

## NATIONAL LEAGUE TEAMS STRONGER

During the Past Few Months  
All Clubs Have Strengthened Lineups.

### SEASON OPENS TOMORROW

CINCINNATI UNDER MANAGEMENT OF GRIFFITH LOOKS LIKE IT WOULD BE UP IN THE HUNT AT ALL TIMES.

The National league opens its season tomorrow. The following is the line up of the various clubs:

Cincinnati—Manager Griffith.  
Catchers—McLean, Roth, Pearce.  
Pitchers—Ewing, Campbell, Karger, Fromme, Dubuc, Ragon, Savidge, Rowan, Casper, Durbin.  
First Base—Hobbs.  
Second Base—Huggins.  
Third Base—Lohr.  
Shortstop—Mowrey.  
Left Field—Pascetti.  
Center Field—Oakes.  
Right Field—Mitchell.  
Utility Men—Downey, Moriarty, Hulsitt, Bescher, Egan, Autrey.  
Chicago—Manager Chance.

Catchers—Kling, Moran, Needham, Archer.  
Pitchers—Brown, Overall, Reulbach, Pfeister, Lundgren, Kroh, Frazer.  
First Base—Chance.  
Second Base—Zimmerman, Evers.  
Third Base—Steinfeldt.  
Shortstop—Tinker.  
Left Field—Sheckard.  
Center Field—Browne.  
Right Field—Schulte.  
Utility Men—Hofman, Kane, Howard.

New York—Manager McGraw.  
Catchers—Schief, Myers, Snodgrass.  
Pitchers—Mathewson, Wiltse, Ames, Marquard, Durham, Crandall, Raymond, Weimer.  
First Base—Tenney.  
Second Base—Doyle.  
Third Base—Devlin.  
Shortstop—Bridwell.  
Left Field—Murray.  
Center Field—O'Hara.  
Right Field—Donlin, Devore.  
Utility Men—Merkle, Herzog, Seymour.

Pittsburgh—Manager Clarke.  
Catchers—Gibson, O'Connor, Schriver.  
Pitchers—Willis, Maddox, Camnitz, Lefield, Lever, Philippe, Braneom, Frook, Vall.  
First Base—Abstein.  
Second Base—Abbatichio.  
Third Base—Leach, Barbeau.  
Shortstop—Wagner.  
Left Field—Clarke.  
Center Field—Thomas, Miller.  
Right Field—Wilson.  
Utility Men—Storke, J. Miller, Kane, Hyatt.

Philadelphia—Manager Murray.  
Catchers—Doolin, Jacklitich.  
Pitchers—McQuillen, Covaeski, Corridon, Moore, Moren, Sparks, Foxen, Riche.  
First Base—Bransfield.  
Second Base—Knabe.  
Third Base—Grant.  
Shortstop—Doolan.  
Left Field—Mayer.  
Center Field—Osborne.  
Right Field—Titus.  
Utility Men—Glosson, Shean, Delinger, Clement.

Brooklyn—Manager Lumley.  
Catchers—Bergen, Marshall, Dunn.  
Pitchers—Rucker, McIntire, Scanlon, Pastorius, Bell, Wilhelm, Stricklett.  
First Base—Jordan.  
Second Base—Pattee, Alperman.  
Third Base—Lennox.  
Shortstop—Hummel, McMillan.  
Left Field—Burch.  
Center Field—Sebring.  
Right Field—Lumley.  
Utility Men—McElveen, Catterson, Kustus.

Boston—Manager Bowerman.  
Catchers—Bowerman, Smith, Graham, Ball.  
Pitchers—Lindaman, Dornier, Chapelle, McCarthy, Mattern, Tuckey, Boules, Ferguson.  
First Base—Stem.  
Second Base—Ritchey.  
Third Base—Sweeney.  
Shortstop—Dahlen.  
Left Field—Bates.  
Center Field—Beaumont.  
Right Field—Becker.  
Utility Men—Starr, Beck.

St. Louis—Manager Bresnahan.  
Catchers—Bresnahan, Phelps, Bliss.  
Pitchers—Beesly, Lush, Rhodes, Higginsbotham, Sallee, Higgins.  
First Base—Konechny.  
Second Base—Charles.  
Third Base—Byrne.  
Shortstop—Reilly.  
Left Field—Delahanty.  
Center Field—Shaw.  
Right Field—Murdoch.  
Utility Men—Osteen, Gilbert, Morris.

### A SENSIBLE COURT.

One level headed farmer whose case came to our attention the other day, desiring to locate ultimately in the west, has sold his holding in the Mississippi valley and has rented a small farm for a year near a good market town in Washington and will move there at once. His idea is that in this way he will have abundant opportunity to look around, discount where necessary the undue claims of overzealous land boomers, see things without bias or pressure and after having done this make his choice of a location which, in the many important respects which should be taken into account, is nearest to his liking. It will cost something to carry out this plan, but the all around satisfaction which will be derived will more than compensate for the cost.

