

HITLESS WONDERS ARE OF THE PAST

Richmond Ball Team Shows
Fans It Can Hit and
Hit Hard.

DAYTON SHILOHS WHIPPED. LEAGUER TOUCHED UP.

LOCAL INDIANA-OHIO LEAGUE
AGGREGATION WON IN A PRETTY
GAME—MANAGER JESSUP
PLAYS HIS FIRST.

Much has been said of the slugging material Manager Jessup has gathered about him. Owing to the hitless wonders of last year, the fans, when they heard rumors to the effect that the local uniforms were now inhabited by manufacturers of base hits, crossed their fingers and looked like residents of Missouri. Yesterday they went to Athletic park to verify the rumors referred to. There was great rejoicing and much mouth noise, when it was seen that the glad tidings were but too true. Our demon athletes mangled the Dayton Shilohs in a hail storm of singles, two baggers, triples and home runs, loping under the wire an easy 9 to 5 winner.

The game was a beauty to watch, the hitting being good and some sensational fielding stunts were pulled off by both teams. Jim Cameron was robbed of a sure three bagger by a marvelous catch of Morganthaler in right center. C. Fieldhaus robbed Bambraugh of a single by picking a liner off his shoe strings. For the locals, Cap Parker brought the fans up yelling by the clever capture of a line drive, while Johnny Bambraugh pulled off some fancy plays. Talking about Bambraugh, that midget came pretty nearly being the whole show. In the second inning he drove in the first local run with a two bagger and in the eighth he hit down the left field foul line for a home run, the ball going nearly to the club house. Johnny was nearly home when the ball stopped rolling. Baumann led the locals in stick work, making three hits, one a triple, out of four times up. Cap Parker found his batting eye and lammed out a single and a smoky double out of four times up. Manager Jessup caught his first game of the season and showed that he is still the clever backstop as of yore. His work on the bases was a feature.

Conner started in to pitch for the locals. He had good speed and curves, but lacked control. In the fourth, after the first two men up had singled, Jessup yanked him and substituted Fleming. With two out Fleming issued his only pass of the game and was then touched up for a single and a double, four men counting. After this misfortune, Nat settled down and in the remaining five innings not a run and only one measly hit did he yield. The locals' hits came when runs were needed and there was never any doubt as to the outcome of the game. Summary:

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Shinn, lf.	4	1	1	5	0	0
Cameron, rf.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Parker, 2b.	4	1	2	1	3	0
Hurst, cf.	3	1	1	0	0	0
Baumann, ss.	4	1	3	1	2	0
Bambraugh, 3b.	2	2	2	2	2	0
Burns, 1b.	3	1	0	7	0	0
Jessup, c.	4	1	1	10	0	0
Conner, p.	0	0	0	0	3	0
Fleming, p.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals ...	33	9	11	27	10	1

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Shilohs, AB. R. H. O. A. E.	32	5	6	24	12	2
H. Fieldhaus, cf. 0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Smith, 1b.	3	2	0	9	0	0
Barttling, ss.	5	1	1	0	1	1
Hukins, 2b.	4	0	1	4	2	0
C. Fieldhaus, rf.	2	0	0	2	1	0
Stines, 3b.	4	1	1	0	2	0
Shafner, c.	4	1	2	3	2	1
Hedder, p.	4	0	1	0	2	0
Totals ...	32	5	6	24	12	2

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Richmond ...	0	2	1	0	1	1
Shilohs ...	0	0	1	4	0	0
Left on bases—Richmond 6. Shilohs 7. Earned runs—Shilohs 1, Richmond 3. Sacrifice hits—Hurst, Smith, C. Fieldhaus. Two base hits—Bambraugh, Parker, Cameron, Hukins. Three base hit—Baumann. Home run—Bambraugh. Stolen bases—Shinn, Burns, Jessup 2, Stones, Heffner. Struck out—Fleming 6, Conner 1, Heffner 2. Bases on balls—Heffner 1, Conner 4, Fleming 1. Hit by pitcher—Burns. Parker. Umpire—Cunningham. Attendance—1,600.						

LITTLE GIANTS MEET THEIR FIRST DEFEAT

Connersville Juniors Annex
Victory at Cambridge.

Cambridge City, May 4.—The Little Giants met their first defeat of the season at the hands of the Connersville Juniors at the L. E. & W. park Sunday morning. The score was 7-6. The game was hotly contested throughout and was witnessed by over 200 people. Scott was in the box for the locals and would have won his game had he been given the proper support.

The collection of palms in Kew Gardens, London, is much larger than any other in the world, nearly 500 species being represented.

CONNERSVILLE WINS OVER CAMBRIDGE

For First Time in Twenty-five
Years Team Scores
A Victory.

LEAGUER TOUCHED UP.

WEST COUNTY LADS TAKE KINDLY TO CURVES OF SULLIVAN—
TWO HUNDRED CAMBRIDGE
FANS ACCOMPANY TEAM.

Cambridge City, Ind., May 4.—Despite the threatening weather a crowd of more than two hundred loyal fans and rooters accompanied Manager Moore and his athletes to Connersville Sunday afternoon, where in a good base ball game the Grays came out the losers. Score 8-6. This defeat is the initial one of this season's work and also the first time in history that a Connersville aggregation has ever been able to "slip one over" on a local line up, and teams from the two towns have crossed bats many times in the last twenty-five years. Cambridge entered the game full of life and played to win and would have no doubt been successful in carrying off the honors of the day, had it not been for three errors.

