

## INDIANAPOLIS INDIANS LOSE TO REDS AFTER NINTH INNING RALLY

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 7.—Staging a ninth inning rally that netted four runs, the Cincinnati Reds trimmed the Indianapolis Indians to the tune of 8-4, Wednesday. The score was at a deadlock when the Reds went to bat in the first of the ninth but six hits netted the visitors four runs enough to win the game.

Marquard started on the mound for the Redlegs and worked better than he has in any game so far this season. He held the Indians safe at all periods during the first five innings and two runs in the five innings he worked.

Fisher relieved Rube in the sixth but his support failed at times and allowed one run to slide over the pan in the sixth and eighth innings tying the score, he only allowing the Indians two bingles.

Bressler led the club at the bat with three blows and a sacrifice out of four trips to the pan. Paskert and Bohne hit hard and timely, Paskert's trip sending in two runs but was caught napping in the second.

The teams will play again Thursday when the Reds will go to Cincinnati after the game to get prepared for the opening of the season with the Pirates on the 13th.

The score:

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Paskert, rf.	5	0	1	0	0	0
See, cf.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Bohne, 3b.	5	0	2	1	4	1
Duncan, lf.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Ponseca, 2b.	3	2	1	0	2	0
Bressler, lb.	3	1	3	14	2	0
Crane, ss.	2	2	1	3	4	1
Wingo, c.	2	1	1	5	1	0
Hargrave, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Marquard, p.	2	0	0	0	2	0
Fisher, p.	2	1	1	0	3	0

Totals..... 34 8 12 27 18 2

Indianapolis..... AB. R. H. O. A. E.

Baird, 3b..... 3 0 1 0 0 0

Lutzke, 3b..... 3 0 1 0 0 0

Kinsella, rf..... 4 0 0 0 0 0

Rehag, lf..... 3 1 1 2 1 0

Attreau, lb..... 3 0 1 1 1 1

Shinnors, cf..... 2 0 2 0 0 0

Morrison, c..... 2 2 1 3 0 0

Schreiber, ss..... 4 0 2 4 1 1

Sicking, 2b..... 3 1 0 2 0 0

Dixon, c..... 3 0 1 2 0 0

Striker, p..... 2 0 0 0 0 0

Whitehouse, p..... 2 0 0 0 1 0

Totals..... 33 4 7 27 15 2

Score by innings.....

Cincinnati..... 003 100 004-8

Indianapolis..... 000 111 010-4

Two-Base Hits—Bohne, Crane, Lutzke, Morrison.

Three-Base Hits—Paskert, See.

Left on Bases—Cincinnati, 6; Indianapolis, 5.

Double Plays—Rehag to Dixon; Schreiber to Sicking to Attreau.

Struck Out—By Marquard, 5; Whitehouse, 2.

Bases on Balls—By Marquard, 2; by Fisher, 1; by Striker, 2; by Whitehouse, 2.

Time 1:39.

Umpires Seisel and Hahn.

## EATON FANS PREPARE FOR BASEBALL SEASON

EATON, O., April 7.—In a meeting Thursday night of stockholders of the Eaton Baseball company, plans for the local baseball season will be laid, officers elected and probably a manager chosen for the team this season.

The meeting will be held in the offices of Attorney H. L. Risinger, member of the company.

Plans now are to open the local ball season on Sunday, April 24, probably with a team from the newly-organized local National Guard company.

Five members of last year's team, Wehrley, Armstrong, McLaughlin, Campbell and Walton, will play. Candidates for places on the team will be given try-outs next Sunday at the ball park, weather conditions permitting.

The grandstand at the ball park, built last season, will be enlarged this season by addition of a wing at either end. If the weather continues favorable, work on making over the ball diamond and general renovation of the park will be started the latter part of this week or the first of next week. That portion of the park along the roadway to the east will be fenced in this season.

## Speaker May Change His Batting Order

(By Associated Press)

CLEVELAND, April 7.—The injury which forced Bill Wambgsan, second baseman, out of the Cleveland Indians line-up, probably will cause Manager Speaker to change his batting order according to advice received here from Chattanooga, where the champions are scheduled to play the Lookouts today and tomorrow.

