

It's a Bad Day When the Home Roaster Can't Find Some Occasion to Kick

ROURKES LAND ON THE SALT CREEKERS

Win a Hard Fought See-Saw Game from the Boys from the Capital City.

ROURKES HIT THE BALL HARD  
Secure Thirteen Hits for Total of Twenty-Five Bases.

LINCOLN'S FEWER HITS COUNT  
Thomason Hits Out a Home Run and Also a Triple.

LINCOLN MAKES FUTILE RALLY  
Come with a Rush in the Ninth and Land Within One of Trying Up the Score on Omaha.

Thirteen hits for a total of twenty-five bases enabled Omaha to nose out a victory over Lincoln in the deciding game of the series yesterday afternoon by a 6 to 5 score. Lincoln made nine hits, but they came at more opportune times than those of the Rourke, and it was not until the last man was pegged out at first that Omaha was sure of the game.

Lincoln took the lead in the third inning after deadlocking the score in the second. With two men out in the ninth the Antelopes started a rally which looked dangerous. Two men were rushed over the plate in quick succession, but the third man was downed before the score could be tied.

Arthur Thomason was the one big factor in Omaha winning the game. It was his triple in the fifth inning after two Rourke were in the discard which made possible the run which tied the score. Then in the seventh inning he broadened the gap between the two teams by smashing out a home run, with the ball remaining in the park. Cole fell down facing after the ball and when he had picked himself up and secured the ball Tommie was on the hit stroke.

Rourke hit the ball hard, Kane getting a couple of doubles, while Schipke registered a triple and also a home run.

Robinson pitched all-edged ball for the Rourke with the exception of the fourth and ninth innings, when bunched hits gave the visitors four runs and seven hits. Outside of these two innings Robby gave but two hits. In the third three of the four hits were doubles, all coming consecutively.

In the sixth a bad decision by Unger caused much argument between the Omaha players and Umpire Stier. Justice hit what looked to be a fair ball down the first base line for two bases. Robinson, who was on first, went all the way around and home, after which the umpire decided it was a foul ball. Justice came back to the plate and lined the ball out against the centerfield fence for two bases and Robinson scored.

Omaha Scores First.  
Omaha started the scoring early. Coyle singled in the first inning and Thomason walked. A wild pitch advanced both men and Coyle scored when Kane grounded out to Dornick.

The Lopes tied it up in the second. Cole was hit by a pitched ball and Robinson followed by "beating" Barbour. Dowling singled and Cole romped home. Jordan opened the third, beating out a bunt, but Mullen forced him at second. Mullen was caught napping at first and Collins doubled to right. Cobb followed with one to left for two bases and Collins registered. McCordick did the same stunt, driving Cobb across the rubber.

Justice opened the third for Omaha with a single. Coyle sacrificed and Thomason's infield hit put Justice on third, from whence he tallied on an error by Collins.

Thomason Triples.  
With two men in the fifth Tommie tripled, scoring on Kane's Texas leaguer over second. Robinson made a safe one in the sixth, with two out, and scored on Justice's double.

Thomason slammed the ball over Cole's head in the seventh, getting a home run. Schipke opened the eighth with a triple, scoring on Robinson's sacrifice fly to Cole.

With two out in the ninth Grubb let Dowling's grounder get by him and Baker put him on third with a double. "Davy" Lloyd went in to bat for "Buff" Ehman, who had relieved Jordan, and he slammed out a single, scoring Dowling and Baker. Mullen singled to center.

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GIBBON MERCHANTS WIN FROM RIVERDALE

GIBBON, Neb., June 14.—(Special Telegram.)—The Gibbon Merchants won from the Riverdale team yesterday. Mercer pitched his second victory for the week, letting the visitors down with but one hit. The features of the game was a brilliant catch by Gibbon Right Fielder Kestover and a fast double play by Miller at short for First Baseman Dwiggins.

Score: R.H. Gibbon.....0 0 0 2 1 0 0 3-7  
Riverdale.....5 0 0 1 0 0 0 0-1  
Two-base hits: Dwiggins, Mercer.  
Struck out: By Mercer, 11; by Marlette, 6. Batteries: Mercer and Schurkofsky; Marlette and Harlette. Time: 1:37. Umpire: Hershey.

ROURKES VISIT ST. JOSEPH FOR THREE-GAME SERIES

Last night the Omaha Base Ball club left for St. Joseph, where this afternoon it will open a three-game series with the Josies. On the recent trip here the Ho-lenders took two out of the three games and the Rourke are bent on getting even by taking two there.

Following the three-game stay in Missouri the Rourke will come back to Omaha for a stay of twelve days, during which time they will play three games each with Lincoln, Wichita, Denver and Topeka.

