Giants Gain as Brooklyn Loses---Yankees and Senators Win Contests

Reds Hit Grimes Freely in Tenth for 6-to-5 Victory

Robins Knock Luque Out of Box in Eighth by Single, Double and Two Sacrifices.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 13.—Brooklyn lost to Cincinnati today, 6 to 5, and slipped behind the Giants. Grimes was hit freely but was supported by timely hitting. In the 10th Walker doubled and Bressler and and Pinelli singled. Ehrhart relieved Grimes and retired the next two men but the hits off Grigs had scored Walker with the winning run. Luque was knocked out in the eighth by a single, a double and two sacrifices. He was relieved by Mays who became the winning pitcher. Score:

CINCINNATI (N)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.	BROOKLYN (N)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Critz 2b	5	2	5	3	0	High 2b	4	1	2	8	1
D'hert 1b	4	0	5	0	1	M'Neil ss	5	2	6	4	1
Duncan lf	1	1	3	0	0	Wheat lf	5	2	1	0	0
Roush cf	4	2	1	0	0	F'ner 1b	4	2	10	1	0
Walker rf	5	1	0	0	0	J'ston 1b	1	0	2	0	0
B'ler lf-1b	5	3	7	0	0	Brown cf	5	2	2	0	0
Pinelli 3b	5	2	1	2	0	Stock 3b	4	0	1	0	0
Bohne ss	5	2	6	5	0	G'fith rf	4	1	1	0	0
H'grave c	6	3	2	1	0	Taylor c	5	3	4	5	1
Luque p	4	0	0	1	0	Griggs p	4	1	0	0	0
Mays p	0	0	0	1	0	Ehrhart p	0	0	0	0	0
						xNeis	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	43	16	30	14	2	xRuether	1	0	0	0	0
						Totals	42	14	30	20	3

xRan for Fournier in eighth.
xBatted for Ehrhardt in ninth.

Score by innings:

Cincinnati	000 030 020 1—6
Brooklyn	000 210 020 0—5

Summary—Runs: Critz, Daubert, Walker, Bressler, Bohne, Hargrave, Wheat, Brown, Taylor, Neis. Two-base hits: Critz, Bressler, Brown. Three-base hit: Bohne. Home run: Fournier. Stolen base: Bressler. Sacrifice hits: Roush, Stock, Griffith. Double plays: Mitchell (unassisted); Taylor to Mitchell. Left on bases: Cincinnati, 6; Brooklyn, 10. Base on balls: Off Luque, 1. Struck out: By Luque, 1; by Grimes, 2. Hits: Off Luque, 12 in 7 2-3 innings; off Grimes, 11 in 9 innings (none out in 10th); off Ehrhardt, 0 in 1 inning; off C. Mays, 2 in 2 1-3 innings. Passed ball: Taylor. Losing pitcher: Grimes. Winning pitcher: Mays. Umpires: Pfirman and Hart. Time: 2:16.

Giants Wallop Cards, 12 to 2

New York, Sept. 13.—The Giants went into a full game lead today by winning an easy 12 to 2 victory over St. Louis while Brooklyn lost to Cincinnati. Kelly hit a home run with two on and Terry cleared three men off the sacks with a double. Hornsby was held hitless for the second straight day. Bentley allowed only six safeties. Score:

ST. LOUIS (N)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.	NEW YORK (N)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Smith rf	2	0	2	0	0	Groh 3b	6	2	0	0	0
Bell p	0	0	0	0	0	F'sch 2b,ss	6	3	2	5	0
Rhem p	0	0	0	1	0	Young rf	5	3	4	0	0
Blades lf	4	1	1	0	0	S'th'rn rf	0	0	0	0	0
H'rsby 2b	3	0	1	5	1	Kelly cf	5	1	3	0	0
Bot'ley 1b	4	1	8	1	1	O'C'nell cf	0	0	1	0	0
D'uthit cf	4	1	2	0	0	Terry 1b	4	1	11	0	0
Cooney 3b	4	0	3	2	0	Wilson lf	2	1	1	0	0
G'zales c	4	1	4	1	0	J'ckson ss	3	2	1	1	0
Th'now ss	4	2	3	2	0	L'dst'm 2b	1	0	0	1	0
Sothoron p	1	0	0	0	0	Gowdy c	3	2	5	1	0
Myers rf	3	0	0	0	0	H'rley c	0	0	1	0	0
xClemons	0	0	0	0	0	Bentley p	5	0	0	4	0
xStuart	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	33	6	24	12	2	Totals	36	15	27	12	0

