may again bring sorrow and trouble upon the people of the South. (Signed) 'LEE S. OVERMAN.'"

UNCLE SAM WILL NOT INTERFERE IN CUBA

Unless Necessary to Prevent Anarchy and Depredation on American Property.

Havana, May 24.—A band of negro rebels is robbing and mistreating inhabitants of the rich Santiago province. The situation is alarming and unless troops set promptly the intervention of the United States will be necessary. Washington, May 24.—Uncle Sam does not intend to intervene in Cuba unless the step is imperative to avert anarchy, or depredations upon Americans and their property continues. Present administration here thinks a covert threat of armed force will be enough. This is the way officials summed up the Cuban crisis today: Seven hundred marines now enroute to American naval base Guantanamo; three gun boats arrived here today; President Gomez making desperate effort to quell the negro uprising."

KANNAPOLIS NEWS.

Interest in Meeting of Presbyterian Church.—Work Among the Boys.—Mrs. Shinn is Improving.—Other Matters.

Kannapolis, May 23.—The meeting of the Presbyterian church is still in progress. The pastor, Rev. G. W. Shipley, is doing the preaching and has been very successful in his labors, and has already received many "souls for his hire." We hear nearly every day some complimentary remarks about the preaching, which is instructive and soul-stirring, hence the interest in the services. The singing, led by Mr. J. L. Gourley, of Harpersburg, is especially fine. The choir seems to have taken on new life and is having a very important place in the success of the meeting. The meeting will probably close Sunday night.

There has not been much work done in the Y. M. C. A. since the revival began at the church, but the hall has been open to its members all the time. Dr. E. H. T. Foster, of Charlotte, international secretary of the Y. M. C. A. for the South, came up Tuesday evening, bringing his brother-in-law, Mr. Rickett, of Dayton, Ohio, with him, who addressed the boys or a number of them, telling them about the Boy Scouts of New York. Mr. Rickett is taking his vacation after attending college in New York.

The boys' team which has started, and although it is late we hope to see their efforts crowned with success and hope to eat some fine tomatoes out of their garden.

Plans are being made for the boys summer outings. The boys had several of these outings last summer and enjoyed them immensely. There will be two moving picture shows next week, on regular nights—Thursday and Saturday. There will be special reels for Saturday night, showing the Christian martyrs. There will also be the usual illustrated songs, which are always good.

On account of the inactivity in the Y. M. C. A. circle for the past two weeks the Red and Blue contest will be prolonged until some time in June. The ball ground is being enclosed this week and will be ready to give the Sponserites a warm reception Saturday evening.

The many-friends of Mrs. W. B. Shinn, who has been in the Charlotte sanatorium for the past two weeks are glad to know she is improving. Our people here have shown that they sympathize with Rev. and Mrs. Shinn. We hear them inquiring about her every day and now that the news is reassuring they express their feelings and hope to see the patient home and well again soon.

The work on the new bleachers is progressing rapidly now, the masons are working on the fourth story and the concrete foundation for the new mill has been laid but material seems to arrive rather slowly. Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Saunders spent a day in Charlotte last week. Miss Maude Richardson went to Charlotte Saturday to visit her friend, Mrs. Vernie Craig, and took in the twentieth of May celebration. Mr. A. H. Sides went to Concord Saturday on business. Mr. J. M. Horton, of Gastonia, spent Sunday here with his son, Mr. G. S. Horton, and family. Mr. D. A. Sides went to Concord Sunday to see his mother, who is ill at her home there.

Rev. J. Walter Simpson, pastor of the A. R. P. church here, will hold his spring communion services here Sunday. Our people are always glad to hear Mr. Simpson. H. Trying to End Dock Troubles in London.

London, May 24.—With the port tied up and perishable freight rotting in the holds and wharves, the board of trade today began an organized effort to end the trouble. Representatives of employers and unionists were called into conference. There is no disorder.

Taft Opens New Jersey Campaign. Flemington, N. J., May 24.—Speaking heartily and plainly weary of the state, President Taft opened the day's campaigning here today. He repeated the achievements of his administration and personally attacked Bryan.

Use the Penny Column—It pays.

SHORT TIME LEFT TO GET THE BOOK.

Tribune's Splendid Offer Will Be Discontinued Within a Few Days.

Wanted—Some one who has failed to find the error eliminator distributed to stenographers and other office workers by the Tribune the greatest aid that ever entered his office. Address Atlas Department. Tired of tapping the keys? Hope to be secretary to the "old man" some day? Why not? Others have—you can. Get busy. Join the procession of well-informed stenographers and office employees who are moving steadily forward with the Atlas Department of The Tribune as the starting point of their march of progress. Get the "apt-aid article," which may mean much to you. Start that course of at-the-elbow education which is going to land you in the "boss's" office. Only one heading and a small expense bonus gets it for you. Its title is The Standard Atlas and Chronological History of the World. Concord calls it The Tribune's Book.