Stanton High School Base Ball Team Has Fine Record



From left to right: Perry, right field; McFaulk, shortstop; Fechner, right field; Walter Lueck, (captain), first base; Beutel, left field; Roy Holletten, pitcher and third; Glaser, catcher; A. Holletten, second base; Ray Holletten, third and pitch; Carle, centerfield. The High school ball team of the Stanton High school claims the championship of the state high schools and challenges any team that doubts the claim. The team has won nine victories without a defeat this season and has played everything that would go up against them in the line of high school teams. In their first game the boys defeated the Windele High by the decisive score of 13 to 0. They won from the Winner High by a score of 17 to 3. The next four games were against Newman Grove High school, won by the following respective scores: 5 to 3, 11 to 3, 4 to 3, 8 to 7. The boys next won two games from Norfolk High by 22 to 2 and 4 to 1. The last game played was with Wisner, the Stanton team winning by the score of 2 to 0. The big part of this team is in the Holletten twins, Roy and Ray, who between themselves divided the twirling honors and played third base while not in the box. Captain Lueck, who held down first base for the team, has played on the high school team for four successive years. Five members of this team were graduated from high school on May 29 and have thus made a big hole in the lineup for next year's team.

THREE IN A ROW FROM JOSIES

Des Moines, with Sweet on Mound, Takes Another.

HITS BUNCHED IN EIGHTH  
McCoy Slightly Behind His Opponent in the Pitching Game—Detroit Player Helps Beat the Grizzlies.

DES MOINES, Ia., June 14.—The home team won its third straight game from St. Joseph this afternoon by bunching hits in the eighth, after the score had been tied in that round by the visitors. Sweet had the better of McCoy in the pitching argument. Score:

Table with columns: AB, R, H, O, A, E. Rows for Des Moines and St. Joseph.

DES MOINES.  
Hahn, rf.....2 1 1 3 0 0  
Fox, lf.....2 2 0 2 0 1  
Hunter, cf.....2 2 0 2 0 1  
Leonard, 2b.....2 0 1 0 1 0  
Jones, 3b.....2 0 1 0 1 0  
Reilly, ss.....4 0 0 2 1 1  
Andrews, 1b.....3 0 0 1 1 0  
Slight, c.....3 0 0 1 1 0  
Sweet, p.....3 0 0 4 0 0  
Totals.....20 4 6 27 8 3

ST. JOSEPH.  
Kelly, lf.....2 0 0 2 0 0  
Watson, rf.....2 0 0 2 0 0  
Ochs, 2b.....5 0 1 0 3 0  
Davidson, 3b.....2 0 0 1 1 0  
Ketter, c.....4 0 0 7 0 0  
Western, ss.....2 2 1 1 2 0  
Brewer, 1b.....2 0 1 2 1 0  
Hinkle, p.....3 0 0 0 0 0  
McCoy, p.....3 0 0 0 0 0  
Griffith, p.....0 0 0 0 0 0  
Totals.....22 2 6 24 8 2

\*Batted for McCoy in the ninth.  
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Two-base hits: Ochs, Slight. Bases on balls: Off McCoy, 4. Struck out: By Sweet, 5; by McCoy, 5. Wild pitch: McCoy. Stolen bases: Kelly, Jones (2), Leonard, Hunter. Left on bases: Des Moines, 5; St. Joseph, 10. Time: 1:56. Umpire: O'Tool.

SIoux LAND UPON DENVER

Winning Streak of Grizzlies Checked by Indians.  
SIoux CITY, Ia., June 14.—Sioux City slugged both King and Schreiber of Denver freely today, while Klein held the Grizzlies with ease after the third inning. The Packers breaking the Bears' long winning streak. The final score was 12 to 6. The initial appearance of First Baseman Burns, farmed here by Detroit, was featured by his home run, three-base hit and single out of four times up. Score:

Table with columns: AB, R, H, O, A, E. Rows for Sioux City and Denver.

