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RITCHIE SENDS RIVERS TO SLEEP IN THE ELEVENTH

A Vicious Right Cross, the Same Blow That Floored Ad Wolgast, Ends Rivers' Chances For Honors.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 5.—A wicked right cross—the same blow which was so effective against Ad Wolgast—proved too great a stumbling block to Joe Rivers in his attempt to wrest the lightweight title from Champion Willie Ritchie at the Eighth at Open air arena here Friday, the Mexican being knocked out in the 11th round of a scheduled 20-round battle.

Immediately preceding the knockout, Rivers had taken a decision over the crowd of nine with his left, one right to the jaw, and another right to the chin, preceded by a left to the stomach, settled Rivers' chances as a lightweight contender.

The 11th and final round had scarcely opened when Ritchie's right shot out straight from the shoulder, and landed Rivers squarely on the jaw and sending him to the mat. Nine seconds later, Referee Graney, the Indiana fighter regained his feet. Quickly the champion's left found the Mexican's stomach, and a right uppercut reached the fallen pugilist's jaw, sending him prone.

The battle was fought under perfect weather conditions in the open and was witnessed by 7,000 persons. The receipts, it was said, aggregated $70,000.

Fight by Rounds.

Round One—Ritchie met the Mexican's rushes and put in a right upper cut to the jaw. He then whipped right and left to the jaw. Rivers then took ostimand and worried the champion with several lefts to the face and body.

Round Two—Ritchie drove right and left to the body and then whipped his right to the jaw. Rivers fought back fiercely and Ritchie bled slightly from the mouth. Rivers landed a terrific left to the solar plexus, slipping to his knees. Ritchie staggered his man with a right cross to the jaw as the bell rang. Both fighters had the advantage of the round.

Round Three—After Ritchie had driven a forceful left to the jaw the Mexican staggered the champion with two rights to the body and a left to the jaw. Rivers' onslaught was so fierce that Ritchie was made to reel. It was Rivers round and Ritchie seemed worried.

Round Four—Rivers, covering up, penetrated his opponent's guard, hooking thrice with lefts to the body. A right cross to the jaw almost floored the champion. A closing fusillade of rights and left by the northerner gave him the round.

Round Five—After receiving several straight lefts to the face, Rivers landed two left jabers and a force mid-rong rally followed. Ritchie kept up a hot pace till the round ended and took his seat with the crowd cheering. Ritchie's round.

Rivers is Outboxed.

Round Six—Rivers pounded fiercely to close quarters, but Ritchie clearly outboxed him. Time and time again Ritchie sent his right and left crashing to the body and face, forcing Rivers to clinch. Ritchie's round.

Round Seven—Ritchie coolly outboxed Rivers, delivering lightning like blows to the Mexican's mouth and face and escaping the return. Rivers and Mcgoin threw himself at the champion and all but sent him between the ropes. Rivers kept up his rushing tactics until the bell ended an even round.

Round Eight—Rivers took the aggressive, but after some sparring the champion sent in a trio of facers, reddening the Mexican's left eye and mouth. Rivers rebutted and they fought to a clinch. Rivers missing several terrific swings. Ritchie's round.

Round Nine—Rivers opened with a clean left hook to the jaw. The champion however, volleyed fiercely with right and left short arm blows to the jaw. Rivers then worked in two rights to the jaw and ended up the round.

Round Ten—Rivers rushed and only Ritchie's clever defensive work saved him from several hard face jolts. Ritchie then almost ifled the Mexican off his feet with a terrific left uppercut to the jaw. Ritchie's round.

Round 11—The champion feared evidently that Rivers would last the route and Rivers took the count of nine. Gasping he rose to his feet, but almost immediately a left upper-cut to the jaw followed with a right cross to the same place sent Rivers' chances probably ambitious glimmering. The referee declared Ritchie the winner.

HOOSIER CREAMS WIN

In a baseball game featured with long hits, the Hoosier Creams defeated the Bourbons Friday afternoon on the Bourbons' diamond, the Hoosier Creams being led by Adams Bender of the Hoosier Creams both registered home runs and made a three-base hit, while White, who covered first, averaged one double and two singles. Yeiser secured four hits in five times at bat, while a long list of brilliant plays made by both sides featured the game.

Hoosier Creams ....253 021 000—11
Bourbons ....300 110 001—5
Young and Kirby; Alsy and Morrisey.

"WHEN IN THE COURSE OF HUMAN EVENTS—"--By Goldberg.

FACTORY TEAMS TO MIX AGAIN THIS AFTERNOON

Watch Co. Team Will Try to Jar the Singers Loose From Their Record of Six Straight Victories.

