

RED SOX CUT DOWN BROWNS' LEAD AND PULL OUT WINNER

Put Up a Brilliant Hitting Rally After Backing Cl- cotte Poorly.

By Herman Nickerson

The Society for the Prevention of Victory got in its deadly work early in the game at Fenway Park yesterday, having organized with Thomas, president; Gaidner, vice president, and Wagner, secretary and treasurer. Eddie Cicotte was in the box and those who know anything about the general fielding excellence of the Red Sox under such conditions were willing to throw their score cards away and munch their peanuts in disgust.

Other honorary members of the society looked on in dismay. To be beaten by the Browns with a new, untried twirler in the box was something they hadn't figured on in the least. A hurried star chamber session of the organization was called at the end of the St. Louis' seventh and the officers reported and, taking a fresh and vigorous hold upon their bats, they did things.

Red Sox Awaken at Tea Hour

Five o'clock is the hour set for Red Sox awakenings. This and a little cold water revived them from their slumbers, and, instead of an ignominious defeat, they slammed out what will be known as a batting rally, coming from behind, turning into the stretch or any old thing that stands for great, unexpected return to life in sport.

The officers of the society took a prominent part in the winning of the game and it is to be hoped they will disband. Such rotten support given "Knuckles" was enough to make a man hate his race. Poor work, lack of thinking power and strong arm effort, combined with some sharp hitting had put the Browns in the lead, 5 to 1, and Baumgardner, the much touted twirler from the City of Wounds, was getting away with his pin wheel delivery through some fine backing up. Once only had the Red Sox landed on him, for a couple of doubles, and got but one run, through a close decision at the plate. Then nothing went safe and the eighth inning opened.

Hits in Every Direction

Engle hit the ball a mile to Shotten for the first out, then Speaker got one on the end of his bat and shot it up on the bank in left center for a two-lagger. Lewis jammed one at Hallinan, who tried to get Tris at third, but he beat the throw by a fine slide. Vice President Gardner cut one on a line to center, scoring Speaker, and Bradley's attempt went for a hit, a slow one along third that Baumgardner didn't get to fast enough. With the bases filled, Secretary and Treasurer Wagner made good with one of the longest slams made this season at the park. It fell far out beyond Shotten, rolling a few hundred yards into East Saugus, being relayed by automobile to third, where Secretary Wagner stood. It was some clean-up at that.

President Thomas then hit the plate & smash and landed on the ball. It sailed out to Shotten for a sacrifice fly, and Heinie scored.

After that the mall was filled with letters to the officers of the S. F. T. P. D. V., reading in substance: "Come home; all is forgiven."

The president's effort in bringing in the run to win made you forget his very ordinary catching and poor judgment when he had the ball in his hand.

Browns Roll Up a Bunch

The Browns collected their first run in the opener through a hit by Shotten, an error by Gardner and Stovall's sacrifice, followed by Pratt's infield out. Boston's first run came on Lewis's double, followed by another by Gardner in the fourth, after four runs had been piled up by the Browns in their half.

Pratt started off with a safe one to right, but was out stealing. Hogan fanned and Laporte passed Hallinan singled, putting Laporte on third. Then Hallinan started for second and Thomas, forgetting the man at third, threw high to Engle. This scored a run. Krichell chopped a single to left, bringing in Hallinan, and Baumgardner cut one safely. Shotten delivered a single, putting the catcher over, and then two passed balls gave the pitcher a chance to score. Austin walked and Shotten was caught at the plate on a snap throw, Thomas to Engle and back to the plate.

Up to the eighth inning, when the boys used their sticks, the game was considerable of a mess. Still, as it was even, and the society may disband, there is hope for "Knuckles" another day. Three in a row from the Browns, with a chance for today's game, makes it interesting for the White Sox, who arrive Thursday. The score:

BOSTON

| | AB | R | 1B | 2B | 3B | PO | A | F |
|-------------|----|---|----|----|----|----|---|---|
| Hooper, rf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Engle, 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Speaker, cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lewis, lf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Gardner, 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Bradley, 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Wagner, ss | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Thomas, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Cicotte, p | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 32 | 6 | 9 | 14 | 27 | 15 | 4 | 0 |

