

O'Hara, Mertes, Frick, Schaffly. Hit by pitcher—By Addins 1. Struck out—By Addins 5, Mitchell 2. Time—2:40. Umpire—Kelly.

Note—Cold weather prevented the Jersey City-Montreal game at Jersey City, and the Newark-Rochester game at Newark.

EASTERN LEAGUE NEWS.

Newark has loaned pitcher Stoup to the New Haven Club.

Pitcher Ed Barry has not yet reported to the Providence Club.

This is the nineteenth season for catcher Jack Ryan, of Buffalo.

Hugh Duffy has won the hearts of every lover of baseball in Providence.

The Montreal Club has secured first baseman Evans from the New York National Club.

Manager Dunn, of Baltimore, has loaned Ham-bacher to the Harrisburg, Tri-State League, Club.

The Rochester Club has purchased pitcher Pembroke Finlayson from the Lynn Club, and has signed him.

Harry Gleason has acceptably filled the hole made in Jersey City's third base through Jimmy Morgan's retirement.

Jack Riley, of Buffalo, who has been appointed substitute umpire by President Pat Powers, is making a big hit in the Eastern League.

Loudenslager, Rochester's second baseman, marked up the first home run of the season in the Eastern League in the game against Providence April 24.

A curious coincidence occurred in the Eastern League game of April 28, all of the winning teams, Newark, Rochester, Buffalo and Toronto, securing ten safe hits.

Catcher Peterson and pitcher Cronin are holding out for more salary than the Providence management care to stand for. It's remarkable how seriously some ball players take themselves.

Louden, who is playing shortstop for Montreal, is a New York American recruit, and hails from Texas. According to Chief Stallings, he is a fast youngster, and should make good in the Eastern League.

Pitcher Al Pardee, of Newark, last week received a nickel-plated horseshoe, forged from a bolt, from friends in Columbus, O., as a token of good luck. On the horseshoe is this inscription, "To Al Pardee. With wishes of good luck for 1908."

The noted shortstop, Charles V. Moran, late of the Rochester team, requests us to deny the report that he has signed with the Washington club, of the outland Union League. He is free to sign anywhere, and can be addressed at Cook's Opera House, Rochester, N. Y.

The Rochester club is made up this season mostly of ex-major league material, and in the bunch can be found Duggeby, Anderson, and Clancy, formerly with Pittsburg; Burch from the Brooklyn Club; Erving, from Detroit; Leach and Henley, from the Athletics, and Holly from St. Louis.

Manager Dunn announced on Friday that the Orioles team will soon be decreased in numbers. He said he is trying to place pitcher Schmidt, catcher Kerr and outfielder Hambacher with other teams. Dunn says after these men are placed the team will remain the same for some time to come, as no further changes are being contemplated.

WAGNER'S WAYS.

The National League's Greatest Player, Wagner, Interviewed by the Game's Greatest Humorist, and the Result.

By Charles Dryden.

Chicago, Ill., April 30.—Cold weather kept the Chicago and Pittsburg athletes indoors again yesterday. Manager Clark did not bust a broncho at the wild west show as advertised. One of the half frozen Pirates was wearing Fred's hair cinch and he couldn't use his cowboy saddle. Seated in the hotel with his gracefully curved legs furling around the hottest radiator, Mr. H. Wagner, the demon short stopper, submitted to an interview clearing up the many discrepancies concerning him that appeared in print during the winter.

"Is it true, Mr. Wagner," the reporter asked, "that you intended to be mayor of Carnegie, Pa., and raise chickens with the ulterior motive of putting the Pirates on the blink?"

"Auber nit," exclaimed the great short stopper.

"Then how about the Pittsburg gamblers; did they get your goat as alleged?"

PIPE DREAMS, SAYS WAGNER.

"All pipe dreams by 300 hitters in that line," said Mr. Wagner. "My reason for wishing to abstain from the national pastime—i.e., base ball—for one year, is that I am too wealthy to stand up and be shot to pieces by wild pitchers."

"Do you care to delve into your curriculum for the benefit of constant readers?"

"Sure. A square deal is coming to me. Last September Mr. A. Coakley broke my hand with a wild pitch. The blow would have broken my heart, too, had I not seen the ball coming and covered the ticker."

"Was the pain excruciating?" the reporter inquired.