Shortstop Sewell, probably will be advanced to second place and Harry Lunte, who replaced Wambgsan at second, bat sixth or seventh.

Catcher Nunamaker, who has been laid up in Dallas with an injured ankle is expected to join the Indians at Cincinnati.

Indications are that Louis Guisto, first baseman, will be released to a Pacific coast team.

## Hooper's Hitting Aids White Sox Victory

(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, April 7.—Fine hitting by Hooper, who had a home run and two three-base hits out of four times at bat, aided the White Sox in winning the practice game yesterday from Memphis, six to four, according to a message from Memphis. Weak fielding in the infield helped the Memphis team to score four runs.

For the second time this season, Kerr pitched a full game.

## JOE LYNCH ENROUTE

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, April 7.—Joe Lynch, world's bantamweight boxing champion, today was enroute to Cleveland, Ohio, where he will meet Young Montreal of Providence Friday night. While in Cleveland, Eddie Mead, Lynch's manager, will convey to Johnny Kilbane, world's featherweight title holder, an offer of \$35,000 by New York promoters to engage in a decision bout with Andy Chaney of New York in an open arena.

## How To Play Third Base

By HEINIE GROH

Who Has Declared He Will Never Play Another Game with Cincinnati Reds

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The following article was written by Heinie Groh, greatest third baseman in the land. Its purpose is to school the youngsters in the tricks of third base play. While it is of the most vital interest to youngsters, it also furnishes splendid reading for the adult fan, for it details the methods which Groh used to reach base on hits and to throw out runners.)

Groh's article is the fourth of a series that is appearing in this column daily on "How to Play Baseball." The other contributors are Ty Cobb, Tris Speaker, Grover Alexander, Steve O'Neill and Wilbert Robinson. Articles by George Sisler, Eddie Collins and Walter Maraville appeared in this column previously. Tomorrow's article will be "How to Play the Outfield" by Tris Speaker.)

My baseball career didn't begin at third base. I had no early schooling in play at the difficult corner. What I know about guarding the far sack is something that I learned through the years of observing the truly great on the job there.

When I was placed at third, I adopted the policy of watching the opposing third baseman at work. I'd discover the good points in his play as well as his faults. I imitated the plays that were good, guarded carefully against making the same mistakes he did, and in time, with such a foundation, worked out a system of third base play which is more or less my own.

But always keep in mind that one is "never" too young to learn. Every day I'm out on that ball field, I'm watching the other fellows at work at third. And each new day I usually discover something about third basing that is helpful to me. For it is my aim to improve, improve and improve still more.

## Outlines Play.

I adopted a style of play at third a little different than most of the other fellows. I have tested it out for several years and never found it wanting. And because I feel that the play is a mighty good one, I'm going to outline it for the youngsters who are striving to become good third basemen.

## Play very close to the bag.

I noticed that our club got a great many hits by driving the ball over the bag or very near to it. The reason we hit safely so often was that the third baseman played a little too far away from the sack to reach those whistling drives. Usually they went for two baggers.

I used to stand rather far off from the bag and the other batters would whine that the ball right past me, too. They were too far away for me to reach. So I shifted over nearer to the bag and found that the number of my assists increased. I moved still farther toward the line—played almost on the bag itself, especially when a right handed batter was up.

And after that I made more and still more assists. Sometimes, of course, I couldn't handle those drives for putouts, but I usually managed to knock them down and hold them for infield singles. And by doing that I stopped the other side from scoring runs.

So, play very close to the bag. You'll find that most of the drives will be right at you. Rarely does the ordinary batter hit to your gloved side. Most smashes toward third are along the baseline. Only a few go between the third baseman and the shortstop. And when they do, the chances are that the shortstop can grab them.

Don't be afraid of the ball—and never be afraid of making an error. Many third basemen, seeing a hard hit ball, let it pass by rather than make a stab for it. They're afraid they might fail to handle it cleanly and so be charged with an error. Don't let errors worry you. Stop that ball in its progress—no matter what the cost.

Only a fellow with a taint of yellow is afraid of making an error.