### BASEBALL CHIPS.

Groom is the tallest of the Washington pitchers, having more height than Tom Hughes. He is six feet four inches in his socks.

Manager Roger Bresnahan of the St. Louis Nationals may play an infield position this year, but the chances are that he will be seen behind the bat nearly every day.

Murray, O'Hara and Herzog are McGraw's selections as regular outfielders for the Giants. McGraw wants Donlin, but Donlin balks. Seymour wants to be restored to good standing, but McGraw balks.

Earle Moore seems to be in the very best of form for the Phillies. With Moore and Coveleski to help out last year's Philadelphia pitchers, it is hard to see how the Phillies are going to be kept from running one-two-three.

Only four men who played in the Southern league in 1904 are now in the big leagues. They are "Nig" Clarke of the Naps, Charley Smith of Washington, Ats of the White Sox and Outelder Stanley, on trial with the Chicago Nationals.

## TAKE NEW LEASE ON FIRST PLACE

Yale Strengthened Its Position  
Last Night by Defeating Illinois.

### A HARD FOUGHT CONTEST

BOTH TEAMS INDULGED IN  
SCRAPPING AND MUCH ROUGH  
PLAY AND GAME WAS NOT A  
GOOD ONE TO WATCH.

LEAGUE STANDING.			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Yale	6	2	.750
Chicago	4	3	.571
Illinois	4	4	.500
Cornell	3	4	.429
Princeton	3	4	.429
Carlisle	2	5	.286

In the roughest and hardest fought game of the season Yale again triumphed over Illinois in the basketball league last evening. The game was not an especially beautiful contest as each team went into the contest to win. For the Suckers to win, it meant a tie with Yale for first place and for the blue to pull out ahead meant a comfortable leadership. As the result all the players were antagonistic and the largest number of fouls of the season was called.

The feeling was there among the players in the first half but it was held somewhat in reserve. Illinois strove hard but the half ended with Yale leading 10 to 7. It was in the second half that the fun began to fly. Both teams were scrappy, but besides taking care of itself in the clinches the Yale five managed to drop the ball into the basket with more regularity than Illinois. It was this fact that won the game. Illinois added to its score by 7 and Yale doubled this piling up 14 in the half. It has been Yale's ability to put up a strong finish that has won its games. The team is not composed of stars but each fellow works his hardest and the percentage column shows the result. Lineup and summary:

Illinois		Yale	
Thornburg	Forward	Spangler	Forward
Buell	Forward	Farrow	Forward
Brown	Center	Weichman	Center
Mendenhall	Left Guard	Porter	Left Guard
Moelk	Right Guard	Compton	Right Guard

Goals from Field—Thornburg, Mendenhall 2, Brown, Spangler 2, Farrow, Weichman 4, Compton. Goals from Foul—Thornburg 5, Spangler 3, Weichman. Referee—Overman, Timer—Kelsey. Scorer—Genn. Time of halves—15 minutes.

## ENTERTAIN SPEAKER

Commercial Club Committee  
Provided Interesting Reception for Durbin.

### SHORT BUSINESS SESSION

Ex-Governor Winfield Durbin, who is to address the Commercial Club members this evening, will be entertained by John Nicholson at a six o'clock dinner at his residence, Nineteenth and Main streets. Mr. Nicholson is chairman of the entertainment committee of the club, which also includes Walter Bates and Nettleton. Mr. Nicholson will also preside at the club's meeting.

Mr. Durbin will arrive this afternoon from Anderson and will be taken in charge by the entertainment committee. The subject of his address this evening will be "Business in Politics." A large attendance of the members is expected.

## MR. FAN IS HAPPY; BASEBALL IS HERE

Eastern Clubs of the American  
League Opened the Season Yesterday.

### GAME POPULAR AS EVER

AT PHILADELPHIA 31,000 BUGS  
SWARM INTO THE NEW MILLION  
DOLLAR PARK—NATIONAL  
OPENS WEDNESDAY.

At Washington. R. H. E.  
Washington ..... 4 8 1  
New York ..... 1 4 3  
Batteries—Smith and Street; Newton Brockett and Kleinow. Umpires—Evans and Egan.

### BASE BALL NOTES.

Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland and St. Louis do not open the season until tomorrow, while the teams playing yesterday, play again today at the places as scheduled yesterday. The National league also opens tomorrow and from the on until October 15, base ball will be one of the important national questions.