"Billy" Hunt and Boyce Rankin the team's two salaried rooters added materially in the Gray's rally in the first of the eighth, when with two men down, Kelly started off with a single to right, stole second and was followed by Wise with a safe one, then in quick succession Gilbert landed for a two bagger, followed by Knapp, Ridge and Weaver with singles, out of these six hits 5 runs were pulled over the plate. Smith putting an end to the session by breezing, Sullivan an ex-Chicago National league twirler, who journeys from the windy city each Sunday in the interest of the K. L. O. League's mound at Connersville, allowed but one hit in the first five sessions, but after that, he was picked for eight Score by Innings:

Grays 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 5 0—6
Connersville ... 1 1 0 0 1 3 2 0 x—8
Batteries—Boyd and Wise; Sullivan and Morgan.
Time 2 hours. Umpires—Gear and Quinn. Attendance—1,100.

WHO WILL WIN?

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago ...	11	3	.786
Pittsburg ...	8	4	.667
Philadelphia ...	8	7	.533
New York ...	8	7	.533
Boston ...	8	8	.500
Brooklyn ...	7	9	.437
Cincinnati ...	5	7	.417
St. Louis ...	13	13	.487

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cleveland ...	9	6	.600
New York ...	9	6	.600
Philadelphia ...	10	7	.588
St. Louis ...	9	7	.563
Chicago ...	8	8	.500
Boston ...	7	9	.437
Washington ...	6	10	.375
Detroit ...	4	9	.308

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Indianapolis ...	11	4	.733
Toledo ...	10	5	.667
Columbus ...	11	6	.645
Louisville ...	10	7	.588
Milwaukee ...	6	10	.375
Kansas City ...	6	10	.375
St. Paul ...	4	12	.250
Minneapolis ...	2	13	.133

SUNDAY'S GAMES.

National League.
Pittsburg 1; Cincinnati 0.
Chicago 4; St. Louis 2—First game.
Chicago 3; St. Louis 2—Second game.

American League.

Chicago 3; Cleveland 0.
St. Louis—Detroit—Rain.

American Association.

Kansas City 3; Toledo 1.
Milwaukee 6; Columbus 4.
Indianapolis 2; St. Paul 3.
Louisville 2; Minneapolis 1.

GAMES TODAY.

National League.
Pittsburg at Cincinnati.
St. Louis at Chicago.
Philadelphia at New York.
Brooklyn at Boston.

American League.

Detroit at St. Louis.
New York at Washington.
Boston at Philadelphia.

American Association.

Columbus at Milwaukee.
Toledo at Kansas City.
Indianapolis at St. Paul.
Louisville at Minneapolis.

The Reason.

It was Washington's birthday, and the minister was making a patriotic speech to the children of the secondary grade.

"Now, children," he said, "when I arose this morning the flags were waving and the houses were draped with bunting. What was that done for?"

"Washington's birthday," answered a youngster.

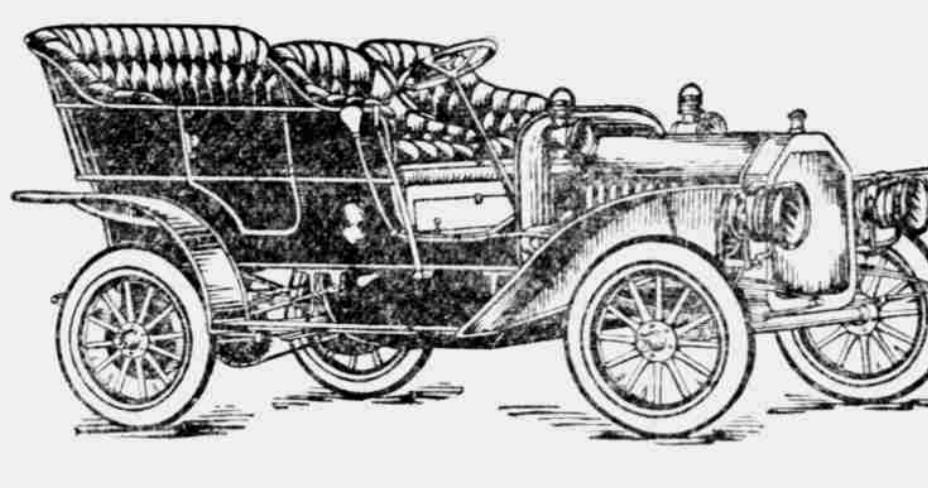
"Yes," said the minister, "but last month I, too, had a birthday, but no flags were flying that day, and you did not even know I had a birthday. Why was that?"

"Because," said an urchin, "Washington never told a lie."—Philadelphia Ledger.

A very simple remedy to cure a wart is to bathe it several times every day with a strong solution of bicarbonate of soda.

Barney Doherty, Mansfield, Bone, and Young Cunney have returned from

Richmond Automobile Co.



Touring Car, Model F, Price \$1,250



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More power, greater refinement—is the message of the Noiseless Buick, Model 10. It's a beauty in construction—the simplest to operate of any "auto" on the market today. Uses less Gasoline; costs less for repairs. Sold only by the Richmond Automobile Co. Two cars will be on exhibition all this week.

Richmond Automobile Company, Main Street

TWO GREAT BASEBALL LEADERS CENTER OF ATTRACTION.



Chance is one of the heroes of the base ball world. Chance is an all round player and is a born leader of men. In the panel below is a picture of Napoleon Lajoie, the great leader of the Cleveland team.

Affairs of the Sporting World

(By Tort.)

The locals leave tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock