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EASTERN LEAGUE BASE BALL GAMES

Wilkes-Barre the Only Visiting Club to Meet Defeat.

BARONS AGAIN LEAVE LAST PLACE

They Pull the Game Out of the Fire at Rochester—Providence Regains First Position—Syracuse Goes from Fourth to Third and Wilkes-Barre Slides to the Foot of the Ladder.

Yesterday's Results. Scranton..... 12 Rochester..... 4 Syracuse..... 7 Wilkes-Barre..... 11 Providence..... 4 Toronto..... 4 Springfield..... 14 Buffalo..... 9

All the visiting clubs won yesterday. Wilkes-Barre excepted, and each game played directly affected the several changes in position. Providence goes back into first place and Rochester drops to second. The Stars have steadily increased their percentage since Monday when they were in fifth place, and by defeating Wilkes-Barre yesterday rose to third position ahead of Toronto, Springfield and the Barons go from the two trail-end positions to sixth and seventh and Wilkes-Barre tumbles from sixth to the place farthest in the rear of the band wagon.

Following are the two percentage tables showing the records of games among all the clubs:

Percentage Record. P. W. L. P.C. Providence..... 47 31 16 .699 Rochester..... 42 34 18 .654 Syracuse..... 45 29 16 .556 Buffalo..... 47 25 22 .529 Toronto..... 45 21 24 .463 Springfield..... 49 18 31 .389 Scranton..... 45 16 29 .348 Wilkes-Barre..... 49 17 32 .347

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ROCHESTERS EASY.

Barons Won the Game Because They Deserved It—Outbatted and Outfielded the Blackbirds.

Rochester, N. Y., June 26.—Errors by Mulvey, Boyd and Johnson and better connection with Lovett's curves on the part of Scranton are responsible for the victory of the visitors today. Score: ROCHESTER..... 10 Scranton..... 3

A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E. Batters: Mulvey, 4 1 1 3 0 0 0; Boyd, 4 1 1 3 0 0 0; Johnson, 4 1 1 3 0 0 0; Lovett, 4 1 1 3 0 0 0; Gillon, 4 1 1 3 0 0 0; O'Connell, 4 1 1 3 0 0 0; Totals..... 28 12 12 37 17 0

A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E. Batters: Latham, 2b..... 5 1 0 1 0 0 0; Hutchison, 1b..... 5 1 0 1 0 0 0; Meany, cf..... 5 0 2 3 0 0 0; Ward, 2b..... 5 0 2 3 0 0 0; O'Brien, cf..... 5 0 2 3 0 0 0; Eason, if..... 5 0 2 3 0 0 0; McGinn, ss..... 5 0 2 3 0 0 0; Gillon, p..... 5 0 2 3 0 0 0; O'Connell, p..... 5 0 2 3 0 0 0; Totals..... 35 12 12 37 17 0

POOR WILKES-BARRE. Alligators Batted Well but Made Too Many Errors. Syracuse, June 26.—It was a funny game here today. Delaney for Syracuse and Coakley for Wilkes-Barre, vied with each other in allowing their opponents to swing the ball. The batting was terrific and no much so was the game at various stages that the spectators

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HARVARD THREE SECONDS BEHIND

Pennsylvania a Bad Third and Columbia Hopelessly Out of It. Conditions of Air and Water Perfect—Multitude on the Banks and Aboard Pleasure Craft.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 26.—"Rah Cornell!" Eighteen thousand people up to 37 for the final burst and crossed the Hudson with the last rays of the setting sun casting a golden sheen upon the water, saw the stalwart eight from Ithaca win first honors over Harvard, Pennsylvania and Columbia.

It was a great race, probably no prettier has before a greater crowd in American waters. All conditions of air and water were perfect. Not a flaw marred the contest from the crack of the starter's pistol to the crossing of the finish line. Cornell won by four lengths in 19.23, official time. Harvard was second, 19.32; Pennsylvania third, 20.11, and Columbia a poor fourth, 21.15.

As a spectacular scene, the day was one long to be remembered. The course was a four-mile straight-away, as the crew flies near the west bank of the Hudson and the finish line is on the east bank, the finish being nearly one mile below that structure and the start nearly four miles above. The multitude which assembled on both banks of the river, and filled the decks of an imposing fleet of yachts, excursion steamers and pleasure craft of all descriptions, added brightness and color to the scene.

THE OBSERVATION TRAIN. An observation train of 42 cars with seats for 3,500 persons, and every seat occupied, pulled out of the Highland station and made its way to the starting point just before the crews were sent off. It started with the crews and kept abreast of them all the way to the finish. It was filled for the most part with college students or college graduates and ladies.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. Three chances take place in the positions of the clubs as a result of yesterday's games: Baltimore drops out of the lead in favor of Cleveland. Chicago passes Philadelphia and Brooklyn goes ahead of Pittsburgh.