SIoux CITY.  
Craig, rf.....2 2 0 0 0 0  
Conroy, lf.....2 2 0 0 0 0  
Smith, ss.....4 2 3 0 4 1  
Clarke, cf.....4 1 3 0 0 0  
Davidson, 2b.....5 2 1 0 0 0  
Callahan, 3b.....4 2 3 0 1 1  
Burns, 1b.....4 1 3 18 0 1  
Happ, c.....4 0 0 0 2 2  
Klein, p.....4 0 0 0 2 2  
Totals.....28 12 15 27 17 6

DENVER.  
Glimore, cf.....5 2 1 0 1 0  
Cassidy, rf.....3 1 1 3 0 0  
Butcher, lf.....4 2 2 0 1 0  
Quinn, 2b.....3 1 0 1 3 0  
French, 3b.....4 1 2 6 2 0  
Coffey, ss.....3 0 0 4 3 1  
Blair, 1b.....1 0 0 5 0 0  
Spahr, cf.....3 0 1 2 1 0  
Hesse, c.....3 0 0 1 0 0  
Schreiber, p.....1 0 0 1 0 0  
\*Channell, p.....1 0 0 0 0 0  
\*Wolfgang, p.....1 0 0 0 0 0  
Totals.....24 6 8 24 14 1

\*Batted for Schreiber in ninth.  
\*Batted for Cassidy in ninth.  
Denver.....2 0 3 0 0 1 0 0-6  
Sioux City.....4 0 4 2 0 3 0 0-12  
Left on bases: Denver, 1. Sacrifice hits: Cassidy, Schreiber, Cooney. Two-base hits: Clarke, Davidson, Callahan, Butler, Cooney. Three-base hit: Burns. Home run: Burns. Stolen bases: Smith (2), French (2). Hits: Off King, 5 in one inning; off Schreiber, 10 in seven innings. Struck out: By Schreiber, 2; by Klein, 4. Bases on balls: Off King, 1; off Klein, 2; off Schreiber, 3. Passed ball: King. Hit by pitched ball: Craig. Time: 2:00. Umpire: Colliflower.

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SUPERIOR WINS BY SHADE

Edge Out in Thirteenth, with Five Runs in One Frame.

ERRORS COST ISLANDERS WIN  
Tightest Game of Season Up to the Last Inning, When Blowup Gives League Leaders the Victory.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 14.—(Special Telegram.)—After Grand Island had superior outplayed up to the thirteenth inning, a bunch of errors with a couple of hits permitted the leaders to score five after two outs had been made. Butch Freese contrarily in the share to the victory, especially in his fourth when with three men out, his decision at third, away off color. It was the tightest game up to the last round played this season. Riley pitched splendid ball. E. Brown and B. Brown, of the Columbus team appeared in the Grand Island lineup as a result of a trade for Kondeak. Score:

Table with columns: AB, R, H, O, A, E. Rows for Superior and Grand Island.

GRAND ISLAND.  
Fryer, ss.....2 0 0 2 0 0  
Gray, 2b.....4 1 1 2 0 0  
Meier, lf.....2 1 0 2 0 0  
Jankovich, rf.....2 2 0 0 1 0  
Thiesing, lf.....2 1 0 2 1 0  
Schaid, cf.....4 1 0 0 0 0  
Bokowitz, 3b.....2 1 0 0 0 0  
Oehl, 1b.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Vance, p.....2 0 0 4 0 0  
Totals.....20 5 10 23 14 7

SIoux CITY.  
Superior.....0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5-3  
Grand Island.....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 6-3  
Earned runs: Superior, 3; Grand Island, 2.  
Two-base hits: B. Brown, Landreth, Rockwitz, Thiesing. Three-base hits: Fryer, Bennett. First base on balls: Off Vance, 4; off Riley, 3. Struck out: By Vance, 10; by Riley, 10. Left on bases: Superior, 30; Grand Island, 15. Double plays: Coonunastated; Fryer to Gray to Rockwitz; Smith to Schaid to Gray. Hit by pitched ball: Smith. First base on errors: Superior, 1; Grand Island, 1. Umpire: Umpire Freese. Time: 2:25.

FREMONT DEFEATS SEWARD

One-sided Contest Goes for the Fremont. Fremont defeated Seward here today in one-sided game, by the score of 4 to 0. Woods was hit hard, while Rottel aside from being a trifle wild was invincible. The hitting of Turpin and Henry, featured. In the absence of a fany league umpire, it was necessary for two players to officiate.

SEWARD.  
Branson, 2b.....4 1 0 1 1 0 0  
Tappan, ss.....2 1 2 1 0 0 0  
Black, rf.....4 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Hinkley, cf.....1 1 0 0 0 0 0  
Hesse, lf.....2 1 0 0 0 0 0  
Learner, lf.....4 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Harbert, 3b.....2 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Lalor, 1b.....2 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Woods, p.....2 0 0 4 0 0 0  
Totals.....21 4 12 17 2 0

FREMONT.  
Seward.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0  
Fremont.....0 2 1 0 0 1 2 0-6  
Two-base hits: Rols. Three-base hits: Henry, Wetzel. Home run: Turpin. Sacrifice hits: Poteet, Gourley. Stolen bases: Gourley. Bases on balls: Off Rottel, 4. Struck out: By Woods, 4; by Rottel, 4. Passed ball: Dow. Umpires: Waiters and Cotton. Attendance, 250.

JUSTUS TIGHT; PAWNEES WIN

York Loses First Game of Series with Columbus.

COLUMBUS, Neb., June 14.—(Special Telegram.)—The Pawnees continued their winning streak and defeated York in the

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GOWELL WINS THE DERBY

Takes Latonia Turf Event from Great Britain.

LEADS BY TWELVE LENGTHS  
Foundation is Twenty Behind Second Contender—Tremendous Crowd Present and Victor Warmly Applauded.

LATONIA, Ky., June 14.—Gowell, owned by Jack Weaver and well handled by Jockey Teahan, won the Latonia derby here today from Great Britain, who finished second, and Foundation, third. Only three horses started. Time, 2:35 1/2.

Gowell won by twelve lengths, while Great Britain was twenty lengths in front of the tired Foundation. The latter was never a contender and after traversing the first mile it appeared as though Gowell had things all to himself.

A tremendous crowd saw the running of the thirtieth Latonia derby and the winner was warmly applauded, as he ranked an equal favorite in the betting with the Canadian horse Great Britain.

The time was comparatively slow, but this is accounted for by the fact that the winner was not pushed to his best.

Base Ball Rooters Should Be Taught to Be Good Losers

CHICAGO, Ill., June 14.—Henry F. Kallenberger was appointed official playmaster yesterday to the children of River Forest, a suburb. Besides teaching them how to play one of the important duties of the position will be to show young Americans how to be good losers, which they are not, he says.

"The American base ball fan is a bad loser because his education in sportsmanship has been sadly neglected," the playmaster told members of the village board of River Forest. "His interest in base ball can be traced back to the corner lot games, where he spent forty minutes in every hour in argument and twenty minutes playing base ball. It is from these boys that base ball fans are made.

He kicks at everything, he hoots at the victors, is fickle in his loyalty to the home team, in short, he is a bad loser.

"The trouble with him is that he has not been rightly trained. It is through the playgrounds that we expect to improve the breed of fans."

Elwood Blanks Bertrand.  
Elwood defeated Bertrand in a fast game of ball here Thursday, by the score of 2 to 0. White of Elwood pitched a no-hit game, not a man getting past second base. The game was played in fifty-five minutes. Score by innings:

Table with columns: R, H, E. Rows for Elwood and Bertrand.

White and Withers. Umpires: Dr. Clark and Rose.

Orleans Defeats Hawaiians

ORLEANS, Neb., June 14.—(Special.)—Orleans defeated the native Hawaiians base ball team here today by a score of 25 to 7. Orleans batted three pitchers out of the box and ran wild on bases.

Score: Orleans.....2 0 0 8 5 5 0 3-25  
Hawaiians.....0 1 0 0 2 2 0 1-7  
Batteries: Orleans, Carroll and Persch; Hawaiians, Kukimhoma, Koha, Tomaska and Louhala.

Clark Returns.  
Talt Clarke, who signed with Fremont early in the season and then asked to be suspended, has reported to the team and is taking part in the games. Clark is an infielder.

PHILLIES SHUT OUT CARDS

Defeat St. Louis, Seven to Nothing, in Third of Series.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 14.—Cleveland triumphed over Philadelphia today before the largest crowd of the season here, 3 to 0. The league leaders were almost helpless before the pitching of Gregg. Only four hits were made off him. The home team started off promisingly in the ninth inning, when Schanz and Murphy, the latter battling for Bush, singled, but Gregg quickly ended the hopes of the crowd by retiring Walsh and Olding on flies to Lonje and getting rid of Collins on a long foul fly to Jackson.

Bush pitched a creditable game, holding Cleveland to four hits, but poor fielding helped to lose the game. Ryan made half of Cleveland's hits and scored two of the three runs. Score:

Table with columns: AB, R, H, O, A, E. Rows for Philadelphia and St. Louis.

PHILADELPHIA.  
Johnston, 2b.....4 0 0 0 0 0  
Fisher, lf.....4 0 0 0 0 0  
Gibson, 3b.....4 1 0 1 0 0  
Jackson, rf.....4 0 0 0 0 0  
Larkin, 1b.....4 0 0 0 0 0  
Ryan, cf.....2 1 1 0 0 0  
Graney, 2b.....2 1 0 0 0 0  
O'Neill, cf.....3 0 1 0 0 0  
V. Green, p.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Totals.....28 1 1 0 0 0 0

ST. LOUIS.  
Huggins, 2b.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Shackard, lf.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Larkin, 1b.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Oakes, cf.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Mowrey, 3b.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Ketchup, 1b.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Evans, lf.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
O'Leary, 2b.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Wingo, cf.....4 1 1 0 0 0  
Geyer, p.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Totals.....20 0 0 0 0 0 0

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BRAVES TAKE THIRD ONE

Defeat Cincinnati, Four to Two—Brown Pitches Good Ball.

CINCINNATI, June 14.—Boston profited by errors today and won the third straight game today from the locals, 4 to 2. Brown pitched good ball during the time he was in the box, but the erratic fielding gave Boston the opportunity to score. James also pitched good ball. He retired in the eighth after giving a base on balls, with one man out. Ames and Tyler did not allow a hit during the time they were on the mound. Maranville accepted eleven chances without an error. Score:

Table with columns: AB, R, H, O, A, E. Rows for Boston and Cincinnati.

BOSTON.  
Maranville, 2b.....2 1 1 0 0 0  
Wade, lf.....2 1 1 0 0 0  
Cunniff, lf.....2 1 1 0 0 0  
Boseley, 2b.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Tos, cf.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Man, cf.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Whiting, cf.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
James, p.....2 1 0 0 0 0  
Tyler, p.....2 0 0 0 0 0  
Totals.....22 5 7 15 11 0

\*Batted for Brown in the seventh.  
\*Batted for Ames in the ninth.  
Boston.....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-1  
Cincinnati.....1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0-2  
Two-base hit: Whaling. Hits: Off James, 5; seven and one-third innings; off Tyler, none in one and two-thirds innings; off Brown, 8 in seven innings; off Ames, none in two innings. Sacrifice hits: Meyers, James, Maranville, Maranville, Bescher. Stolen bases: Myers. Left on bases: Boston, 8; Cincinnati, 5. Bases on balls: Off James, 3; off Tyler, 1; off Brown, 4; off Ames, 1. Struck out: By James, 2; by Brown, 2; by Ames, 1. Time: 2:35. Umpires: Klem and Grif.

CLEVELAND TRIMS ATHLETICS

Pitcher Gregg of the Visitors Holds Champions to Four Hits.

LARGEST CROWD OF SEASON  
Cleveland Ends Philadelphia's Chances in the Ninth by Fast Fielding After Two Hits Were Made.

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AMERICAN PLAYERS CINCH POLO TROPHY

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Visitors Show Up Stronger in the Early Stages.

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Final, United States Four and Half to Four and Quarter.

MILBURN FALLS FROM HIS HORSE  
Spectacular Work in Seventh and a Number of Long Races Run Often Half the Length of the Field.

MEADOWBROOK CLUB, WESTBURY, June 14.—The second contest for the international polo challenge cup was won today by the American team. The long Island four, having been victorious in the first game, played last Tuesday, the United States retains possession of the trophy, which the English challengers crossed the ocean in a vain effort to lift. The final score was: America, 4 1/2 goals; England, 4 goals.

First period: England, one goal; America, no goals.

Englishmen Show Strength.  
Second period: The Englishmen showed distinctly better team work and better hitting. Cheapie just missed another goal, riding through after the ball. The play was at first close to the American goal. Milburn rushed in and carried it to center, aided by Waterbury. Waterbury missed a goal. Lockett, with a backstroke, took the ball away from Stoddard and prevented a goal. A foul was called against the American team; it was charged against Whitney. This took half a point off the first goal to be made by America. Cheapie picked the ball up in midfield and in two shots carried it down, but struck wide of the goal.

The most striking feature in the play, so far, was the superiority of the English ponies. The visitors were using their best mounts. Waterbury was not showing the usual backhand strokes had been notable.

Americans on Defensive.  
Third period: The Americans were being forced to play a defensive game. Milburn just saved a ball from being a safety. The play was then at the American end of the field, but by some team work the Americans got it to the center. Whitney did not seem to be playing up to his form. Stoddard and Milburn carried the ball to the English side, but Milburn missed two goal chances in quick succession. Stoddard scored the first goal for the Americans. Milburn with a beautiful backhand stroke brought the ball out of danger.

Fourth period: The play in the beginning of this period was in the English end of the field. Both Ritson and Lockett in a run up the field missed strokes at critical moments. Stoddard, with an off-side stroke, scored the second goal for the Americans. This was immediately followed by an American goal, making the play in this period.

Plays with Broken Mallet.  
Whitney played for a few moments with a broken mallet, not stopping to change. Play in this period came to an end with the ball in English territory.  
Referee Strawbridge threw the ball in and Captain Frauke took it out of the scrimmage. It was driven quickly to the English side, but only for a few seconds. The challengers drove it to center and (Continued on Page Two.)

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