STANDING OF CLUBS.

Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Singers	6	0	.000
Studebakers	4	2	.667
Ball Bands	4	2	.667
Dodges	3	2	.600
Watch Co.	2	4	.333
Flow Co.	0	6	.000

Games Scheduled Saturday.

Singers vs. Watch Co. at Singers.
Studebakers vs. Dodges at Springbrook.
Ball Bands vs. Flow Co. at Mishawaka.

With the games scheduled for Saturday over half of the schedule of the Factory league will have been completed. However, one day's games remain unplayed owing to an enforced postponement of the games of June 21.

A postponement is a rather expensive business for the factory clubs, as only three games are scheduled between each club and one or the other is sure to get a little the worst of it in home dates.

It is rather remarkable that two of the six clubs should show in the percentage column, the Watch Co. and the Singers without the Ball Bands game and the South Bend Chilled Flow Co. club without winning one.

Where the Singer team appears to have it on all of the rest of the clubs in the league is in the matter of pitchers. To date that team has played six games and lost six pitchers games. The Watch Co. club, on the other hand, looks as if they are afraid to trust out a twirler more than once against any other club.

At any rate they are getting away with it and several of the other clubs would be only too glad to emulate them if they only had the material. The Dodge and Ball Band clubs have made a good showing in the matter of opening game but they do not seem to get the results of them as do the Singers.

In the matter of talent, coming and going, mostly going, the Watch Co. team appears to be suffering more than their share. They just seemed to be getting good Tony Garten, the ex-Cubs pitcher, back into shape, thrown on the sick list and Brennan, the hardest hitter on the team, laid up with injuries.

Manager Cassiday is very much discouraged because his club is unable to put a win over for the plowmen. Twice they have been fallen of badly in their hitting, once the last couple of games. It might as well for some of the clubs, who have a wealth of pitching material, to loan the plowmakers a twirler if such a thing were possible in their by-laws.

The Studebakers, after dropping a couple of games, appear to have taken a new lease of life and are pretty much in the race. But all of their uphill fight will be of no avail unless some club can bump a couple of games on the Singers.

ATHLETICS AND SOX DIVIDE DAY'S BILL

First Contest Won by Boston Such a Long Drawn Out Affair That It is Called at the End of the Seventh.

BOSTON, July 5.—Hooper dropped in the sixth inning of the afternoon game Friday allowing Philadelphia to score three runs and enabling the visitors to win from Boston by a score of 5 to 2. The morning game, which was called in the seventh inning, resulted: Boston 13, Philadelphia 4. In the afternoon contest Boston held the lead until the sixth inning, but after the visitors went to the front the home team could do nothing with Plank's pitching. Hooper and Speaker each made two hits and scored two runs, the latter making four hits out of as many times at bat. Hooper started Boston's scoring by hitting the first ball that Plank pitched for a home run.

Philadelphia ....001 000 021—5 6 2
Boston ....201 000 000—1 11 2
Plank and Schang; Foster and Carrigan. Umpires, Connolly and McGreevey.

MORNING GAME.

Friday morning's game, which Boston won from Philadelphia by the score of 13 to 4, was such a long drawn out affair that by agreement of both teams it was terminated at the end of the seventh inning after two hours and 15 minutes of playing. The home team made numerous errors and also collected hits, which offset the mistakes.

Philadelphia ....000 410 1—6 16 3
Boston ....103 192 6—13 7 4
Houck, Wyckoff, Morey and Lapp and Thomas; Wood, Bedient and Cady. Umpires, McGreevey and Connolly.

FORT WAYNE TAKES BOTH FROM THE TOTS

Madden Starts the First Game But is Forced to Give Way to Betts, Many Errors Made.

TERRE HAUTE, July 5.—Fort Wayne took both games from Terre Haute here Friday, winning the morning game 7 to 2 and the afternoon game 6 to 5. Loose fielding and all around poor playing by Parker, Terre Haute's catcher, lost the morning game, while a batting rally by the visitors in the eighth inning won the second contest. Madden started the morning game but in the afternoon Betts was called on early in the game to give way to a half dozen policemen to protect him.

Ft. Wayne ....221 020 000—7 7 1
Terre Haute ....002 000 002—2 10 4
Loudermilk and Martin; Madden, Betts and Parker and Hargrave.

Afternoon game:

Ft. Wayne ....000 010 040—6 10 0
Terre Haute ....000 022 100—5 11 2
Atkins, Loudermilk and Martin; Brock, Gilsorf and Hargrave. Umpire—Ross.

