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210. Mobile Item

March 21 – 1921

Louisville vs. Mobile

Mobile and Louisville staged a remarkable fast game of ball yesterday afternoon at Monroe Park when the Kentucky Colonels scored a 2 to 0 shutout over the Mobile Bears. Sergeant Lance Utt and "Lefty" Sigman, who performed on the mound for the Bears, allowed two hits and one run each.

March 22 – 1921

St. Louis Browns vs. Mobile Bears

George Sisler, Ty Cobb's only rival, one of the stars of baseball, will be in the line-up this afternoon when the St. Louis Browns meet the Mobile Southern Association team at Monroe Park at 3 o'clock.

The line-up of the Mobile – St. Louis game today is as following:

St. Louis: Gerber, SS; Gleason, 2B; Sisler, 1B; Jacobson, CF; Williams, LF; Tobin, RF; Smith, 3B; Billings or Collins, C; Davis, Bayne, Cullop, Burwell, Palmero, Bochler, Debarry, P

Mobile: Mullen, 3B; Bronkie, 2B; Wickham, RF; Tutweiler, LF; Mulvey, CF; Golvin, 1B; Speraw, SS; Pender, P; Smith, C; Creek, Ching, Roberts, Swan, P

With the St. Louis Browns besides is "Baby Doll" Jacobson, an old time favorite in Mobile, who was with the Mobile team for two years.

211. Item

March 22 – 1921

The St. Louis Browns vs. Mobile Bears

George Sisler, one of the stars of baseball, will be in the line-up this afternoon when the St. Louis Browns meet the Mobile Southern Association team at Monroe Park. With the Browns besides the great Sisler is "Baby Doll" Jacobson, an old time favorite here who was with the Mobile team two seasons, 1911 and 1912.

The line-up of the Mobile Bears today is as following: Mullen, 3B; Bronkie, 2B; Wickham, RF; Tutweiler, LF; Mulvey, CF; Golvin, 1B; Speraw, SS; Ponder, P; Smith, C

March 23 – 1921

The St. Louis Browns and the Louisville Colonels hook up at the ball park this afternoon.

March 28 – 1921

The New York Giants 40 strong arrived in Mobile last night to spend a week in Mobile and will begin their series of six engagements here this afternoon, when they hook up with Bronkie's Mobile Bears.

April 1 – 1921

New York Giants vs. Philadelphia Athletics

Mobile fans will be treated to an exhibition contest between two major league ball clubs when the New York Giants and the Philadelphia Athletics meet on the Monroe Park diamond.

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April 4 – 1921

Philadelphia Athletics vs. Mobile Bears

While a large Sunday crowd saw the Mobile Bears badly beaten yesterday afternoon at Monroe Park by the Philadelphia Athletics by a score of 7 to 1, the fans witnessed an exhibition of heavy hitting on the part of the Mack men.

Jimmy Dykes, a former Atlanta Cracker and well known in Mobile and the Southern League, was the real hero of the game for the Athletics, chalking four hits out of five times up. The lineup of the two teams was as following:

Philadelphia: Dykes, 2B; Witt, RF; C. Walker, LF; Brazil, 1B; Galloway, 3B; J. Walker, C; Shannon, SS; F. Walker, CF; Moore, P; *Bigbee; Harris, P

Mobile: Mullen, 3B; Bronkie, 2B; Wickham, RF; Ducote, RF; Tutweiler, LF; Steed, CF; Golvin, 1B; Colly, SS; Pond, C; Ellis, P; *Allen; **Blakey; Fulton, P

Ellis, (illegible), Philadelphia's first inning, succeeded in holding them scoreless until the fifth inning, when he weakened. In this frame, Dykes, first up, singled past Mullen at third. Witt forced Dykes at second when he grounded to Ellis. C. Walker was out on a fly ball to Tutweiler. Brazil singled. Both Witt and Brazil scored on a hit to left field by Galloway. Dykes home run over the left field fence gave the Athletics their fifth run. In the closing inning Dykes continued his heavy hitting with a double.

213A. Mobile Register

April 4 – 1921

Cleveland Indians vs. Mobile Bears

The Cleveland Indians, world's baseball champions, headed by Tris Speaker, who once pastimed at Monroe Park many years ago as a member of the Little Rock Southern League club arrived in Mobile today and will occupy Monroe Park for the next two days, playing the Mobile Southern Association team Monday and Tuesday.

213B. Mobile Register

April 5 – 1921

Cleveland Indians vs. Mobile Bears

Tris Speaker's Cleveland Indians won clear title to the world's baseball championship out at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon, when they trimmed Herman Bronkie's Mobile Bears by a score of 6 to 0, and while Speaker and Co. won, it might be said in behalf of the home athletics that they carried the American leaguers along at a pretty fast pace for about four innings, after that, well – the difference between the American League and Southern Leagues was evident. No one expected Mobile to trim the world champion baseball team. The lineup of the two teams was as following:

Cleveland: Evans, LF; Lunte, 2B; Speaker, CF; Graney, CF; Wood, RF; Gardner, 3B; Sewell, SS; Burns, 1B; O'Neill, C; Gillis, C; Bagby, P; *Guisto; Petty, P

Mobile: Mullen, 3B; Bronkie, 2B; Ducote, RF; Tutweiler, LF; Steed, CF; *Speraw; Golving, 1B; Blakey, SS; Pond, C; Sigman, P; **McAllen; Creel, P

April 6 – 1921

The world champion Cleveland team barely nosed out the Mobile Bears in the final game yesterday afternoon at Monroe Park by a score of 3 to 2. "Ducky" Swan relieved Roberts on the mound for Mobile in the third inning.

214. Mobile Register

April 14 – 1921

Opening of Southern League Games

Although the contest was devoid of any real thrills, there was enough action to please the most exacting and the very fact that the game first swayed to one of the clubs and then to the other. A crowd estimated at slightly in excess of 5,000 braved most unfavorable weather conditions to sit in the opening contest of the 1921 baseball season staged at Monroe Park between Mobile and Atlanta teams. And where Mobile fans showed they were good sports, Herman Bronkie and his squad of diamond warriors also measured up to good sportsmanship standard by rewarding them with a 9 to 5 victory.

The lineup of the two teams was as following:

Atlanta: Stow, SS; Ritter, 2B; Manning, LF; Munser(BEST GUESS), RF; Smith, CF; Kauffman, 1B; Graff, 3B; Fuhrman, C; *Schmidt; Doyle, P; Manners, P; **Meyer

Mobile: Mullen, 3B; Bronkie, 2B; Mulvey, CF; Tutweiler, LF; Golvin, 1B; Ducote, RF; Collenberger, SS; Pond, C; Fulton, P; Sigman, P

April 16 – 1921

After the Mobile Bears had won the two first games of their series with Atlanta at Mobile 9 to 5 and 3 to 1, the Atlanta Crackers came back and won the third game, 7 to 3, turning in

eleven blows, of which seven were for extra bases. Ellis was on the mound for Mobile in the second victory and in the third game Mobile used Roberts, Utt and Creel.

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Sep 16 – 1921

New Orleans vs. Mobile

The Mobile Southern Association team closed the 1921 season at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon by splitting a double-header with the New Orleans club, the visitors taking the first contest, 9 to 2, and the local club the second affair, which went seven innings by agreement, by the score of 7 to 3. Torkelson was on the mound for Mobile in the first game, and Wells pitched the second game.

The Standing of the Clubs at the Close of the Southern Association 1921 Season was as following:

Memphis, 101 – 44 – 697; New Orleans, 92 – 51 – 644; Birmingham, 89 – 61 – 593; Little Rock, 72 – 75 – 490; Atlanta, 72 – 76 – 487; Nashville, 60 – 88 – 405; Mobile, 55 – 91 – 377; Chattanooga, 53 – 98 – 351

Individual Batting of the Mobile Bears

	Games	At Bats	Runs	Hits	PCT
Pope	50	110	17	36	327
Mulvey	150	576	69	181	315
Schultz	101	250	28	74	296
Golvin	153	555	92	159	286
Mullen	132	516	83	144	279
Boll	146	484	81	131	271
Wagner	100	372	40	95	256
Bronkie	141	504	69	127	252
Pond	85	277	19	63	227
Roberts	53	117	5	26	222
Wickham	99	286	39	63	220
Fulton	48	102	10	22	216

Faulkner	81	277	27	54	195
Torkelson	41	97	8	14	144

216. Mobile Register

March 12 – 1922

St. Louis Browns vs. Mobile Bears

After holding the St. Louis browns to a 5 to 4 score and showing quite a flash of early season form, the Mobile Southern League team cracked out at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon in the ninth frame and permitted the big leaguers to pile up six runs, 11 to 4 being the final score.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

St. Louis: Tobin, RF; Shorter, RF; Ellerbe, 3B; Muiler, 3B; Sisler, 1B; K. Williams, Lf; Jacobson, CF; Severold, C; Gerber, SS; Robertson, SS; McManus, 2B; Vangilder, P; Bayne, P; *Todt; **Durst; Pruett, P

Mobile: Ball, SS; Leathers, SS; Philbin, 3B; D. Williams, CF; Huhn, 1B; Nixon, LF; Mechoff, 2B; Wickham, RF; Roberts, P; Schulte, C; Tate, C; Hollingsworth, P; Lorens, RF; *Pope

March 13 – 1922

The Mobile Southern Association team put up a game struggle against the strong St. Louis Browns out at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon but dropped the decision by a score of 3 to 2 in ten innings.

217. Mobile Register

March 21 – 1922

Judge Landis

Judge K.M. Landis, baseball's high commissioner, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon. Baseball's most notable character not even excluding well-known Babe Ruth, George Sisler, and Tyrus Cobb was met at the station by a large and enthusiastic delegation of Mobile's best known citizens – Vice President Bob Quinn headed the delegation.

After meeting all the gentlemen present, Judge Landis said "Gentlemen it is a pleasure to meet you and I am glad to be in Mobile" and so saying the judge was whisked away in a machine and taken to a very large and most wonderful banquet, where he was entertained by members of the Mobile Automobile Club at the Cawthon Hotel.

Judge Landis made his visit to Mobile to look over the St. Louis Browns in their training camp.

March 22 – 1922

St. Louis Browns vs. Mobile Bears

George Sisler, star first sacker of the St. Louis Browns, enjoyed a field day out at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon when the Browns defeated the Mobile Bears 9 to 1.