Percentage Record. P. W. L. P.C. Cleveland..... 23 18 .567 Baltimore..... 23 19 .551 Cincinnati..... 25 22 .529 Houston..... 22 21 .510 Washington..... 20 27 .424 Chicago..... 19 27 .412 Philadelphia..... 19 27 .412 Pittsburgh..... 15 25 .375 New York..... 15 25 .375 St. Louis..... 15 19 .437 Louisville..... 12 41 .292

Louisville, Ky., June 26.—Today's game between Louisville and Cleveland was a disgrace to base ball. It was almost a riot from start to finish and lasted three hours and twenty-six minutes. The players of both teams made a fool ball of Umpire Weldman, and engaged in fights themselves. Barker's home run in the ninth tied the score. It was almost dark and Louisville did not try to play, but going out, one, two, three. In the tenth Cleveland scored four runs on an error, a single and home runs by McAleer and McGarr. Louisville got three men on the bases when Weldman called the game on account of darkness.

At Louisville..... R.H.E. Cleveland..... 9 2 1 0 0 0 1-4 9 2 Louisville..... 9 2 1 0 0 0 0-4 9 2 Batters—Lynch and O'Connor; (Gill and Warner); Umpire—Weldman; (Hull called on account of darkness). At St. Louis..... R.H.E. St. Louis..... 0 2 2 0 0 0 0-2 1 1 Cincinnati..... 0 1 0 1 0 0 5-16 7 1 Batters—Hart and Murphy; Ehret and Poliz; Umpire—Lynch. At Chicago..... R.H.E. Chicago..... 2 0 2 1 0 4 0 9-12 10 1 Pittsburgh..... 2 0 1 0 1 0 10-5 10 4 Batters—Friend and Dalley; Hawley and Merritt; Umpire—Sheridan. At Boston..... R.H.E. Boston..... 4 0 0 1 2 2 0-9 11 3 Philadelphia..... 0 2 0 0 0 0 0-4 11 3 Batters—Sullivan and Tenny; Taylor and Clements; Umpire—Henderson. At Brooklyn..... R.H.E. Brooklyn..... 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 0-3 12 1 New York..... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0-1 9 3 Batters—Payne and Grim; Clark and Wilson; Umpire—Emstie. At Washington..... R.H.E. Washington..... 2 0 2 1 0 2 0 2-9 12 2 Baltimore..... 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 0-3 7 2 Batters—Maui, King and McGuire; McMahon and Robinson; Umpire—Hurst.

STATE LEAGUE. At Reading..... R.H.E. Reading..... 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 2-4 6 3 Pottsville..... 0 0 0 0 0 2 5-7 7 3 Batters—Smith and Milligan; Stemmell and Rogers. At Philadelphia (10 innings)..... R.H.E. Athletics..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2-3 9 0 Lancaster..... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-1 7 2 Batters—Lund and Weand; West and Both; Umpire—Donohue.

AMATEUR BALL NOTES. The Olympian Browns will play the reserves of Scranton this afternoon at 4 o'clock on the Olympian grounds. The Dashers of Middletown accept the challenge of the W. S. A. C. club for a game on the Dashers' grounds for Sunday, June 28, at 3 o'clock. The following Dashers will report on the grounds at 1.30 o'clock: Ed. Garvin, J. Morris, T. Conway, D. Hayes, John Conway, John Galagher, James Mulligan, M. Harry Patrick, Conway D. Holland, John Killiany, manager. The crickets of Bellevue would like to meet the Orioles of Meville on the Meville grounds if a return game is given. Thomas Walsh, captain. Name date if accepted. John Lowers the Record. Red Oak, Ia., June 26.—John R. Gentry was sent against time today at Paetolus park and clipped a quarter of a second off his record, the world's record for stalloons, making it 2.085, beating the record 4 1/4 seconds. Gentry's previous record was 2.091, at Terre Haute in 1894.

vard despite the latter's desperate resistance and Pennsylvania was thrown three lengths behind the crimson. Then Cornell began to show the effects of Courtney's ideas imbibed in England last year. With long sweeping strokes the Ithacans had their shell a length ahead of Harvard, who were return four lengths in front of Pennsylvania. The Columbias were splashing badly eight or ten lengths to the bad and could scarcely keep their boat on an even keel. Half a mile from the finish the order was Cornell first by 2 1/2 lengths, Harvard second by three lengths, while Pennsylvania was about fifteen lengths in front of Columbia. A tremendous shout of noise greeted the Ithacans as they entered the last quarter of their trying journey, three lengths in front of Harvard, on whom Pennsylvania was creeping up fast, two lengths dividing the pair. Cornell hit the stroke up to 37 for the final burst and crossed the line a winner by about four lengths. Pennsy also increased the speed in the last quarter and Harvard only got home a length and a quarter in front of Pennsylvania. The three leading crews had almost got their shells in tow when Columbia came struggling home one minute and 54 seconds after Cornell and Pennsylvania.

