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CIRCLE SIX DEFEATED VICTORIAS AND WON THE FIRST HALF TITLE

Big Crowd Witnessed the Most Exciting Baseball Game of the Season at the Cricket Field Last Evening—Result in Doubt Right to the Very Last—Gibson Brothers Play Great Ball For Victorias—Both Teams Showed Improvement.

In what turned out to be the most exciting ball game that the local baseball fans have seen this season, senior or junior, the Circle Six defeated the Victorias at the Cricket Field on Tuesday evening by the close score of 7-6 and won the championship of the first half of the local junior O.B.A.A. series. The Circle Six scored two runs in the third inning when Powell and Smith crossed over, one in the fifth when Reid tallied and four in the seventh when Macpherson, Buck, Reid and Joyce, the first four men to bat all crossed over. The Victorias scored one run in the first when S. Gibson reached the plate, one in the fourth when Jamieson registered, one in the fifth when S. Gibson again tallied and three in the eighth when Albertson, M. Gibson and Pennock came through.

It was a heart-breaker for the Victorias to lose and though they put up a game and hard-fought battle from the time the first man was out, they were unsuccessful in putting enough runs to take the game. The play throughout the contest was swift and most times sure and at one stage of the game the crowd were brought to their feet when Victorias had three men running wild on the bases in the seventh inning. The Circle Six were caught badly and when they should have had at the very least one man of the three out, they lost them all. It was an exciting period of the game and there was good work on the part of the Victorias men on the bags and dumb work on the part of Circle Six that they could not get at least one of them. However, it was one of the breaks of the game and it went to the Vics.

Buck started in the box for the Circle Six and went along well until he reached the eighth inning. He then retired in favor of Howard Reid after he had been touched for three good hits and it looked as though the Victorias had got to him. Jamieson went the route for the Victorias and turned in a neat performance. He had three strikeouts to his credit, was touched for eleven hits and walked only one. Buck, in his time in the box was touched for twelve safeties and had one wild pitch marked against him. Reid was met for one hit and walked two men during his tenure of office in the box.

Some Fine Fielding.

Jerry Arnel, Powell of the Circle Six, S. Gibson and M. Gibson of the Victorias were perhaps the big lights of yesterday's game. At least they were the ones who came in for the sensational work. S. Gibson made a beautiful catch in short left field of Smith's drive, rolling over two or three times in making the play. It was the real feature catch of the day and was a dandy. He made a beautiful catch of Powell's high fly in the sixth inning also. In addition he trotted up to the plate five times and hit safely each time. One of his drives, the one in the first inning, was a neat three-bagger. Powell's catch of Pennock's long drive in the fourth inning was well handled. M. Gibson at short for Victorias played a hard game and was right on his toes all the time. Jerry Arnel made a sensational catch of Jamieson's liner in the eighth inning with three men on. It shot from Jamieson's bat like a bullet but Arnel was quick to grab it and hang on.

The Victorias Run.

Victorias scored their first run easily. S. Gibson's three-bagger resulted in him scoring when Boyd sent a grounder to Joyce to occupy his attention. There was no chance to get Gibson and no play was made. Another run was added in the fourth inning. Jamieson hit safely and went to second on an error by Joyce. The next two men went out but Jamieson made the plate on M. Gibson's timely hit. One more was added in the fifth. With one out S. Gibson singled and stole second. He was digging for third when a passed ball allowed him to cross over with the third run.

The Victorias scored three runs in the eighth inning but before they did there was all kinds of exciting baseball. Connolly hit safely and went to second on a passed ball. Albertson grounded to Charlie Smith who fumbled the throw. Instead of making the throw, he saw it was too late and paused for a second with the ball in his hand. As he did, he glanced to second and S. Gibson was standing away off the base. He let Arnel have the ball and Gibson was tagged out. Albertson waited for M. Gibson's hit and came right through on it to score. Pennock followed with a hit and M. Gibson scored. Stone grounded and Circle Six lost their heads. They had the Victorias runners cold if they had known how to play it but they threw the ball around and seemed to know nothing at all about what to do with it. Charlie Smith stood looking at the runners and the ball in his hand. He didn't know what to do. He hastily threw the ball to first and Joyce was in the same fix. The re-

PETERBORO HERE IN BIG C.O.B.L. GAME

Biggest Crowd of the Season Expected to See Game at Fair Grounds To-day.

