

## Red Callahan

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are put back into playing condition. Nearly all the players who have reported so far are in good condition and are ready at any moment to jump in and play first-class ball. Manager Phillippe has about selected his team which will line up against the Indianapolis for the opening game of the Federal league here on May 6. In the outfield he has decided on Callahan, Sellers and Fisher. The latter two have traveled in big league company and are expected to fit in the Fils' outfield in good style.

Fisher was with the New York American team, while Sellers held down a berth several years ago with the Philadelphia Athletics. Callahan needs no introduction here, having played with the Pittsburgh United States league team last year.

In the infield Phillippe can rely on Ed-

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are experienced in handling large crowds in the past.

Manager Phillippe has practically selected the players who will complete the outfield of the local team. "Red" Callahan, the popular Carnegie boy, who was with the United States League team last year, is a fixture in right field. In left field and in the middle garden, Manager Phillippe has two experienced players who have seen service in the big league. Fisher, who according to his showing so far, will be in left field, was a member of the New York American League several years ago. He played in a number of games with that team but as the New York team at that time was well fortified with outfielders, Fisher was sent to the Western League. Sellers, who will be the guardian of the center pasture, was formerly with Boston of the American League team. He is a fast man and can get anything that comes near him, no matter on which side the ball is hit. At the bat Sellers is expected to prove his worth for the local team.

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### Carnegie Boys Win for Akron.

AKRON, O., May 8.—(Special.)—Jimmy Callahan, a Carnegie boy, won a 10-4 game for Akron over Youngstown this afternoon by singling past the infield and bringing in a man from third. Errors and batting kept the game see-sawing. Callahan also made a great catch in the seventh inning. The score was 9 to 4.

Unearned Victory for Zanesville

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### CALLAHAN IS OUT.

Jimmy Callahan, the popular outfielder, is no longer with the Akron team. Jimmy has returned to his home in Carnegie, Pa., and may remain out of the game the balance of the season. Callahan did not play in his usual form after returning to Akron, and it is said that he realized this was the case. He therefore decided to return home for a while.

## Popular Outfielder Will Join Akron Team.

Jimmy Callahan, the clever little outfielder, who was with Akron part of last season, will be a member of East's aggregation in 1906. Jimmy has affixed his signature to an Akron contract and will likely be seen in right garden. He is now at his home in Carnegie, Pa., and taking the best of care of himself. Manager East has also signed Frank Burke, an outfielder, who was with Massillon a short time last season, and hails from McKeesport. Infielder H. J. Briney is another player who will be given a try-out on the Akron team. Briney lives in Allegheny and is said to be not only a fast fielder, but also clever with the willow. The contracts signed by

Tim Callahan, who is drafted by the Springfield Three-I team, also contributed a fielding record. Tim played 83 games in right field without an error and 27 in middle with one error, giving him 110 games with but one clinker.

pay. Work of reducing the squad will be continued when the Indianapolis management will probably find places for pitcher Rube Reynolds and outfielder Callahan. Both recruits were with the club last spring, but were farmed out after the season started. Burke would like to keep a string to both players and probably they will be disposed of in a similar manner this year.

## CALLAHAN IS HERE.

Jimmy Callahan, who will be seen again with Akron in the outfield this season, arrived in the city from noon. Cal is in fine fettle and expects to show some of the other outfielders how to field and also handle the stick. "Wee Willie" Kommer Infielder Butler, and Third Baseman Church are the only players now un-

## CALLAHAN SIGNS WITH INDIANAPOLIS

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28.—The little holdout colony of the Indians dwindled to two men today when Outfielder James Callahan, a recruit tried out last year by former Manager Carr, sent in his signed contract. Gustav Gets, third baseman, and Dave Milligan, outfielder, are yet without a fold.

Manager Carr held on to Callahan until the last minute last year before he was farmed to the Rock Island club of the Three-I league, where he had a good season. He showed up well during some of the early games that year and it is believed that he will make a strong bid for a regular berth with Burke's men.

Outfielder Callahan of the Indiana goes to Terre Haute to replace Courtney and Curtis, minor outfielders, who have been released by Smith.

