

Imps Get Best of Holiday Double Bill, Win and Tie

Two Games of York County Titular Series Played on Thursday—Imps Took Afternoon Game 7 to 1 and Tied the Nightcap at 6 to 6—Crowds Witness Both Games—Dinsmore Does Iron Man Stunt for Imps—No Decision Yet Reached as to Disputed Game on Wednesday.

Efforts to decide the winner of the York County baseball league are becoming harder every day, despite the piling up of double headers and games every night for the past week. Up until yesterday's hectic double header, the Devon team had won one game and had in all probability won the game on Wednesday although Fredericton laid claim to the game on account of leading 6 to 5 at the end of the fifth frame. The Imps cleaned up in yesterday afternoon's game and tied the evening game on Queen's Square diamond by a last minute rally and a timely hit by "Rabbit" Rutter, diminutive shortstop of the Imp team. The score remained at 4-6 after seven innings had been played and Umpire in Chief Earl MacPherson called the game on account of darkness. The fifth game of the series will be played this evening at Devon with still no possibility of a clear cut decision as to the winner of the league. As the league series stands now it is as follows:

W	L	T
Devon	1	1
Imperials	1	1

The fourth game is the disputed one and it is not settled yet by the officials. The probability is that the game will have to be played over before the matter can be settled properly.

Imps 7; Devon 1

The Fredericton Imperials came through in grand style yesterday afternoon at the Devon Ball grounds to pound out a clean victory scoring seven runs and holding their opponents down to one solitary tally. Steady pitching by "Dinny" Dinsmore and brilliant play in the field kept the Devon team from bunting hits for scores. Time after time through the game threatening Devon rallies were speckled by timely and steady fielding features. Nine full innings were played the score standing at 7 to 1 in favor of the Imps.

Only five bingles were secured off the delivery of the youthful Dinsmore and all were kept well scattered. Ralph Robertson who hurled for Devon, was a problem to the Imp batters after a shaky start, until the ninth when a batting rally netted live tallies, enough to win any ball game.

Johns Keen was Devon's potent punch at the bat, contributing two scorching hits, which did no material damage. Devon offended with six errors and the usually unsteady Imp squad made only three misplays. Rutter, Cain and H. Miles pounded out two base hits for the afternoon's work. Cain, Garvie and Dinsmore each secured two hits during the afternoon's play. The game was featured by several fast double plays which helped both teams out of tight holes in the closing stages of the game.

FREDERICTON	A	B	R	H	P	O	A	E
Cain 2b	5	1	2	3	4	1		
Thompson cf	5	1	1	2	0	0		
Myshrrall 3b	5	1	1	3	3	1		
Rutter ss	5	0	1	3	2	0		
Davis rf	5	0	0	0	0	0		
Kierstead lf	4	2	0	1	0	0		
Shannon lb	4	0	1	9	0	0		
Garvie c	4	1	2	5	3	1		
Dinsmore p	4	1	2	1	3	0		
	41	7	10	27	15	3		

DEVON	A	B	R	H	P	O	A	E
O. Keene	4	0	0	8	2	2		
E. Miles lb	3	0	0	6	1	0		
H. Keene cf	4	1	2	1	0	0		
Malloy rf	3	0	1	2	0	0		
H. Miles ss	2	0	1	4	4	1		
K. Watson lf	4	0	1	0	0	1		
Robertson p	4	0	0	2	2	1		
Bailey c	3	0	0	3	1	0		
Lawrence 3b	3	0	0	1	0	1		

*M. Watson	0	0	0	0	0	0
	30	1	5	27	10	6

*ran for Malloy in ninth.

Score by innings—

Devon00010000—1

Fredericton10010005—7

Summary—Two base hits, Rutter, Cain, H. Miles; Sacrifice hits, H. Miles; Base on balls off Dinsmore 2; Struck out by Robertson 3 by Dinsmore 4; Double plays, Robertson H. Miles and E. Miles; Dinsmore and Cain; Myshrrall and Cain; Hit by pitcher H. Miles by Dinsmore; Stolen bases, Myshrrall 2, Kierstead, H. Keene, H. Miles 2, K. Watson; Time of game 1 hr 40 min. Umpires MacPherson and W. Boyce.

Imps 6; Devon 6

With the score 6 to 4 in Devon's favor in the last of the eighth, two down and the bases loaded "Rabbit" Rutter, Imp shortfielder came through with a clean wallop to left field, scoring Garvie and Cain and tying up the score in last night's York County league playoff game. Umpire in Chief Earl MacPherson then called the game on account of darkness. The game, played on Queen's Square Diamond was witnessed by a large crowd of fans.

Dinny Dinsmore essayed to do the "iron man" stunt and went the full route, while opposing him on the mound was Devon's new hurler, Eddie Lawrence, erstwhile shortfielder and third sacker. Both hurlers were hit more or less freely, the Imps collecting 15 bingles and the Devon outfit 12.

Devon took an early lead, scoring three runs in the first. The Imps accounted for 2 in their half of the second. One more run in the third and one in the fifth and another in the eighth made a total of 6 for the visitors. The Imps rallied in the seventh and eighth, scoring two in the last frame to tie up the score. Kato Keene was the hitter of the evening game banging out a double, a long triple and 2 singles.