xBatted for Smith in sixth.
xRun for Clemons in sixth.

Score by innings:

St. Louis	000 100 010— 2
New York	013 006 02x—12

Summary—Runs: Bottomley, Thevenow, Groh, Frisch, Young (2), Kelly (2), Terry, Wilson (2), Jackson, Lindstrom, Hartley. Two-base hits: Terry, Jackson, Thevenow, Gonzales. Three-base hit: Wilson. Home runs: Kelly, Bottomley. Stolen bases: Young, Gowdy, Lindstrom, Hartley. Sacrifice hit: Jackson. Left on bases: New York, 11; St. Louis, 5. Bases on balls: Off Bentley, 2; off Sothoron, 4; off Bell, 2; off Rheim, 3. Struck out: By Bentley, 4; by Sothoron, 2; by Rheims, 2. Hits: Off Sothoron, 7 in five innings; off Bell, 3 in two-thirds inning; off Rheims, 4 in two and one-third innings. Hit by pitched ball: By Sothoron, Young. Passed ball: Gonzales. Losing pitcher: Sotoron. Umpires: O'Day, Quigley and Sweeney. Time: 1:55.

Chicago Makes Sweep of Series

Philadelphia, Sept. 13.—Chicago made a clean sweep of its series with Philadelphia by winning today's double-header, 10-8 and 8-2.

Five home runs featured the opening game. Alexander is credited with the victory, although he had to give way to Blake in the ninth when Harper hit a home run with two on and the bases loaded two batters reached first base on a double and a walk. Keen had little trouble subduing Philadelphia in the second game, allowing but seven hits.

CHICAGO (N)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.	PHILADELPHIA (N)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Adams ss	5	2	4	5	1	Sand ss	5	2	6	3	0
Weis rf	4	1	1	0	0	Williams cf	4	2	5	0	0
Heath'te cf	5	2	2	0	0	Harriss 1b	4	1	2	0	0
Gra'm 2b	5	3	5	6	0	Sch'tz lf	5	2	1	0	0
Frib'g 3b	4	1	0	0	1	W'tone 3b	4	1	1	0	0
Grigsby lf	4	0	2	0	0	Ford 2b	5	2	2	4	0
Hart't c	5	0	3	0	0	Henline c	4	0	1	0	0
Cotter 1b	4	2	8	1	0	Hole lb	4	1	8	2	0
Alexa'r p	4	3	0	1	0	Gla'er p	1	0	0	1	0
Blanke p	0	0	0	0	0	Betts p	2	0	1	0	0
						xMitchell	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	15	27	13	2						
						Totals	40	11	27	11	0
						xHenline	1	0	0	0	0

xBatted for Betts in ninth.

Score by innings:

Chicago	101 499 301—10
Philadelphia	100 201 03— 8

Summary—Runs: Adams, Heathcote, Grantham (2), Weis, Hartnett, Cotter (2), Alexander (2), Sand (2), Williams, Harper, Wrightstone, Ford, Henline, Hale. Two-base hits: Grantham, Schultz (2), Weis, Adams, Wrightstone, Ford. Home runs: Cotter, Grantham, Hollocher, Alexander, Harper. Double plays: Ford to Sand to Holke; Cotter to Adams; Sand to Ford to Holke. Left on bases: Chicago, 2; Philadelphia, 7. Bases on balls: Off Alexander, 2; off Glazner, 1. Struck out: By Alexander, 1; by Glazner, 1. Hits: Off Alexander, 11 in 8 2-3 innings; of Blake, none in 1-3 inning; off Glazner, 9 in 3 2-3 innings; off Betts, 4 in 4 innings. Winning pitcher: Alexander. Losing pitcher: Glazner. Umpires: Klem and Wilson.

