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NEW TRIBESMAN GRABS WINNING INDIAN MARKER

Walter Rehg Scores Only Tally of Game on O'Mara's Double—Bob Steele Holds Senators to Three Bingles.

YERKES STOPS RALLY IN NINTH WITH NEAT CATCH

BY ROBERT W. READ, Special Correspondent of The Star. COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 14.—Walter Rehg's first day as an Indian was not a dull one, even if it came from Nell Park was clouded and some rain fell during a snappy battle at the national pastime in which Bob Steele took a 1 to 0 victory over Paul Sherman. Rehg scored the run, made three singles and three important catches.

O'Mara Smacks One. There was one dead in the second when Rehg whipped his first single on a line to center. Wortman's juggled lifted Devore. O'Mara pulled the ball round just inside the third for a two-bagger, putting Rehg home. Devore took a chance a moment later on a go-ahead single, but was thrown out. By the Columbus shortstop, the side-retiring assist was made on Steele. Columbus had the Indians restless in the ninth and not being cleared until it was known that Steve Yerkes had held a wait-high line drive from Pechos. Loud yells of delight faded when the play was completed and it was realized that Steele was the first southpaw to trim one to the right in the year. This Columbus outfit has a remarkable record for holding attention or hope until the last man is out. Ninth-inning rallies have been carried through to success and others partially completed.

Yerkes Nabs Linner. On the Senator involved, the count became three and the next ball was pitched but runners started and there was a noise like a hit. In the

Atta Boy, Walter!

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Senators. AB R H SH SB O A E. Wortman, ss., 4 0 0 0 0 7 1. Bailey, cf., 4 0 0 0 0 3 2. Massey, lf., 3 0 1 0 0 3 0. Taggart, cf., 3 0 1 0 0 0 0. McCarty, lb., 3 0 1 0 1 13 1. Pechos, 2b., 4 0 0 0 0 3 3. Wagner, c., 4 0 0 0 0 2 3. Sherman, p., 3 0 0 0 0 1 3. Totals, 29 0 3 1 0 27 19 2.

Two-Base Hits—O'Mara, Massey. Double Play—Crawe to Yerkes to Covington. Left on Bases—Indians, 4; Senators, 6. First Base on Errors—Indians, 2; Senators, 1. Bases on Balls—Off Steele, 2; off Sherman, 1. Fitches—By Steele, 1 (Taggart). Struck Out—By Steele, 3; by Sherman, 1. Winning Pitcher—Steele. Losing Pitcher—Sherman.

path toward right center was Yerkes and he just had to make the catch or be punished in the seventh. Taggart started with a single, McCarty sacrificed. Pechos gave the ball a faraway job, but being hauled it down in the center. Taggart took third after the catch and was left when Shovlin popped to Yerkes. Steele in the fourth came the first Columbus chance. With two out Massey clubbed far over Rehg's head for a double. Taggart took the side down. Inning five was the one in which there occurred the only play of the Indians. Pechos forced McCarty. Covington bled a neat play on the hepper toward right. Shovlin forced Pechos. Wagner's pass covered Shovlin to second. Sherman grounded to Crane, who handled the chance perfectly.

On the Indian Trail

With Bob Read. COLUMBUS, O., May 14. Clint Rogge, star cricketer of the Indians, and Roy Wilkinson, who has two shutout victories over Columbus Indians, will be the pitchers in tomorrow's game.

Indianapolis today raced into the first division, setting the pace down to fifth place. Jack Hendricks is inclined to think that his club won't do worse than finish where it is now riding.

Bob Steele is the first left-hand pitcher to stop the Columbus team. O'Connell of Kansas City was beaten, 1 to 0. O'Connell was the pitcher in the Indianapolis game.

Umpires Fineman and Knapp, especially the latter, are not holders of the confidence of Columbus players or fans. Knapp today had a fight on him when Alex was called out as he tried to steal second. In the last half, Shovlin was waved out at first when he possibly had O'Mara's throw beaten.

A light shower broke over the field of play in the fifth inning, but play didn't stop. The rainfall was not heavy enough to make the going slow.

Rehg's first hit was a solid slap to center. The runner advanced to first. His third was a job well in front of Taggart, who was playing deep. Walter took his fourth batting turn in the ninth and batted to Sherman.

Pechos wasn't the only Senator to hit Steele hard without getting the ball to safety. Massey shot a liner in O'Mara's reach at the window of the sixth. Wagner in the eighth chased Rehg to deep center, the ball being far enough in the air to allow the Indian to get under it.

It was hit, and run with the Indians whenever they had the chance, except in the seventh. Then Devore after fouling out, the runner forced Rehg and was soon out himself on an attempted steal.

Devore is the same happy-go-lucky chap that he's always been. "I'm the traveler of the league," he said today when somebody said, "You were here in April." He also said that he may be on his way here long.