To-day at the Fair Grounds the Peterboro and Kingston teams play at six o'clock in a Central Ontario League game that gives every promise of being the best this season. There is unlimited interest in this clash and the biggest crowd of the season is expected to be on hand.

The Kingston team expects their first real home battle with the Peterboro crowd and will have to be right at the top of their form to win. The Peterboro team is going great guns and the unexpected may happen in to-day's clash.

BASEBALL SCORES

AMERICAN LEAGUE

St. Louis	000 101 000	2 9 1
Philadelphia	010 000 02x	3 6 1
Batteries:	Yanggilder and Hargrave; Walberg and Cochrane, Perkins.	
Cleveland	010 100 220	6 13 1
Boston	001 000 000	1 4 3
Batteries:	Karr and L. Sewell; Wilste and Gaston.	
Chicago	100 240 200	9 11 3
Washington	422 020 30x	13 20 1
Batteries:	Thomas, Steengrabe and Schalk, Grabowski; Reuther, Marberry and Ruel.	

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia	200 111 200	7 14 2
Cincinnati	400 103 20x	10 12 1
Batteries:	Bentley, Knight, Ulrich, Pierce and Wilson, Donohue, Lucas and Hargrave, Pleinich.	
Boston	000 000 001	1 7 3
Chicago	000 002 00x	2 6 1
Batteries:	Genewich and Taylor; Osborne and Gonzales.	
Brooklyn	000 211 123	10 16 2
St. Louis	202 071 00x	12 16 0
Batteries:	McGraw, Barnes, Bockler and Deberry; Sherdell and O'Farrell.	

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Newark	010 010 210	8 8 0
Buffalo	100 001 010	9 17 0
Batteries:	Deacatur, Hankins and Schultz; Stryker, Aner and Lake.	
Toronto	103 022 010	9 17 0
Baltimore	009 500 27x	18 15 0
Batteries:	Henderson, Slappey, Ogen, Blausdell, Jackson, Cobb and McKee; Doyle, Hubbell, Fisher, Tennant and O'Neill.	
Jersey City	at Rochester, postponed, rain.	
Reading	at Syracuse, postponed, rain.	

STANDING OF CLUBS

National League		Won Lost P.C.	
Cincinnati	49 38	56%	
Pittsburgh	43 34	55%	
St. Louis	45 39	53%	
Chicago	44 39	52%	
Brooklyn	42 39	51%	
New York	41 40	50%	
Philadelphia	31 49	38%	
Boston	31 51	37%	

American League

Won Lost P.C.	
New York	52 30 53%
Philadelphia	47 37 56%
Washington	42 37 52%
Chicago	45 40 52%
Cleveland	45 40 52%
Detroit	42 42 50%
St. Louis	35 48 42%
Boston	24 53 29%

Internationals League

Won Lost P.C.	
Baltimore	60 30 66%
Toronto	57 35 61%
Buffalo	54 37 59%
Newark	53 37 58%
Rochester	44 44 50%
Jersey City	39 50 43%
Syracuse	32 55 36%
Reading	19 69 21%

Salaries paid to Presidents vary greatly. Germany grants Von Hindenburg \$15,000 a year, with \$30,000 for expenses; while France pays her President \$400,000, and the United States of America \$100,000 a year.

A wise man would rather be ignored than bored.

SPORTING NOTES AND COMMENT

Circle Six are champions of the first half of the junior O.B.A.A. series by virtue of their win last evening over the Victorias. It was a hard squeeze to get through and required extra games to make the grade.

The Victorias are by no means out of the running and have every chance of winning the second half of the series, which starts on Friday. There are only five games scheduled for the second half and both teams will have to be right on the hop to win.

There was a mistake made by the score board keeper last evening that caused considerable uproar before the evening was over. In the seventh inning the Circle Six scored four runs but only three runs were recorded on the score board. The result was, many people, who had evidently not been watching the game closely enough, to see how many runs had been scored, thought that only three runs had been made and the score was 6-5. It was just a mistake on the score-board keeper's part. He is not immune from mistakes any more than anyone else and just made a slip that under many circumstances would hardly have been noticed but last evening it was.

And just in passing, for the information of some of those people who pretend to know so much about baseball and all its tricks, the score board is not the official score of a game. The score board is there for the convenience of the spectators. Mr. William Twigg has very kindly given his services freely to provide the spectators with the score and his efforts are much appreciated. But, at the same time, the score board, while it may have the correct score, in case of argument cannot be accepted as the official score. There is an official scorer in almost every League but evidently this has been overlooked in the junior baseball League by the officials.