Sisler, up five times, rapped out a home run, two doubles, and two singles, and scored a total of six of the runs registered by his club off Mobile hurlers. In addition to his hitting ability, displayed before Judge Landis, high commissioner of baseball, who was a guest of honor at the game, the famous American leaguer stole a base and in the latter part of the game covered right field, while Johnny Tobin, king of lead off men, went to first base.

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March 24 – 1922

St. Louis Browns vs. Brooklyn Dodgers (WAS ACTUALLY ROBINS AT THE TIME)

Taking advantage of one bad inning on the part of "Dutch" Reuther, Brooklyn southpaw, the St. Louis Browns scored enough runs in the fourth frame out at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon to trim the Brooklyn Robins by a score of 4 to 2.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

St. Louis Browns: Shorter, RF; Ellerbe, 3B; Sisler, 1B; Williams, Lf; Jacobson, CF; Severeld, C; Gerber, SS; McManus, 2B; Shocker, P; Bayne, P

Brooklyn Robins: Olson, 2B; Johnson, 3B; F. Griffith, RF; Meis, RF; Wheat, LF; Myers, CF; Schmandt, 1B; Crane, SS; Hungling, C; Taylor, C; Reuther, P; Vance, P; *B. Griffith;

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March 25 – 1922

Brooklyn vs. Mobile

It was not until Manager W. Robinson of the Brooklyn Dodgers (ROBINS) sent in his second team in the game against the Mobile Bears yesterday afternoon that they were able to defeat the Bears, but the Brooklyn youngsters showed more stuff than the regulars and trimmed the Bears 12 to 2. Emmett Mulvey, Mobile's regular center fielder, played the first game of the season yesterday and broke in with a big effort. His fielding was one of the bright spots in the work of the Bears. Mulvey in the second inning (illegible) Schmandt out of what was a sure triple by going to the center field fence and taking a fly ball on the run with one hand. He had a total of six putouts.

219. Mobile Register

April 2 – 1922

St. Paul vs. Mobile

Showing real ability against the strong St. Paul club, the Bears broke into the column for the first time during the '22 season out at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon when they stopped the Saints, a trimming by the figure of 5 to 3 – with Fulton on the mound for Mobile.

April 3 – 1922

St. Paul vs. Mobile

Treating Halls crack twirler of the St. Paul Saints to a bombardment in the first few innings of play, the Bears rung up their second victory over the AA organization out at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon, the Bears trimming the Saints by a score of 4 to 3. Niehoff, Mobile's second base man and manager, collects a home run and a double during the game, and Leathers and Mulvey each made two baggers.

April 15 – 1922

New Orleans vs. Mobile

Making good their promise to start in early toward making this season of 1922 memorable in Mobile baseball history, Bert Niehoff and his Bears trimmed the New Orleans Pelicans yesterday afternoon 4 to 2 in the first game of the season. A crowd estimated at 7500 people witnessed the struggle, and struggle it was as the Pelicans crowded the Bears in

every stanza of the nine-round engagement. Ceremonies at the park were short and sweet. President John D. Martin of the Southern Association was introduced after coming on the field with President R.W. Weinacker of the local club. He was given a strong welcome. The Southern chief hurled the first ball, and the game was on.

220. Mobile Register

April 15 – 1922

New Orleans vs. Mobile

The Mobile Bears, having won the first two games of a three game series at Mobile, with the New Orleans Pelicans 4 to 2 and 10 to 1, lost the third game of the series yesterday afternoon at Monroe Park by a score of 7 to 2.

The line up of the two teams in the third game was as following:

New Orleans: Bogart, LF; Gilbert, CF; Henry, 1B; Tucker, RF; Foss, 3B; Smith SS; Knapp, 2B; Dowie, C; Martina, P

Mobile: Boll, SS; D. Williams, LF; Mulvey, CF; Huhn, 1B; Niehoff, 2B; Nixon, RF; Baker, C; Pope, P; Roberts, P; *Schulte

April 18 – 1922

Mobile vs. New Orleans

In a three game series with New Orleans at New Orleans, the Mobile Bears won the first and third games, 11 to 0 and 6 to 5. The second game of the series was a twelve inning tie game, called on account of darkness with the score was 9 to 9.

Standing of Southern League

	Won	Lost	PCT
Memphis	4	2	667
Atlanta	4	2	667
Mobile	3	2	600
Nashville	3	3	500
Little Rock	3	3	500

New Orleans	2	3	400
Birmingham	2	4	333
Chattanooga	2	4	333

221. Mobile Register

April 21 – 1922

Atlanta vs. Mobile

In a three game series with Atlanta at Mobile, the Mobile Bears won the first and third games, 13 to 3 and 7 to 6, and lost the second game to the Cracker 6 to 4.

The line up of the two teams in the third game of the series was as following:

Atlanta: Ritter, 2B; Groff, 3B; Mayer, CF; Bernsen, 1B; Holden, RF; Eliam, SS; Guyon, LF; Rariden, P; Marshall, P; Napier, P

Mobile: Boll, SS; D. Williams, LF; Mulvey, CF; R. Williams, RF; Huhn, 1B; Niehoff, 2B; Mullen, 3B; Baker, C; Sigman, P; **Schulte

April 24 – 1922

Birmingham vs. Mobile

In a three game series with Birmingham at Mobile, the Mobile Bears won the first game 2 to 1 and lost the second and third games 9 to 5 and 5 to 2.

The line up of the two teams in the third game was as following:

Birmingham: Silva, CF; Neun, 1B; Harper, RF; Taylor, 3B; Clarke, LF; Burkett, SS; Krehmeyer, 2B; Robertson, C; Morrison, P

Mobile: Boll, SS; D. Williams, LF; Mulvey, CF; R. Williams, RF; Huhn, 1B; Niehoff, 2B; Mullen, 3B; Baker, C; Fulton, P; Sigman, P; *Schulte

222. Mobile Register

April 27 – 1922

Mobile vs. Atlanta

In a three game series with Atlanta, in Atlanta, Mobile won the series by taking all three games: 4 to 0, 10 to 6, and 5 to 2.

April 30 -1922

In a three games series with Birmingham at Birmingham, Mobile lost the first game 8 to 5 and won the second and third games 6 to 4 and 2 to 1 in a double-header yesterday afternoon at Birmingham.

May 12 – 1922

Memphis vs. Mobile

Showing their real form at bat by piling up fifteen blows and giving "Left" Fuhr plenty of runs to work on, Bert Niehoff's Bears trimmed the Memphis Chicks 13 to 7, thereby evening the series of four games at Monroe Park, Memphis winning the first and third games 8 to 3 and 6 to 5 and Mobile winning the second and fourth games 14 to 13 and 13 to 7.

The line up of the two teams in the fourth game played at Mobile yesterday was as following:

Memphis: Burke, CF; McMillan, SS; Tutweiler, LF; McLarry, 1B; Camp, RF; Yockey, 2B; Critz, 3B; Jounard, C; Tuero, P

Mobile: Leathers, LF; Boll, SS; Mulvey, CF; Niehoff, 2B; R. Williams, RF; Huhn, 1B; Baker, C; Mullen, 3B; Fuhr, P

223. Mobile Register

May 16 – 1922

Nashville vs. Mobile

Skipper Charley Fulton of steamboat fame, hurled one of his real brilliant games of ball out at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon, and as a result, the Nashville Vols suffered a humiliation of a 10 to 0 shutout.

The game yesterday wound up a four game series with Nashville at Mobile. The Vols won the first game of the series 9 to 7, and the Mobile Bears won the second, third, and fourth games 3 to 2, 8 to 1, and 10 to 0.

The line up of the fourth game was as following:

Nashville: McCormic, RF; Morse, 3B; Emery, LF; Curke, CF; Werre, 1B; Knapp, 2B;
Krehmyer, SS; Morrow, C; Warmouth, P

Mobile: D. Williams, RF; Leathers, SS; Mulvey, CF; Niehoff, 2B; R. Williams, LF; Huhn, 1B;
Baker, C; Mullen, 3B; Fulton, P

Standing of the Southern League

	Won	Lost	PCT
Little Rock	19	12	613
Mobile	20	13	606
New Orleans	17	12	586
Memphis	17	14	548
Birmingham	15	15	500
Nashville	14	17	453
Chattanooga	11	19	367
Atlanta	10	21	323

May 20 – 1922

In a four game series with Memphis at Memphis, the Chicks won the first game of the series 1 to 0, and the Mobile Bears won the second, third, and fourth games: 9 to 1, 7 to 2, and 7 to 5.

224. Mobile Register

May 24 – 1922

Mobile vs. Little Rock

In a three game series with Little Rock at Little Rock, Mobile lost the only game played there, by a score of 4 to 0, the remaining two games being rained off.

May 28 – 1922

In a three game series with Nashville at Nashville, Mobile won the first two games: 16 to 7 and 8 to 5, the third game being called off on account of rain.

May 31 – 1922

Mobile vs. Chattanooga

In a five game series with Chattanooga at Chattanooga, the Lookouts won the second game of the series 7 to 5 and the Mobile Bears won the first, third, and fourth games 8 to 0, 9 to 3, and 7 to 2.

The line up of the two teams in the fourth game of the series was as following:

Chattanooga: Clayton, CF; McDonald, 2B; Anderson, 1B; Ripperton, RF; Cunningham, LF; Kress, C; Wight, 3B; *Neiderkorn; Wingfield, SS; Bedgood, P

Mobile: D. Williams, RF; Leathers, RF; Mullen, 3B; Mulvey, CF; Miehoff, 2B; R. Williams, LF; Huhn, 1B; Baker, C; Ellam, SS; Fulton, P

Standing of the Southern League

Mobile	29	16	644
Little Rock	27	17	614
Birmingham	25	17	595
New Orleans	23	22	511
Memphis	22	23	489
Nashville	19	26	422
Atlanta	16	26	381
Chattanooga	17	31	354

225. Mobile Register

June 5 – 1922

New Orleans vs. Mobile

In a four game series with New Orleans, the first two being played in New Orleans and the second two in Mobile, the New Orleans Pelicans won the first, second, and fourth games – 6 to 5, 3 to 2, and 9 to 8 – and Mobile won the third game 8 to 7.

June 8 – 1922

Little Rock vs. Mobile

Hitting the ball opportunely and hard and taking advantage of listless and indifference on the part of the Little Rock club, the Mobile Bears scored a 9 to 1 victory at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon after winning the two previous games of the three game series 7 to 6 and 3 to 1.

