

SPORTING EVENTS IN SPORTING WORLD

The SPORT-LIGHT by Grantland Rice

BATTLE VAINLY TILL DARKNESS INTERVENES

Labor Day Crowd Sees Fifteen-Inning Drawn Contest

DETROIT, Sept. 3.—There were two more than interesting features connected with the amateur golf championship just concluded at Detroit...

Anderson played his last round of golf at Baltusrol back in June. Immediately after that he took charge of a boys' camp in the Maine woods...

This may be a freak of fate or it may prove something. If it proves anything it is that both came to the tournament fresh and keen for the week's outing...

One of the main features of the golf championship was the work of Sherrill Sherman. No one had even figured him with a chance in his first match against Albert Seckel...

The time has passed in American golf when any one or two men, or even any three or four men, can rule the field.

"A year or so ago," said Jerry Travers, "you could always figure only one or two men to beat if you happened to meet them in the draw."

"Any one of ten or twelve men is liable at any time to move around in a 72 or 73, and you can't lose any against any such chance."

This same condition will soon exist in tennis. There are now two tennis players rated well above any others.

The West has now given up hope of seeing a world series set on Western soil. The Red Sox are conceded the pennant in the American League...

Last year these same two cities were represented—but by different teams. Boston sent her National League entry to the scene, while Philadelphia was represented by the American League.

What makes additional interest in this contest more than any other is that it happened at a time when we can think of just now.

Throughout the West a number of critics figure that while Alexander would be effective against Detroit he would not have as much success against the Red Sox in case big Alex gets the chance to show.

"That Boston club can hit low-ball pitching," remarked one who has followed Red Sox dope, "and the Tigers can't."

But hitting the brand of low-ball pitching that Alexander delivers when he is feeling it is another matter.

Labor Day was brought to a fitting close before a holiday crowd of some two thousand people at League Park Monday afternoon, when Rube Parnham and Atkinson hooked up in one of the prettiest pitchers' battles of the season...

Both pitchers were given almost faultless support, only two errors being made throughout the game. Parnham pitched a better game than Atkinson, issuing but two passes, allowing five hits and fanning thirteen men...

For seven innings it was three up and three down for the Bulls. But in the eighth frame he weakened and allowed the victors to shove a runner across the pan.

With Atkinson pitching airtight ball the Mackmen having gotten but two hits up to this time, it looked as if the Mackmen were to suffer a shut-out at the hands of the Bulls...



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WHERE THEY PLAY: Durham at RALEIGH; Asheville at Charlotte; Greensboro at Winston.

Fingers Get 300 Hitter: DETROIT, MICH., Sept. 7.—Geo. Maisei, outfielder, who has led the New York State League all season...

Sport Comment

By "JIM" PARNHAM

Copped and dropped—no not dropped but played to a standstill.

And everybody was satisfied, for everybody certainly got their money's worth.

It was certainly slow work gaining admittance to the park yesterday. It took one at least twenty minutes after reaching the park to gain admittance, so large was the crowd.

The Mackmen had half a dozen chances to ice that old ball game in its early stages Monday but failed on each occasion for the want of a little old single.

The second slowest man on the local team is playing the most important outfield. There is where we lose many games.

Why not try James in this position?

Myers drive in the fifteenth inning came near hitting the centerfield fence on a line. And still they say Myers is the luckiest player in the league.

That man Atkinson is some finger—when he stacks up against the Mackmen.

But we want to step and tell you that Rube Parnham can sing some, too.

Butts fairly danced with glee on the second sack in the fifteenth inning after greeting Myers with a double to left.

He no doubt thought he had sewed up the old ball game and has given Myers another defeat. But Myers turned all the Bulls' smiles to tears when he shot a double to center and romped home on Tony's hit to the same territory.

Jim Kelly, pinchhitting for Angier in the fifteenth, was a victim of Elmer's shoots.

Roberts and Brazier made beautiful running catches of difficult flies in the twelfth inning and save that old game for Parnham.

Mr. Sherwood Upchurch was the indicator handler in the afternoon's overtime affair and got by without any serious kicking.

Charlotte took two from the Tourists Monday and pulled up within speaking distance of first place. Go it, Brother Dudley, everybody in this circuit is pulling for you and yours.

We at least sent Jim and his herd of Bulls to fourth place, even though we failed to annex the afternoon affair.

Earl Mack made a nice catch of a high foul near the rightfield bleachers in the opening frame, catching the ball on a dead run with his back to the grandstand and would have duplicated the trick in the third frame had not a spectator called for Roberts to catch the ball.

Rightfielder Dayton was in his usual mood yesterday, sulking like a mad Bull.

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