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SOUTH BEND HORSE WINNER AT ELKHART

Rex Bell, Owned by George Coroner, Takes the 2:30 Pace—MacGlenn Takes the 2:15 Trot in Three Heats.

ELKHART, Ind., July 5.—Sweltering in the almost unbearable heat a thousand race and baseball fans attended the program at the Elkhart Driving park, most of them barely reaching the business section of the city in advance of the slight rain storm which visited the city shortly after 5 o'clock.

Rex Bell, owned by George Coroner of South Bend, won the 2:30 pace or trot in three straight heats, Pat Kelly, a horse from Cass county, Mich., taking second, and Victor Pulmer, owned by A. J. Wood of Goshen, receiving the third place share of the $150 purse.

The four horses entered in the 2:15 trot finished all three heats in exactly the same order, MacGlenn, owned by John Cotherman of Goshen, was first in each heat with the remaining places taken as follows: Dromous second, third; Kopi Ki, fourth; Goshen, second; Kopi Ki, fourth; Lagorte, third, and Bessie Gowen, William Cullen, fourth.

The Colts won from the Riverviews in a spiritless contest with a score of 9 to 1. The score could hardly be said to indicate the merits of the two teams as the Riverviews had a big lead in scoring on the first five innings.

A ill. Lee won the motorcycle race (5 mile handicap) in good style, the time being 11:15, which was excellent considering the condition of the track. J. Southworth, who had been given a handicap of 2 minutes, was second, James Kline, 3, Southwell third, Goshen, 4, Hess, scratch, starter, went over the embankment at the west end of the track. Hess taking a bad spill, but both resumed the race with the loss of but one lap.

YANKEES MANAGE TO TAKE AFTERNOON ONE

Senators Win Morning Affair by a 5 to 0 Score, But Drop the Second Contest.

NEW YORK, July 5.—New York won the afternoon game from Washington by a score of 5 to 2 before a sizzling hot crowd. It was the first game which New York has won from an eastern American league team on their home grounds this season. McConnell was in superb form and held the visitors to five scattered hits. The first run scored by the visitors came in the first inning on Moeller's single, a passed ball and good throwing by Sorrien and Peckinpaugh. After this inning the home team backed McConnell with sensational support. Washington filled the bases in the ninth inning, but Moeller fled to Hartsell for the last out. The batting and fielding of Peckinpaugh was a feature.

Washington ....100 000 100—2 5 2
New York ....020 200 10*—5 12 2
Mullin, Hughes, Gallia and Henry; McConnell and Gossett. Umpires—Egan and Dineen.

Morning Game.

Washington easily shut out the New York team in the morning game by a score 10 to 0. The score was 4 to 0, Groom of the visitors held the locals helpless. Warhop, on the other hand, was hit hard with men on bases in the early innings.

Washington ....121 000 010—5 8 1
New York ....000 000 000—0 4 2
Groom and Henry; Warhop, Clark and Swacy. Gossett. Umpires—Dineen and Egan.

SHERIFF STOPS FIGHT

Jack Britton to Winner Over Jack White at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, July 5.—Sheriff Marrero of Jefferson parish stopped the scheduled 20 round fight between Jack Britton and Charlie White in the 19th round at the West Side Athletic club, Friday afternoon to save White from a knockout.

SOX LOSE IN FIRST BUT WIN THE SECOND

Largest Crowd of the Season on Hand at St. Louis to See the Two Teams Engage in Two Conflicts.

ST. LOUIS, July 4.—The largest crowd of the season saw Chicago and St. Louis divide the double-header here this afternoon. The locals won the first game 4 to 1 and the visitors the final contest 2 to 1.

In the first game the locals bunched hits in the first two innings, getting enough runs to win although they scored two more in the eighth. Russell was too much for the home team in the second game, holding it to four hits, two of which—a double and a single—were made by Lord, who batted by St. Louis fully. Doubles by Lord and Chase in the first inning counted one for the Chicago club and three singles in the fifth netted another.

First game—
St. Louis ....210 000 02*—4 11 1
Chicago ....010 000 000—1 6 1
Lavender and Agnew; Bens, White, Smith and Schalk. Umpires, O'Loughlin and Hildebrand.

Second game—
Chicago ....100 010 000—2 9 0
St. Louis ....000 000 010—1 4 2
Russell and Schalk; Baumgardner, Wellman and Alexander. Umpires, Hildebrand and O'Loughlin.

BLUES TAKE BOTH FROM THE BREWERS

League Leaders Are Beaten 7 to 4 in the First and Blanked in the Second Game.