CHICAGO (N)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.	PHILADEL. (N)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Adams ss	5	2	4	5	0	zMitchell	1	1	0	0	0
Statz cf	5	2	4	0	0	Mets ss	0	0	3	1	0
G'ham 2b	3	1	1	2	0	Williams cf	2	2	0	0	0
F'rett 3b	1	1	2	3	0	Harper rf	2	0	0	0	0
Weis rf	4	1	0	0	0	Schultz lf	2	0	1	1	0
F'berg 3b	4	1	2	1	0	H'rich lf	2	0	0	0	0
Miller lf	5	1	2	0	0	W'tone 3b	3	1	1	2	0
O'F'rell c	4	1	5	0	0	Ford 2b	2	0	5	3	0
Cotter 1b	4	3	7	1	0	Wilson c	3	1	11	1	2
Keen p	3	0	0	0	0	Holke 1b	4	1	7	1	0
						Weinert p	0	0	0	0	0
						Carlson p	0	0	0	0	0
						zHenlin	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	13	27	12	0	Totals	31	7	27	13	2

zBatted for Sand in eighth.
xBatted for Carlson in seventh.
zBatted for Bishop in ninth.

Score by innings:

Chicago	220 001 012—8
Philadelphia	000 000 110—2

Summary—Runs: Adams, Statz, Barnett, Weis (2), O'Farrell, Cotter (2), Mitchell, Wrightstone. Two-base hits: Cotter, Holke, Williams. Three-base hit: Cotter. Home run: Barrett. Stolen bases: Statz, Weis, Adams (2). Double plays: Cotter to Adams to Cotter; Adams to Cotter; Adams to Barrett to Cotter. Left on bases: Chicago, 9; Philadelphia, 4. Bases on balls: Off Keen, 5; off Weinert, 4; off Carlson, 1; off Bishop, 1. Struck out: By Keen, 4; by Weinert, 1; by Carlson, 6; by Bishop, 1. Hits: Off Weinert, 2 in one inning; off Carlson, 8 in six innings; off Bishop, 3 in two innings. Losing pitcher: Weinert. Umpires: Klem and Wilson. Time: 2:03.

The Consecutive Business in Sport

By Ed Hughes

"Dazzy" Vance's smart pitching this year, including an impressive string of consecutive victories, is the talk of the National circuit.

Back in 1912, with the Giants, Rube Marquard hung up 19 successive box triumphs.

Walter Johnson and Smoky Joe Wood each put over 16 straight before they were stopped. That was in 1912. Wood pitching for the Red Sox, Johnson for Washington. Jack Chesbro, old Yank pitcher—Happy Jack—and E. Reulbach, great Cub twirler, have a mark of 14. Chesbro accomplished his cluster in 1904. Reulbach made his in 1909. Walter Johnson, by the way, nicked a 14 straight in 1913.

This consecutive stuff in sports is rather diverting.

The old-timers on the diamond were bears at it. A. G. Spalding, later head of the great sporting goods house bearing his name, must have been a wonderful pitcher. Spalding had a mark of 24 consecutive wins. Also in that same season he had another string of 22. This was in 1895. Spalding, wearing a Boston uniform, pitched 64 games that season. He won 57, lost four and tied three. Radbourne, with the Providence Nationals in 1884, pitched 77 games. He had a winning streak of 18. Radbourne won 63, lost 12 and tied two.

Keefe, a Giant pitcher of 1889, turned in 19 straight, while Welch, another Giant box star six years previous to his recorded 17. Luby of Chicago, rung up 17 in 1890, McCormick, another Chicagoan, having turned the trick four years before.