The line up of the two teams in the final game was as following:

Little Rock: Zoellers, LF; Wano, RF; Hunter, 2B; Jackson, SS; Corrigan, 2B; Connelly, CF; Schliemer, 1B; Barrett, 3B; Brown, C; Cyengros, P; Clary, P

Mobile: D. Williams, RF; Mullen, 3B; Mulvey, CF; Niehoff, 2B; Leathers, 2B; R. Williams, LF; Huhn, 1B; Baker, C; Schulte, C; Ellam, SS; Sigman, P

Standing of the Southern League

	Won	Lost	PCT
Mobile	33	19	635
Birmingham	27	21	563
Little Rock	28	24	538
Memphis	28	25	528
New Orleans	28	25	528
Nashville	23	29	442
Atlanta	20	27	425
Chattanooga	18	35	340

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Sep 1 – 1922

Standing of Southern League

Mobile, 85 – 52 – 621; Memphis, 85 – 52 – 621; New Orleans, 76 – 59 – 563; Little Rock, 76 – 63 – 547; Birmingham, 71 – 68 – 511; Chattanooga, 54 – 86 – 386; Nashville, 53 – 85 – 384; Atlanta, 50 – 85 – 371

Sep 3 – 1922

Mobile, 88 – 52 – 629; Memphis, 86 – 53 – 619; New Orleans, 79 – 60 – 568; Little Rock, 77 – 63 – 550; Birmingham, 71 – 71 – 500; Nashville, 54 – 86 – 386; Chattanooga, 54 – 87 – 383; Atlanta, 51 – 88 – 367

Sep 6 – 1922

Mobile, 91 – 53 – 632; Memphis, 89 – 55 – 618; New Orleans, 83 – 60 – 580; Little Rock, 79 – 66 – 542; Birmingham, 71 – 75 – 486; Chattanooga, 57 – 87 – 395; Nashville, 54 – 89 – 378; Atlanta, 52 – 91 – 339

Sep 9 -1922

Mobile, 94 – 53 – 640; Memphis, 91 – 56 – 619; New Orleans, 86 – 62 – 581; Little Rock, 80 – 67 – 544; Birmingham, 71 – 78 – 477; Chattanooga, 58 – 89 – 394; Nashville, 55 – 91 – 377; Atlanta, 54 – 93 – 367

227. Mobile Register

Sep 11 – 1922

Mobile vs. New Orleans

In a two game series with New Orleans at New Orleans, the New Orleans Pelicans won the second game of a double-header from Mobile 5 to 0, after the Mobile Bears had won the first game 3 to 0, with Fulton on the mound for Mobile.

Mobile Wins Southern League Pennant

New Orleans, Sep 10 – Mobile won the first pennant of its baseball career this afternoon at Heinemann Park when Bert Niehoff and his Bears clinched 1922 Southern Association pennant by winning the first game of a double-header from the Pelicans. The score was 3 to 0, and it was a well won, hard fought battle.

The Bears lost the second game 5 to 0, but that has little part in the story. All they needed was that first victory. They can lose their remaining games, and the Memphis Chicks, their only rivals, can win all of their remaining games and still will not win.

Final Standing of Southern Association

Mobile, 97 – 55 – 638; Memphis, 94 – 58 – 619; New Orleans, 89 – 64 – 582; Little Rock, 86 – 67 – 562; Birmingham, 74 – 80 – 481; Chattanooga, 59 – 94 – 385; Nashville, 56 – 95 – 371; Atlanta, 55 – 97 – 362

228. Mobile Register

Sep 18 -1922

Mobile vs. Fort Worth

Fort Worth, Texas, Sep 17 – Tearing into the Mobile Bears almost as quickly as the curtain went up for the first game of the Dixie World Series, the Fort Worth Panthers overwhelmed the Southern Association champs here today by a score of 9 to 0.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

Fort Worth: Combs, CF; Sears, LF; Calvo, RF; Kraft, 1B; Hoffman, 2B; Phelan, 3B; Tavener, SS; Haworth, C; Pate, P

Mobile: D. Williams, RF; Cueto, SS; Leathers, SS; Niehoff, 2B; Mulvey CF; R. Williams, LF; Mullen, 3B; Huhn, 1B; Baker, C; Fulton, P; Fuhr, P; *Pope; Acosta, P

Sep 20 -1922

Mobile vs. Fort Worth

Fort Worth, Texas, Sep 19 – Called on today to face a spitball delivery, the second they've looked at this season, Bert Niehoff's Southern League defenders absorbed their second straight defeat at the hands of the Fort Worth Panthers here this afternoon, 3 to 1 and the contest was just as close as the figures indicate.

Sep 23 -1922

Fort Worth vs. Mobile

Back in their own lair with backs to the wall and fangs bared, the Mobile Bears struck down the Fort Worth Panthers out at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon in one of the greatest ball games ever staged on a Mobile field. The Bears fought a battle typical of their name and when darkness settled over the arena where Panthers and Bears had met in a death struggle, the Bruin emerged triumphant, 3 to 2. "Lefty" Fuhr was on the mound for Mobile.

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Sep 25 – 1922

Fort Worth vs. Mobile

The Mobile Bears were called on to fight against overwhelming odds – when Lady Luck smiled on the Texas leaguers on the first inning to give them three unearned runs off the efficient Lefty Fuhr, the advantage giving them appeared sufficient to decide the battle. It was made to look absolutely safe when the Panthers scored another unearned marker in the fifth making the score 4 to 0 against Mobile. Fighting back, however, the Bears sent three men across the plate in the sixth. The Bears scored another run in the ninth inning when Mullen slid home and was safe. Then came the tenth inning and victory for Mobile, when Dennis Williams, Mobile's fielder, came to bat with one down and made a home run over the right field fence that won the ball game for Mobile, 5 to 4.

Sep 26 -1922

Fort Worth vs. Mobile

Gripping the Fort Worth Panthers in their vice-like paws, Mobile's fighting Bears, champions of the Southern Association of baseball clubs, squeezed all the breath, pep, and ambition from the Texans out at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon when they ripped and clawed the Cats by a score of 8 to 2, with "Lil Joe" Acosta on the mound fo Mobile. Bert Niehoff collects for a home run with the bases loaded.

Sep 28 – 1922

Fort Worth, Texas, Sep 27 – For the first time since the Southern Association and the Texas League have staged post season series, the Southern Association banner tonight floats proudly over all Dixieland as those bearing down Bears from Mobile, champions of the Southern, made history here today when they turned back Fort Worth Panthers in a grueling struggle, by a score of 2 to 1 – with "Lefty" Fuhr on the mound for Mobile.

230. Mobile Register

Oct. 8 – 1922

Tulsa vs. Mobile

Led by a superb pitching effort turned in by Dave Danforth, crack south-paw, the Tulsa Oilers won the fourth and deciding game of the Mobile-Tulsa series out at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon score 3 to 0. The victory of the Oilers drew the curtain on baseball in Mobile for the season of 1922, one of the most successful years this city has ever enjoyed in the diamond pastime, regardless of the defeat at the hands of the Western Leaguers.

The line up of the two teams in the deciding game yesterday afternoon was as following:

Tulsa: Bennett, LF; Thompson, 3B; Davis, RF; Lamb, CF; Lelivelt, 1B; Beauman, 2B;
Stewart, SS; Crosby, C; Danforth, P

Mobile: D. Williams, RF; Cueto, SS; Niehoff, 2B; Mulvey, CF; R. Williams, LF; Mullen, 3B;
Huhn, 1B; Baker, C; Henry, P; Fulton, P; *Leathers; Sigman, P

Tulsa won the first two games of the series at Tulsa 5 to 4 and 11 to 2, and the Mobile Bears came back winning the third game 9 to 3. This game was also played in Tulsa. The fourth game of the series between the two teams was played at Dallas, Texas, and went twelve innings and was tied up 4 to 4 when the game was called on account of darkness. The fifth game was played in Mobile Oct. 6 and was won by Tuls 3 to 1 at the end of eleven innings.

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232. Mobile Register

March 11 – 1923

St. Louis Browns vs. Mobile Bears

Mobile fans saw part of the local club in action yesterday afternoon out at Monroe Park against the St. Louis Browns – in the first exhibition game of the season, resulting in the score of 11 to 4 in favor of the St. Louis team.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

Mobile: Rice, SS; Philbin, 3B; T. Williams, RF; Huhn, 1B; R. Williams, LF; Niehoff, 2B; Ducote, CF; Tory, C; Struckle, C; Rornbach, P; Patterson, P; Sigman, P

St. Louis: Tobin, RF; Bennett, LF; Gerber, SS; McManus, 1B; K. Williams, LF; Wurst, LF; Vache, CF; Robertson, 2B; Jacobson, CF; Severeid, C; Collins, C; Ezzell, 3B; Ellerbe; Root, P; Danforth, P; *Billing; Elliott, P

March 12 – 1923

St. Louis Browns vs. Mobile Bears

Bert Niehoff sent a fighting bunch of ballplayers out after the St. Louis Browns yesterday afternoon at Monroe Park and, after ten innings of play, was returned a victor over the big league outfit 8 to 7.

March 15 – 1923

St. Louis vs. Mobile

The Mobile Bears, champions of the Southern League, were nosed out by the St. Louis Browns 7 to 6 yesterday afternoon in an exhibition game at Monroe Park. The game marked the first appearance in the box this season of two of the regulars of the local pitching staff: Lefty Fuhr and Charley Fulton.

233. Mobile Register

March 25 – 1923

Philadelphia Athletics vs. Mobile Bears

Kohn's homerun with the bases loaded in the first inning puts the Mobile Bears in front but Philadelphia rallied to win the game 9 to 5.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

Athletics: Matthews, CF; McGowan, RF; Hale, 2B; Welch, LF; Galloway, SS; Sheer, 2B; Hunnefield, 1B; Bruggy, C; Ogden, P; Harris, P; Hasty, P

Mobile: Leebeau, CF; Philbin, 3B; Marriott, SS; Huhn, 1B; E. Williams, LF; Niehoff, 2B; Ducote, RF; Tory, C; Sigman, P; McCabe, P

March 26 – 1923

Philadelphia Athletics vs. Mobile Bears

Mobile won the second game of the series with the Philadelphia Athletics yesterday afternoon at Monroe Park 4 to 3, in a well-played contest.

March 28 – 1923

Mobile Bears and Philadelphia Athletics played at Montgomery

Montgomery, Ala, March 26 – Connie Mack's Marksmen and the Mobile Bears, champions of the Southern League of 1922, battled to a ten inning draw here this afternoon in the first game in the duo scheduled for this week.

Montgomery, Ala, March 28 – The Athletics fell upon the offerings Sigman here this afternoon and in six rounds had batted out a 13 to 3 victory over Bert Niehoff's Mobile Bears.