The box score and summary:—

DEVON	A	B	R	H	P	O	A	E
O. Keene 2b	5	1	4	2	4	0		
E. Miles lb	4	0	0	10	2	0		
H. Keene cf	3	3	2	1	0	1		
Robertson 3b	3	1	2	0	1	1		
H. Miles ss	4	0	1	5	3	0		
K. Watson lf	4	0	0	2	0	1		
Bailey c	4	0	0	3	1	0		
Brewer rf	4	0	1	0	0	0		
Lawrence p	4	1	2	1	2	0		
	35	6	12	24	13	3		

FREDERICTON	A	B	R	H	P	O	A	E
Cain 2b	5	1	1	1	4	0		
Thompson cf	5	1	1	2	1	1		
Myshrrall 3b	5	0	2	1	1	0		
Rutter ss	5	1	2	0	7	0		
Kierstead lf	5	0	2	2	0	0		
Davis rf	4	1	2	0	0	0		
Shannon lb	4	1	0	14	1	0		
Garvie c	3	1	2	3	0	1		
Dinsmore p	4	0	3	1	3	0		
	40	6	15	24	17	2		

Score by innings—

Devon30101001—6

Fredericton02010012—6

3 Base Hit, O. Keene; 2 base hits, O. Keene, H. Keene; Stolen bases, Shannon, H. Keene 2, Robertson, Brewer; Base on balls, Lawrence 1, Dinsmore 2; Struck out by Lawrence 2 by Dinsmore 2; Time of game 1 hr 32 min. Umpires E. MacPherson and W. Boyce.

Stout Lady (to man with row-boat)—What do you charge per hour for a boat ride?

"Ten dollars per ton, lady."

What does it mean if it says "the number of Alpine climbers in Switzerland has fallen off this season?"

Around the Big League Circuit

American League—

Devon	2	8	1
Boston	1	6	1
Batteries—Carroll and Hargrave; Russell, Griffin and Berry, Hofmann.			

Cleveland	1	8	1
Philadelphia	3	6	0
Batteries—Miller and Autrey; Grove and Cochrane.			

Chicago	3	5	0
Washington	4	9	1
Batteries—Blakenship, Thomas and Berg; Marberry and Ruel.			
St. Louis-New ork, double header postponed, wet grounds.			

National League—

Brooklyn	0	3	3
Cincinnati	2	7	1
Batteries—Doak and Deberry; Kolp and Picinich.			

Brooklyn	1	6	6
Cincinnati	6	13	1
Batteries—Ehrhardt, Nichols, Elliott and Gooch; Ash and Hargraves.			

New York	6	9	2
Pittsburgh	3	5	0
Batteries—Benton, Scott and Hogan O'Farrell; Hill and Hemsley.			

New York	3	6	3
Pittsburgh	13	14	1
Batteries—Hubbell, Faulkner, Aldridge and Hogan, O'Farrell; Fussell and Hemsley.			
Only games scheduled.			

BESSIE M'KLYO WON BANGOR FREE FOR ALL EVENT

Bangor, Me., Aug. 23—The Bangor fair closed today with four events on the card headed by the \$1,000 free-for-all, Milly W., the New York pacer who cleaned up Bessie McKlyo the Aroostook pacing queen at Skowhegan last week and was heavily backed to repeat, failed to come through today, being beaten in two heats by the Presque Isle mare, both whirlwind drives for the wire from the head of the stretch and won by inches.

BORROWED A NICKEL FROM A TRAFFIC COP AND PAID IT BACK

(New York Sun.)

Keeping the traffic moving is quite obviously the main concern of the blue-uniformed paragons of efficiency one observes at many of the big town's puzzling crossings. Yet how many of us have stopped to think that a day's work for no few of our traffic cops may call for considerably more than whistle blowing and hand waving?

Happenings of the most unexpected sort and peculiar if not queer experiences are just incidents in the course of the day's traffic post assignment. One such incident coming the way of a familiar figure in blue at one of the difficult downtown crossings the other day is set down here as a high light revealing the picture of the traffic cop's job from an amusing angle.

As "Sunny Jim" (most everyone calls him that because of his winning smile) was standing out in the middle of his post in the heat of one of the late July dog days, a revealingly dressed young dear sidled up to him and twittered in tones of distress: "Oh, please, Mr. Officer, I want to go home and its fearfully far to walk. Won't you please lend me a cent?"

"Sure, Miss," responded Jim, "I'll

MADMAN IMPRISONED TO HIDE DISGRACE

Fairplay, Colo., Aug. 22—A mother who sought to hide what she felt to be a family disgrace by keeping her insane son chained in a cabin for 11 years, saw her secret exposed yesterday and watched in sorrow as the mad man, now 45 years old, was led away to a state asylum.

For years whisperings of a "wild man" kept prisoned in a cabin on the ranch of Mrs. Joseph Beeler had gone up and down this rugged country near the Rockies. But there is a neighborly spirit of tolerance among the people of Black Mountain and the rumors were dismissed with shrugs.

Sheriff Fred L. Richard of Park County, was one who listened to the talk and decided to act. He broke into the log cabin and discovered the true state of affairs.

Insane when his mother imprisoned him, Harry Beeler had lived for 11 years as a caged beast. His food had been shoved in to him. He had lived in filth, without companionship and almost in continual darkness. The clothing he had worn when he was locked up was soon gone and the hair of his body formed the only protection to his skin.

Coming for the first time in 11 years under the full glare of the sun, Beeler cowered and chattered in fright. The sheriff had wrapped him in blankets. Curious neighbors crowded about. A swift hearing was held and Beeler was ordered back to the insane asylum whence he had been discharged once previously.

Arriving in Pueblo, Beeler's terror broke out anew, and he fought for 30 minutes before being overpowered by seven men.

Mrs. Beeler, whose mistaken sense of family loyalty and public duty led her to keep her son in chains, will be given a sanity hearing and may be taken to Pueblo also.

"Good-by, Harry," she cried when her son was taken away, "be a good boy. I'll come to see you."

Mrs. Beeler and her sister, Mrs. Beulah Evans, who died last week, imprisoned the mad man because they did not want him returned to an asylum or to be allowed freedom in which he might act violently against neighbors.

"And it was our own sorrow," the mother added.

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