

FIRST FOR MINNEAPOLIS.

The Flour City's Worst a Victory From St. Louis.

THE TWIN CITIES STAND EVEN.

Other Western Association Games Stopped by Rain—What Sam Morton Says—Lefevre Medal Shot—Other Sports.

Western Association Standing.

Table showing Western Association standing with columns for Team, Games Played, Wins, Losses, and Percentage.

Minneapolis 15, St. Louis 8.

St. Louis, Mo., May 7. [Special Telegram to The Bee.]—Today's game between St. Louis and Minneapolis was a slugfest match, in which the visitors had the best of it.

Postponed Games.

Rain prevented the Omaha-Milwaukee, the Kansas City Blues-St. Paul game at Kansas City, and the Des Moines-Chicago Maroons game at Des Moines yesterday.

What Morton Says.

Mr. Sam Morton, president of the Western Association, has the following to say of that body: "I think," said he, "that the Western Association will have a most prosperous season."

After Omaha Players.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.

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No Game—Rain.

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AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

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Diamond Flash.

Joe Quisenberry, New York.

Kanyon is playing a fine center for St. Louis.

Beckley and Crooks are the boss coaches of the St. Louis Whites.

The rain has knocked the local management out of something like \$4,000.

The game this afternoon—the weather permitting—will be called at 3:30 sharp.

Manager Hart, of the Milwaukeeans, is tickled flat to death over their victory over our lads.

The Milwaukee papers think the championship lies between Milwaukee and Des Moines. Oh, doctor!

The Des Moines have been dubbed the Prohibitionists for good, and the Omahans will stick to the home team.

A St. Louis sporting paper of this week's issue contains a good deal of Len Sowders, Omaha's crack righter.

Dolan has been doing excellent back stop work for the St. Louis aggregation, and hitting the ball hard and often.

It was decidedly gay in the ambitious village of Kansas City sending up here and trying to buy Omaha's crack players.

A great crowd—from nine to eleven thousand people—gathered out to see the first Sunday game at Chicago between Chicago and Des Moines.

The Des Moines Chicago game played Sunday was a scheduled championship game instead of an exhibition, as was erroneously announced.

The C. E. Maynes' uniforms, just received by the Collins Gun company, are the noblest in the west, and are varied, each one different, and are patterned after the Cincinnati.

TUMF AND TRACK.

Entries For To-Day and "Taps" on the Winners.

The entries in the running circuit for to-day, posted at the Diamond, are:

First race, 4 mile Glouster, Elmer Hancock, O'Fallon, Shooter, Kentucky, Vaseline, Persimmon.

Second race, 1/2 mile, Phoenix hotel stake—Wade, Alford, Cleveland.

Third race, 1 mile, Fredricka, John Gray, Tuder, Landis, Kirkin, Steve Jerome, Neil Stone.

Fourth race, 1/2 mile, 2 year olds—Judy, Meta, Alg, Jess, May, Ben, O'Leary, Martha, Russell, Caldwell, Maud, Ward, Kanta, Veranda, Fuller, Harmony.

Fifth race, 1 mile, Persimmon 1st, Olanoff 2d, second race, Meebath 1st, Alford 2d, third race, John Gray 1st, Tuder 2d, fourth race, Meta 1st, Jess 2d.

Sixth race, five eighth mile—Sam Harper.

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"And look at that lubberly chunk of a boy stalling. Seems as though he would take the steps up with a leaden foot."

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THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Wheat Rules Dull But Makes a Slight Advance.

WHAT WILL THE NEXT CROP BE.

Traders Waiting For the Government Report—Corn Quiet But Firm—Oats Still Active—Provisions Strong—Quotations.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, May 7.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—There was a remarkably dull opening to the grain markets this morning, with an unusual scarcity of material gathered over Sunday out of which to arouse either bull or bear enthusiasm. Cables were lower, both public and private, and the feeling of the local element seemed to be bearish; at least, there was an expectation of a small decline because of the absence of any stimulating news or circumstances. Hutchinson was the principal seller. There was good enough buying, however, to prevent any considerable decline, and the market held between 1/16 and 1/8 for an hour or more. Then upon indications for a larger decrease in the visible supply than was expected, there followed a quick advance of about 1/16, to which another 1/16 was added just before the close by the buying of early short sellers, probably stimulated a little by news of an unfavorable nature about the health of the emperor of Germany. The actual decrease in the visible supply of wheat was 1,140,000 bushels, where only from half to three quarters of a million had been expected. Much of the lake shipments made early in the week must have gone to points outside of the visible supply statement on account of the fact that 14,000 bushels of wheat were there any increase in wheat. These points were Buffalo, Duluth, Montreal and Oswego. The amount "on the lakes" increased 1,043,000 bushels, and "on the Mississippi" increased 100,000 bushels. Chicago's stock of wheat in store and afloat decreased 34,000 bushels. Exports of wheat were too small to speak of. Receipts at Duluth and Minneapolis show a large fall-off as compared with previous Mondays. The crop reports received to-day were only important as confirming previous reports of damage. The secretary of the Missouri board of agriculture, in a report of a 14,000 bushel crop for that state, as compared with 27,500,000 last year. The government crop report for the month of August, which is more inclined to wait for it than to pay much attention to the reports from single states or districts. July wheat opened at 82 1/2¢ and closed at 82 1/2¢, with a high of 82 3/4¢ and a low of 82 1/4¢. August wheat opened at 82 1/2¢ and closed at 82 1/2¢, with a high of 82 3/4¢ and a low of 82 1/4¢. At one time this morning, the premium for July wheat was 1/16, but it was not in demand. Speculative trading in corn was comparatively light and weak yesterday. Some of the long were selling early in the session, and this with a large increase in the visible supply caused a small decline soon after the opening, but the market was later. Receipts were larger than expected, but the estimate for to-morrow was unexpected. The market was not so much affected by the strength shown in wheat, seemed to account for the later firmness of this market. June and July corn were the same price, 52 1/2¢, but the market was not so much affected by the strength shown in wheat, seemed to account for the later firmness of this market. June and July corn were the same price, 52 1/2¢, but the market was not so much affected by the strength shown in wheat, seemed to account for the later firmness of this market.

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