# TIM CALLAHAN BOUGHT BY NAPS

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Tim Callahan, one of the speediest fielders and hardest hitters who ever played with the Akron club, has been sold to the Cleveland American league team, by the Springfield club of the Three I league for which aggregation he has been doing sensational work this season. Callahan was drafted from Akron by Springfield last fall. He was purchased by the Naps along with Outfielder George





## TIM CALLAHAN JOINS CLEVELAND SEPT. 26

Tim Callahan, former Akron right and middle fielder, was drafted by Cleveland from Springfield, Ill., of the Three-I league. Manager McGuire picked Tim while he was on the road as the Naps' scout. Callahan is to report to Cleveland September 26, when the Three-I season will be over.

This will be Callahan's second trial in the big show. Hans Wagner, whose neighbor Tim is in Carnegie, Pa., got the little Irishman on with the New York Giants five years ago. The Giants landed in Pittsburg shy an outfielder and on Hans' recommendation Manager McGraw gave Callahan a trial. Tim faced Pittsburg's pitcher four times and four times he fanned.

"This league is too blamed fast for me," Tim told me that evening," Hans related while in this city to see Bonesetter Reese a couple of

weeks ago. "McGraw liked his speed and tried to persuade him to stay, but Tim had enough."

Callahan was brought out by Charlie Crow the year before the O. & P. league was organized, Callahan's first professional game being with Niles. Akron induced Tim to leave Niles the following season and he was with Akron three years, always playing a good game. He was always one of the fastest base runners and run getters in the O. & P. league and his fielding was generally faultless. Last season Callahan did not make a miscue in 83 games in right field and he made only one clinker in 27 games in middle field, his record being one error in 110 games.

Callahan went from Akron to Springfield via the draft route. He is hitting close to .300 and is stealing bases and getting runs as he did for Akron.

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## James Callahan, Centerfielder for Springfield Last Year, Becomes Islander.

### HERE FROM INDIANAPOLIS

**Drafted Last Season, but Not Used—  
Manager Tighe Snaps Him Up  
When Given Chance.**

Manager Jack Tighe of the Islanders announced today that he has added another valuable man to his squad in the person of James Callahan, last year's center fielder for Springfield. The new man is expected to be here for practice by tomorrow afternoon at the latest. Callahan was drafted from Springfield at the close of the last season by Manager Charley Carr of Indianapolis. Carr's outfield proved too much for Callahan to break into and he was offered back to Springfield, as required under the draft rules which

Bloomington will play tomorrow and Sunday.

Guy Balliet, the pitcher, has pitched himself out in the Thrashers. He has been signed by James

Davenport had trouble with the Iowa university boys yesterday in 10 innings. Must be with the stick.

Toledo has finally released Nill. Three-Eye fans regard him as the fastest second baseman in the league since he departed five years ago.

Manager Rowan of the Peoria team has released Outfielder Reynold Horne and Ireland and has taken man and Lang to Kankakee.

Peoria business men are in favor of a movement to raise the salary to \$2,500 as a bonus for the team if they land first or even second place. They want a pennant and a

Claude Clifford, a catcher from New York, has been signed by the

# Little Stories of the Diamond--No. 2

Tim Callahan, who will be back in Akron's outfield again next season, is very youthful in appearance; so much so, in fact, that his admirers in the two-bit row always address him as "kid" when he comes to bat. Yet the little Irishman has gained that for which every ball player strives—a chance in the big leagues. He jumped into major league company a bashful youth, afraid to hear his own voice in the dark. He came out a day or so later with an even greater amount of timidity in his makeup.

It was several years ago that James, or Tim, as he is better known to local fandom, was recommended to "Muggsy" McGraw, manager of the New York Nationals. The latter was short on outfielders, and as it was right in the middle of the season and just before the Giants were to begin a hard series with Chicago, he picked "Cal" up.

## Played at Chicago.

The young fellow was taken to Chicago and played in the first game against the Cubs. He was stationed in right garden. When the respective lineups of the two teams appeared on the scoreboard, Tim discovered for the first time that he led off for the Giants. He managed to draw four bad ones from the pitcher and trotted down to first with all the coolness of an old timer. It was right there, while he was standing on the bag, that Tim received the thrust which resulted in the brevity of his big league career. One of the players happened upon a nickname for the little Irishman which, although it suited him to a T, was not at all liked by Callahan. He was out on the first base coaching line on this particular afternoon and he made free use of Tim's new handle, much to "Cal's" discomfiture, and Tim became so rattled that he blundered badly in his attempt to steal second and was caught a yard away from the bag.

The other players, most of whom delight in annoying a youngster as much as possible, got wise, and for hardly five minutes at a time during the remainder of the game was Callahan left in peace. His retiring disposition made it impossible for him to stand for it, and for an hour and a half on that day Tim was the most uncomfortable mortal in the state of Illinois.

## Tim Leaves.

Back to the hotel went the youngster after the game and up to his room. He didn't want to be disturbed and nobody offered to sympathize with him, so he finally turned in and went to sleep. When the other players began to stir around at 8 o'clock the next morning there was no sign of Callahan, and a bellboy, when dis-

patched to Tim's room, reported that it was open and that its occupant, with all of his baggage, had disappeared. And he never came back. Tim's modesty and lack of confidence in himself has been overcome to a great extent during the time he has played in this city and it is likely that he will play better ball than ever before next season.





CALLAHAN, Outfielder.



TIM CALLAHAN

Name	Position	Bats	Throws
Callahan, Jas. J.			
Born-Place	Date	Married	
Carnegie, Pa.			
Address	Height	Weight	

### Teams Played With

Akron 1906- Akron and Warren, Ohio 1907-08  
Springfield, Ill. 1909 Drifted by Indianapolis  
1910 Rel. Apt. 1910 Rock Island O.A. 1910 Rel.  
8/10 Indianapolis 1911 Terre Haute 1911 Rel.  
6/11 to Grand Rapids Pittsfield 2/13 Rel. 4/13

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### Tim Callahan

Bats: Unknown • Throws: Unknown

Full Name: Tim Callahan

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### Teams Played For

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Year	Age	Tm	Lg	Lev	Aff	Stint	From	To
1911	--	<a href="#">Terre Haute Miners</a>	<a href="#">Central League</a>	B				
1911	--	<a href="#">Grand Rapids Furniture Makers/Newark Skeeters</a>	<a href="#">Central League</a>	B				

Chadwick ID: 322b817e



### Jim Callahan

Positions: Rightfielder and Centerfielder

Bats: Right • Throws: Right

5-9, 145lb (175cm, 65kg)

Born: [January 12, 1881](#) in Allegheny County, [PA](#) 

Died: [March 9, 1968](#) (Aged 87-057d) in Carnegie, [PA](#)

Buried: Mount Olivet Cemetery, Pittsburgh, PA

Last Game: [May 25, 1902](#) (Age 21-133d)

vs. [CHC](#) 3 AB, 0 H, 0 HR, 0 RBI, 0 SB

Full Name: James Timothy Callahan

Nicknames: [Red](#)

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Year	Age	Tm	Lg	Lev	Aff	Stint	From	To
1902	21	<a href="#">New York Giants</a>	<a href="#">National League</a>		Maj	NYG	1	1902-05-25 1902-05-25
1905	24	<a href="#">McKeesport Colts</a>	<a href="#">Ohio-Pennsylvania League</a>	C				
1905	24	<a href="#">Akron Buckeyes</a>	<a href="#">Ohio-Pennsylvania League</a>	C				
1906	25	<a href="#">Akron Rubbernecks</a>	<a href="#">Ohio-Pennsylvania League</a>	C				
1907	26	<a href="#">Akron Champs</a>	<a href="#">Ohio-Pennsylvania League</a>	C				
1908	27	<a href="#">Akron Champs</a>	<a href="#">Ohio-Pennsylvania League</a>	C				
1909	28	<a href="#">Springfield Senators</a>	<a href="#">Illinois-Indiana-Iowa League</a>	B				
1910	29	<a href="#">Rock Island Islanders</a>	<a href="#">Illinois-Indiana-Iowa League</a>	B				