Not a very large crowd was out in the face of threatening weather. Jack Hendricks was windy. The natives were on Reilly, not taking his part when Empire Knapp called him out in the third frame.

Butler Thinsies Given Workout for Coming Meet

The thinsie club, who will represent Butler College in the I. C. A. L. track meet next Saturday at Franklin are getting in some hard licks this week in preparation for the contest. Seven men will participate in the meet for honors. Capt. Draper will enter the 880-yard run and the 440-yard dash. Draper has been stepping these two distances in fast time and he should be able to place. Overstreet will take care of the one and two mile runs. Hill will be another entry in the two mile run. McCladin will be the only local representative in the dash, being entered in the 100-yard and the 200-yard dashes, also the running broad jump. Schooley and Ankrum will take care of the shot and the discus throw. Carson, another long distance runner, is entered in the 880 yard and the mile runs. The Butler club do not expect to win the meet as they had no meets to prepare them in this championship contest, but they hope to make a good showing.

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Breaks In With a Bang!

Walter Rehg sure had an auspicious beginning as a member of the Indianapolis club yesterday at Columbus. The Indians collected only five hits and Walter got three of these in four times at bat and scored the only tally of the contest on O'Mara's double. Yesterday was a game in which the new members of the Tribe starred. Besides Rehg, Bob Steele worked in great style, holding the Senators to three bingles, while Ollie O'Mara came through with the big bingle, besides making a great stop and throw in the third round.



DePalma Will Be Forced to Great Speed to Win

With more speed represented among the entries for the Indianapolis 500-mile Liberty Sweepstakes on the Indianapolis Speedway, May 31, than has ever been present in field of Indianapolis races before, it is the consensus of racing opinion that Ralph DePalma's famous record of 88.84 miles an hour, made during the Hoosier five-year-old of 1914, will fall.

DePalma's scintillating mark was created with a car considerably slower than a majority of those entered for this year's event, and though he was pushed to the limit to win, it is not figured that the victor in this year's struggle will have an easier time. In fact it looks as though his task would be much harder.

Where DePalma had one man to hurry him into his record breaking achievement, the great Darío Resta, who fought him neck and neck for the entire distance of 500 miles, the race in the Liberty Sweepstakes will have at least a dozen snappers at his heels.

It is indeed food for the dopelater's thought. To which one of this star trooper will go the glory of lowering the record? It is indeed a question that will be broken at all? It is all written in the book of fate and leaves of which in due time will open to the page inscribed "Indianapolis 500-mile Liberty Sweepstakes" for the world's supremacy, May 31.

BESCHER'S HIT HANDS VICTORY TO LOUISVILLE

Colonels New Southpaw Holds Mud Hens to Five Bingles, Three Coming in Sixth for Toledo's Only Run.

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LON McDONALD HAS SOME GOOD TROTTERS NOW

Early Dreams, 2:04 1-4; Gives Every Promise of Being in Shape for Big Ring.

BY WILL GAHAGAN. Lon McDonald appears to have a number of good trotters in his stable at the Indiana State Fair grounds this spring and prospects for a good season for the local reinsman look bright. The fast trotting gelding, Early Dreams, 2:04 1-4, with which Lon swept the boards in 1917, showed signs of lameness a week or so ago, but the former Greenfield (Ind.) trotter seems to be rounding to again and McDonald thinks that he will be going sound soon. Early Dreams, if he does train sound again, is sure to figure prominently in the big trotting stakes this year, for he showed two years ago that he could trot around 2:03, and it is doubtful if any day the stake candidates beat that much in the coming campaign.

Harvest Tide in the 5-year-old mare, Harvest Tide (3), 2:08 1-4, Lon should have a high-class trotter this season. The daughter of the Harvester, 2:01, and Emily Ellen (3), 2:05 1-4, was one of the best of the 3-year-old trotters two years ago, but was not trained last season, as her owner, David L. Cook, New York City, decided not to race any of his string. She is working to perfection now, and has developed into a very handsome mare.

Grace Forbes Good. Another trotter in the McDonald stable that is highly regarded is the Malcom Forbes, 2:12 1-4, owned by J. J. Moore, Toledo. O. Lon raced Grace Forbes a couple of times late last season, and she showed herself to be better than a 2:08 trotter. She is an exceptionally classy looking trotter and if any day she could do last fall, should come on and make a good winner this year for Lon.

Among other trotters in his stable are: Zomreac, 2:03 1-4; Zomdote, 2:06 1-4; Duty Bound, 2:14 1-4; Prince Walter, 2:15 1-4; Baron, 2:16 1-4; Axson M., 2:17 1-4; Axson M., 2:18 1-4; and Axson M., 2:19 1-4. Besides these McDonald has several unmarked ones of promise.

