

PECULIAR TRIPLE PLAY

Crawford Hits Safely, but is "Killed" With Two Others.

"Wild Bill" Donovan Relates Exceptional Play in Exhibition Game—Three Players Retired on a Clean Single.

During a fanning he recently several well-known players were discussing exceptional happenings in baseball. Plays of every kind and variety were mentioned until the conversation had veered around to Wild Bill Donovan, who had smilingly accepted the statements. There was a lull in the story telling when Wild Bill put in:

"Did any of you fellows ever see a triple killing on a single? When the All Nationals went west in 1902 we opened against another all-star aggregation at Hamilton, O. In the first inning of the game we got a man on first and second, nobody out and Wahoo Sam Crawford at bat. Red Doolin was catching for them and Miller Huggins was playing second base.

"Sam gave the hit-and-run signal and the men on bases started with the pitch. Sam met the ball squarely for a single into left field. The man on second rounded third for home and the man on first tore around second for third.

"Lefty Houtz was playing left field for the other side and he came in



"Wild Bill" Donovan.

with the crack of the bat, scooped the ball off the ground and shot it to Doolin on a line.

"The man who had rounded third saw the ball was going to beat him to the plate so he stopped and started back to third. The other runner also turned round, touched third, and started back to second.

"Crawford was already past first and tearing for second. Doolin sized up the play immediately, made a bluff throw to third and whipped the ball to Huggins, who touched Crawford, sliding into second feet first, then turned in time to put the ball on the other man coming back to second head first.

"The man who was almost to the plate, and who turned back, was standing off third watching the play when



Sam Crawford.

Huggins touched Sam and the other player, then wheeled and threw to third, nailing his man for the third out.

"You win," was the verdict of the fanning players.

Eight Double Plays Made.
The Detroit-St. Louis game of April 27 at Detroit was remarkable for eight double plays being made. Lowdermilk, pitching for the Browns, gave nine bases on balls and hit a man, and only twenty Tigers were officially at bat in the home team's eight innings. The Browns had twenty-four assists. The Tigers struck out, but every other play required at least one assist and one play called for three.

ZWILLING IS LEADER OF WHALES AT BAT



"Dutch" Zwilling of Whales at Bat.

Where does "Dutch" Zwilling get the force behind his bat that enables the Whale center fielder to bag so many home runs? is a question the North side fans frequently ask. The only explanation is the powerful shoulders of the outfielder and his easy swing of the body which goes with the bat.

Zwilling stands five feet six inches and a trifle over and weighs only 160 pounds. He is probably the most feared hitter in the Federal league, with the possible exception of Bennie Kauff of the Brooklyn Tiptops.

Pitchers would rather give Zwilling a free ticket to first base than to see him lean on the ball in the last few innings with his home team one run behind, writes John O. Seys in Chicago News.

Zwilling hits much like Frank Schulte, the home-run getter of the Cub team. Frank had the habit of slamming the ball against the score board in right field on the West side

grounds, and occasionally he would lift the sphere over the top of the big sign. Frank does not swing hard at a ball, at least he does not appear to have any unusual amount of speed, but he can hit 'em as far as anyone in the game.

The same may be said of Zwilling. He moves forward with his swing and has tremendous driving power in those broad shoulders.

Zwilling led the Federal league last year with 16 home runs and was awarded a silver bat and ball for leading the Chicago team in batting with an average of .308. One feature about Zwilling's hard hitting is the fact that he is just as effective against left-handed pitchers as against right and he bats left handed.

Zwilling is also a wonderful fielder, being able to cover a lot of ground. He is not a fast base runner, as he is a slow starter, but when he gets going he takes a big stride and covers ground fast.

BASEBALL STORIES

George Kahler of Cleveland has been sold to Portland.

Hank O'Day may be added to the Fed staff of umpires.

Cy Williams is putting up a marvelous game in the field.

Charlie Herzog continues to ignore Umpire Rigler when he meets him on the ball field.

Bob Bescher, the former Giant who is now with the Cardinals, is laid up with a broken finger.

Beals Becker is out after the long-distance hitting championship of the National league this season.

Both Boston teams are the favorites in their respective leagues for the pennants among the betting men.