Its Manager Billy Sullivan from now on. He was introduced to the public yesterday by President Comiskey of the Chicago American club. Exit ex-manager and center fielder, Fielder Jones. The latter has made good in his determination to stay in the lumber business on the Pacific coast.

Marquard and Durham, the pitchers who were instrumental in winning for the Indianapolis club the championship of the American Association last year, pitched for the Giants yesterday, in the exhibition game with Newark, of the Eastern league. Marquard pitched five innings, allowed one hit, and striking out five men, while Durham pitched the remaining four innings, allowed but one hit and struck out one man. Both were reasonably steady. "Iron Man" McGinnity, formerly the star pitcher for New York, but now manager of the Newark club, pitched against his old team mates.

The American League opening yesterday between the Philadelphia and Boston clubs at Philadelphia, and Washington and New York at the former city, was attended by the largest crowds in the history of either "home" club, and demonstrated the intense interest the bugs are taking in the game. Washington won by the score of 4 to 1 while Philadelphia defeated Boston, before 31,000 admiring fans, by the score of 8 to 1.

Charles Smith, pitcher for the Washingtons allowed the Yankees but four hits, a rather remarkable performance, considering the earliness of the season. He also struck out ten of the opposing batsmen. Washington got its start in the first inning, making three runs and scoring the fourth time in the third inning. New York scored its only run in the fourth inning. There were 15,000 fans present.

Million Dollar Park.  
The Philadelphia-Boston game was played in the new million dollar park and its facilities were much less than the demand, for after 31,000 fans had been seated, in fact, stuffed into the park, the gates had to be closed excluding several thousand other fans, late in arriving at the park. Plank pitched the penner for Manager Mack, while Arellanes and Ryan worked for the Red Stockings. Summary:

Philadelphia		Boston	
.....	8 13 2	.....	1 6 2
Batteries—Plank and Powers; Arellanes, Ryan and Carrigan. Umpires—Hurst and Connolly.			

## MR. BROWN IS SICK

Man Who Raised Money for  
Local Y. M. C. A. Building  
Critically Ill.

### RECOVERY IS DOUBTFUL

C. H. Brown, subscription secretary for the Young Men's Christian association in this city, who was instrumental in raising the \$100,000 with which to erect the building, is seriously ill at his home in Michigan City, and his recovery is doubtful. He was operated on for appendicitis last Sunday evening.

Mr. Brown has been engaged recently in raising \$50,000 for the Y. M. C. A. organization of Laporte. He had just finished a successful campaign at Michigan City, where \$75,000 was donated for this purpose. His many local friends will regret to learn of his serious condition.

### ANOTHER 58 ALARM.

The third alarm in two days from box 58 called the fire department yesterday afternoon to the home of Lawrence Lambert, 42 Sherman street. A small blaze did slight damage to the roof. Each time the fire gong has struck recently, the members of the department have expected a run to Fairview.

### CASE DISMISSED.

The petition in the Wayne circuit court to have Rebecca Watt declared a person of unsound mind has been dismissed at the plaintiff's cost.

JUDGES: Millions use Gold Medal Yarn.

## WILL READ PAPER AT CONVENTION

Y. M. C. A. Officials Addressed  
By Sec'y Goodwin.

George L. Goodwin, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. will attend the meeting of the Y. M. C. A. secretaries of the states at Indianapolis tomorrow and Thursday. He will read a paper on "State Convention Roundtable," and will endeavor to show that the state meeting should be held earlier in the year, than is now the custom. Orville Brunson, secretary of the boys' department, will attend the Thursday meeting. During the absence of these two officials, Physical Director R. J. Horton will be in charge.

## PLEAS OF WOMEN ON TARIFF BILL HEARD IN SENATE

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on those articles, which are now imported freely, but which under the house bill could not be brought into this country at all. It should be understood, of course, that the bill submitted by the senate finance committee is largely tentative. The senate has no ironclad rules which can be applied to prevent amendments. The result is that every line and every paragraph of the bill is subject to change in the open senate. The chances are, however, that the committee draft will go through in its substantial features.

The committee decided to leave out for the present both hides and coal, on which there is likely to be a hard fight with a general breaking down of party lines. Mr. Aldrich also reserves the right to come in later on with committee amendments fixing new rates on wood pulp and print paper.

### Petroleum on Free List.

The action of the senate committee makes it certain that crude and refined petroleum will remain on the free list, but there is still to be a fight over the products of petroleum, which embrace a wide range of medicinal and other articles, many of which are not made by the oil trust at all. They are the distillations of coal tar which can be manufactured by any one, and there will be a demand for a duty on products which are not actually controlled by the trust or some of its subsidiary corporations.

