

Game Played With Danville Wednesday Is Forfeited to High Point

RUBE TWIRLS POINTERS TO WIN OVER CLIMBING TWINS AT LOCAL PARK; SCORE 5-1

Clever Southpaw In Good Form, Twirls a Beautiful Game, and Pointers Again Are In Top Position; Harris Is Pounded Hard

By J. WORTH BACON.

Walking along the streets of High Point today is a respected Spero citizen who spends the summer months playing baseball on the local nine. That highly respected citizen, who has won more ball games here than he has got fingers and toes, is today the pride of High Point fandon, it was he who yesterday turned the tables for the Herndonites and pitched them to a victory over Charlie Clancy's Winston-Salem crew at the local ball park. That person is Rube Eldridge, the veteran southpaw, who yesterday held the climbing Twins to one run, while his team mates were scoring five markers in the run column.

And, Rube deserves the credit for winning this game. He stepped into the pitcher's box at four bells yesterday expecting to win, and when he expects to win he usually succeeds. Two or three times Rube found himself in a hole, but he only smiled and continued to pitch. And, the interesting part about it was the fact that Rube always knew how to get rid of the men who faced him when his meant runs. His cool head, his never-failing left arm, and his genial smile not only won a game for him, but endeared him to the hearts of local fans.

It is a known fact that there is not a pitcher in the Bramham wheel who has attained the record of Rube Eldridge this year. Rube has lost only one game, while many victorials have been marked opposite his name. Rube is known not only in High Point, but is known throughout the circuit, and when Rube's name is announced as a pitcher it brings joy to the fans in other parks.

Harris, one of Charlie Clancy's most dependable hurlers, was on the mound for Winston-Salem, and he was pounded hard in the seventh and eighth innings when the Pointers scored four runs.

Until the seventh inning the game was a beautiful exhibition of the national pastime, each pitcher yielding only three hits, and the score being tied. Harris blew up in the seventh canto, however, and his coupled with errors were responsible for the markers.

High Point scored a run in the initial stanza. Irby opened the inning with a two base hit to left field. He moved over to third on Overton's sacrifice and scored on Herndon's two-base clout to the left meadow. The Twins tied the score with their only run in the fourth inning. Myers got a base on balls, moved over to third on Heck's infield hit, and scored on Bribeck's sacrifice fly to Smith.

Two runs were credited to the Herndonites in the seventh stanza. Thrasher fled out to Whitman. Wacha got a two-base hit to center. Nichols was sent in to run for him, and scored on Schmidt's infield hit. Schmidt moved over to second on Powell's infield hit, and scored when Irby hit to Koval who caught Powell between second and third bases for the final out. The run counted, and Irby was credited with a hit.

In the eighth inning Overton singled to left, was sacrificed to second by Herndon, and scored on Smith's single. Smith scored when Thrasher got a double to center field.

More than 2,000 cash customers witnessed the game, which abounded with thrills.

GRIER FRIDAY LETS DURHAM DOWN WITH ONLY FOUR BINGLES IN THE VIRGINIA CITY

Raleigh Again Defeats the Bulls In Interesting Exhibition By Count of 5 To 4

DURHAM, June 17.—Grier Friday yielded only four hits in the game yesterday, and Raleigh defeated Durham 5 to 4.

Gay McWhorter occupied the mound for the Bulls and he was touched for nine bingles, only one of them counting for an extra base smash.

Besides twirling a wonderful game, Friday got three hits, drove in one of his team's runs and scored a couple of tallies himself.

Score: Ab. R. H. Po. A. E. Durham 5 3 0 2 2 0 0 Raleigh 4 1 1 3 0 0 0

Score by innings: Durham 0 0 3 0 0 0-5 Raleigh 0 0 0 3 0 0-4

Summary: Three-base hit, Conley; two-base hits, Magrann, Dannielly; Kearney; stolen base, Goch; sacrifice hits, Winston, Duncan, Floyd; struck out, by McWhorter 2, Friday 2; bases on balls, McWhorter 1, Friday 5; left on bases, Raleigh 4, Durham 3; double play, Magrann to Resco; passed ball, Dayton. Umpires, Kelly and Daugherty. Time of game, 1:35. Attendance, 2,000.

