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ROURKES SCALP BOOSTERS

Pile Up Eleven Runs in Three Gorgeous Innings.

FINAL SCORE IS ELEVEN TO FIVE

Des Moines Easily Defeated by Omaha Contingent in Opening Game of the Series.

DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 22.—Three lurid innings in which base hits, passes and errors figured prominently allowed the Rourkes to pile up eleven tallies, which easily defeated the locals in the opening game of the series. Score:

DES MOINES.

	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Breen, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Hahn, rf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Jones, 1b	5	2	2	9	1	0
Hunter, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Shaw, c	4	0	2	8	0	0
Andreas, 2b	4	0	1	5	1	0
Ewoldt, 3b	4	1	2	0	5	3
Hartford, ss	3	0	1	1	5	1
Lakoff, p	1	0	1	1	3	1
Slattery, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
*Hogridge	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	5	10	27	16	5

OMAHA.

	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Payne, 3b	6	2	2	0	0	0
Krug, 2b	3	1	0	2	3	0
Bell, lf	3	2	1	1	0	0
Thomason, cf	4	2	1	4	0	0
Kruger, rf	5	2	3	1	0	0
Thomas, ss	5	1	2	3	4	0
Schleibner, 1b	5	1	0	11	0	0
Seabaugh, c	5	0	1	4	0	1
Willis, p	2	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	38	11	10	27	10	1

*Batted for Lakoff in the seventh.

Des Moines .....1 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—5
Omaha .....0 0 0 4 0 0 4 3 0—11

Two-base hits: Andreas, Shaw, Jones, Thomas, Kruger. Sacrifice hit: Willis. Home run: Jones. Struck out: By Lakoff, 5 in seven innings; by Slattery, 1 in two innings; by Willis, 3. Hits: Off Lakoff, 7; off Slattery, 4; off Willis, 10. Bases on balls: By Lakoff, 5; by Slattery, 1; by Willis, 3. Double plays: Krug to Thomas to Schleibner, Ewoldt to Andreas to Hartford. Wild pitch: Willis. Passed ball: Shaw, 2. Hit by pitched ball: By Willis, Lakoff. Left on bases: Des Moines, 8; Omaha, 8. Time: 2:05. Umpires: Fife and Cullen.

BEARS TAKE THE OPENER

Denver Wins, One to Nothing, Over Jobbers.

WICHITA, Kan., Sept. 22.—Denver won the opening game of the series here by the score of 1 to 0 in a pitchers' battle between Scott and Gaskell. A walk, followed by a double in the third inning, scored the only run of the game. Score:

WICHITA.

	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Tydeman, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Ochs, lf	4	0	2	2	0	0
O'Rourke, 2b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Fitzsimmons, ss	4	0	1	1	2	0
Bills, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Rapp, 3b	3	0	0	2	6	0
Henry, 1b	3	0	0	17	0	0
Graham, c	2	0	0	4	1	0
Scott, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	30	0	4	27	16	1

DENVER.

	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Matthews, 2b	4	1	0	2	1	0
Edington, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
McCarty, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Butcher, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Barbour, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Fisher, 1b	4	0	2	12	2	0
Faye, ss	3	0	0	0	4	0
Block, c	3	0	0	5	0	0
Spahr, c	1	0	1	3	0	0
Gaskell, p	4	0	0	2	3	0
Totals	34	1	7	27	13	0

Denver .....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
Wichita .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Left on bases: Denver, 8; Wichita, 4. Sacrifice hit: Faye. Two-base hit: Edington. Stolen base: Edington. Double play: Fisher (unassisted). Struck out: By Gaskell, 6; by Scott, 2. Bases on balls: Off Gaskell, 2; off Scott, 1. Hit by pitched ball: By Scott, Butcher. Time: 1:25. Umpires: Stockdale and Van Syckle.

DIVIDE THE DOUBLE-HEADER

Topeka Loses First Game, but Wins the Second.

TOKEKA, Kan., Sept. 22.—Topeka and Lincoln divided a double-header today, Lincoln taking the first game, 6 to 4, and Topeka the second game, 8 to 2. Score, first game:

Score first game:

TOPEKA.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Cochran, 3b	4	1	1	2	1	0
Bramble, lf	4	2	1	3	0	0
Forsythe, rf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Rapps, cf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Koerner, 1b	2	0	0	8	0	0
Tallion, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0
Lattimore, 2b	2	0	0	2	3	0
Tonneman, c	4	0	0	0	0	0
Dashner, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Grover, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
*Reisigl	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	4	7	27	7	1

LINCOLN.