KANSAS CITY, July 5.—Kansas City won both games of a double-header from Milwaukee Friday, the score being seven to four and seven to nothing. The local team took the first game by batching hits and taking advantage of errors in the seventh and eighth innings.

In the second game Kansas City knocked Dougherty out of the box in the first inning, piling up four runs. First game:

Milwaukee ....101 001 010—4 10 2
Kansas City ....104 001 32*—7 11 1
Hovlik and Hughes; Rhoades and Gerschel. Umpires—O'Brien and Hall.

Second game:

Milwaukee ....000 000 000—0 5 2
Kansas City ....410 000 02*—7 12 1
Dougherty, Young and Watson and Marshall; Bowman and O'Connor. Umpires—O'Brien and Hall.

WINS RACE.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 5.—Ray Infanticer of Indianapolis today won the second annual 100-mile motorcycle race. His time was 1 hour 11 minutes.

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GIANTS CONTINUE IN THE PENNANT CHASE

McGraw's Lads Have Little Difficulty in Hitting the Brooklyn Pitchers and Take Both Games Friday.

BROOKLYN, July 5.—New York won Friday afternoon's game from Brooklyn, 9 to 5, before a big crowd, every seat in the park being occupied, being occupied while there were numerous standees. Marquard outpitched Rucker, the New Yorks hitting the latter freely, besides taking advantage of battery and fielding errors.

Marquard was also batted unfavorably but passed no passes and received good support. Merkle made two slips fagging the New Yorks' field ing, Larry Doyle figuring in three of them, which swelled his record to 12 accepted chances.

Kilpatrick batted for Rucker in the eighth, when the locals made a dying rally. Merkle was hit by pitched ball ninth inning and struck out the side in order. Stengel sprained his ankle running into second base and had to be attended by a surgeon.

New York ....110 120 110—9 11 0
Brooklyn ....011 000 010—5 11 2
Marquard and Meyers, Hartley; Rucker, Kilpatrick, Fischer, Umpires—Klem and Orth.

Morning Game.

A record breaking crowd saw New York take the first holiday game from Brooklyn Friday, 5 to 2. The home team jumped into the lead in the fourth when Stengel walked, Callahan hit to Merkle and Doyle, Stengel and Tesreau made a two-base wild pitch into the New York players bench, two runners scoring. The Giants tied it up in the fifth on four singles, three of them scratches. With two out in the seventh the Giants clinched the game by putting three runs across.

New York ....000 020 300—5 14 1
Brooklyn ....011 000 010—3 11 1
Tesreau, Crandall and Wilson; Coulding, Curtis and Miller. Umpires—Klem and Orth.

CARDS WIN AFTER TYING THE PIRATES

PITTSBURGH, July 5.—St. Louis took the afternoon game from Pittsburgh, thanks to the wildness of Pittsburgh pitchers and getting hits at the right time. Off Cooper and Camnitz they got six runs in the fourth inning, three of which came in after Camnitz had been over the plate and the bases full. Hauser's triple cleared the bases.

From that time the visitors kept adding to their scoring although the locals made Hugins use three pitchers to retain the lead. Ames relieved Cooper and pitched the game for 10 minutes in the fourth inning.

St. Louis ....100 411 001—12 12 1
Pittsburgh ....100 120 021—6 10 1
Griner, Steele, Geyer and Wingo; Cooper, Camnitz, Hayes and Simon, Kelly. Umpires—Quigley and Emslie.

Morning Game.

Forbes said's biggest crowd of the season this morning saw St. Louis and Pittsburgh go 11 innings to a tie in a weird game. Burke and Sallee pitched mediocre ball. Between them they walked ten men, hit ten batters and made two balks. Sallee had a sacrifice fly thrown in and Pittsburgh only three runs, and they had 13 men left on bases. Four times they had the bases full but could not get a runner across.

St. Louis ....001 000 011 00—3 10 8
Pittsburgh ....000 000 000 03—3 11 2
Burke, Sallee and Wingo; Hoblitzel, Adams and Simon, Kelly.

INDIANS GET ONLY ONE HIT IN GAME

LOUISVILLE, July 5.—Indianapolis defeated Louisville Friday in the afternoon game by a score of batting in the first and second innings.

Louisville ....000 100 000—1 8 1
Indianapolis ....211 000 000—4 10 0
Heim, Mills, Lowdermilk, Powell and Severoid; Harrington, Schardt and Livingston. Umpires—Westervelt and Irwin.

Morning Game.

Jake Northrop allowed Indianapolis team only one hit Friday in the morning game and Louisville won a brilliant 3 to 1 victory.