The claim is made that while the typewriter and the telephone are now the two most important mechanical devices in use, the typewriter is not the equal of the telephone in efficiency merely because of the deficiencies of its operators. Less than thirty years ago typewriters could not be sold and the telephone was but poorly patronized, principally because of the lack of perfection in operation. Now of the two methods of transmitting thought, the telephone, it is claimed, is the more accurate, as it transmits the sound of the human voice and expert operators have been obtained. Typewriter manufacturers claim that their machines have been brought to such a degree of perfection that they do everything but think. For the purpose of improving the product of the machines every encouragement is being given to stenographers to obtain the best "error eliminator" extant which is being offered for a few days before by The Tribune. One heading and a small expense bonus gets it. This offer is also open to Times subscribers.

Funeral of King Frederick. Copenhagen, May 24.—The body of the late King Frederick VIII of Denmark, who died May 14, was interred today, in the magnificent old gothic cathedral at Roskilde, the burial place of Danish kings for upwards of a thousand years, with a ceremony the impressiveness of which was accentuated by the widespread evidences of popular sorrow. The presence of numerous kings and queens, princes and princesses, grand dukes and other members of European royalty, together with scores of dazzlingly attired diplomats and military and naval officers, made the scene within the cathedral one of unusual brilliance. Christian X, the new king of Denmark, with the Dowager Queen Louisa, sat nearest the altar. Then were seated the German Emperor, the King of Greece, Queen Alexandra, the Dowager Empress of Russia, the King of Norway, the King of Sweden, Prince Waldemar, the Duke and Duchess of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, all of whom were closely related to the late monarch.

The funeral service was one of impressive simplicity. The primate of the Danish church officiated. Eight officers of the Danish army carried the coffin to the chapel of Frederick V, where the remains were entombed beside those of the father and mother of his deceased king. The conclusion of this service was marked by a salute of 21 guns and volley firing by a party of infantry.

"Merely Mary Ann" Last Night. "Merely Mary Ann" was presented at the opera house here last night by the expression department of Mont Amoenia Seminary. The play was first presented at the commencement exercises at Mount Pleasant and was a great success. A large audience witnessed it here last night. The play was excellent at Mount Pleasant and equally as good here. The presentation is in keeping with the advance notices in every particular and Miss Crabtree and her assistants are to be congratulated not only for their efforts but for the large audience they attracted.

"Cy" Young's Salary Wing Refuses to Work. Pittsburgh, Pa., May 14.—"Cy" Young, veteran major league pitcher, who is a member of the Boston Nationals, left for his home in Paoli, Ohio today, where he will make an effort to get back in shape. "Cy's" salary wing refused to work in warming up yesterday and it is feared his baseball days are over.

To Test National Corporation Tax Law. New York, May 24.—Action to test the national corporation tax law was instituted today by subsidiary corporations on Lackawanna Railway, alleging that the tax is illegal because they are not independent corporations but subsidiaries. They want to force the government to refund old taxes.

H. B. Wilkinson & Co. have just received a new lot of rugs and druggets in Wilton, Axminsters, velvets, Brussels and matting. Now is the time to purchase, while you have a full line to select from.

Capital \$100,000 Surplus \$3,000

New Accounts Large or Small Welcomed at This Bank. Concord National Bank.

FOUR PER CENT. Interest Paid on Time Deposits.

PLOT TO KILL THE MAYOR AND OFFICIALS

MAYOR, DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND CHIEF OF POLICE ARE MARKED.

Chief of Police Said Six Men Were Chosen to Do the Work and Are in San Diego.—They Were Chosen by Lot.—Officers Are Now Searching for the Men. San Diego, Cal., May 24.—That a plot is on foot by the Industrial Workers of the World to kill the mayor, superintendent of police, district attorney and police chief, was the assertion today of the last named, who said that six men were chosen by lot to do the killing and are already in the city. The chief of police said that his officers were searching for the men.

600 REBELS DEAD. Rebel Army in Mexico Under General Orozco Retreating Northward. El Paso, Texas, May 24.—Leaving nearly 600 dead, the rebel army, under General Orozco, is retreating northward today harassed by the pursuing federal cavalry. Following two crushing defeats within one week Orozco is having trouble keeping his troops together. It is reported that Orozco is wounded.

More Land for Settlers. North Yakima, Wash., May 24.—Tomorrow there will be an exceptional opportunity to procure a choice irrigated farm on the Yakima irrigation project, a short distance west of this place. On that day the Tieton unit of the project, comprising 41 farms of 21 to 80 acres each, will be opened to entry for homeseekers under the homestead and reclamation laws. Each settler will receive the land for the bling fee and for living on it five years. He must in addition assume his share of the cost of constructing the reclamation dams and canals, \$93 an acre and of the cost of maintenance, at present \$1.50 an acre per year. This amount he will be permitted to pay in ten annual installments. Up to date the United States reclamation service has spent nearly \$6,000,000 on the Yakima irrigation project and expects to spend about \$3,000,000 more.

Big Riot in Budapest. Budapest, May 24.—Following early rioting today in which 73 persons were wounded, some fatally, the military secured control of the situation and this afternoon the city is comparatively quiet.

Special SATURDAY AND MONDAY In Ladies' Misses' and Children's Ready-to-Wear Hats and Ribbons. H. L. Parks & Co. The Home of Good Merchandise.