#### THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: SUNDAY, JUNE 10, 1900.





Says He is in Nowise Reesponsible for the Miserable Exhibition the Big Pug Made of Himself. Between 3,000 and 4,000 people who saw

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Jim Jeffries unspire an exhibition game between Omaha and Des Moines last Monday left the Vinton street reservation theroughly wrought up. They felt that they had been in the first place they had seen a 'bilked." decidedly poor exhibition of base ball in

which the favorites were defeated by the Prohibs. Even though it were an exhibit tion game, not counting in the pennant race their wrath was little appeared. The foundation for their vexatious spirit existed in the job of umpiring that Jeffries had done They were "sore" at themselves for putting up good coin just to view the ponderocs proportions of a big pug, and that's all they did see, for Jeffries merely served as an assistant umpire, Harry Burrell doing the

bulk of the work. They figured that they would see the man who whipped Fitzsimmons, Sharkey and Corbett in a year's time go through the contortions usually expected from an umptre. Besides this they were led to believe that Jeffries would do a little sparring with some of his side partners, exemplifying the manly art as practiced by pugilists of his class.

Well, the big pug stepped out in a green sweater and was soon lost sight of in the shuffle, being merely a figurehead in the game. He sat on his haunches on the side lines when the bases were empty, deigning to bestow upon the players who happened to be near him the great privilege of exchang-

ing a few remarks with the "undisputed hampion of the world's prize ring." As the big crowd filed out of the gates and started for home they were in a frame of mind that caused them to be half sorry that "Jim" Corbett hadn't bested Jeffries in their recent fight.

As a result of this finaco the games subsequent to Monday have been played to ; empty benches, for many there have been who charged the affair up to President Kelth of the Omaha club. The latter, however, vehemently protests that he is in no way responsible

The Omaha players have been giving : road account of themselves during the last veek, all the defeats they have suffered being attributable solely to the crippled condition of the team. That Omaha has the best team in the league there can be no gainsaying, at least at this stage of the trouble. With Bill Wilson suffering with a game leg, which has largely interfered with his usual good work, and both Hoy and Rebsamen on the bench for a game or two because of slight injuries, the wellregulated organization has been seriously inferfered with. The switching of players about the field and the induction of substitutes have not had a salutary effect on the playing of the team, and to this fact may be all of these troubles were but temporary and the Rourke family is in gilt-edge condition once more

The race between the Keithites and the exciting one and the recognized strength gathered up promises to continue the lively sprint. The arrival of the Pueblo team in Omaha for its first series on the home grounds is looked forward to with a great

deal of interest, for the fans are overly i anxious to have the locals take the measure ment of a strong hand and a true eye, the GUESTS WIN AT WHIST of the Coloradoans. Pueblo will open here instructor and his assistant being allowed

Colorado, during the stime 239 inches fell, and during the winter 780.5 inches, or sixty-precipitated. This latter eccepting the chance of going against the champion is somewhat surprising. Sharkey, it seems, is satisfied with the financial returns from the fights he has had and has in mind with the smaller fry and is not n a hurry to enter the lists for champion honors. After Terry McGovern's unsuccessful atempts to put away Tommy White and Elcent beech.

for four games Tuesday. After that the scarcely time for their meals. The women Rourke family will begin a pilgrimage and friends of the members having more time until July 11 there will be but three games for practice are making notable progress on the Vinton street grounds. These will and are rapidly overcoming the handicaps be Jupe 24, 25 and 26, when the Omahas | which their sex is naturally obliged to will cross bats with the St. Joe team shoulder at the start in any athletic conbefore making a jump out west. The tour test. Their particular ecason is in the abroad will begin at Des Moines, then St. morning when the grass still glistens with Joseph, Denver, Pueblo, Des Moines again, Aurora's heads and the sun has not gath-Sioux City, and on July 11 the favorites | ered the force to affect complexions. An will be doing business at home once more with Sloux City first on the list.

Buck Ebright has been released by Man club members proper, nger Beall of the Sloux City team and Jack Glasscock installed as captain and first baseman in his stead. Just what prompted this change is not clear, as Ebright is con-sidered by expert fans to be Glasacock's equal if not his superior in all points of the game. The new captain "threw down" Sioux City early in the season. He was looked to to organize the Sioux tribe, but accepted a better offer and when he fluked It is probable, therefore, that the occasion was immediately picked up by Beall. Even of entortaining the friends of the club forthough Manager Beall may have argued mally will not take place until July 4 or that he was doing the best thing for his even later. own interests and for the good of the team, he let out a mighty popular base ball man and as hard a worker as there was in the league.