THE OFFICIAL TIME.

The official time was returned as follows: Cornell, 19.23; Harvard, 19.32; Pennsylvania, 20.11. This time, if correct, establishes a new American record, as the best previous time was 20.10, by Yale, at New London.

The Columbia men were pretty well done up, but there were no serious collisions. Pennsylvania finished in the freshest of all. The Cornell boys owned the town tonight. Street parades were formed, giant firecrackers exploded and the cry, "Cornell I yell, I yell Cornell," mingled with cheers for the Harvard crew, made sleep impossible. Men excursion steamers and Harvard mingled with the Ithacans and the best of good feeling was displayed. The Nelson house bar and several other places were closed early in the evening and the demonstrations were less violent than last year, when Columbia won. Three college boys were arrested at midnight for smoking a finished in the Nelson house, which was about all the damage done this year. The crowds of spectators melted away gradually after the race. Special trains and regular ones were crowded and it was several hours before the depots were cleared of waiting passengers.

SCRANTON CLUB GOSSIP.

The Barons rank second with Rochester since Monday when the southern clubs began to battle with the clubs in the north. Syracuse has the best record, having lost but one out of five games. The percentage record for the week is as follows:

Percentage Record. P. W. L. P.C. Syracuse..... 5 1 .308 Scranton..... 3 .500 Rochester..... 3 .500 Buffalo..... 2 .400 Wilkes-Barre..... 2 .400 Providence..... 2 .400 Springfield..... 2 .400

The table tells its own story, and but for a roost by Umpire Stearns the Barons would have tied the score. An opinion to this effect was included in Manager Griffin's usual daily dispatch to the association after the game. Griffin's Piles! Itching Piles! Symptoms—Moisture; Intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At drugists, or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia.

fn is nothing if not conservative, and such a statement by him is to be believed. It certainly has weight. Had the Barons won that game they would have begun at Rochester with three victories and one defeat that far on the trip instead of two won and two lost. The defeat at Buffalo was by only two runs.

A proof that the team is playing steadier and more "gritty" ball is shown by a glance at the games won. The one at Buffalo, the one at Toronto and the one at Rochester were each won after the other club had secured the lead. The game lost at Toronto had apparently been a cinch for the Canadians up to the ninth, when the Barons called in to win and came within one tally of doing it, although they were four runs behind when the last inning was started. These details of the games show more than any amount of talking could possibly do, that the Barons are limbering up.

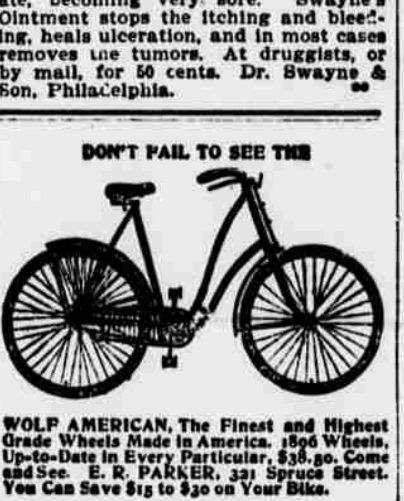
How the Barons have improved their percentage during the week is best shown by the following table, which gives the differences in percentages between Monday and today:

PERCENTAGE RECORD. MON, SAT. Providence..... .308 .500 Dec. .092 Rochester..... .500 .504 Dec. .006 Toronto..... .571 .553 Dec. .018 Syracuse..... .525 .556 Inc. .031 Buffalo..... .522 .519 Dec. .003 Springfield..... .525 .580 Inc. .055 Wilkes-Barre..... .319 .347 Dec. .022 Scranton..... .317 .318 Inc. .001

Although Manager Griffin's hand is well it is not likely that he will go in the game. If he should do so he will not take O'Brien out as the new outfielder has made two hits in each of his games away from home except one. Eagan, however, has hit but three times. So if Griffin gets back in the game it looks as though Eagan would be the candidate for the bench; certainly not Latham, whose run-getting faculties are too valuable to be spared and who has made seven hits beginning Monday.

With Gillen, who has won his club games pitched, and Corbett the only seems greatly strengthened in its pitching department. Corbett and catcher Brownman are now with the club and Esper is expected to be here to pitch one of the games on July 4. The fact that Esper on Tuesday pitched a winning game for Baltimore against Philadelphia and held the latter down to four hits, gave rise to the rumor that he would not be permitted to leave. The Scranton management says, however, that Esper will join the Barons this week.

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