Standing of the Clubs: PIEDMONT Club Won Lost Pct. High Point 27 17 .613 Winston-Salem 26 17 .605 Greensboro 22 23 .489

AMERICAN Club Won Lost Pct. St. Louis 35 23 .603 New York 35 24 .593 Detroit 32 28 .531

NATIONAL Club Won Lost Pct. New York 36 19 .655 St. Louis 30 25 .545 Pittsburgh 27 24 .529

VIRGINIA Club Won Lost Pct. Rocky Mount 27 21 .563 Portsmouth 26 21 .553 Newport News 26 21 .553

SOUTH ATLANTIC Club Won Lost Pct. Charleston 4 28 .16 636 Charlotte 26 21 .553 Columbia 26 22 .543

Yesterday's Results: PIEDMONT LEAGUE Durham 4; Raleigh 5. Danville 5-9; Greensboro 4-3. High Point 5; Winston-Salem 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE Philadelphia 7; Cincinnati 2. New York 7; Pittsburgh 1. Brooklyn 13; St. Louis 2. Boston 6; Chicago 7.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE Newark 5; Toronto 3. Jersey City 2; Buffalo 6. Baltimore 15; Syracuse 7. Reading 6; Rochester 9.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION Indianapolis 13; Kansas City 3. Louisville 6; Milwaukee 5. Toledo 13; Minneapolis 7. Columbus 9; St. Paul 7.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE Atlanta 7; Little Rock 4. New Orleans 10; Nashville 4. Birmingham 4-3; Memphis 6-2. Mobile 4; Chattanooga 3.

SOUTH ATLANTIC Augusto 3-4; Columbia 1-2. Charlotte 12-5; Charleston 10-8. Columbia 2; Greenville 1.

PATRIOTS DROP TWO IN DOUBLE BILL AT THE VIRGINIA CITY

Danville Tobaccoist Continue Their Winning Streak By Taking Two From Greensboro

DANVILLE, June 17.—Danville won both games of a double bill with the Greensboro Patriots here yesterday afternoon, taking the matinee tussle by the score of 5 to 4, and winning the nightcap, 9 to 2.

Two home runs were scored during the afternoon. Schlitz getting one in the first game, while Pitcher Harris hit for the circuit in the abbreviated affair.

First Game: Greensboro AB. R. H. Po. A. E. Schlitz, cf 4 1 2 3 0 0 Carroll, 3b 2 2 1 1 0 0

Danville AB. R. H. Po. A. E. Schlitz, cf 4 3 3 2 0 0 Baker, ss 3 0 0 1 5 0 McMillan, 1b 4 2 3 12 1 0

Score by innings: Greensboro 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 Danville 2 0 0 1 2 0-5

Summary: Home run, Schlitz; two base hits, McMillan 2, Sadler; sacrifice hits, Baker, Carroll; struck out, by Sadler 2, Rodgers 4; bases on balls, off Sadler 1, Rodgers 2. Double plays, Teague to Dorman to Cox; passed ball, Honeycutt. Umpires, Solodiar and Gaffney. Time of game, 1:44.

Second Game: Greensboro AB. R. H. Po. A. E. Shay, cf 3 1 2 1 0 1 Carroll, 3b 3 1 1 1 0 0 Donaldson, 1b 4 0 1 2 0 0

Danville AB. R. H. Po. A. E. Schlitz, cf 4 1 1 0 0 0 Baker, ss 3 0 1 1 4 0 McMillan, 1b 4 0 1 9 0 0

Score by innings: Greensboro 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 Danville 0 4 3 0 2 0-9

Summary: Home run, Harris; three base hit, Abbott; two base hits, Teague, Harris; stolen bases, Carroll, Donaldson; sacrifice hits, Carroll, Baker, Trexler, Regan 2, Harger; struck out, by Green 2, Harris 1, Crews 4; bases on balls, off Crews 6, Green 1, Harris 2; left on bases, Greensboro 1, Danville 7; double plays, Harris to Regan to McMillan; hit of Green, 4 in 2 2-3 innings; hit by pitcher Crews by Green. Schlitz; passed ball, Sessions. Umpires, Solodiar and Gaffney. Time of game 1:40.

Father Sues Son. NEWPORT NEWS, June 17.—S. Rubin, age 87 years, of Norfolk, has brought suit in the domestic relations court there asking that his son, H. J. Rubin, a merchant of this city, be compelled to support him.

PICKIN' 'EM OFF BOTH FOUL LINES With J. WORTH BACON

Ohio furnished President Herndon and Wilson came from New Jersey, but High Point's got the best pitcher in the Piedmont league. And it is Rube Eldridge.

Some pitchers get worse the more they twirl the agate, but it looks to us like Rube is getting better in every game he works.

The boys were good to Rube last night. They passed the hat around, and got a generous collection. And, the clever southpaw appreciated it, too.

Dan figured rather conspicuously in game at second base yesterday. He had 11 chances during the afternoon, and made only one hobble. Dan figured rather conspicuously in three double plays. He also drove out a single, and scored one run.

Dick Wacha got back in the game yesterday. Dick has been out for a week nursing an injured foot, but it had healed sufficiently yesterday for him to don a uniform and resume his position at the dizzy corner. During his absence Leslie McCollough performed well.