Mr. Wagner grew pale at the thought of past suffering.

"You may imagine how I felt when I had to employ a chauffeur and pay a one eyed negro boy \$15 a month to cut my meat and hard pies. His regular price was \$30 per month, but he stood for the reduction on account of having but one eye. The chauffeur who ran my machine between Pittsburg and Carnegie, was too proud to cut any meat on the side, and I couldn't trust the one eyed boy at the steering wheel. See! That just doubled my expenses."

NOT RATED IN BRADSTREET'S.

When the same pitcher who broke your hand," the reporter went on, "cracked the skull of R. Bresnahan and splintered the wrist of D. McGann, did those athletes threaten to quit base ball and embark in the chicken business?"

"Not having seen their batting averages in Dun and Bradstreet's, I have no line on the private emotions of those athletes," replied Mr. Wagner. "All I care to say is I have a rent roll at Carnegie and money in nineteen safe deposit boxes, enough to keep the wolf from nineteen doors and one bow window for that matter. Feeling pretty strong that way I wanted to rest one season."

"Then there is nothing in the rheuma-

tism, the political bug, and the rousting by the gamblers' dope?"

"All pure punk," said the famous athlete. "I wanted to quit because I own so much money. I have to pay storage on it."

"In the spring did your fancy lightly turn to thoughts of hens?" the reporter asked.

A high grade smile broke on Mr. Wagner's well known resemblance before he made answer.

EXPLAINS THE CHICKEN ANGLE.

"Just to show what little ground there is for some of the dope floating around the country I'll explain that chicken angle. While holding out this spring I mentioned in one of my letters to Mr. Dreyfuss that I went to bed with the chickens and arose with them in the morning. In a few days the entire United States understood that I had gone into the chicken business to corner the market. Hans is not so foolish as that. If I want to raise chickens I'll sow some egg plants in my garden at Carnegie and let nature take her course. You can go home now."

With these words Mr. Wagner brought

Boston, Mass. Second Base—John J. Murray, Villa Nova College, Pa. Third base—Curtiss, last season with Springfield in the Connecticut League. Short stop—George Finnmore, St. John, N. B. Left field—Wm. D. McMillan. Five out of the eight on the list were with Manager Paige.

AT BANGOR LAST SEASON

when he made such a runaway race in the Maine State League. The bunch of local amateurs who will strive for a position on the local International League numbers 16. The list includes Bradford, Makey, Muir, Simpson, Howard, Hackbush, Carey, Lanning, Hennessy, Bradley, McMahon, Stephens, Smith, Ross, Murphy and McLeod, and from them Manager Paige expects to secure four players to complete his club. But two of the amateurs have been in professional company previous, Bradford and Makey, and they look good to make the team.

MANAGER PAIGE

is making himself very popular with the local base ball public. The union label is very conspicuous and predominates in every branch of labor he has so far engaged.

1908 Penna.-W. Virginia League Schedule

Season Opens May 1; Closes September 9.

SCOTSDALE AT HOME

With Connellsville	May 2
With Fairmont	May 7, 8, 9
With Charleroi	May 11, 12, 13
With Uniontown	May 18, 19, 20
With Clarksburg	May 21, 22, 23
With Connellsville	May 30
With Uniontown	June 3
With Fairmont	June 4, 5, 6
With Charleroi	June 8, 9, 10
With Connellsville	June 17, 18
With Clarksburg	June 19, 20
With Uniontown	June 23, 24
With Clarksburg	July 1
With Charleroi	July 2, 3
With Connellsville	July 4
With Uniontown	July 10
With Clarksburg	July 13, 15
With Connellsville	July 16
With Fairmont	July 20, 21, 22
With Charleroi	July 30, August 1
With Clarksburg	August 3, 4, 5
With Uniontown	August 10, 11, 12
With Fairmont	August 14
With Connellsville	August 15
With Clarksburg	August 22
With Connellsville	August 23, 26
With Clarksburg	August 27
With Charleroi	August 31
With Connellsville	September 1, 2
With Fairmont	September 3, 4
With Clarksburg	September 5
With Uniontown	September 10, 11, 12