Howard Vickers, who developed the sensational pacing stallion, Single G, 1:59 1-4, and raced him in his 3-year-old form, also part of the following season, has arrived at the track from Cambridge City with three head owned by A. Boyd of that city. The trio is paced with the following times by Walter Dietz, 2:05 1-4, and a 3-year-old pacer by Star Hal, 2:04 1-4. Vickers is very high on the 2-year-old, out of a mare by Anderson, which he won in 1917 and in June last year worked the Lafayette trotter in 2:14 1-4, last half in 1:05 1-4, over the local track.

Wolverton Has High Head. Clair Wolverton has opened up a stable at the track and already has five head of trotters and pacers in his charge. Two of these, the 4-year-old trotting filly, Pearl Axworthy (2), 2:30, by Axworthy, 2:15 1-4, and the green pacer, Donna Estab, by Peter O'Donnell, 2:08, are owned by J. J. Moore, Toledo, LaFayette, Ind., owners of the great pacing stallion, William, 1:58 1-4. For Bummer, 2:10 1-4, and for Bummer, 2:11 1-4, are owned by J. J. Moore, Toledo. Wolverton has a green trotter, also, a 3-year-old, which he has named Single G.

Wolverton is one of the most successful of the younger generation of trainers, and it is safe to say that he will make good with the 4-year-old pacers in his charge. The 4-year-old trotting gelding, Single G, 2:30 1-4, is said to be the star of the slow class trotters in the stable of Fox Chase, a former pupil of Wolverton, who gave him all of his education up to last fall when he was turned over to George H. Brown, who has worked the Lafayette trotter in 2:14 1-4, last half in 1:05 1-4, over the local track.

TURF DOPE.

LOUISVILLE RESULTS. First Race (6 furlongs)—Kidney Boy, 111; Brown, 112; 12:30. 2nd Race (1 1/4 miles)—David Craig, 110 (Robinson), second, 14:30. 3rd Race (1 1/4 miles)—Tidal, 113; 14:30. 4th Race (1 1/4 miles)—Tidal, 113; 14:30. 5th Race (1 1/4 miles)—Tidal, 113; 14:30. 6th Race (1 1/4 miles)—Tidal, 113; 14:30.

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SIR BARTON IS VICTOR IN BIG EASTERN EVENT

Conqueror of Field in Derby Last Saturday Annexes More Honors for Owner by Winning in the Preakness.

ETERNAL SHOWS COMEBACK AND FINISHES SECOND

BY C. STARR MATTHEWS, Special Correspondent of The Star. He was bred in old Kentucky, where the meadow's grass is blue. And he was trained in Maryland, the whole mild winter through; He won the Derby in the past, which proved his speed was true. And now he's won the Preakness, Sir Barton, hats off to you.

Having been born in Old Kentucky and trained in Maryland it was only natural that Sir Barton should consider the Preakness his own party, and indeed, he made it so, the running of the great stake today at Pimlico which brought his owner, Commander J. K. Ross, the Montreal millionaire \$34,000, was a tame affair indeed. It was Sir Barton, at the quarter, Sir Barton at the half, Sir Barton at every post, Sir Barton all the way and he won as he pleased from eleven of the finest, fastest, 3-year-olds that America and Europe could produce.

This cosmopolitan son of Star Shoot Lady Sterling is an amazing colt, whose limitations still are unknown.

ETERNAL COMES BACK. Despite the easy victory of Sir Barton there was a feature a most pleasing one to the race, it was the comeback of Eternal. This wonderful son of Sweep and Hazel Burke crept out upon the historic track as though ashamed to face the crowd of more than 15,000 persons who had cheered him vociferously when he had leaped the colors of the great Billy Kelly. He walked along with head hanging as if he knew he had disappointed many in that throng when he ran so poorly in the Derby. He almost seemed to know that he was not a favorite any longer; that the friends he once had made were showering their praise, their longings glances upon the horse

that took his measure in the Blue Grass event that by all traditions of the turf he should have won. But in his heart there may have been resentment for when the barrier lifted he jumped out after Sir Barton with all the agility of a jackrabbit and he trailed him reluctantly, if not so well, to finish second four lengths behind. It was not a victory, to be sure, but he had proved to everyone in that throng to all the followers of our racing throughout the land that he is a real son of Kentucky, a horse of speed and endurance, not a mere sprinter. Yet, when all is said the difference in Eternal's performances prove that he is too truly an aristocrat, for he doesn't like the dirty going. Behind him came the horse that he was forced to beat to show his mettle, because Sweep ran on an even race, while Sir Barton, who got fourth money, more than enough to save his entrance fee, was unable to stand the pace, although he really was the first to take after the flying Sir Barton.

The time was not remarkably fast, it being two seconds more than the track record, but had Sir Barton been extended he probably could have

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