Concerning scoreless innings, Ed. Reulbach, the ex-Cub star, twirled 50 of them in the 1908 National League season. The torrent of whitewash lasted from September 17 to October 3 of that season. Reulbach ended the season with the whitewash brush still in hand. He was scored on in the seventh inning in his first start of the 1909 race. In 1902 Jack Chesbro pitched 41 scoreless innings—then a National league record.

Everett Scott of the Yanks has played in 1,254 consecutive games.

The consecutive reverses are just as entertaining. The Athletics of 1916 had a pair of pitchers who didn't often come in contact with laurel leaves. Nabors lost 19 straight. Sheehan 16.

Louisville of the American association lost 26 consecutive games in 8189. The Cincinnati Reds of 1914 tossed 20 in a row. So did the Athletics of 1916 and the Boston Red Sox of 1906.

In the realm of the padded fist you find some curious consecutive business. "Pop 'Em" Paul Berlenbash had the fistic world by the ears when he was bowling them over "by the numbers." Paul had dumped 23 in a raw when he ran afoul of Jack Delaney's right fist and took a K. O. himself. However, 13 of Berlensleepers were amateur galoots.

His record, therefore, scarcely approaches that of Stanley Ketchel.

Ketchel, in the beginning of his glorious ring career, scored 21 straight knockouts.

There never was a bicycle rider to match Frank L. Kramer, who may now be seen o' nights in the officials' stand at the Velodrome in New York city. Kramer won the professional championship 16 years in succesion (1901-1916).

PIRATES SHUT OUT BOSTON BRAVES

Boston, Sept. 13.—Yde held Boston to three hits today, and Pittsburgh won, 7 to 0. The hitting of Moore and Carey and the fielding of Cuyler and Grimm featured the game.

The score:

PITTSBURGH (N)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.	BOSTON (N)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Moore rf	4	2	2	0	0	B'ecroft ss	3	0	5	3	1
Carey cf	3	3	6	0	0	Mann rf	3	2	1	0	0
Cuyler lf	3	1	3	0	0	Cu'ham lf	4	0	2	0	0
Wright ss	4	1	1	5	0	M'Innis 1b	3	0	9	1	0
Tr'nor 3b	3	1	1	2	0	Tier'ey 2b	3	0	1	2	0
M'ville 2b	4	0	0	2	0	Thomas cf	3	1	2	0	0
Gri'm 1b	2	0	11	0	0	R. Smith 3b	3	1	1	1	0
E. Smith c	4	1	3	0	0	O'Neil c	3	1	4	1	0
Yde p	4	0	0	2	0	Graham p	1	0	0	3	0
						zGibson	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	10	27	11	0	Yeargin p	1	0	0	1	0
						Totals	29	3	27	13	1

zBatted for Graham in sixth.

Score by innings:

Pittsburgh	100 101 040—7
Boston	000 000 000—0

Summary—Runs: Moore, Carey, Cuyler, Wright (2), Tierney (2). Two-base hits: Wright, Moore. Three-base hits: Moore, R. Smith. Stolen base: Carey. Sacrifice hits: Carey, Cuyler. Double plays: Yde to Wright; to Grimm; Bancroft to Tierney to McInnis. Left on bases: Pittsburgh, 5; Boston, 3. Bases on balls: Off Yde, 1; off Graham, 3; off Yeargin, 2. Struck out: By Yde, 2; by Graham, 2; by Yeargin, 1. Hits: Off Graham, 3 in 8 innings; off Yeargin, 5 in 3 innings. Losing pitcher: Graham. Umpires: McCormick, Rigler, Moran. Time: 1:33.

High School Football

Veterans Return.

Atlantic, Ia.—With seven letter men and a squad of 20 recruits, the Atlantic High school football team is preparing to pry the lid off on September 26 when the Audubon team comes here.

Completes Schedule.