CONNELLSVILLE AT HOME

With Scottdale	May 1
With Fairmont	May 4, 5, 6
With Uniontown	May 16
With Clarksburg	May 18, 19, 20
With Charleroi	May 21, 22, 23
With Uniontown	May 28
With Scottdale	May 30
With Fairmont	June 1, 2, 3
With Charleroi	June 4, 5, 6
With Scottdale	June 15, 16
With Uniontown	June 20, 26
With Clarksburg	June 27
With Scottdale	July 3
With Clarksburg	July 4, 9, 11
With Fairmont	July 13
With Scottdale	July 14
With Fairmont	July 15, 16
With Clarksburg	July 17, 18
With Uniontown	July 20, 21, 23, 24
With Scottdale	July 25, 29
With Clarksburg	July 30, 31, August 1
With Charleroi	August 13, 14
With Uniontown	August 15
With Clarksburg	August 19, 20, 21
With Scottdale	August 24
With Clarksburg	August 28
With Scottdale	August 29
With Clarksburg	September 3, 4
With Fairmont	September 5
With Charleroi	September 10, 11, 12

CLARKSBURG AT HOME

With Fairmont	May 2
With Uniontown	May 10, 11, 12
With Connellsville	May 13, 14, 15
With Fairmont	May 17
With Scottdale	May 24, 25, 26
With Charleroi	May 28, 29
With Scottdale	May 30, F. M. 31
With Connellsville	June 7, 8, 9
With Uniontown	June 10, 11, 12
With Fairmont	June 13
With Scottdale	June 21, 22, 23
With Charleroi	June 24, 25, 26
With Fairmont	June 28
With Fairmont	July 4, A. M.
With Connellsville	July 5, 6
With Uniontown	July 7, 8
With Scottdale	July 19, 20, 21
With Charleroi	July 22, 23, 24
With Fairmont	July 25
With Connellsville	August 2, 3, 4
With Uniontown	August 5, 6, 7
With Fairmont	August 16, 17, 18
With Charleroi	August 19, 20, 21
With Scottdale	August 26
With Connellsville	August 30
With Uniontown	August 31
With Fairmont	September 6

UNIONTOWN AT HOME

With Charleroi	May 1
With Scottdale	May 4, 5, 6
With Clarksburg	May 7, 8, 9
With Fairmont	May 21, 22, 23
With Connellsville	May 25, 26, 27
With Charleroi	May 30
With Scottdale	June 1, 2
With Clarksburg	June 4, 5, 6
With Connellsville	June 13
With Clarksburg	June 18
With Connellsville	June 19, 22, 23, 24
With Charleroi	June 27
With Fairmont	July 1, 2, 3
With Charleroi	July 4
With Fairmont	July 14
With Charleroi	July 16
With Fairmont	July 17, 18
With Connellsville	July 22
With Clarksburg	July 25
With Clarksburg	July 27
With Scottdale	July 28, 29
With Clarksburg	July 30, 31, August 1
With Connellsville	August 8
With Fairmont	August 10, 11, 12
With Scottdale	August 13
With Connellsville	August 17, 18
With Charleroi	August 22
With Scottdale	August 28
With Clarksburg	August 29
With Charleroi	September 1, 2, 3, 4, 5
With Independence	September 6, 7, 7

FAIRMONT AT HOME

With Clarksburg	May 1, 3
With Connellsville	May 10, 11, 12
With Uniontown	May 13, 14, 15
With Clarksburg	May 16
With Charleroi	May 24, 25, 26
With Scottdale	May 27, 28, 29
With Clarksburg	May 30, A. M.
With Uniontown	June 7, 8, 9
With Connellsville	June 10, 11, 12
With Clarksburg	June 14
With Charleroi	June 21, 22, 23
With Scottdale	June 24, 25, 26
With Clarksburg	June 27
With Uniontown	July 4, P. M.
With Connellsville	July 5, 6
With Clarksburg	July 7, 8
With Charleroi	July 19, 20, 21
With Scottdale	July 22, 23, 24
With Uniontown	August 2, 3, 4
With Connellsville	August 5, 6, 7
With Clarksburg	August 8
With Scottdale	August 16, 17, 18
With Charleroi	August 19, 20, 21
With Clarksburg	August 23
With Uniontown	August 30
With Connellsville	August 31
With Clarksburg	September 7