It was officially announced by Mr. Aldrich that the committee had intentionally withheld its maximum and minimum provision so that it should not be mixed up with a fight over rates. So far as the general principle is concerned, the senate proviso will not be essentially different from that drawn in the house.

The house paragraph, however, was loosely constructed. It fixed no one upon whom should fall the duty of deciding when a foreign country discriminated against America and when it did not. The senate proviso requires the president to make an investigation and a proclamation of results. He has no discretion in the matter except in so far as to decide the question of discrimination and then apply our maximum and minimum rates accordingly.

### Bill Nearer Taft Plan.

The senate committee has withheld action on this section, so that the rates might be taken up on their merits. It also will introduce later on a new administrative plan covering the collection of duties and the assessment of value.

Politically speaking, the senate tariff bill is much more likely to receive the approval of President Taft than would have been the case if the house bill had remained as it was passed by that body. The people themselves, and particularly those who wanted to see a real revision downward, probably will prefer the senate measure to the house bill, and it is undeniably better from a general political point of view, besides probably being more of a revenue producer.

The house committee unfortunately went on the theory that if it increased duties it necessarily added to the revenue. The treasury experts, and the wise men like Senator Aldrich, knew well that when the rates of duty are increased to a prohibitive point the importations necessarily cease and revenue declines.

## KENNEDEY DIVORCE CASE ON SATURDAY

Rule to Answer Was Taken  
This Morning.

Rule to answer was taken against the prosecutor in the case of Kennedy vs. Kennedy in circuit court this morning and the case set for trial next Saturday. The case is for divorce and was venued here from Henry county. The plaintiff alleges the defendant married her under the name Kennedy and afterward told her his real name is Canaday and he adopted the other to prevent the marriage being legal.

### Leaving the Farm.

Put everything down in writing when you lease a farm. Memory cannot be relied on. It is remarkable how different men will remember different things. If it is all down in black and white there can be no mistake.

## Money Raising Sale

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## ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE IN BY MAY 1

County Auditor Cites Mortgage Exemption Law.

It is desired by county auditor Coe that all persons wishing to take advantage of the mortgage exemption law understand all applications must be filed before May 1. The law states these papers may be taken out from March 1 to May 1. The attorney general has decided a number of times that the wording does not intend to include May 1. Consequently the last day of April will be the last on which petitions may be filed.

## TUNNEL CAVES IN; FIVE ARE KILLED

It Will Take Days to Recover Bodies.

Granville, N. Y., April 13.—A big cave-in at the tunnel quarry, of Owens & Sons this morning killed five workmen and injured several others, all of whom were Hungarians. The quarry is located two hundred feet underground in hard rock. Several days will elapse before the recovery of the bodies.

## PROSECUTOR LADD IS INVESTIGATING

John Underhill Says He Was  
Buncoed in Deal.

Prosecutor Ladd has begun an investigation of the allegations of John Underhill that Frank Roberts sold him

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## ROLLER SKATING

## COLISEUM

Roller skating Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday Morning, Afternoon and Evening.

a horse afflicted with the heaves and other defects. A state law forbids the sale of such an animal. Underhill has been a trader of horses for several years and the trial of the case will create unusual interest. Roberts has retained counsel and will contest the charge. It is expected the trial will prove the source of considerable merriment.

First American Financier—I have absolutely no patience with the people who go to Monte Carlo and drop all their money.  
Second Ditto—Neither have I. Why can't they patronize home industries and drop it in Wall street?—Philadelphia Record.

PALLADIUM WANT ADS. PAY.

Bride's Pie Joke.  
Her—Richard! Why on earth are you cutting your pie with a knife? Him—Because, darling—now, understand, I'm not finding any fault, for I know that these little overights will occur—because you forgot to give me a can opener.—Cleveland Leader.

She Was On.  
Mrs. Booser (S. a. m.)—This is a nice time for you to be coming home. Where have you been? Mr. Booser—Been setting up, my dearest, vis a friend. Mrs. Booser—How many drinks did you set up?—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Friendship consists in being a friend, not having a friend.—Pittsburgh Press.

## Money-Making Ways of Using Want Ads

### To Buy or Sell Birds or Poultry

Mothers—what pleasure your child will get from a pet bird! They are not expensive and cost so little to keep. A few cents invested in a Want Ad and placed on our Classified page under the heading "Birds and Poultry" will introduce you to those who sell. Or, maybe some of these very people advertise today what you want, under the above heading. Farmers sell much of their Poultry thru our Classified pages. Parrots and other pet and show birds are constantly bought and sold in this way. It is interesting just to read this column. Many people make a living simply buying and selling Poultry, such as Turkeys, Chickens, Ducks, by using our little Want Ads. Our Classified page is the place to Buy and Sell Birds or Poultry.



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