Charlie Doolin was presented with two large bouquets of flowers by admiring friends when the Reds played in Philadelphia.

Rowdysm is to be downed this year in the National league. It is possible to eliminate some of the best features of the game by being too strict, though.

The great work of Red Faber these days for the White Sox makes Fred Clarke of the Pirates feel sad. The Pittsburgh club once had an option on Red's services.

HORROR IS RIGHT

Cy Pieh is pitching for New York and the Sox fans were having fun with his name.

"Mince is pitching," yelled one joker.

"Lemon Pieh," howled a bleacherite.

"He's a huckleberry," shouted a third.

Pieh stopped to object to a decision on a ball.

"He's cussed hard," yelled a punster.

"Awful crust he has, trying to beat the Sox."

"Don't mince matters," screamed another.

"Three strikes," howled the ump.

"Got his desserts," yelled a New York fan, and the horror was over.

EARL MOORE WITH AMATEURS

Former Buffalo Pitcher to Join Cleveland Aggregation—Refused to Stand Salary Cut.

Earl Moore, formerly of the Phillies, Cleveland and other clubs, is going to turn "amateur." The quotation marks are used advisedly, for amateur ball players in Cleveland get the money just the same. Earl's home is in Cleveland. He signed with the Buffalo Federals last year, but refused to stand for a cut in salary this season and quit the Feds. Now that Earl has an opportunity to play with the Teeling-Strollers of the Cleveland Amateur Baseball association, there is some question as to his eligibility and the commission which has charge of the games will have to stretch the



Earl Moore.

eligibility rules to permit Earl to take part in the games. According to the Cleveland Press, the managers in the league have a hunch that the commission will permit them to use any players not under contract to professional clubs and are scrambling to sign several stars who are now temporarily out of work.

Fed Players Must Hustle.
The easy life has passed for Federal league players. The Colonial league, where they may be shipped in case of a slump, is making all of the athletes hustle to stay in the bigger circuit.

LACING AS TRIMMING

RATHER OLD FASHION THAT IS ONCE MORE IN VOGUE.

Illustration Shows How Effective It May Be Made—White Batiste the Best Material for the Collar and Vest.

Lacing as a trimming is revived in the way of novelty every once in a while, and, judging from its present vogue, this is one time. There is something quaintly attractive about the fad, but in many cases it is overdone. Just a touch is all that is needed, and it usually occurs at the neck and sleeve ends of a blouse, and, probably, the skirt.

Here in the model sketched we find the sleeve ends laced and the back of the bodice. That last sounds inconvenient, doesn't it? But the effect is really too pretty to forego, and, besides, the world is full of kindly disposed souls, who can on most occasions be induced to help one in and out of difficult things and thus save us contortions.

In geranium-coral faille or any of the lovely rose tones this chic little frock will commend itself to those of you who love pretty clothes. The lacings are merely narrow bias folds of the silk knotted at the ends and run through strongly buttonholed eyelets.

As the long sleeves are not set into the armholes of the bodice, it will be necessary to use white china silk or something equally thin for a foundation blouse into the armholes of which the sleeves may be sewed. White batiste is used for the collar and the vest, and by supplying snappers around its inside edge it can be fastened to the foundation blouse and be removed for laundering.

The bodice shows a rather deep V in front, but in back is rounded in a shallow curve about the neck. The length is extended a bit below the waist line and in front cut to give the effect of little vest corners, then draped up in place by means of a vertical line of shirring through the center. The wide armholes are bordered with a set-on braid of fine tucks. As the lacing down the back of the waist must not be drawn tightly together,



Lacing Gives a Quaint Touch to This Pretty Frock.

a narrow underpanel of the silk must be sewed down the foundation blouse for a background.

The skirt is in two flounces, and so a knee-length foundation is needed. Both are gathered evenly and rather full about the top, then finished above the hem with a six-inch border of fine tucks that serves to hold the flounces away from the figure.

CARE OF FACE IN SUMMER

Hot Weather Particularly the Time When Complexion Must Be Made a Matter of Moment.

Summer is not a season of pure delight to the woman who values a good complexion. During the warm months extra precautions are necessary in order to preserve the texture and beauty of the skin, for hot winds, hot sunshine and salt water all play havoc with the complexion.