CHARLEROI AT HOME

With Uniontown	May 2
With Clarksburg	May 4, 5, 6
With Connellsville	May 7, 8, 9
With Scottdale	May 14, 15, 16
With Fairmont	May 18, 19, 20
With Clarksburg	June 1, 2, 3
With Scottdale	June 13
With Uniontown	June 15, 16, 17
With Fairmont	June 18, 19, 20
With Connellsville	June 29, 30, July 1
With Uniontown	July 4
With Scottdale	July 6, 7, 8
With Uniontown	July 9, 10, 11
With Clarksburg	July 13, 14, 15
With Scottdale	July 17, 18
With Fairmont	July 27, 28, 29
With Scottdale	August 6, 7, 8
With Connellsville	August 10, 11, 12
With Clarksburg	August 13, 14, 15
With Uniontown	August 24, 25, 26
With Fairmont	August 27, 28, 29
With Connellsville	September 7, 8, 9

the interview to a close. Possessing wealth enough to place him out of range of wild pitches Hans desired to sit down and rest six months. That was all. While able to afford that luxury he forgot to put the war scries next and the base ball world got a scare it will not soon forget.

HAMILTON HAPPENINGS.

The Team Nearly Completed and Ready for Opening Exhibition Day, May 7th—Latest News of the Organization.

By A. L. Richardson.

Hamilton, Canada, May 2.—Editor "Sporting Life."—The aggregation which will represent this city in the new International is just about completed and from averages at hand looks formidable. To date Manager Fred Paige's professional line-up is as follows: Pitchers—Harry Covey, Manchester, N. H.; Wm. Gleason, Norwich, Conn., and Fanske last year with Seneca Falls, N. Y. Catchers—Bert De Rohen,

the printers, pressmen, carpenters, painters, and laborers are all members of the various unions referred to. Even his press agent is a member of the local typographical union holding an honorable withdrawal card.

FRANK BRADLEY

the popular cigar maker and clever base ball statistician and friend of the local aspirants for professional honors on the Harris pay roll is getting up a handsome boost badge for the opening game. The expert manipulator of figures will spring many a new one on the Hamilton base ball bugs before the closing days of the new league.

GOOD PRESS SUPPORT.

The clever local sporting scribes, Fred C. Mills, Times, Walter S. McMillen, Herald, and Robbie Robinson. Spectator, are devoting columns to the game, boosting the new International League and the Hams. Hamilton's eight years absence from professional representation have given the pencil pushers a new lease of life.

The veteran Cy Young seems to be as good as ever.

TENER'S TRIUMPH.

Some Facts About the Player-Banker Who Has Won a Congressional Nomination Which Is Tantamount to Election.

One of Captain Anson's Chicago "Colts," John K. Tener, has pitched, batted, and fielded and run the bases of the political diamond in championship form, his most recent feat being a four-sacker that will land him on the Congressional home plate. The Pennsylvania "fans" gave him an overwhelming majority over Ernest F. Acherson, commonly called "Our Erny," who for fourteen successive years has been the champion of the people, and considered by all except Tener as invincible. John K. Tener is truly a self-made man, as he graduated from a clerkship in a Pittsburg steel concern, became a star ball player, and entered the banking business in a small way in Charleroi, Pa., and so developed that business that he is to-day Charleroi's leading and richest citizen, is Grand Exalted Ruler of the Elks, and will soon be a Congressman.

"What am I going to do when I break into the game at Washington?" said Tener. "It's too early to brag about winning the Congressional pennant, but when I go into the box I'll have everything."

"Will you rely on straight or curved balls?" he was asked.

"I'll put 'em straight across the plate and make 'em hit. No use trying to fool Joe Cannon, Jim Sherman and those other political outfielders with a curve. They know every curve in the business, and their inside work and team play is remarkable."

"Suppose they try to strike you out?"

"They'll find me pretty good with the big stick. I haven't forgot how to wait, and just watch me work Uncle Joe for a base on balls. If I get a good chance I'll dump the ball in front of him, because Bob Lilley tells me the old man can't handle a bunt. Do they play the sacrifice or hit and run game down there?"

"Hit and run mostly," said the interviewer. "Hit the treasury every two weeks and run home. They don't sacrifice anything."

"I suppose they'll try to keep me on the bench," said Tener, "but they won't get away with it. If they start to crab me, I'll go in there and break up the game some afternoon."

The Anti-Acherson men had tried hard to get some candidate to make a run against the present incumbent from the 24th Pennsylvania district, but no one had the nerve or confidence to put up a fight until Tener was approached. The new primary law gave the Republican voters full opportunity to express themselves, and Tener simply put the ball over the fence.