Charlie Clancy was counting on Harris to win yesterday's game. The Old Fox has great faith in the pitching ability of the former Charlotte's heaven. Harris was all right, but he was placed in the back ground when

HERNDON'S PROTEST SUSTAINED BY HEAD OF PIEDMONT WHEEL

President Bramham Rules That Danville Used Four Players In Game Against Pointers

The game played under protest between the Tobaccoists and Pointers at Danville Wednesday has been forfeited to High Point by the score of 9 to 0, according to a decision reached by President Bramham of the Piedmont league. The president found that Danville played four class men, which is a violation of the constitution of the league.

The game played under protest at Durham between the Bulls and Twins on Wednesday has been "thrown out" by President Bramham. Goch protested the game on the ground that a run was called legal by the umpires after a batted ball had hit the umpire on fair ground. That fracas will be pulled off when the two teams meet in a double bill.

President Bramham forfeited a game to Winston-Salem, which the Twins played and lost to Danville in Winston-Salem on May 6. Manager Charlie Clancy objected, claiming that Tommy Abbott had too many class players. The president of the league did not make any decision at that time, pending an investigation of the record and standing of Pitcher Green of the Winston-Salem club.

Because of the use of too many class players Danville also lost a game to Durham on June 9, and to Raleigh on June 6. Danville won these games, but the president of the league, in his statement, ruled that the games should be forfeited.

The game played at Durham on June 8 between the Bulls and Tobaccoists will stand forfeited to Danville, the president deciding that Goch's protest would not be valid in view of the fact that he took his team from the field.

Manager Goch was fined \$50 and this club \$100. President Bramham also placed a fine of \$200 on the Danville club, and a fine of \$50 on Palmer, the extra class man. The decision of the president gives High Point a lead of eight points over the fast climbing Twins \$50,000.

"Bring on Morvich," replied Rowe, "I will be there and have something to say in the race." With this assurance Winn framed the conditions of the Kentucky Special which permits any three year old to compete in the unbeaten Morvich at the Latonia meeting.

After the victory of Morvich in the Kentucky Derby Col. Winn offered a purse of \$50,000 for Morvich to meet Pflory the winner of the Prakeness stake at Baltimore. R. T. Wilson, owner of Pflory, declined the issue but Mr. Winn obtained the consent of Benjamin Block owner of Morvich to race him against any three year old. Winn then went to James Rowe, trainer of the Harry Payne Whitney stable and asked Rowe how he would like to run one or two of the Whitney horses against Morvich at Latonia for

POP GEERS IS BACK ON GRAND CIRCUIT

Veteran Reinsman, at 71, Expects to S-end Ten More Years in the Sulky

CLEVELAND, June 16.—Ed ("Pop") Geers, the "Grand Old Man of the Harness Turf," has reached North Randall from his Memphis training quarters to put on the finishing touches for the 1922 Grand Circuit campaign which begins at North Randall July 3. Aged 71 Geers is the oldest driver on the Grand Circuit. Hale and hearty he also trains his own horses.

"Pop" has virtually a new stable this year, all but two being trotters. Familiar to Grand Circuit fans are his Sanardo, Peter June and Utah. Peter June, with a mark of 2:04 3/4, is his leading trotter.

Geers declared he expects to be seen on the Grand Circuit at least ten more years. The arrival of his stable brings the total horses now at Randall up to 470. The stables of Walter Cox, Lon McDonald and several other prominent drivers are still to come.

Many of the famous Grand Circuit reinsmen already are here, having arrived preceding the opening of the 1922 harness season which was held in in the Greater Cleveland district with the meeting at the North Randall half-mile track June 5.

Among stables quartered here now are those of Johnny Thomas, Charley Valentine, Dick McMillan, Fred Edman, Fred Egan, Sam Patten, Ben Whitehead, Tommy Berry, Fred Guyette, Frank Phillips, Nat Ray, Harry Stokes, Marvin Childs, Will Squire, Will Rosemire and Will Catton. The latter two are handling the Pastime stable, Catton having recently returned from Russia.

That the horses are in exceptionally fine condition for this time of the year is indicated by races on the Sandusky half-mile track, which just ended. Before the first of June, Lenora Watts, of the North Carolina stable of R. B. Plaxico, had beaten the 2:10 mark. She was pressed by Clyde the Great, driven by Clyde Linnline, of Louisville, Ky.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE Rocky Mount—15-10; Richmond—12-10; Norfolk 9-6. Portsmouth 3; Newport News 5.

MORVICH WILL RUN IN KENTUCKY AGAIN

Crack Three Year Old Entered in the Kentucky Special At Latonia

CINCINNATI, June 17.—A race that is expected to rival in importance and enthusiasm of the Kentucky Derby and the Freshakes stakes will be run at Latonia, Saturday, June 24. It will be known as the Kentucky special and the Kentucky Jockey club will hang up a purse of \$50,000.

The equine aristocrats of America will compete for this rich prize. The race will be for three year olds exclusively and each horse will carry 126 pounds over the mile and one quarter journey. The race is a special event, put on the Latonia racing program by General Manager Matt J. Winn in order to insure the presence of the unbeaten Morvich at the Latonia meeting.

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