It is too bad that some fans allow themselves to become so enthusiastic over one team that they tend to belittle the opposition. That is not the correct spirit of real sporting fans. Kingston can well be proud of both its junior teams, the Victorias and the Circle Six. They are both made up of some of the finest boys in the city. They are gentlemen on and off the field and no matter which team wins, Victorias or Circle Six, Kingston fans should remember that they are all Kingston boys and doing their best to represent Kingston in the junior O.B.A.A. playoffs. Let us be a little more considerate of the other fellow and cut out this narrow vision that confines one's enthusiasm and praise for one team only. The fan who can see only one team in a game, the one he follows, is a sample of what poor sportsmanship really is.

George Sullivan and Arthur Twigg handed yesterday's game in finished fashion. There were so many things going on at once, during stages of the game that it was no mean task for them to keep track of it all. They surely earned their thousand apiece in yesterday's game.

THE LEADING HITTERS.

National League		AB	R	H	PC
Bresler, Cincin.	232	45	86	371	
Herman, Brook.	251	35	89	355	
Grantham, Pitts.	202	24	72	351	
Traynor, Pitts.	279	41	96	344	
Guyler, Pitts.	317	60	108	311	

Leader a year ago to-day: Hornsby, St. Louis, .425.

American League

AB		R	H	PC	
Ruth, New York	256	78	96	375	
Falk, Chicago	322	50	1120	373	
Meusel, New York	260	55	95	365	
Hellmuth, Detroit	260	55	94	362	
Burns, Cleveland	324	55	117	361	

Leader a year ago to-day: Cobb, Detroit, .397.

MERE 79-POUNDER!



With a line rated at only thirty-five pounds strength, in a fourteen-foot skiff, Sidney Breeze battled an hour and a half to land this seventy-nine-pound Silver King. It won a prize in the first tarpon fishing tournament, held at Venice, Fla., and is nearly as big as Breeze himself.

The wit is quite frequently the bore.

BASEBALL PROBLEMS

By Billy Evans.

Bases are filled, one is out, runner on first, ballides with fielder about to field batted ball. Runners on second and third score on the play. What is proper ruling?

The fielder always has the right-of-way, the baserunner must avoid him to escape being penalized.

When runner collides with fielder about to make a play on a batted ball, the runner should immediately be called out.

Since runners cannot advance on an interference of this nature, the runners who scored on the play are sent back to their original bases, second and third.

The batsman who hit the ball is granted first base. So the situation remains the same, the bases are still filled, except two are now out instead of one.

HELPFUL GOLF HINTS

Mr. Wethered hits the ball very cleanly, and not often does he hit into the sky, a point which is due to his clubhead travelling well after the ball before the head begins to come up. Put another way, here is a long, flat in the swing which is seen immediately before the clubhead reaches the ball, and also just after the ball has gone.

This is just as it should be, and

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the onlooker, who is out to see those things, will notice that his left arm comes well forward on the line of flight.

We cannot drive well if we pull the arms in as the clubhead meets the ball, and here Mr. Wethered is an example to us all, for at the finish his hands are well out and away from the body.

He is, to my idea, one of the modern school who hits the ball first and lets the follow-through take care of itself, and his length off the tee, and with his iron clubs, is truly remarkable, for he does not appear to be physically strong, but he has all the art of good timing, without which even the strongest cannot drive the ball far.

Won't Go There.
Freiburg, Baden, Germany, July 14.—Barney Dreyfuss, president of the Pittsburgh Baseball Club, visiting his birthplace for the first time in 35 years, said baseball in Germany could knock the props from under any monarchist movement and aid in the firm establishment of the Republic. But he sees no chance of the Germans ever taking a liking

Right!
"James," she called. He stopped the car and turned around. "I am not accustomed to call my chauffeurs by their first names. What is your surname?"
"Home, James!"
"Darling, ma'am."
"Home, James!"
Low Bridge! Duck!
BIG MAGNATE: Well, young man, so you want to marry my daughter? Have you got any money?
DUKE: Some. How much do you want for her?

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



S's Shame!



YEP! THERE'S NO GETTIN' AROUND IT—THAT'S A DERN PRETTY MOON FOR A LITTLE PLACE LIKE THIS—



By Martin