Now about playing a bunt.

First of all, figure out whether your



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batter is fast or slow. Then play accordingly. If he's slow, you can take a lot of care in getting the ball and in making your throw perfect. If he is fast, you'll have to grab the ball in a hurry and make a hurried throw.

The batter always tries to bunt along the line. That being the case, play the line for that bunt. Don't play to your left, but hug closely to the line. The pitcher will take care of bunts to your left. If you play the line, which is the place where the batter wants to drop the ball, your very position will worry the batter. Furthermore, by playing the line, you will be, in nine cases out of ten, facing first base when you pick up the ball.

And that must be your aim—to face the base where you want to make the throw, at the very moment you get the ball in your hand. That will make turning around unnecessary. Remember that turning around is a handicap to you for as you turn you must first get your bearings before making your throw. If you don't have to turn, and are faced at the target for the throw, you are sure to make a good throw.

Never play the ball one handed unless it is absolutely necessary. Any time you attempt a one-handed play you run the terrible risk of missing the ball altogether. That means the runner is safe and may be the game is lost to your side solely through your blunder.

In taking a throw from the catcher to get a man going into third, try to make the play on the inside of the bag—that is with your legs inside the diamond. Put your right foot on the bag and your left a little behind. Such a stance enables you to face the catcher and also to be in position to whirl without an iota of lost motion to stab the incoming runner.

After you've schooled yourself in these primary points in third base play, the rest is up to you. You've got to learn to play the batter. You must learn the hitting peculiarities of each man that comes to the plate—and make your plays accordingly. Some fellows are notorious foul line hitters; others drive well to the left of the bag. Some hit bouncers that can be fielded best when playing back; others hit in such a way that the third baseman must play plateward from third.

So after you've learned to use your hands and legs, use your brain.

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## BASEBALL COMING INTO OWN IN COUNTY; SLIGHT CHANCE OF A SUBURBAN LEAGUE

Baseball in Richmond and vicinity is rapidly coming into prominence, many teams are being organized, while several are playing their first game of the season Sunday. The teams have all been working out daily and are rapidly rounding into first-class shape for the summer campaign.

It is not likely that a suburban league will be organized as none of the teams have announced any intention of entering the league if it were a possibility.

The managers of the teams have been working their men out regularly getting them in condition for the coming season and some fast teams are promised to be in the field.

Richmond will be represented this season possibly by more lines than she has been for several years. First the Eagles, possibly will be represented by the strongest team in the vicinity, although several of their men are getting tryouts with minor league teams. If the men make good, the birdmen will be greatly weakened.

Eagles Get Lease.

The Eagles have obtained the lease of the Exhibition park for the season and according to the present plans will be strictly a home team not playing any games off the home lot. The personnel of the team has not been announced to date but the club will carry 12 men and most of the players will be members of the club.

The Maher Meats under the direction of "Piggy" Maher, will enter a team in the field this year and "Piggy" has collected a good gang of ball players for the season. His team will be a road team and will play all of their games away.

Chas. Feasel has organized a team under the name of the Miller-Kempers and promises to offer some lively competition in the field for the coming season.

For the second time this season, Kerr pitched a full game.

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Enthusiasm in Lynn is running high and the fans are predicting one of the best seasons a team representing Lynn has every had. Manager Merideth has been working his men out daily and has them in the best of condition and they have been showing some real baseball in practice. The first game of the season will be played Sunday at Lynn when they tackle the fast Miller-Kemper nine from Richmond.

## Eldorado Promising.

Prospects for a good team at Eldorado this year are excellent, according to word received here from Manager McCoy. McCoy's men have also been working for several weeks and are in fairly good condition. They will open the season next Sunday with the Maher Meats of Richmond. Hubbard, their star catcher will be seen in action for the last time until later in the season. Hubbard has been signed to play in the Virginia State league for the coming season and will report there next week.

Eaton will be represented again this season and will not open the season until April 24. A stock company will be formed this week and a manager will be appointed at a meeting to be held the latter part of the week. Although no manager has been appointed, the men have been practicing regularly.

