

UNUSUAL REASON FOR WILDNESS OF ATHLETICS' YOUNG PITCHERS GIVEN BY CONNIE MACK

MACK ATTRIBUTES WILDNESS OF PITCHERS IN DETROIT SERIES TO STRONG BREEZE

Athletics' Manager Says Wind Has Made It Hard for Right Handers to Control Fast Ball—Myers' Great Work

TRANS who have been following the work of the Athletics closely cannot account for the sudden streak of wildness shown by the young pitchers after their steady work in the early games...

It is rather unusual to blame the wind for a base on balls, when one considers that the pitcher is tossing the ball only a trifle more than 60 feet...

In explaining just why a right-handed pitcher had poor control while a southpaw got the ball over, Mack said the wind was blowing against the break of the right-handed pitcher's fast ball...

Detroit has used four right-handed pitchers during the series and so did the Mackmen, while each team has trotted out one southpaw...

All Records for Bases on Balls Broken

IT IS impossible to find any record of a series in which the pitchers have shown such poor control as has been shown in the three games played between the Athletics and Detroit...

In three games the Mack pitchers have given 59 bases on balls, while the Detroit hurlers have given free transportation to 22 Mackmen...

Prior to this series the Athletics' young pitchers showed splendid control, this being one of the most encouraging features of their work...

Myers Was Wild But Invincible

YESTERDAY Elmer Myers gave 10 bases on balls and one man reached first through an error; yet the lanky recruit won his game...

When Myers got the ball over the plate the Tigers, including the great and only Tyros Cobb and Sam Crawford, were helpless...

Myers was constantly in tight places, Detroit having numerous chances to score, aside from the two innings in which they chased across a run...

Well Pitched Game Improved Work of Team

THE general work of the Mackmen was excellent, showing just what strong and intelligent pitching means to the team...

Yesterday, with Myers pitching heady ball and showing great nerve in the pinches, the work of the entire team improved to such an extent...

Walsh and Pick Had the Punch

THIS throw gave the Tigers a run, but Pick atoned for the miscue in the ninth inning by lining the ball to the left field with the score a tie...

In handing out bouquets for the winning of the game, Jimmy Walsh, a player who receives less credit for good deeds than any man on the team...

Phils Continue in Slump, Losing to Cards

WHILE the Athletics were gaining on the Browns the Phillies lost an excellent opportunity to gain on the Dodgers and Braves...

About the only bright spot to the Philly-St. Louis game was Killefer's second appearance behind the bat...

Amos Strunk gave another brilliant exhibition in all departments. The wonderful center fielder made two great catches of balls out of his territory...

Harry Coveleskie has been experimenting with a slow ball, but is not having much success with it. The batter has no trouble seeing when the Detroit southpaw is going to send his "floater" up to the plate...

It is not hard to see who is boss of the Detroit team. In the fifth inning, with Lajoie on third and one man out, Jennings came out from the bench...

Witz is losing quite a few base hits because the umpire underestimates his speed and call him out on infield hits before the play has been completed...

THE BANQUET FLASHLIGHT



PENN IS NO. 2 IN DRAW FOR CHILDS EVENT

Navy Eight on West Shore in Feature Race of Regatta

MUCH INTEREST IN MEET

Never in the history of local rowing has a regatta to be held over the famous Schuylkill River course attracted so many college eight-oared crews...

With the arrival of the oarsmen representing Yale University, Harvard University, Princeton University, Syracuse University and the United States Naval Academy today...

In the draw for position in the Childs' cup race, Penn gets the second lane from the west shore...

Treasurer Russell H. Johnson, of the American Rowing Association, has announced the order of races...

Coach Jim Rice and his smooth-working variety crew were the first of the visiting oarsmen to work out on the Schuylkill...

Philadelphia High School, holders of the Franklin Challenge Cup; Central High and Northeast High and also the Noble & Greenbough School crew...

Columbia was out again this morning.

Ask for HAVANA RIBBON sold from the Sapinary Humidor by all dealers.

AYVAD'S WATER-WINGS

BASEBALL TODAY SHIBE PARK AMERICAN LEAGUE GROUND Athletics vs. Detroit

Six Major League Games Decided by Only One Run

Six major league games were decided by only one run yesterday. The Athletics won from the Tigers by a solitary tally...

This afternoon a majority of the other college crews and Naval Academy oarsmen, whose rowing equipment has been placed in the various boat houses...

Coach Jim Ten Eyck's Syracuse eight entered in the collegiate race will be stroked by Whitehead...

While the college races will arouse the greatest amount of interest in the contests between the club oarsmen...

The schoolboys will be out in force to witness the attempt of the Central Eight eight-oared crew...

COLLEGE NINES AGAIN TO HAVE BENCH COACHES

Big Three Revoke Rule Barring Tutors From Giving Advice in Game

TO HELP TEAMS' PLAY

A communication from a member of the Yale Advisory Committee states: "Lauder will coach the Yale team to play its own game and to do its own thinking..."

This attitude is identical with that taken by Harvard and Princeton. Sanford B. White, captain of the Princeton team of four years ago...

It is inconceivable that any sprinter will ever run 100 yards under 9 seconds; or that any jumper will ever clear the bar above 7 feet...

Some days the umpires chase Jimmy Callahan away in the first inning and on other days, to break the monotony, they

CLEVELAND CLUB WILL MAKE MONEY IN SPITE OF PRICE PAID FOR TRIS SPEAKER

Fine Showing of the Indians Due Almost Entirely to Work of Former Red Sox Outfielder

By GRANTLAND RICE

WHEN the White Sox pitchers get in shape," comments a contemporary, "who, or what is going to stop Eddie Collins, Joe Jackson and Jack Fourrier?"

"How can you tell," writes Fuzzy, "when a pitcher is knocked out of the box, whether it is poor pitching or hard hitting?"

"Under the Strain" "Once they believe they have a bare chance to win," comments an expert, "it is only a question of a short while before the Cleveland Indians will crack under the strain."

The Price for Speaker It was generally agreed that the price for Tris Speaker—\$50,000—was a foolish expenditure for any ball player.

Who says Connie Mack's young pitchers are not imbued with headwork and strategy? When the Tigers started hitting the other day Mack's slabsmen promptly stopped the slugging by passing 18 men before dusk arrived.

Marty O'Toole Still Sliding OMAHA, Neb., May 12.—The Omaha ball club, of the Western League, has signed Marty O'Toole, who a few years ago sold to the Pittsburgh Pirates for \$22,000.

Swarthmore Winner at Lacrosse SWARTHMORE, Pa., May 12.—The Swarthmore College lacrosse team defeated the Penn second team yesterday, 3 to 2.

Advertisement for Dixon's Graphite Automobile Lubricants, featuring a car and text about reducing friction and increasing mileage.

Advertisement for Newark Shoe for Men, featuring an image of a shoe and text about a 'Save-a-Dollar' price.

Advertisement for Newark Shoe Stores Company, listing various store locations and contact information.

EVENING LEDGER MOVIES—THE ATHLETICS, NEDRIGUS, ARE IN A POSITION TO MATERIALLY AID THE TAYLOR R. T. PLAN WITH THIS YOUNGSTER