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April 9 -1923

Cleveland Indians vs. Mobile Bears

Superior pitching on the part of Jim Joe Edwards, former Mississippi College southpaw now with Cleveland, and George Metivier, a right hander from Jersey City, with great support behind them, won a ball game yesterday afternoon at Monroe Park for Tris Speaker's Cleveland Indians from the Mobile Bears 3 to 1. The game was featured by the wonderful fielding on the part of the popular Speaker, who was given several ovations by the Mobile fans: also, the work of Homer Summa, at one time with Mobile.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

Cleveland: Jamieson, LF; Wamby, 2B; Speaker, CF; Guisto, 1B; Summa, RF; Stephenson, SS; Lutzke, 3B; O'Neill, C; Edwards, P; Metivier, P

Mobile: D. Williams, RF; Philbin, SS; Marriott, 3B; Huhn, 1B; R. Williams, LF; Niehoff, 2B; Mulvey, CF; Heving, C; Fuhr, P; James, P

Homer Summa, rightfielder for Cleveland, was a former member of the Mobile Bears.

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April 18 – 1923

New Orleans vs. Mobile

The Mobile team with "Lefty" Fuhr hurling great ball, handed New Orleans a 6 to 0 beating yesterday afternoon at Monroe Park in the opening game of the season before a crowd of 8,000 ball fans.

April 19 – 1923

New Orleans vs. Mobile

The Mobile Bears and the New Orleans Pelicans closed their series at Monroe Park this afternoon, after which the local club departs tonight for the Crescent City to take part in the opening of the season in New Orleans. Charley Fulton hurled a good ball game yesterday afternoon in the second game of the series with the Pelicans in Mobile, and with great support behind him Mobile triumphed over New Orleans 3 to 0, marking the second straight shutout of the visitors.

April 23 – 1923

Mobile vs. New Orleans

After losing the first game played in New Orleans 6 to 3, it being the opening game of the series in the Crescent City, Mobile won a close battle from the Pelicans in the final game of the series there with a score of 3 to 2. Fulton, on the mound for Mobile, was the winning hurler. The line up of the two teams in the final game in New Orleans was as following:

New Orleans: Bogart, LF; Gilbert, RF; Schick, CF; Ewoldt, 3B; Knapp, 2B; Clanton, 1B; Foss, SS; Mitze, C; Whittaker, P; * Smith

Mobile: D. Williams, RF; Cueto, SS; Marriott, 3B; Huhn, 1B; R. Williams, LF; Mulvey, CF; Niehoff, 2B; Heving, C; Fulton, P

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April 26 – 1923

Mobile vs. Birmingham

After winning the first game of the series with the Barons at Birmingham 9 to 4, with Sigman on the mound for Mobile, the Mobile Bears lost the second and final games of the series yesterday 3 to 1.

The line up of the two teams in the final game was as following:

Birmingham: S. Clarke, LF; Hartford, SS; Taylor, 3B; D. Clarke, 2B; Miller, CF; Neun, 1B; Robertson, C; Trefry, RF; Stewart, P

Mobile: D. Williams, RF; Cueto, SS; Marriott, 3B; Huhn, 1B; E. Williams, LF; Mulvey, CF; Niehoff, 2B; Heving, C; Fuhr, P; *Acosta

April 29 -1923

Mobile vs. Atlanta

After losing the first game of the series with Atlanta at Atlanta, 3 to 1, with Fulton on the mound for Mobile, the Mobile Bears lost the second game of the series in Atlanta yesterday afternoon by a score of 5 to 2, with Acosta on the mound for Mobile.

May 3 – 1923

Atlanta vs. Mobile

After winning two games and losing two games of a four game series with Atlanta in Mobile yesterday afternoon wound up the series on the home grounds for the present time. The line up of the two teams yesterday afternoon in which Mobile was the loser, 1 to 0, was as following:

Atlanta: Dowd, 2B; Guyon, LF; Kellinger, 3B; Herman, 1B; Burke, CF; Langford, RF; Moore, SS; Brock, C; Best, P

Mobile: Marriott, 3B; Cueto, SS; D. Williams, RF; Huhn, 1B; **Long; H. Williams, LF; Mulvey, CF; Niehoff, 2B; Heving, C; James, P; Patterson, P

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May 7 – 1923

Birmingham vs. Mobile

In a four game series with Birmingham at Mobile, the Mobile Bears won the first and fourth games by the score of 4 to 2 and 1 to 0 – with Fuhr – Acosta and James on the mound for Mobile, and the Birmingham Barons won the second and third games 6 to 4 and 1 to 1 (OBVIOUS DISCREPANCY HERE), with Fulton and Sigman on the mound for Mobile.

May 11 – 1923

Chattanooga vs. Mobile

Yesterday's game between Chattanooga and Mobile played in a three game series at Mobile was won by the Mobile bears 16 to 1, with Fulton on the mound for Mobile, giving Mobile two games won out of the series, Chattanooga having won the second game 5 to 2.

The line up of the two teams in the game yesterday was as following:

Chattanooga: Hindt, 3B; Leonard, 2B; C. Anderson, 1B; Hanger, RF; J. Anderson, LF; Bates, SS; Morrow, C; Shay, CF; Drake, P; Guess, P; Ballon, P; *Nunnamaker

Mobile: D. Williams, RF; Cueto, SS; Marriott, 3B; Huhn, 1B; R. Williams, LF; Heving, C; Tory, C; Niehoff, 2B; Mulvey, CF; Fulton, P

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May 15 – 1923

Nashville vs. Mobile

In a three game series with Nashville at Mobile, the Mobile Bears won the first and the third games 14 to 8, with James and Acosta on the mound for Mobile, and 5 to 4, with Fuhr on the mound for the local team. Mobile was trailing Nashville 1 to 4 up until the last half of the eighth inning in the last game of the series yesterday afternoon and it was Emmet Mulvey's home run with the bases loaded in that inning that won the game for Mobile.

Nashville won the second game of the series 8 to 0.

The line up of the two teams in the last game of the series was as following:

Nashville: Murray, 2B; Richbourg, RF; Cuyler, CF; Haley, C; Lebourveau, LF; Perritt, 1B; Corgan, 3B; Michaels, SS; Davis, P; *Bernsen; **Pearson; ***Bervinan

Mobile: D. Williams, RF; Cueto, SS; Marriott, CF-2B; Huhn, 1B; R. Williams, LF; Heving, C; Niehoff, 2B; Philbin, 3B; Sigman, P; Mulvey, CF; Fuhr, P

Standing of the Southern League

New Orleans, 15 – 10 – 600; Mobile, 13 – 11 – 545; Nashville, 13 – 11 – 545; Chattanooga, 12 – 11 – 522; Memphis, 11 – 11 – 500; Atlanta, 12 – 13 – 480; Birmingham, 11 – 13 – 458; Little Rock, 8 – 15 – 304

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May 20 – 1923

Little Rock vs. Mobile

In a four game series with Little Rock at Mobile, the Mobile Bears won the first game 1 to 0, the second game 3 to 0, with Fulton on the mound in the first game for Mobile and with Acosta on the mound in the second game. The third game of the series was a 7 to 7 tie game, with Fuhr and Sigman on the mound for Mobile, and the fourth game was won by the Little Rock Travelers by a score of 4 to 3, after Mobile has used three pitchers and two pinch hitters.

The line up of the two teams in the last game of the series played yesterday afternoon was as following:

Little Rock: Zoellers, LF; Bandrimer, SS; Hale, 3B; Holden, RF; Gislason, 2B; Mayer, CF; Sturdy, 1B; Vann, C; McCall, P; Brake, P; Marberry, P

Mobile: D. Williams, RF; Cueto, SS; Huhn, 1B; R. Williams, LF; Heving, C; Mulvey, CF; Philbin, 2B; James, P; *Acosta; Long, P; **Niehoff; Fuhr, P

May 23 -1923

Memphis vs. Mobile

In a four game series with Memphis at Mobile, the Mobile Bears close home stay with a twin victory over the Chicks yesterday afternoon 3 to 2 and 2 to 1, with Fuhr and James on the mound for Mobile.

The Memphis Chicks won the first game of the series 5 to 4, with Fulton and Long on the mound for Mobile.

The second game was a tie game 8 to 8 that went for eleven innings

Acosta pitched the whole eleven innings for Mobile in this game.

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May 23 – 1923

Memphis vs. Mobile

The line up of the two teams in the last game of the four game series was as following:

Memphis: Milner, CF; Lamotte, SS; Prothro, 3B; Vick, LF; Lapan, C-1B; Padgett, 2B; Camp, RF; Beck, 1B-P; Mitchell, P; Tate, C

Mobile: D. Williams, RF; Cueto, SS; Marriott, 3B; Huhn, 1B; R. Williams, LF; Hungling, C; Mulvey, CF; Niehoff, 2B; James, P

Manager Niehoff, President Bob Weinacker, and all the players of the Mobile club are extremely confident that the Champs will continue well up in the race for the Dixie bunting. This opinion is also expressed by practically every visiting manager coming into Mobile, especially the new pilots in the circuit. Jimmy Hamilton, Nashville manager looking on the Champs for the first time during the recent series at Monroe Park between his Vols and the local entry. Hamilton was keenly impressed with the Champs as a minor league ball club: he was particularly sweet on Cueto, Niehoff, and Huhn, indicating that Hamilton can spot a ball player when he sees one out there in action.