Hebron, Neb.—Hebron High school's schedule for the football season is complete, four or five of the best games being scheduled for the local field. The first game will be played with the Clay Center high at that place, September 24. A new storeroom has been built at the high school gymnasium, and new equipment for successful football and track work has been secured. Coach Thomas superintended the laying out of an entire new field at the pavilion grounds. New conference goals were built and painted and fences are to be built to keep spectators off the field of play. Coach H. H. Thomas spent the last summer in attendance at the special summer school for athletic coaches at the University of Illinois. Several of last year's letter men will return this fall and with the last year's reserves as well as new huskies who will enter this year, Hebron has prospects of one of the most finished teams in local high school athletic history. Following is the schedule as made out so far for the present date:

Wednesday, September 24—Clay Center at Clay Center (county fair exhibition game).
Friday, October 3—Superior at Hebron.
Friday, October 10—Nelson at Nelson.
Friday, October 17—Belleville at Belleville.
Friday, October 24—Open.
Friday, October 31—Edgar at Edgar.
Friday, November 7—Geneva at Hebron.
Friday, November 14—Exeter at Hebron.
Friday, November 21—Chester at Chester.
Thursday, November 27—Fairbury at Hebron, Thanksgiving.

Starts Grid Practice.

Aurora, Neb.—Football practice at the Aurora High school started this week with the opening of school. Coach W. C. Eloe, who recently returned from the Illinois university at Urbana, has been in uniform and started the ball going with lots of snap and enthusiasm. Aurora opens the season with Grand Island, October 3.

To Enter Ellsworth.

Aurora, Neb.—Ross Reminger, Peter Baird and Clarence Van Wormer, former Aurora High school athletic stars, leave this week for Iowa Falls, Ia., to enter Ellsworth college. Wayne Moore, who was responsible for much of Aurora's good showing on the gridiron last fall, has gone to Hastings college.

Large Squad Reports.

Gothenburg, Neb.—Of the 40 candidates who reported to him last week, Coach McCandless has only six letter men about which to build his 1924 "Dashing Swedes." Members of Gothenburg's last year's squad who are back this year are Anderson, Haynes, J. Clark, Pollat, Wilson and Golton. Despite the fact that his squad is light and inexperienced, Coach McCandless has booked one of the heaviest schedules the local school has ever faced. His season's program is:

September 26—Farnam here.
October 3—Cozad here.
October 10—Broken Bow here.
October 17—Cambridge there.
October 24—Holdrege here.
October 31—North Platte there.
November 7—Curtis Aggies here.
November 14—McCook there.
November 21—Kearney here.
November 27—Lexington here.

Bee Want Ads are the best business Boosters.

Illinois Starts Preparing for Game With Cornhuskers Tomorrow Morning

URBANA, Ill., Sept. 13. — In accordance with a "Big Ten" ruling, football practice at the University of Illinois will start Monday morning. Coach Zuppke has invited 60 candidates to report for the initial session. Classes at Illinois will not start until September 22, hence the Illini mentor will work his candidates twice daily—morning and afternoon—during the first week, after which they will have afternoon workouts.

The first game on Illinois' schedule will be with Nebraska at Lincoln on October 4, hence Coach Zuppke will have but three weeks in which to pick his regulars and prime them for the Cornhuskers. Following the Nebraska game Illinois will have two weeks in which to prepare for the opening conference tilt with Michigan here on October 18 which will be the Illini's annual homecoming clash.

But two veterans of last season will be missing in the lineup this fall, according to present indications. Jim

McMillen, captain last fall who played at guard and Vivian green, center, who graduated in June, will be the only ones missing. Coach Zuppke's big task this fall will be to fill these two openings and then specialize on a speedy attack.

Bernie Shively, a sophomore who made a big showing on the freshman outfit last fall, looks like the logical man to fill McMillen's shoes. Shively weighs 203 pounds and is six feet three inches tall. He is fast both on offensive and defensive and should go better this year than last. Roberts and Umnus, who have had experience at center, will make a hard fight for the pivot berth.