SAN JOSE'S CLUB

May Become the Property of New Local Owners.

San Jose, April 23.—A deal is on in base ball circles which may cause a change in the management of the San Jose Club. Manager E. P. Mayer is seriously considering the sale of the franchise and has in fact, sold an option on the club to local parties whose names are withheld from publication at the present time. For over a year there has been considerable dissatisfaction over the management of the club and several offers for the franchise have been made to Mayer. The team as it is playing now costs in salaries close to \$2,000 a month, and when these have been paid there has not been, so far, enough gate receipts left to pay for the balls batted to pieces at practice.

COLLEGE GAMES.

APRIL 25.

At Bellefonte—State College 2, Susquehanna 0.
At West Point—Army 3, Fordham 5.
At Annapolis—Navy 2, Pennsylvania 0.
At Collegeville—Dickinson 3, Ursinus 3, (14 ins.)
At Washington—Georgetown 2, Harvard 2, (10 ins.)
At Princeton—Princeton 10, Mont Clair A. C. 3.
At New York—Columbia 4, Yale 7, (14 innings.)
At New Brunswick—Rutgers 1, Union College 3.
At New York—New York C. 1, St. Johns 3.
At Easton—Lafayette 1, New York U. 0.
At Charlottesville—Virginia 4, Davidson 0.
At Lancaster—Franklin and Marshall 5, Albright 4.
At Amherst—Amherst 3, Williston 0.
At Knoxville—Tennessee 5, Vanderbilt 1, and Tennessee 12, Vanderbilt 3.
At Exeter—Phillip Exeter 4, Merceburg 2.
At Exeter—Phillip Exeter 5, Wesleyan 1.
At Ann Arbor—Michigan 2, Case Scientific 0.
At Worcester—Holy Cross 5, Williamson 0.
At Ithaca—Cornell 6, Niagara 2.
At Brunswick—Bowdoin 4, Tufts 2.
At Washington—Gallaudet 10, West Maryland 7.

APRIL 27.

At Easton—Easton 3, Lafayette 2.
At Washington—Georgetown 2, Virginia 0.
At Burlington—Vermont 3, Maine University 0.
At Lexington—Wash. & Lee 2, Davidson 0.
At Raleigh—Agg. & Mech. 5, Delaware College 2.
At Andover—Bates 8, Phillips-Andover 5.
At Hoboken—New York College 3, Stevens 0.
At Philadelphia—Pennsylvania 4, Ursinus 1.
At Georgetown—Georgetown 3, Virginia 0.
At Cambridge—Harvard 4, Bates College 0.
At Lawrenceville—Lawrenceville 0, Princeton 3.
At Burlington—Maine U. 5, Vermont U. 1.
At Middletown—Wesleyan 4, Colby 2.
At New Haven—Yale Freshman 4, Merceburg 2.
At Providence—Maine College 4, Delaware U. 8.
At Raleigh—A. and M. College 1, 2, Davidson College 3.
At Rochester—Rochester U. 3, Penn State 7.
At Hanover—Dartmouth 3, Bowdoin 0.

APRIL 29.

At Amherst—Amherst 8, Bates 0.
At Cambridge—Harvard 4, Exeter 3.
At Hanover—Dartmouth 2, Bowdoin U. 3.
At Worcester—Holy Cross 14, Norwich U. 3.
At Providence—Brown 6, Colby 3.
At Williamstown—Williams 8, Vermont 2.
At Medford, Mass.—Tufts 5, Maine 4.
At New York—Fordham 8, Columbia 0.
At Providence—Princeton 2, Virginia 0.
At Carlisle—Lafayette 1, Dickinson 6.
At Ithaca—Cornell 2, Penn State 4.
At Gettysburg—Gettysburg 3, Washington College 4.
At Washington—Georgetown 8, A. and M. 3.
At West Point—West Point 2, Yale 6.
At South Bethlehem—Lehigh 9, Bucknell 2.
At New York—Manhattan C. 1, St. John's C. 9.

APRIL 30.

At Emmitsburg—Washington C. 0, Mt. St. Mary's 7.
At Amherst—Mass. Agric. 12, Norwich 24.
At Cambridge—Maine University 2, Harvard 0.