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Sep 9 – 1923

Standing of the Southern League

New Orleans, 85 – 50 – 630; Mobile, 81 – 59 – 578; Birmingham, 70 – 64 – 523; Memphis, 68 – 66 – 507; Nashville, 69 – 70 – 497; Atlanta, 69 – 70 – 497; Chattanooga, 56 – 83 – 403; Little Rock, 47 – 83 – 362

Sep 16 – 1923

Standing of Southern League

New Orleans, 89 – 52 – 631; Mobile, 84 – 62 – 575; Memphis, 73 – 68 – 518; Atlanta, 75 – 71 – 514; Birmingham, 72 – 69 – 511; Nashville, 73 – 72 – 503; Chattanooga, 58 – 85 – 403; Little Rock, 47 – 90 – 343

Sep 24 – 1923

Standing of Southern League at the Close of the 1923 Season

New Orleans, 89 – 57 – 610; Mobile, 88 – 66 – 571; Memphis, 76 – 70 – 521; Atlanta, 78 – 73 – 516; Birmingham, 75 – 75 – 503; Nashville, 75 – 77 – 493; Chattanooga, 63 – 88 – 417; Little Rock, 53 – 92 – 365

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Base Ball

March 17 – 1924

St. Louis Browns vs. Mobile Bears

Although George Sisler and his famed St. Louis Browns slipped a 4 to 0 beating under the shirts of Emil Huhn's Bears in the first exhibition game of the year, out at Monroe Park, the fans left the ball park very much satisfied with the performance of the athletics who will carry Mobile's colors in the 1924 Southern Association race this season

The line up of the two teams was as following:

St. Louis: Tobin, RF; Evans, RF; Ezzell, SS; Robertson, SS; Sisler, 1B; Schleichner, 1B; Williams, LF; McManus, 2B; Jobson, CF; Bennett, CF; Severeid, C; Collins, C; Rice, 3B; Ellerbe, 3B; Bayne, P; Shockner, P; Danforth, P; Schulte, P

Mobile: Marriott, 3B; Brenner, SS; Mulvey, CF; Huhn, 1B; Pratt, RF; Kelly, 2B; Jones, LF; De Vonner, C; Tory, C; Wiltse, P; Atkins, P; McBride, P; **Clark

St. Louis Browns vs. Mobile

After enjoying a three run lead over the St. Louis Browns for five innings out at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon in the second exhibition game between the two teams, the majors got to the Mobile pitcher "Red" Bird in the sixth and score six runs, taking a lead the locals were unable to overcome, the final score being 11 to 7. The Browns scored their final runs of the game in the ninth inning with Moulton hurling for Mobile, gave two walks and "Baby Doll" Jacobson's home drive sending three runners across the plate. Ten years previous, "Baby Doll" Jacobson, as a member of the Mobile club, was pounding out the ball for Mobile in a like manner as he did this game.

March 23 – 1924

St. Louis Browns vs. Mobile Bears

One bad inning on the part of "Red" Bird, on the mound for Mobile, in the exhibition game yesterday afternoon at Monroe Park, made it possible for the St. Louis Browns to win 7 to 3, after the Bears had held the majors well in hand. Bird weakened in the ninth and the visiting leaguers took advantage of the break and scored 4 runs. The Bears showed two good hurlers Wiltse and Adkins – the latter performing like he was ready for some real work.

March 27 – 1924

St. Louis Browns vs. Mobile Bears

Loose play on the part of the Bears in the eighth inning and some real slugging by the St. Louis Browns lost the locals another ball game yesterday afternoon at Monroe Park 6 to 4. Dan Boone made his debut for Mobile in a regular game and the former Cleveland pitcher showed a good effort for three innings.

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April 1 – 1924

New York Yankees vs. Rochester

Approximately 5000 fans from Mobile watched the world's champion New York Yankees defeat the Rochester International League club yesterday afternoon at Monroe Park 8 to 2. Manager Miller Huggins of the Yankees used two of his ace hurlers, "Bullet" Joe Bush working the first five innings and Sam Jones pitching the last four innings. "Babe" Ruth furnished thrills for the Mobile fans with a clout over center field wall.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

New York: Witt, CF; Dugan, 3B; Johnson, 3B; Ruth, LF; Pipp, 1B; Gehrig, 1B; Meusel, RF; Ward, 2B; Scott, SS; Hoffman, C; Beugough, C; Bush, P; James, P

Rochester: Conlan, CF; Woodin, 2B; Griffin, LF; Merkle, 1B; Dwyer, CF; Lunte, 3B; Jenkins, SS; Lake, C; Moore, P; Karpp, P

Babe Ruth

"Babe" Ruth, king of swat, after the game yesterday at Monroe Park rushed out to Spring Hill College later yesterday afternoon and gave the students a few points on how to hit homers.

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April 2 – 1924

St. Louis Browns vs. Mobile Bears

If all the athletics in the lineup of the Mobile Bears hit as hard as their manager Emil Huhn yesterday afternoon in the final game of the exhibition series with the St. Louis Browns, chances are the locals would have been on the long end of a 10 to 6 score and not the majors. While suffering defeat, the Bears hit the ball hard yesterday securing more hits than in any of the many previous games with the big league outfit.

April 16 – 1924

Opening of the Southern League Season 1924

New Orleans vs. Mobile

Although a crowd of more than 9,000 people yelled themselves hoarse in an effort to get Emil Huhn's Bears down in front in the opening game of the Southern League season out at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon, they were forced to take a beating to begin the season, in a ten inning struggle, score 5 to 4.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

New Orleans: Bogart, LF; Schick, CF; Henry, 1B; Tucker, RF; Hoffman, 2B; Ewoldt, 3B; Jackson, SS; Doure, C; Whittaker, P; Cavet, P

"Pug" Cavet, who is now on the New Orleans line up, was a member of the Mobile club in 1913, when at that time he went to the Detroit team of the American League. He was the winning pitcher in yesterday's game.

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April 29 – 1924

Denny Williams

Williams, star outfielder of the Mobile Bears during 1922 and 1923, and who was sent to the Boston Red Sox for a trial this spring will be returned to Mobile at once, according to an announcement made yesterday afternoon by President R.M. Weinacker of the Mobile club.

Standing of the Southern League

Memphis, 9 – 4 – 694; Atlanta, 8 – 4 – 667; Little Rock, 7 – 4 – 636; New Orleans, 7 – 7 – 500; Birmingham, 7 – 7 – 500; Mobile, 6 – 7 – 462; Nashville, 5 – 6 – 455; Chattanooga; 2 – 12 – 143

May 31 – 1924

Standing of the Southern League

Memphis, 30 – 13 – 698; Atlanta, 22 – 17 – 564; Nashville, 23 – 19 – 548; New Orleans, 24 – 21 – 533; Mobile, 23 – 21 – 523; Birmingham, 20 – 23 – 465; Little Rock, 15 – 26 – 366; Chattanooga, 14 – 31 – 311

247. Mobile Register

Sep 22 – 1924

Atlanta vs. Mobile

Final Game of the 1924 Season

The 1924 base-ball season ended in Mobile in a forfeited game to Mobile 9 to 0, when Umpire Pfinninger gave the locals the contest with the score standing 7 to in their favor in the ninth inning with one man out and a runner on first base. In the final inning, Krehmeyer [Atlanta second baseman], sliding into third base, when Mann singled, hit the bag so hard he tore it from the mooring. Niehoff [Atlanta fielder] at bat, Krehmeyer then moved the bag from its original position a distance of about ten feet toward the plate. Pitcher Long [Mobile] tossed the ball to Rollings playing third for Mobile and Umpire Pfinninger declared the runner out. Manager Bert argued with the umpire, the umpire waved the runner from the park several times and the runner sat down on the bag and refused to leave.

Final Standing of the Southern League

Memphis, 104 – 49 – 680; Atlanta, 99 – 54 – 647; New Orleans, 93 – 60 – 608; Nashville, 78 – 75 – 510; Mobile, 68 – 84 – 447; Chattanooga, 63 – 89 – 414; Birmingham, 54 – 98 – 356; Little Rock, 51 – 101 – 336

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March 1 – 1925

Emile Huhn

Emile Huhn, first baseman and manager of the 1924 Mobile Bears, and Rhino Williams, the clubbing outfielder of 1924 Mobile Bears, have been transferred to the Dallas, Texas club. Huhn was with the Cincinnati Reds during the season of 1917 and Williams was an outfielder

with the Mobile Bears during the seasons of 1922, when Mobile won the pennant, and the seasons of 1923 and 1924, with the exception of a short stay with the Boston Red Sox in the 1924 season when he was returned to the Mobile team.

March 17 – 1925

Judge Kennesaw M. Landis

Montgomery, March 16 – Judge Landis, commissioner of organized baseball, will witness the exhibition game here on April 3 between the Cleveland Indians and the Mobile Bears.

March 22 – 1925

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

The Mobile Bears broke open the exhibition season of baseball at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon by staging a close battle with the Louisville Colonels, losing out by the score of 4 to 3.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

Louisville: Guyton, RF; Cotter, 1B; Anderson, LF; Shannon, SS; Tyson, CF; Bross, 3B; Gaffney, 2B; Walsh, C; Redmond, C; Dunlap, P; Hargrove, P; *Tincup; Holley, P

Mobile: Hargrave, 2B; Ducote, CF; Riley, 1B; De Vormer, C; Adams, C; Maguire, LF-CF; Wilkie, 3B; O'Brien, SS; Murray, P; Tuero, P; **Jones; Shaney, P

249. Mobile Item

April 1 – 1925

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

The Louisville American Association team closed its training season in Mobile this morning following the daily workout at Monroe Park. Inability on the part of the Colonels to hit the offerings of the Mobile pitchers, Tuero, Long and Blethen with any degree of success, cost them in the final game with the Mobile Bears yesterday afternoon, 2 to 1. The closing game of the spring season with the Colonels was featured by the fielding and hitting of Harry

Wilkie covering third base for the Bears and the fielding of Bitzel and Shannon for the Colonels.

April 2 – 1925

Boston Red Sox vs. Mobile Bears

The Red Sox won the first encounter of the series yesterday afternoon after a hectic battle, score 13 to 11. Left Fuhr, Johnny Heving, and Denny Williams, each a former star with Mobile, were in the lineup of the Boston Red Sox. Fuhr and Heving helped Bob Weinacker win the first pennant on the Southern League. Heving was a big factor at the bat during the 1923 season and was a catcher on the club.

The lineup of the two teams was as following:

Boston: Williams, CF; Prothro, 3B; Boone, RF; Harris, 1B; Veach, LF; Gross, SS; Rogell, 2B; Heving, C; Picinich, C; Fuhr, P; Fullerton, P; *Tops; Wood, P; Ross, P; *Flagstad; **Veach; Kallio, P

Mobile: Mulvey, CF; Donahue, RF; Riley, 1B; Ducote, C; Jones, LF; Wilkie, 3B; Kelly, 2B; O'Brien, SS; Welzer, P; Ellis, P; *Hargrave; Stanley, P; **Maguire; Chase, P

250. Mobile Item

April 3 – 1925

Boston Red Sox vs. Mobile Bears

The Mobile club humbled the Boston Red Sox yesterday afternoon in the final game of the series, winning from the three leading pitchers on the staff of the Navy Bean town aggregation by the score of 5 to 4.

April 4 – 1925

Cleveland Indians vs. Mobile Bears

The Mobile Bears returned home this morning from Montgomery where they played the Cleveland Indians yesterday afternoon in Cramton Bowl and lost a 7 to 3 decision.

The lineup of the two teams was as following:

Cleveland: Jamieson, LF; Spurgeon, 3B; Speaker, SS; Yowell, P; J. Sewell, SS; L. Sewell, C; Stephenson, RF; Knode, 1B; Fewster, 2B; Klugman, 2B; Buckeye, P; *Lee, CF

Mobile: Mulvey, CF; Donahue, RF; Riley, 1B; Ducote, C; Jones, LF; Wilkie, 3B; Kelly, 2B; O'Brien, SS; Blethen, P; Long, P; Atkins, P; **Hargraves

April 6 – 1925

Washington Senators vs. Mobile Bears

Mobile battled the world Champions yesterday afternoon, outhitting them, but the locals lost the engagement 5 to 3.

The lineup of the Washington Senators was as following:

McNeely, CF; Harris, 2B; Rice, RF; Goslin, LF; Judge, 1B; Bluege, 2B; Ruel, C; Tate, C; Johnson, P; Mogridge, P; Russell, P

June 17 – 1925

Leroy ("Cowboy") Jones, sensational young outfielder of the Mobile team, has been sold to the Washington Senators for fall delivery.

251. Mobile Register

Sep 21 – 1925

Mobile vs. New Orleans

New Orleans, Sep 20 – And a good time was had by all. Frolicking around like so many school children, 23 New Orleans Pelicans and Mobile Bears today put over the last act of their 1925 drama entitled, "The Southern League Pennant Race" by treating the fair-sized throng to an exhibition of what baseball players really can do in the way of furnishing entertainment when restrictions are lifted.

Under the torrid sun, the slim Sunday gathering was treated to what it expected – a typical last game between two clubs out of the running, but apparently jubilant that the uniforms

were to be packed away until next spring. The final score was 15 to 5 in favor of the Pelicans, but who cares what the final score was?

Final Standing of the Southern League

Atlanta, 87 – 67 – 565; New Orleans, 85 – 68 – 556; Nashville, 81 – 72 – 530; Memphis, 80 – 73 – 523; Mobile, 73 – 78 – 483; Chattanooga, 71 – 82 – 464; Birmingham, 67 – 85 – 441; Little Rock, 67 – 86 – 438

Bert Niehoff, manager of the pennant winning Atlanta of 1925 was the manager of the Mobile Bears in 1922 when the Mobile team won the pennant. "Pug" Cavet, who pitched the Crackers to a 7 to 2 victory over the Forth Worth Panthers in the Dixie Series, was one of Mobile's star pitchers in the years 1912-1913, before he climbed into the major league team, the Detroit Tigers.

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253. HAS TWO DRAWINGS OF PLAYER AL DEMAREE ALONG WITH THE CAPTION:

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March 7 – 1925

Al Demaree, former pitcher of the New York Giants and other major league clubs, now sports cartoonist. He will be remembered by baseball fans as a member of the Mobile "Gulls" for several years, going up to the New York Giants in the closing season of 1912 from Mobile.

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March 14 – 1926

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

Emmet "Pinch" Mulvey, Mobile favorite recently purchased by Louisville, broke up the opening exhibition ball game against his old mates at Monroe Park yesterday afternoon when his circuit drive in the eighth inning over the right field wall scored two runners ahead of him and Louisville won by a score of 7 to 4.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

Louisville: Mulvey, CF; Shanks, 3B; B, Cross, 1B; Anderson, LF; Ellis, RF; Gaffney, 2B; Rutherford, SS; Devormer, C; Maas, C; Holly, P; Koob, P; *Michot; Wilkinson, P

Mobile: D. Williams, CF; Chancy, 2B; [Leopp], LF; Donahue, RF; Shirley, 1B; Susco, 1B; Hood, SS; Welch; SS; Rollings, 3B; Richie, C; Adams, C; [McEvory], P; Adkins, P; Heath; Tutwiler

March 15 – 1926

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

The Mobile Bears treated the Louisville Colonels rather shabbily yesterday afternoon by defeating the American Association champions 6 to 2. A home run by Pete Susco, a recruit on first base, defeated the Kentuckians as two runs went in on the drive. Manager Lewis exhibited three of his youngsters and they gave a good account of themselves.

255. Mobile Register

March 18 – 1926

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

The Mobile Bears, composed mostly of recruits, feasted heavily off the Louisville Colonels in the third exhibition game of the training season, mopping up the Colonels 8 to 2. "Mule" Shirley, Mobile first baseman, and George Valentine, a right-hand pitecher, came through with home-runs.

March 25 – 1926

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

The Louisville Colonels defeated the Mobile Bears in the fifth exhibition game yesterday afternoon. As they had won the fourth exhibition game several days ago, they went ahead in the spring series. The teams will go through regular practice routine for the rest of the week, resuming their exhibition games Saturday.

March 29 – 1926

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

After losing the sixth exhibition game with the Louisville Colonels Saturday, the Mobile Bears out played the Colonels and won the seventh game of the season's practice games by a score of 3 to 2 yesterday afternoon at Monroe Park.

April 1 – 1926

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

The Mobile Bears told the Louisville Colonels goodbye yesterday by handing them the worst beating the 1925 American Association champs absorbed in the entire series of eight games: it was the final contest of the series, which is a tie by virtue of the Bears 3 to 0 victory. Oscar Fuhr, the left-handed sensation of the 1922 season, was on the mound for Mobile to earn credit for the shutout game.

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Aug 15 – 1926

Standing of the Southern League

New Orleans, 79 – 39 – 670; Birmingham, 69 – 45 – 605; Memphis, 71 – 48 – 597; Nashville, 61 – 55 – 526; Atlanta, 57 – 58 – 497; Mobile, 48 – 68 – 414; Chattanooga, 41 – 72 – 363; Little Rock, 38 – 79 – 325

Aug 31 – 1926

Standing of the Southern League

New Orleans, 87 – 46 – 654; Birmingham, 76 – 49 – 608; Memphis, 79 – 53 – 599; Nashville, 70 – 58 – 547; Atlanta, 61 – 68 – 473; Mobile, 52 – 80 – 394; Chattanooga, 48 – 80 – 375; Little Rock, 45 – 84 – 349

Final Standing of the Southern League

New Orleans, 101 – 53 – 658; Memphis, 95 – 57 – 625; Birmingham, 87 – 61 – 588; Nashville, 83 – 68 – 550; Atlanta, 75 – 76 – 497; Chattanooga, 55 – 94 – 369; Mobile, 56 – 96 – 368; Little Rock, 51 – 98 – 342

257. Mobile Register

March 9 -1927

Denny Williams

Denny Williams with the famous Mobile pennant winning team of 1922 arrived in the city yesterday and reported to Milton Stock, manager of the 1927 Mobile Bears. The Bears probably will train at the Maxon field [Ann and Tennessee streets] for the last time Friday [March 11]. The Bears will play the first exhibition game of the season, meeting the Louisville Colonels, who are training in the morning at Maxon field.

March 20 – 1927

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

The regulars of the Louisville Colonels AA champions, with two of their ace hurlers on the mound, defeated Milton Stock's Mobile Bears yesterday afternoon by a close score of 4 to 2 at the new ball park on Ann and Tennessee streets. The line up of the two teams was as following:

Louisville: Lewan, RF; Gaffney, 2B; Brooks, CF; Rosenthal, LF; Shannon, SS; Boone, SS; Cotton, 1B; Shanks, 3B; Meyer; Wicker, C; McMullen, C; Tincup; *Riffe; Williams, P

Mobile: Williams, LF; Leopp, CF; Susko, RF; Wilms, 3B; Hood, LF; Herrera, 2B; Schreiber, SS; [Talpis], SS; Gibson, 1B; Palm, C; Query, C; Oeschger, P; Settlemire, P; Bell, P

258. Mobile Register

March 27 – 1927

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

Mobile errors behind pitchers Eddie Morris and Howard Merritt, the latter making his debut for the spring season, gave the Louisville Colonels the game yesterday afternoon 5 to 4. The Kentucky club won the game in the seventh inning with Merritt on the mound for Mobile. "Hoot" Gibson, young infield from El Paso, Texas, who is trying out at first base with Milton Stock's pennant chasers of 1927 furnished the small crowd of fans with some real thrills with his batting. "Hoot" sent the ball to the far corner of leftfield for a triple.

April 1 – 1927

Hartwell Field

Mobile's new ball park at Ann and Tennessee streets will be known as Hartwell Field. This announcement was made yesterday afternoon following a meeting of the board of directors of that organization. The resolution recited that Mayor Hartwell was active in preventing the sale of the Mobile baseball franchise to Jacksonville, Fla.

Cy Anderson

Anderson, first baseman for the Chattanooga ball club, will come to Mobile. Anderson has been in the Southern League for several years and in 147 games last year he batted 281. Anderson hit 31 doubles, 5 triples and 5 home runs.

April 3 – 1927

Ty Cobb and Eddie Collins are now employed by Connie Mack and glad they made the change.

259. Mobile Register

April 5 – 1927

Brooklyn Robins vs. Mobile Bears

The Brooklyn National League club won from Mobile Bears yesterday afternoon at Hartwell Field 6 to 5, but it was not much to their credit, as it was young George Bell, a rookie

hurler, they defeated. Eddie Morris, former Nashville Vol, was the starting performer for Mobile, and he had the Dodgers at his mercy, striking out five of the visiting major leaguers and permitting just three hits in five innings.

The lineup of the two teams was as following:

Brooklyn: Statz, LF; Carey, CF; Hendrick, RF; Herman, 1B; Barrett, 3B; Partridge, 2B; Corgan, SS; Hargraves, C; McGraw, P; Clark, P

Mobile: Williams, CF; Susko, RF; Stock, 2B; Hood, LF; Herrera, 3B; Schreiber, SS; "Hoot" Gibson, 1B; Query, C; Morris, P; Bell, P; *Palm

260. Mobile Register

April 13 – 1927

Opening Game of the Southern League and First Season at Hartwell Field

New Orleans vs. Mobile

The Mobile Bears lost the opening game of the season to the New Orleans Pelicans yesterday afternoon before a record-breaking crowd of 9,303 fans who filled the park to overflowing.

The line up of the two clubs was as following:

New Orleans: Mulvey, CF; Gardner, SS; Morgan, RF; Davis, 1B; Deal, 3B; Blakesley, LF; Ewoldt, 2B; Lingle, C; Osbourne, P

Mobile: Williams, CF; Susko, RF; Stock, 2B; Hood, LF; Herrera, 3B; Schreiber, SS; Anderson, 1B; Query, C; Morris, P; *Welch

New Orleans	0 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 2 – 6
Mobile	0 0 1	0 0 0	0 2 0 – 3

April 19 -1927

Mobile vs. Memphis

Memphis, April 18 – In a pretty duel of pitching, the Mobile Bears won their first game of the season with Memphis, 2 to 1.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

Mobile: Williams, CF; Anderson, 1B; Stock, 2B; Hood, LF; Welch, 3B; Herrera, SS; Susko, RF; Query, C; Glazner, P

Memphis: Engle, SS; Klugman, 2B; Barber, CF; Smith, LF; Standert, 3B; Ferrell, RF; Schmandt, 1B; McKee, C; Morton, P

261. NEWSPAPER CLIPPING OF A PHOTOGRAPH OF HOLLYWOOD STAR HOOT GIBSON WITH THE FOLLOWING CAPTION

March 27 – 1927

“Hoot” Gibson, trying out for an infield position, with Milton Stock’s pennant chasing Mobile Bears of 1927.

262. Mobile Register

March 15 – 1928

The Mobile Bears defeat the Louisville Colonels again 9 to 5.

The Bears went to the front in the fifth inning and from then on held the command. The Mobile Bears having won the first game of the series by a score of 12 to 6 the day previous.

March 19 – 1928

Shaner’s pinch hit blow aids in third victory for Mobile vs. the Louisville Colonels 5 to 2.

Walker Shaner, slugger extraordinary of Manager Stock's outfield candidates, sent in to bat for Ray Pierce in the sixth inning of Sunday's exhibition game, rapped out a single, scoring two needed runs. Shaner was with the Cleveland Indians in 1924 and with the Boston Red Sox in 1926-27.

March 22 – 1928

The Mobile Bears wallop the Louisville Colonels fourth consecutive time 11 to 6

The final run of the contest was a home run by Bill Mizeur, left-hander, who will play left field this year for the Bears. Mizeur came to Mobile in the spring of 1927 from Terra Haute. He was with the St. Louis Browns in 1923.

March 25 – 1928

The Mobile Bears win fifth straight game from the Louisville Colonels 4 to 3

Whitney Glazner and Ray Pierce was the hurlers for the Mobile Bears and Ernie Koob and Benjamin Tecumseh Tincup was on the mound for the Louisville Colonels. Tincup is a full blood Indian pitcher.

March 31 – 1928

The Columbus American Association team who did their spring training at Gulfport will be the attraction at Hartwell Field for the next three afternoons. Along with the Columbus team is Johnny Tobin, who trained in Mobile with the St. Louis Browns for several seasons.

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April 12 – 1928

New Orleans vs. Mobile

Larry Gilbert's New Orleans ball club took up where it left off by way of beginning the 1928 season out at Hartwell Field yesterday afternoon when the Pelicans downed Milton Stock's

Bears, score 3 to 1, despite the fact that the Orleans entry collected three lonsome base hits during the afternoon while Stock's athletes were gathering eight.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

New Orleans: Akers, SS; Vick, LF; Eichrodt, CF; Tucker, RF; Davis, 1B; McCarren, 2B; Segrit, 3B; Anderson, C; Karr, P

Mobile: Narlesky, SS; Kimmick, 3B; Shaner, CF; Mizeur, LF; Welch, RF; Niehaus, 1B; Eggert, 2B; Cousineau, C; Morton, P; *Brakefield; Welzer, P; **Stock

April 13 – 1928

New Orleans vs. Mobile

The Mobile team came back at the New Orleans Pelicans yesterday afternoon in the second and final game of the short series in Mobile with a terrific vengeance, wiped out the small defeat of the day before and rubbed the victory in hard and plenty. The Bears compelled Larry Gilbert to parade four of his pitchers and use a pinch hitter to try to halt the overwhelming slaughter that Milton Stock's charges handed him, but without the slightest degree of success, the Bears serving them a 11 to 0 beating. Glazner's sensational pitching effort is seen in the fact that not a Pelican reached second base throughout the afternoon.

264. Mobile Register

Sep 17 – 1928

Mobile vs. New Orleans

New Orleans, Sep 16 – Dropping the curtain on the 1928 season, New Orleans took a ten inning game from the Bears here this afternoon, score 1 to 0. The second game was called at the end of the fourth inning with the Pels in the lead 4 to 1. Whitney Galzer, veteran righthander for Mobile, lost a heartbreaker in the first game

Final Standing of the Southern League

Memphis, 51 – 26 – 662; Birmingham, 49 – 28 – 638; Little Rock, 43 – 37 – 538;
Chattanooga, 37 – 41 – 474; Mobile, 35 – 40 – 467; New Orleans, 33 – 41 – 446; Atlanta,
35 – 46 – 432; Nashville, 28 – 52 – 350

Oct 1 – 1928

Final Standing of the Major League

National

St. Louis, 95 – 59 – 617; New York, 93 – 61 – 604; Chicago, 91 – 63 – 591; Pittsburg, 85 –
67 – 559; Cincinnati, 78 – 74 – 513; Brooklyn, 77 – 76 – 504; Boston, 50 – 103 – 327;
Philadelphia, 43 – 109 – 283

American

New York, 101 – 53 – 656; Philadelphia, 98 – 55 – 641; St. Louis, 82 – 72 – 532;
Washington, 75 – 79 – 481; Chicago, 72 – 82 – 468; Detroit, 68 – 86 – 442; Cleveland, 62
– 92 – 403; Boston, 57 – 96 – 368

265. DRAWINGS OF PLAYERS WALTER SHANNER, 1928; BILL MIZEUR, 1928; BABE ERWIN,
1928; DUTCH WELCH, 1928; AND A PLAYER NAMED CRONIN WITH THE WASHINGTON
SENATORS

266. DRAWINGS OF PLAYERS ED MORRIS, 1927; JAMES HEVING, 1923-24; PHILADELPHIA
A'S MANAGER CONNIE MACK; AND "RUBY" ROBERT HASTY, PITCHER, MOBILE BEARS AND
PHILADELPHIA ATHLETICS

267. Mobile Register

March 25 – 1929

Denny Williams, fielder of the Mobile Bears in the year 1922, 23, 24, was sold to the Boston Red Sox in the fall of 1924. Williams remained with the Boston Red Sox for two years, after which time he returned to Mobile and rejoined the Mobile Bears in the spring of 1927.

In the fall of 1927, Williams returned to the Boston Red Sox and the next year he was sent to the Portland, Oregon Pacific Coast club.

Sunday, March 24, Mrs. Theling Duff Williams, wife of Denny Williams, a daughter of Mrs. W.E. Duff, 854 Marine Street, was notified of the death of her husband, who was killed in an automobile wreck near San Clemente, California. News of the death of Williams, the famous "Dynamite" of Mobile clubs, cast a gloom over fans in Mobile and in other Southern League cities, as he as a ball player who was the idol of fandom.

Mrs. Williams, accompanied by her young daughter and her mother, left Mobile at 1 o'clock Sunday [yesterday afternoon] for Portland to attend the funeral.

May 12 – 1929

Narlesky

Narlesky, former Mobile star and now with the Boston Red Sox is batting .385. Narlesky played shortstop for Mobile during the 1928 season.

Mobile Register

June 3 – 1929

Guy Morton, pitcher for Mobile Bears, was with the Cleveland Indians in the 1920 baseball season and helped the Cleveland club win their first pennant.

268. Mobile Register

March 25 – 1929

The Mobile Bears break into column of victories when Ben Tincup [Louisville hurler] walked in the base-loaded run in the last half of the ninth inning. The result of the game was 7 to 6, in favor of the Mobile Bears. Tincup, the Louisville hurler, is a full blood Indian.

March 28 – 1929

Mobile Bears defeat the Louisville Colonels 10 to 6

The Mobile Bears, after being held hitless and runless for five innings put on an exhibition of run making in the sixth inning of the fourth exhibition game yesterday afternoon with the Louisville Colonels and defeated them 10 to 6.

Lou Gehrig, slugging first sacker with the New York Yankees, will show his prowess with the stick here next Monday, when the worlds' champions meet the Mobile Bears in an exhibition game at Hartwell Field. Babe Ruth, Miller Huggins, and other stars of the baseball team will be seen by local fans.

Lou Gehrig, Ruth's teammate, who led the "Bambino" for the great part of the season of 1927 with home runs, was the American Leagues runner-up to Ruth with 47 homers. Ruth's sixtieth home run and a record which has never been broken, was made against the Washington Senators in New York Sep 30th. When the score was tied in the eighth inning, Koenig tripled and came in as Ruth shattered his old mark of 59 homers with a bull machine shot to the right field stands.

269. Mobile Register

April 1 – 1929

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

With their teammates turning in their best performance of the spring exhibition games from a fielding viewpoint, Ivy Andrews and George Bell, two young right-handers, pitched the Mobile Bears to victory over the 1929 Louisville Colonels yesterday afternoon at Hartwell Field 5 to 2.

Ben Tincup, the Indian right-hander, started the game for Louisville, went wild in the third inning and the Mobile Bears took the lead at that time in the game.

April 2 – 1929

New York Yankees vs. Mobile Bears

The Mobile Bears lost their exhibition game with the New York Yankees at Hartwell Field yesterday afternoon by a score of 3 to 1, but they furnished 6,000 fans with plenty of action.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

New York Yankees: Coombs, CF; Koenig, 3B; Ruth, RF; Funk, RF; Gehrig, 1B; Meusel, LF; Lazzeri, 2B; Dorchester (PROBABLY SUPPOSED TO BE DUROCHER), SS; Dickey, C; Grabowski, C; Hoyt, P; Heimach, P

Mobile: Susko, CF; Brennan, 3B; Welch, LF; Klumpp, LF; Clabaugh, RF; Stuvengen, 1B; Eggert, 2B; Taylor, SS; Moore, C; Koob, P; *Lenihan; Johnson, P; Morton, P

With the home run kings of the American League in the lineup, Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig, who went homerunless in the game. The only homerun hit in the game was by "Moose" Clabaugh, Mobile Bears fielder.

270. Mobile Register

April 4 – 1929

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

The final game of the exhibition series between the Mobile Bears and the Louisville Colonels at Hartwell Field yesterday afternoon resulted in the American Association club nosing out the locals 4 to 3.

In the series of six games played by the two clubs they split even by each winning three and losing three.

The lineup of the two teams in this last contest was as following:

Louisville: Simons, CF; Sicking, 2B; Ganz, LF; Carey, RF; Smith, RF; Shannon, 3B; Loftus, 1B; Olivares, SS; Thompson, C; Moss, P; Maple, P

Mobile: Susko, CF; ***Brakefield; Brennan, 3B; Klumpp, LF; Clabaugh, RF; Stuvengen, 1B; Eggert, 2B; Taylor, SS; Mackey, C; Long, P; *Rutherford; Mulroney, P; **Lenihan

April 6 – 1929

Brooklyn Dodgers vs. Mobile Bears

Wilbert Robinson's Brooklyn Dodgers, who have won but few exhibition games this spring and have been doing but little hitting, gave the Mobile Bears the worst beating they have received out of eight exhibition games played at Hartwell Field. The Dodgers won out 11 to 5, scoring ten of their runs off Marty Griffin, former Fort Worth hurler, by batting his slants for nine safe blows.

The great Dizzie Vance was in the lineup as one of Brooklyn's pitchers for two innings.

271.

Base Ball in Mobile

Sep 16 – 1929

Final Standing of the Southern Association

Birmingham, 94 – 60 – 614; Nashville, 90 – 64 – 586; New Orleans, 90 – 63 – 585; Memphis, 88 – 66 – 571; Atlanta, 78 – 74 – 513; Little Rock, 63 – 90 – 412; Mobile, 56 – 94 – 373; Chattanooga, 55 – 99 – 358

(PERCENTAGES FOR NASHVILLE AND NEW ORLEANS ARE INCORRECT. NEW ORLEANS SHOULD BE SECOND WITH A 588 PCT, WHILE NASHVILLE SHOULD BE THIRD WITH A 584 PCT)

Ed Morris, the big right-hander, who went to the majors from the Mobile Bears club where he was on the pitching staff during the 1927 season, saw the New York Yankees defeat Mobile yesterday afternoon.

Morris will remain over in Mobile and pitch Sunday [March 30] for the Boston Red Sox against the Mobile Bears.

Morris' presence around New York Yankee bench during the game yesterday caused much speculation. The Yankees have been after Morris, but Bob Quinn, Boston leader, wants two other Yankees for him and some coin.

Big Ed won 33 games for the tail-end Red Sox the last two seasons.

Morris is the greatest Boston star since the days Babe Ruth was with Boston and is the pitcher the Yanks need to qualify them as a pennant contender

272. DRAWINGS OF BABE RUTH AND TY COBB

273. Mobile Register

March 14 – 1930

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

Jimmy Hamilton's Mobile club treated its guest, the Louisville Colonels, rather roughly yesterday afternoon at Hartwell Field in the first exhibition game of the season by handing them a 9 to 2 beating.

The lineup of the two teams was as following:

Louisville: Simmons, LF; Herman, CF; Layne, CF; Brannon, 1B; Luckey, 1B; Merville, RF; Nachand, 3B; Funk, SS; Pierce, C; Hopewell, C; Deberry, P; Hatter, P; Brown, P; *Thompson

Mobile Bears: Stumpp, CF; Mulvey, LF; Welch, RF; Chapman, 3B; Hoffman, 2B; Wright, 1B; Green, C; Lipscombe, SS; Harmon, P; McKay, P; *Minatree; Kiger, P; **Hill; Haik, P

March 17 – 1930

Boston Red Sox vs. Mobile Bears

In an exhibition game played at Pensacola yesterday between the Boston Red Sox and the Mobile Bears, the Mobile team took it on the chin 9 to 1 in defeat.

The lineup of the two teams was as following:

Boston: Reeves, 3B; Holman, 3B; Rhyne, SS; Narlesky, SS; Oliver, CF; Cisero, CF; Scarrett, LF; Winsett, RF; Regan, 2B; Todt, 1B; Sweeney, 1B; Berry, C; (ILLEGIBLE), C; Ruffing, P; Russell, P; Smith, P

Mobile: Stumpp, CF; Mulvey, LF; Welch, RF; Chapman, 3B; Hoffman, 2B; Wright, 1B; Green, C; Hill, C; Lipscomb, SS; Wilson, P; Roberts, P; Kiger, P; Green, P

274. Mobile Register

March 30 – 1930

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

Getting way to a lead of eight runs in the first inning through a home run clout by catcher Dewey Hill, a double by first baseman Reb Russell, aided by wildness of the Louisville pitcher Creson and Ober, the Mobile Bears easily won their second exhibition game yesterday afternoon from the Louisville Colonels by at Hartwell Field 14 to 7.

March 24

Louisville Colonels vs. Mobile Bears

The Louisville Colonels won the third exhibition yesterday afternoon at Hartwell Field by a score of 6 to 2, featuring home runs.

The lineup of the two teams was as following:

Louisville: Herman, 2B; Layne, LF; Nachand, LF; Smith, RF; Merville, RF; Brannon, 1B; Luckey, 1B; Simons, CF; Ganzel, 3B; Olivares, SS; *McFarland; Funk, SS; Barnes, C; Weinert, P; Penner, P

Mobile: Dumas, CF; Stumpp, LF; Standaert, 3B; Hoffman, 3B; Russell, 1B; Wright, 1B; Chapman, 2B; Mulvey, RF; Welch, RF; Longnecker, SS; Minatree, C; Hill, C; McCall, P; Kline, P; *Burdick

275. Mobile Register

March 26 – 1930

New York Giants vs. Mobile Bears

After losing the first exhibition game with the New York Giants March 24, by a score of 5 to 4, the Mobile Bears went wild with their bats yesterday afternoon at Hartwell Field to defeat the New Yorkers 17 to 5.

Stumpp, leftfielder for Mobile, collects a home run and doubles were made by first baseman Wright, rightfielder Welch, second baseman Chapman, and Wright also got a triple in the game.

The lineup of the two teams in this game was as following:

New York: Allen, SS; Fitzgerald, CF; Crawford, 3B; Leslie, 1B; Healy, C; Leveque, RF; McWilliams, 2B; Powley, LF-P; Haisel, P; *Tenant; Brush, LF

Mobile: Welch, RF; Stumpp, LF; Standaert, 3B; Hoffman, 3B; Wright, 1B; Chapman, 2B; Mulvey, CF; Longnecker, SS; Sullivan, C; Maple, P; Green, P, *Hill; Wilson P

276. Mobile Register

March 29 – 1930

New York Yankees vs. Mobile Bears

The New York Yankees defeated the Mobile Bears yesterday 11 to 1. The game was played in almost freezing weather.

The contest for four innings was close, the visitors scoring twin in that period with the aid of errors. The American leaguers scored in groups in the seventh and eighth innings off John Wilson, a rookie hurler from the Eastern League.

The lineup of the two teams was as following:

New York Yankees: Combs, CF; Byrd, CF; Koenig, SS; Lary, SS; Ruth, LF; Gehrig, 1B; Lazzeri, 2B; Russ, 2B; Cooke, RF; B. Chapman, 3B; Dickey, C; Van Pelt, P; Gomez, P

Mobile Bears: Dumas, CF; Stumpp, LF; Staudaert, 3B; Russell, RF; J. Chapman, 2B; Hill, C; Sullivan, C; Wright, 1B; Longnecker, SS; Brown, P; Roberts, P; Wilson, P

277. Mobile Register

March 31 – 1930

Boston Red Sox vs. Mobile Bears

After losing the first exhibition game with the Boston Red Sox 7 to 2, the Mobile Bears faced the Boston club again yesterday at Hartwell Field in the second exhibition game and lost again 6 to 2.

In the second game, the Bears faced two pitchers, Ed Morris and Ed Durham, who were both pitchers for Mobile before they went up to the major league.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

Boston: Holman, 3B; Narlesky, SS; Cicero, CF; Winsett, LF; Barrett, RF; Miller, 2B; Sweeney, 1B; Connolly, C; Morris, P; Durham P

Mobile: Dumas, CF; Stumpp, LF; Staudaert, 3B; Russell, 1B; Chapman, RF; Hill, C; Sullivan, C; Minatree, C; Hoffman, 2B; Longnecker, SS; *Welch; Maple, P; Lindstrom, P; **Wright

April 1 – 1930

Boston Red Sox vs. Mobile Bears

The Bears passed up several opportunities to take the final game of the Boston Red Sox series at Hartwell Field yesterday afternoon and lost 5 to 3 by failing to hit when the bases were occupied.

278. Mobile Register

April 10 – 1930

Pittsburgh Pirates vs. Mobile Bears

Showing plenty of hustle, the Mobile Bears defeated the Pittsburgh Pirates, in the first game of their series, 9 to 6 at Hartwell Field yesterday afternoon.

April 11 – 1930

Pittsburgh Pirates vs. Mobile Bears

The Bears put on a fighting front yesterday afternoon at Hartwell Field and with a ninth inning rally defeated the Pittsburgh club 6 to 5. Coming to the plate in the ninth two runs back the Bears staged a batting rally and scored three runs and won out.

The line up of the two teams was as following:

Pittsburgh: Breckell, CF; Saurey, 3B; Grantham, 2B; Masolf, RF; Comorsky, LF; Suhr, 1B; Clark, 3B; L. Waner, CF; Engle, SS; Hargraves, C; Meine, P

Mobile: Dumas, CF; Stumpp, LF; Chapman, 2B; Russell, 1B; Welch, RF; Hoffmann, 3B; Hill, C; Longnecker, SS; Roberts, P; *Lamb; Kline, P; **Minatree; Harmon, P

279. Mobile Register

Sep 15 – 1930

Standings of the Southern League

Memphis, 96 – 55 – 636; New Orleans, 91 – 61 – 599; Birmingham, 85 – 68 – 556;
Atlanta, 84 – 69 – 549; Little Rock, 81 – 73 – 527; Chattanooga, 67 – 87 – 435; Nashville,
66 – 87 – 431; Mobile, 40 – 112 – 263

Standings of the Major Leagues

National League: St. Louis, 92 – 62 – 597; New York, 90 – 64 – 584; Brooklyn, 86 – 68 –
558; Pittsburgh, 80 – 74 – 519; Boston, 70 – 84 – 455; Cincinnati, 59 – 95 – 383;
Philadelphia, 52 – 102 – 338

American League: Philadelphia, 102 – 52 – 662; Washington, 94 – 60 – 610; New York, 86
– 68 – 558; Cleveland, 81 – 78 – 526; Detroit, 75 – 79 – 486; St. Louis, 64 – 90 – 416;
Chicago, 62 – 92 – 403; Boston, 52 – 102 – 338

280. A REPEAT OF THE FINAL STANDINGS FROM THE 1930 SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
STANDINGS FOUND ON PAGE 279. ALSO INCLUDES DRAWINGS OF PLAYERS ED BROWN,
JONNY CHAPMAN, DUTCH WELCH, JERRY STANDT, DEWEY HILL, AND ONE UNNAMED.