Last year's veterans and reserves are not going to have an easy time of it landing berths this fall. There are many of last year's fearling squad and some new men who will give them a hard run for the positions. Harold Grange and Earl Britton, backfield players who made names for themselves last year are certain to be in the backfield again this fall.Other veterans who will put up strong bids are Captain Rokusek and Muhl at the ends; Crawford, Brown and Richard Hall as tackles; Miller and Slimmer, guards; McIlwain, Schultz and Harry Hall, backfield men.

The Illini expect a hard tussle with Nebraska. Illinois defeated the Cornhuskers here last season and the western lads will try to even things

up this trip. The opening conference game with Michigan is expected to be one of the Illini's toughest games this season, although Minnesota, Iowa, Chicago or Ohio State may spring a surprise.

In addition to the Nebraska game, Illinois also plays practice games with DePauw and Butler.

Opens Bowling School at Elks

A bowling school, an innocation in Omaha bowling circles, is thriving at the Elk's club, where more than 100 women have enrolled in teacher "Bill" Barron's classes.

Barron concentrates on the rudiments of the game, striving to overcome the natural weakness of each player.

He declared that after only three lessons he has been able to note an improvement in the form and play of his pupils.

The preliminary lessons are given in the Elk's gym, where the ladies learn the proper "stance," and how to swing their bodies in order to get the maximum of speed on the ball with the minimum of effort.

Good Racing at Geneva.

Geneva, Neb., Sept. 13.—Some good racing was seen at the tracks the second day of the county fair. Eleven entries were made for the Clay-Fillmore county running race which was won by a Clay county horse, Nancy Coolens, which made the four and a half furlongs in one minute two and one-half seconds. Lade, from Fillmore county, was second and Molly Go Some, third. Babe was fourth.

Baron Humbug took the 2:15 pace in three straight heats. Time in each heat, 2:12¼. In the 2:17 trot, Emile R. Scott was first with the fastest time, 2:16¼. Dr. Douglas was second; Col. De Forest, third, and Ivan Porter, fourth.

The relay race, mile and a half, one change of horses, was won in two minutes, thirty-one and a fourth seconds by horses owned by R. C. Miller. A. Radford got second money; Yates, third.

American Association.

Toledo, Sept. 13.—	R.	H.	E.
Columbus	4	9	0
Toledo	6	11	2

Batteries: Ambrose, McQuillan and Cady; Gizard, McCullough and Gaston.

Louisville, Sept. 13.—	R.	H.	E.
Indianapolis	3	6	2
Louisville	5	6	1

Batteries: Morton, Hill and Krueger; Cullop and Schmidt.

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 13.—First game.	R.	H.	E.
St. Paul	6	10	0
Minneapolis	1	4	2

Batteries: Merritt and Dixon; Edmondson, Hamilton and Wirth.

Second game.	R.	H.	E.
St. Paul	5	11	0
Minneapolis	1	6	3

Batteries: Fitzery and Dixon; See, McWeeny, McGraw and Mayer.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 13.—First game.	R.	H.	E.
Kansas City	5	14	1
Milwaukee	6	10	0

Batteries: Wilkinson and Skiff; Pott, Schaack and McMenemy.

Second game.	R.	H.	E.
Kansas City	4	5	3
Milwaukee	6	11	1

Batteries: Walker, Ziegler and Billings; Walker and McMenamy. Called, end of seventh, darkness.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Newark, 5; Jersey City, 3.
Rochester, 2; Syracuse, 5.
Reading, 3-6; Baltimore, 11-3.
Buffalo, 7-6; Toronto, 4-1.

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Houston, 8; Dallas, 4.
Galveston, 1; Shreveport, 8.
Others rained out.

FINALS IN NET TOURNEY SOON

Play in the North Omaha church tennis tournament has reached the final round in both singles and doubles.

Ralph Newell, veteran Omaha racqueteer, won the right to contest in the finals by trimming Norin Shoemaker, one of the topnotchers among the junior players, 6-0, 6-0.