Louisville ....011 200 01*—5 11 2
Indianapolis ....100 000 000—1 1 2

HOME RUNS WIN ONE FOR CHICAGO CUBS

Brown Holds Evers' Lads to No Runs and Six Hits in the First—Five Runs Scored in the Eighth.

CHICAGO, July 5.—Chicago and Cincinnati broke even Friday, Cincinnati shutting out the locals 4 to 0 in the fire game and losing the second 2 to 5. Brown in the opener held the visitors to six hits and, with perfect fielding behind him, pitched a shutout game. The visitors batched hits off Smith and won easily.

Ames, the former New York pitcher, opposed the locals in the second game, and was almost invincible until the eighth inning when Chicago began to hit.

Two of these were homers by Zimmerman and Saier, and one a triple by Schulte. These with a sacrifice and an error netted five runs. The visitors started a rally in the ninth when a base on balls to Bates and a single by Groh put runners on base. Cheney was hit hard but had fine support in the pinches.

Cincinnati ....000 210 010—4 11 0
Chicago ....000 000 000—0 6 2
Brown and Clarke; Smith, Richie and Archer. Umpires—Brennan and Byron.

Second game:

Cincinnati ....000 010 002—3 9 2
Chicago ....002 000 01*—3 8 2
Ames and Kling; Cheney and Archer. Umpires—Eason and Brennan.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	45	22	.672
Philadelphia	40	25	.615
Pittsburgh	40	25	.615
Brooklyn	31	31	.500
Cincinnati	31	34	.477
St. Louis	30	40	.429
Boston	29	40	.415
Chicago	24	44	.353

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	52	18	.742
Cleveland	45	26	.634
Washington	41	28	.594
Chicago	41	29	.586
Boston	39	34	.534
St. Louis	30	49	.380
Detroit	29	48	.377
New York	23	46	.366

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Milwaukee	49	32	.605
Columbus	45	40	.529
Louisville	41	37	.526
Minneapolis	39	37	.513
St. Paul	37	37	.500
Kansas City	36	41	.468
Toledo	32	47	.405
Indianapolis	29	45	.392

CENTRAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Grand Rapids	46	27	.630
Springfield	39	32	.549
Ft. Wayne	37	34	.521
Dayton	34	38	.472
Terre Haute	32	40	.444
Evansville	27	44	.380

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

National League.
Chicago 0-5, Cincinnati 4-7.
Pittsburgh 3-4, St. Louis 3-12.
Brooklyn 2-5, New York 5-9.
Philadelphia 4-4, Boston 2-1.

American League.
St. Louis 4-1, Chicago 7-2.
Cleveland 4-4, Detroit 2-5.
New York 0-0, Washington 5-2.
Boston 13-2, Philadelphia 4-5.

American Association.
Toledo 6-1, Columbus 4-1.
Louisville 5-4, Indianapolis 1-6.
St. Paul 4-2, Minneapolis 4-3.
Kansas City 1-1, Milwaukee 4-6.

Central League.
Ft. Wayne 7-6, Terre Haute 2-5.
Evansville 12-3, Dayton 7-10.
Springfield 7-4, Grand Rapids 3-16.

Federal League.
Pittsburgh 6-0, Cleveland 3-2.
Indianapolis 2-4, Kansas City 4-7.
St. Louis 5-10, Chicago 3-6.

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PHILLIES TAKE TWO FROM BOSTON BRAVES

PHILADELPHIA, July 5.—Philadelphia won from the Independence day games from Boston, winning the morning contest by a score of 6 to 2, and the afternoon game 4 to 1.

The home team hit James' delivery hard in the first game of the afternoon contest, while Finger broke down in the first four innings but the others escaped a shut-out by a margin of one run. Pfeister scored on a pass Merry's two-bagged and Whaling's sacrifice fly.

Boston ....000 110 000—2 4 1
Philadelphia ....110 000 00*—6 11 0
James and Whaling; Riley and Kilfeier. Umpires—Rigler and Byron.

Morning Game.

Philadelphia batted steady when had reached eight straight was broken when the home team won the morning's game from Boston, 6 to 2.

Boston ....000 110 000—2 7 2
Philadelphia ....100 200 00*—6 10 2
James and Whaling; Tyler and Burdett; Seaton and Killifer. Umpires—Byron and Rigler.

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BASE BALL
SATURDAY, JULY 5th
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At Singer Park Singers vs. South Bend Watch Company.
At Mishawaka Park Mish. Woolen Co. vs. South Bend Plow Co.
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