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Inter Occan relative to the choice of im-Manager Rourke has released from his plements is of interest: "The mistake most frequently made by pitching staff both Scully and Yerkes and has signed Rip Egan during the last work. the beginner in golf is the attempt to learn DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous Egan started off well by winning the first the use of too many clubs at once. If he little pills that cleanse the liver and bowels. game he pitched against Des Moines Tues- purchases his outfit without consulting some day, He pitched excellent ball for the first one who can advise him property he will seven innings, only five hits being made allow the salesman to fill his bag with imoff him. In the last two he weakened plements he should never touch until weeks



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Grand Island Players Defeat Their Hosts-Meikle and Scribner Are First for East and West. Five tables were represented at the regu-lar meeting of the Omaha Whist club Wednesday night, and the honors were carried off by Prince and Hexter-two visitors from Grand Island-for the North and South, and by Meikle and A. W. Scrib-ar for Feret and West Followher is the

ter for East and West. Following is th average of twelve women players visited the NORTH AND SOUTH. links every day during last week, reinforced Prince and Hexter... Strauss and Anthes. Miller and White... n the afternoon by a score or more of the McNutt and Comstock The members who have been most ac-

 
 McNutt and Constock
 220 -- 

 Rogers-Jordan and Burness
 230 -- 

 EAST AND WEST
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 Meildle and A. W. Scribner
 230 -- 

 Burrell and Crummer
 221 - 

 Allee and Redick
 221 - 

 Cahn and Rockfellow
 218 - 

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 There vas quite a rivalry among some of the players during the month of Max
tively concerned in the preparation of the club quarters say that the formal opening planned for the middle of June must be deferred. The workmen at the club house have the building well enclosed but the most tedious part of the work, the finishing of the interior, still remains to be done.

the players during the month of May d the total score shows the following high for the month: Burness Rogers Redlek Burrell and Meikle. In view of the large number in the city Henric Henrici Rinehart and G. O. Scribner...... Jordan Garner, McNutt and Sumney who are handling golf clubs this summer for the first time, the advice of the Chicago

Sackett Small in size and great In results are

### They do not gripe. HALD WINS FROM PARKER

President of Nebraska Chess Association More Than Match for the Kansan.

The correspondence games in which mempers of the Nebraska Chess association have engaged among themselves during the last two years have given them excellent practice in that style of play and have put them at an advantage in contests with teams from other states. The match with the Mississippi association is now well under way and the Nebraskans are also carrying on an interesting contest with a team representing Kansas. One of the heat games in the latter contest was by Nelson Hald, president of the Nebraska association. who pushed the pawns in his home at Dannebrog in opposition to Dr. J. J Parker of Olathe. Kan., one of the best players on the opposition. The game is full of originality and displays as well a sufficient knowledge of the most approved openings. The score is as follows:



he great masters. (b) Also in accordance with expert pinlons, as to exchange Bishops would ring the Black Queen too actively into

Better than B x B, developing White's

Q. P. (d) His two Bishops are now in position to surrort a determined advance of the pawns through the center. B-Kt 2 could, of course, not be played. (e) Kt-Q R 4, to find lodgement at B 5 is now worth considering. (f) Decidedly unwise, as it alds the ad-vance of the oncoming pawns. Q-Q 2 fol-

tempts to put away Tommy White and El-wood McCloskey in the six rounds allotted to him, these being the last two fights in which he has taken a hand, the news that he is contemplating a meeting with Frank Erne is taken by many to forecast the descendancy of Terry's star. Terry's in-ability to knock out either White or Mc-Closkey indicated to many that he is losing

Closkey indicated to many that he is losing the hypnotic influence he has been credited with possessing, and now that he is figuring on going out of his class to find an adversary has caused many of his admirers to view the situation with some trepidation. Erne, it is reported, has agreed to come down to 128 pounds in order to meet the featherweight champion.

#### Congratulations.

Washington Star: "Are you the person who was continually sighing for the sunshine and the reses?" asked the stern-looking stranger "I am," answered the poet meekly.

"And the honey bees and the blooming neadows and the clear blue skies?" "I believe I have alluded to such institu-

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"Well, I merely wanted to tell you it's a

lucky thing for you that you didn't live in a men less enlightened period of the world's hisory. Look at this thermometer. You've got Vote early and often.

and during the winter 7805 inches, or sixty-five feet, were precipitated. This latter amount means 93.21 inches of water. Statistics compiled by the German gov-ernment show that the oak is more likely to be struck by lightning than any other tree. The beech is the most seldom struck, and next in exemption is the pine. Of the lightning-struck trees upon which the calculation was based 55 per cent were oak. 21 per cent fit, 10 per cent pine and 7 per cent beech.

it after the battle. "What is the use," asks the Topeka (Kan.) Plain Dealer, a colored man's news-paper, "of being black and having kinky hair? We counted eight different remedies for taking kinks out of colored people's hair, and four for removing the black skin, in one of our leading race journals the other day. This looks very much as though kinky hair and black faces will soon be things of the past. Now, then, we'll be happy yet, you bet." Banana lovers will be delighted to know

we'll be happy yet, you bet." Hanana lovers will be delighted to know that their favorite fruit contains 72 per cent of water, 214 per cent of nitrogenous matter and-22 per cent of saccharine sub-stances. It is the 22 per cent of "sweets" in the banana which makes it a nutritious food. A Mexican chemist has been com-paring bananas with wheat and potatoes for food and has arrived at the conclusion that for the same space and under the same conditions of cultivation the produc-tion of bananas is forty times that of potatoes and 100 times that of wheat. He has figured out that an area of hand which will raise enough bananas to feed 150 men.

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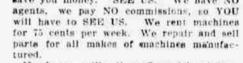
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