ST. LOUIS

| | AB | R | 1B | 2B | 3B | PO | A | F |
|----------------|----|---|----|----|----|----|---|----|
| Shotten, cf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Austin, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Stovall, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Pratt, 3b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Hogan, lf | 3 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Laporte, rf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hallinan, ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Krichell, c | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Baumgardner, p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 5 | 9 | 9 | 24 | 11 | 1 | 0 |
| Innings | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | —4 |
| St. Louis | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —3 |

Hits by Innings

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| Boston | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | —0 | —0 |
| St. Louis | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | —0 |

Pitchers Summary

| | Innings | AB | R | 1B | 2B | 3B | PO | WP | HI |
|-------------|---------|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Baumgardner | 5 | 32 | 5 | 9 | 14 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Cicotte | 3 | 34 | 5 | 9 | 9 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 0 |

Three base hit—Wagner. Two base hits—Lewis, Gardner, Speaker. Sacrifice hits—Hooper, Stovall, Thomas. Stolen bases—Austin, Hogan, Laporte, Hallinan. First base on balls—off Baumgardner, 1; off Cicotte, 4. Hit by pitched ball—Engle by Baumgardner. Passed balls—Thomas 2. Struck out—By Cicotte, 4; by Baumgardner, 1. Time—2h 7m. Umpires—Igan and Frane. Attendance—Rejoiced.

Notes of the Game

Baumgardner up to the time of the slam-bang looked very fine. He passed but one

man, fanning one. His support was great. Eddie Cicotte was ever up balls and strikes, four each.

All the extra base hits were made by the Red Sox.

Nine fly balls to the Browns' outfield, to save for the Red Sox.

Last chance for the Browns to win a game in this series. Felty will be the twirler today, with either Charley Hall or Bodard for the Red Sox.

Thursday is dedication day, with all that a band of music and dignitaries can make. In addition, the White Sox are with us. This should prove a fine series.

The Jersey City team of the International League acquired two pitchers here yesterday, K. G. Hagerman, formerly of the Denver Club, was secured from the Boston Americans, and Frill, once with the New York Highlanders, was obtained from the St. Louis Browns.

The Red Sox and White Sox players and club officials will attend the performance of "Alma Jinnay Valentine" at the Plymouth Theater tomorrow night as guests of Manager Fred M. Wright.

Cleveland Wins Out in Fast Pitchers' Battle

Washington, May 14—Cleveland defeated Washington today in a pitchers' battle, 3 to 2. Gregg and Groom each allowed but four hits. A double play by Cashon and Henry featured the game. The score:

CLEVELAND

| | AB | R | 1B | 2B | 3B | PO | A | F |
|-----------------|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|---|
| Hohnhorst, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Olsen, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jackson, cf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Birmingham, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Livingsstone, c | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 0 |
| Hyatt, rf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hall, 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Packhouse, ss | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Gregg, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 1 |
| Totals | 31 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 27 | 12 | 1 |

WASHINGTON

| | AB | R | 1B | 2B | 3B | PO | A | F |
|----------------|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| Shankle, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Center, 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Allen, cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cashon, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Schwartz, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Birmingham, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| McBride, ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 |
| Henry, c | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 1 |
| Groom, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Totals | 31 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 27 | 12 | 3 |
| Innings | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Cleveland | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1—3 |
| Washington | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2—2 |

Stolen bases—Hall, McBride, Henry, Allen 2. Double play—Cashon and Henry. Left on bases—Cleveland 2, Washington 5. First base on balls—off Gregg, 3, off Groom, 1. First base on errors—Cleveland 1, Washington 1. Struck out—By Gregg 0, by Groom, 7. Passed ball—Henry, 1. Time—1h 35m. Umpires—Litten and Perrine.

Southern League

Chattanooga 4 New Orleans 0.
Birmingham 2 Atlanta 1.
Montgomery 2 Nashville 1.
Memphis 7 Mobile 0.

Three Players Jump Their Contracts in G. B. League

Three of the most promising players of the youth Boston Greater Boston League team have jumped to independent clubs in Maine and will not appear at the opening game between South Boston and Dorchester at the Dunbar avenue grounds, Dorchester, Thursday. The players are Outfielder Neptune and Doyle, and Catcher Galligan. They have been suspended by the secretary of the league. Neptune and Galligan were under a two-year contract with the new league and legal action will be started to compel them to live up to their contract.

Of the three deserting players Neptune was considered the most promising. He is a full-blooded Indian and hails from Oldtown, Me.