Word comes from New Madison, from Manager Kimmel, that his team is organized and is ready to meet all comers. New Madison will have a new diamond to play on this year, and it is said to be much better than the one used last year. They will open the season April 24 and the opposition probably will be Lynn.

Boston will be in the field again this season and Manager Tristman is

rounding his team into shape for the coming season. He has not completed his line-up as yet, but promises to have a good team in the field again this season. Alvey probably will bear the brunt of the hurling again this season.

Fountain City has no definite plans made for the season, not having a field to play on, but every effort is being made to get a place to play. They probably will be late getting started.

New Paris and Waterway will not be represented this year, according to their plans to date, but might possibly get started later in the season.

## "THROUGH WITH REDS" SAYS HEINIE GROH

"Heinie" Groh arrived in Cincinnati from Augusta, Ga., yesterday and announced that he would not play another game of ball with the Cincinnati team.

Groh declared that the publicity given his demands upon the Cincinnati club was responsible for his declaration. He said that it was agreed that all figures in his negotiations with the Cincinnati club would be held confidential and that President Herrmann had seen fit to give these figures to the press.

President Herrmann said: "I have absolutely nothing to say to Groh's latest statement, except that I did not give the press or anyone else any figures concerning Groh's contract. Furthermore, I will say nothing."

## ELBORADO NINE READY

EATON, O., April 7.—Eldorado will inaugurate the 1921 baseball season Sunday, when Eldorado will meet Maher's Meats, recently organized in Richmond, Ind. Juday and Hubbard will be the battery for Eldorado. Hubbard will soon enter professional baseball.

## New Madison Baseball

Prospect are Promising

NEW MADISON, O., April 7.—The baseball team in this city has been organized and the team is working out daily under the direction of Manager Charles Kimmel. The team will open its schedule on April 24. The opposition has not been selected as yet, but it is thought Lynn will be the first attraction.

Manager Kimmel has a good collection of players for the outdoor game and the team should turn in a good record for the season. Following is the lineup: Henry and Boone, pitchers; Floyd, catcher; Slarp, 1st base; L. Magee, 2nd base; C. Lipps, 3rd base; F. Magee, ss; Stevens, rf; J. Lipps, c; L. Harter, r. f.

## MIDGETS TO CLASH

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, April 7.—Midget Smith and Jack Sharkey, aspirants to the flyweight and bantamweight boxing titles, will meet here tonight in a 15 round bout. A recent 10 round bout between Smith and Sharkey at Madison Square Garden was declared a draw.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE MEETING. The executive committee of the Commercial league will hold a meeting in the rooms of the community service in the K. of P. hall Thursday night at 8 o'clock. At this meeting it will be decided if the two new teams wishing entrance to the league will be admitted. All members of the committee are requested to be present.

## HOOSIERS ARRIVE IN JAPAN

HARTFORD CITY, Ind., April 7.—R. K. Willman, of this city, a director in the Union Traction Company and interested in other Indiana corporations, and his wife have arrived safely at Yokohama, Japan, according to a cablegram received from them today. They will remain in the Orient until July 1.

## FAST LYNN NINE TO PLAY RICHMOND TEAM

LYNN, Ind., April 7.—Baseball is booming here and fans of the city are looking forward to a big season. The squad has been practicing several weeks and is in first-class condition. "Billy" Merideth, newly appointed manager, says his boys are playing great ball this early in the season and are going to play the best teams in this section of the state.

A new park has been made and the grounds are rapidly rounding into first-class shape. One of the best diamonds in this vicinity is promised. A new and roomy grandstand has been erected.

The team will meet the Miller-Kempers of Richmond in the first game of the season next Sunday on the local grounds and a hotly contested game is anticipated. Merideth has two good pitchers he can depend upon this season to uphold the hurling end, in McCracken and Jones, while himself and Davis will work behind the bat.

Manager Merideth announces that the following men will start the game Sunday against the Miller-Kempers: Shade, 1st base; Downard, 2d base; Hoover, 3d base; Hollingsworth, ss; Spillers, left field; McCoy, centerfield; Thorn, right field; Davis and Merideth, catchers; McCracken and Jones, pitchers.

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