It is hardly possible to go about with a protection in the form of a veil wrapped about one's face, for this is too warm for comfort, and disagreeable and dangerous to the eyes, besides. But there are certain precautions which can be taken to relieve the burning sensation which comes from exposure to the sun. When you have been out in the hot summer air and allowed the sun's rays to kiss your cheeks you will find, of course, that your skin will become red and dry from this reckless exposure. Don't come in from out of doors, where you have been enjoying a motor trip or a game of tennis and wash the dust and dirt from your skin with soap and water. This only increases the burning sensation and the dryness of the skin.

First rub on a quantity of cold cream and rub thoroughly with a soft cloth. After the irritation has been somewhat lessened the face should then be thoroughly washed and cleansed. Fill a basin two-thirds full of fresh soft water. Should the water which flows from the faucet be hard, then soften it with a teaspoonful of borax to every basin. Dip the face

in frocks of this description the best results can be had by selecting a good, crisp quality of silk, because the design needs a bouffancy that could hardly be acquired with the softer silks.

FINE COMBINATION OF COLOR

Example of What May Be Done by Contrasting the Shades That Have Widest Difference.

Black and white being the mode in Paris must, of course, be the mode on this side of the water, and very beautiful effects are achieved by this striking color combination. In the ex-



ample here the bodice of plain black silk is straight and severe with prim little turn-over collar and cuffs of white, lace-edged. Wide bretelles of the stripe are gathered into black-and-white-striped silk covered buckles on the shoulders. The skirt of the stripe is cut bias and opens over a "V" shaped piece of plain black silk which, like the blouse, fastens with black silk covered buttons in buttonholes done in white. The belt and buckle are of plain black silk and a band of the same finishes the bodice.

Rainy Day Hospital.

When the children break a doll or toy we tie it up and put it in a box which is used for broken toys. On a rainy day we open a carpenter's shop and a hospital. The furniture is put on the table, where nails, hammer, glue and so forth are found. The dolls are put to bed, each with a ticket pinned on with its number. As each number is called the patient is operated on with needle or glue as needed. Later we play carpenter's shop and mend the furniture.

To Season Utensils.

New agate and tin cooking utensils require seasoning before they are used. To do this, simply let them stand on the back of the range for two hours, filled with scalding water and bicarbonate of soda, one teaspoonful to a quart of water, then wash and dry in the regular manner.

Serge in Many Forms.

There are many forms of the silk serge, ranging from a twill almost invisible to a heavy diagonal; but the surah weave is a medium twill and is extremely good looking, either in plain one-tone colorings or in black or color with hair line stripes of white.

When there is a family reunion the men present enjoy it almost as much as they do a funeral.

At the Club.

"So our proposal was laid on the table, after all."
"I thought it would be dished."

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Fine Chance for an Orator.
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Nothing Done.
"Mamma," called four-year-old Harold from the nursery, "please come and sit by my bed until I go to sleep."
"Mamma's busy now," was the reply. "Keep quiet and the angels will be with you."
"You said that before, mamma," rejoined Harold, "and I have kept quiet ever so long, but not a blamed angel has showed up."

Two Strings to Little Lester's Bow.
Little Lester Livermore—Mamma, will you give me a nickel if I am a good boy?
Mamma—No; I haven't a nickel to spare now.
Little Lester Livermore—All right, then! Skinny Smart will give me a dime if I can swear worse than he can.—Kansas City Star.

Ancient Artisans in Africa.
The question has often been asked: Was there any earlier race in occupation of the area in Africa at present held by the Bantus? In Man W. H. Beech reports that in the Kikuyu country some ancient pottery has been said to be the work of a people called Gumba, who displaced the Mithoachiana, cannibal dwarfs.

These Mithoachiana are now believed to be earth-gnomes, skilled in the art of iron working. Mr. Beech, with some amount of plausibility, suggests that they were possibly bushmen, pygmies, or both, and that they were a local indigenous race of the stone age who used flint implements often found in the Kikuyu country. The Gumba are said to have made pottery and to have taught the Kikuyu the art of smelting. They may have been pre-Bantau Hamite invaders; but of this there is no evidence and the legend may tend to show that the first discovery of iron was made in Africa.

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