Ringwalt and Marsh have qualified for the doubles finalist honors.

George Parish, president of the association, expects to have the finals played off before the end of the week.

Western League HIGHLIGHTS

Nick DeMaggio, the diminutive outfielder of the St. Joseph club, who came to the Western league this year from the Texas league, boasts having delivered a hit in each of his six times at bat in a single game.

On June 26, 1922, Beaumont defeated Wichita Falls, 15 to 7, making 23 hits off Pitchers Mokan and Bowman. Of these, six were made by DeMaggio, and he was at bat only six times.

DeMaggio is the smallest man in the Western league, being only 5 feet 4 inches tall which makes him extremely hard to pitch to.

Semi-pro and Amateur

Bloomfield, Neb.—Bloomfield lost to Crofton here in a close game, the score being 3 to 2. "Wildfire" Anderson of the Sioux City Stockyards team was on the mound for Crofton and allowed six hits, striking out nine. Three other Stockyards players—Jenney, Severold and Spencer—were in the Crofton lineup. Custer hurled for Bloomfield and allowed the visitors five hits, striking out 16. Bloomfield had several chances to score but poor baserunning and coaching ruined the chances. This is the sixth time the two teams have met and it is the first one that Crofton has won. Murray, the Crofton catcher, was badly spiked in the right hand when he tagged Moore out at the plate in the eikhth inning. Bloomfield plays at Creighton next Sunday.

Pawnee City, Neb.—Pawnee City disputes the claim of Auburn to the baseball championship of southeastern Nebraska on the following grounds. Pawnee has the highest percentage, .806, having won 25 out of 31 games. Pawnee has won more games than Auburn has played. Pawnee has repeatedly tried to book a game with Auburn but Auburn has declined. Lefty Johnson has pitched 29 out of the 31 games played by Pawnee this year and has won 24 of them.

Geneva, Neb.—Bruning won the ball game from Geneva in a 12-inning game, the opening day of the Fillmore county fair. The score stood 1-1 until the first half of the 12th inning when Bruning added three points and won the game. Domeier, Hawks and Bailey were battery for Bruning. Bailey took Hawks' place as catcher when he was unable to go on beca.se of an injured thumb. Battery for Geneva: Schulte and Whistler.

Aurora, Neb.—The Hamilton county baseball league disbanded this week and did not play out the schedule. The final disagreement which brought this about was the awarding of a game to Marquette when Aurora refused to play the game was not played because Marquette objected to Stafford pitching for Aurora. Giltner is in the lead with Marquette and Aurora tied for second place in the league. Each team has played 22 games during the season.

Geneva, Neb.—The ball game played by Strang and Ohiowa was forfeited by Fairmont in the seventh inning when Fairmont objected to a decision of the umpire. The score was 16-10. Batteries—Fairmont, Alwood and Farrar; Strang, Haxendale and Deal.

Shubert, Neb.—Shubert and the Waite Cloud (Kan.) Indians battled 20 innings to a scoreless tie here Sunday. Welch held the indians to eight hits and Newton allowed Shubert but nine. Sensational fielding featured the game which was played in three hours and 10 minutes. The same teams play here Sunday, September 14. Welch struck out 26 and Newton 18.

Boosters Divide Bill With Josies

Des Moines, Sept. 13.—Des Moines and St. Joseph divided a double-header here today, the locals pounding out a 10 to 4 victory in the opener, but losing the second game, 2 to 1, when they found Love for only two hits. Stuvegen hit three home runs in the two games. The score, First game:

ST. JOSEPH (W)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.	DES MOINES (W)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Fa'ton lf	2	0	2	0	0	Fla'per ss	4	0	2	7	1
Cor'an ss	5	0	2	2	2	Cor'den lf	5	3	1	0	0
Mathes 1b	4	0	7	0	1	L'ford rf	5	2	0	0	0
Lewan cf	4	1	2	0	0	Bodie cf	4	2	6	0	0
Miller rf	4	3	0	0	0	K'upp 2b	5	3	5	3	0
Gilbert 3b	5	1	0	3	0	Stu'en 1b	5	2	10	1	0
Nufer 2b	5	1	3	3	1	Ham'n 3b	3	1	0	0	0
Min'ree c	3	0	8	2	0	Wheat c	4	0	2	0	0
Bir'ock p	0	0	0	0	0	House p	0	0	0	0	0
Poirer p	0	0	0	0	0	Hutton p	4	1	1	0	0
M'Coll p	1	1	0	2	0						
Totals	33	7	24	12	4	Totals	39	14	27	11	1

Score by innings:

St. Joseph	020 100 100— 4
Des Moines	432 100 00x—10

Summary — Runs: Lewan, Gilbert, Nufer, Flaskamper (2), Corriden (2), Langford, Bodie, Knaupp, Stuvengen (2), Hamilton. Home runs: Stuvengen (2), Corriden. Two-base hits: Miller, Langford. Sacrifice: Minetree. Stolen base: Bodie. Left on bases: St. Joseph, 12; Des Moines, 9. Struck out: By Hutton, 2; by Birkenstock, 1; by Poirer, 1; by McColl, 5. Bases on balls: Off House, 2; off Hutton, 6; off Poirer, 1; off McColl, 1. Hit by pitched ball: By House, Lewan; by Poirer, Flaskamper; by McColl, Bodie. Wild pitch: Birkenstock. Earned runs and hits: Off House, 2 and 1 in 1 2-3 innings; off Hutton, 1 and 6 in 7 1-3 innings; off Birkenstock, 5 and 7 in 1 1-3 innings; off Poirer, none and 2 in 1 inning; off McColl, 1 and 5 in 5 2-3 innings. Winning pitcher: Hutton. Losing pitcher: Birkenstock. Double plays: Flaskamper to Knaupp to Stuvenge. Umpires: Donohue and Collins. Time: 1:53.

Second game:

ST. JOSEPH (W.)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.	DES MOINES (W.)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Far'ton lf	2	0	6	0	0	Fl'k'per ss	5	1	2	3	0
Cor'gan ss	4	0	1	0	0	Cor'den lf	3	0	1	0	0
Mathes 1b	3	1	5	0	0	Langf'd rf	3	0	1	0	0
Lewan cf	3	0	2	0	0	Bodie cf	3	0	2	0	0
Miller rf	3	2	3	0	0	Knaupp 2b	3	0	1	1	0
Gilbert 3b	3	2	0	1	0	Stu'gen 1b	2	1	4	0	0
Nufer 2b	1	0	0	0	1	Hilton 3b	3	0	2	0	0
Mills 2b	2	1	0	0	0	Beall c	3	0	5	1	1
Brooks c	3	0	3	0	0	Wetzel p	1	0	0	1	0
Love p	3	1	0	3	0						
Totals	27	7	21	4	1	Totals	24	2	21	6	1

Score by innings:

St. Joseph	001 000 1—2
Des Moines	000 030 1—1

Summary—Runs: Mills, Love, Stuvengen. Home runs: Love, Stuvengen. Two base hit: Flaskamper. Stolen base: Farrington. Left on bases: St. Joseph, 6; Des Moines, 4. Struck out: By Wetzel, 5; by Love, 3. Bases on balls: Off Wetzel, 2, off Love 2. Earned runs: St. Joseph, 1; Des Moines, 1. Umpires: Collins and Donohue. Time: 1:95.

BEARS RALLY IN EIGHTH AND WIN

Denver, Sept. 13.—Timely hits by Roche and O'Brien, coupled with Wichita errors, netted Denver two runs in an eighth inning rally, and gave the Bear men today's game, 3 to 2. The score:

WICHITA (W)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.	DENVER (W)	ab.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Smith cf	4	0	6	0	0	Berger ss	3	1