	A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McGaffigan, ss	2	1	1	0	1	0
Lloyd, 2b	3	1	1	6	5	0
Williams, 1b	3	0	1	11	2	1
Schreiber, cf-ss	5	0	1	3	6	0
Collins, lf-cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Altman, rf	5	0	1	0	0	0
Oriet, 3b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Rehor, c	3	2	1	3	0	0
Jordas, p	5	0	0	0	2	1
Morse, lf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Totals	35	6	8	27	17	2

*Batted for Grover in ninth.

Topeka .....0 0 0 2 2 0 0 0 0—4
Lincoln .....0 0 0 3 0 0 0 3 0—6

Two-base hits: Forsythe, Rapps, Lloyd, Schreiber, Collins, Altman, Morse. Sacrifice hits: Cochran, Bramble, Lattimore, Oriet. Stolen bases: Cochran, McGaffigan. Bases on balls: Off Dashner, 8; off Grover, 1; off Jordan, 3. Struck out: By Jordan, 2; by Dashner, 7; by Grover, 1. Hits: Off Dashner, 8 in eight and two-thirds innings. Double play: McGaffigan to Lloyd to Williams. Hit by pitched ball: Lattimore. Passed ball: Tonneman. Umpire: Myers.

Score, second game:

Score, second game:

TOPEKA.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Cochran, 3b	3	1	1	0	0	0
Bramble, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Forsythe, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Rapps, cf	3	0	0	2	0	1
Koerner, 1b	1	2	0	5	1	0
Tallion, ss	1	3	0	2	2	1
Lattimore, 2b	2	2	2	4	2	0
Tonneman, c	2	0	0	9	2	0
Reisigl, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	21	8	3	21	9	2

LINCOLN.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McGaffigan, ss	3	0	1	0	0	1
Lloyd, 2b	4	0	0	2	0	0
Williams, 1b	3	0	0	6	0	1
Schreiber, cf	4	0	0	1	1	0
Collins, rf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Altman, lf	3	1	2	2	0	0
Oriet, 3b	2	0	0	2	2	0
Blackburn, c	2	0	0	4	2	2
Pope, p	3	0	2	0	2	0
Totals	28	2	8	*18	7	4

*Game called at end of seventh by agreement.)

Topeka .....0 4 0 1 0 3 *—8
Lincoln .....0 2 0 0 0 0 0—3

Two-base hits: Cochran, Collins. Sacrifice hits: McGaffigan, Tonneman, Altman. Bases on balls: Off Pope, 7; off Reisigl, 2. Struck out: By Pope, 4; by Reisigl, 1. Double play: Tallion to Lattimore to Koerner. Balk: Reisigl. Umpire: Meyers.

KINGSLEY HAS HIGH SCORE AT CARTER LAKE SHOOT

Ralph Kingsley turned in the highest score at the shoot at the Carter Lake Gun club Sunday afternoon, breaking 90 out of a possible 100 birds. The strong wind which swept over the lake hindered the trappers and accounts for the low scores. George Rogers, with 88; Dr. Hall, with 87; Clinger, with 86, and Colon, with 76, were other high scores. The professionals who were expected to participate did not shoot.

Mrs. A. S. Ritchie provided entertainment for the shooters by trying her skill with a shotgun for the first time. She broke 50 out of the 100.

David City Takes Fast One.

DAVID CITY, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—David City won a fast game from Wahoo yesterday, making the third win from them this season. Corey struck out seventeen men, while Anderson was hit freely throughout. Simedynes' triple with the bases full in the eighth was Wahoo's final effort to tie up the count. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
David City	0	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	*—5	12	0
Wahoo	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0—4	5	1

Athletics Have Pitchers.

Five Athletic hurlers, Plank, Bender, Dressler, Shawkey and Pennock, are among the dozen first pitchers in the American league averages. That doesn't look as though the Mackmen had such a poor pitching staff.

CLEWELL SURPRISED WITH OFFER OF A BETTER JOB

Wesley S. Clewell, for seven years with the Illinois Central, three years of which time has been spent in Omaha as city passenger and ticket agent, is going to quit railroading. The decision to quit was reached when he received a telegram announcing that last night he was elected secretary of the oldest building and loan association in Dubuque, Ia., where he was born and raised.

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Standing of Teams

WESTERN LEAGUE.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Sioux City	155	98	57	.632
Denver	149	92	57	.581
St. Joseph	154	85	69	.552
Des Moines	157	80	77	.510
Lincoln	152	77	85	.475
Omaha	157	74	83	.471
Topeka	158	64	94	.405
Wichita	157	59	98	.376

NAT'L LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.	AMER. LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	80	55	.593	Phila.	91	49	.650
New York	76	61	.500	Boston	85	54	.612
Chicago	74	66	.529	Detroit	75	68	.524
St. Louis	73	66	.525	Wash.	73	67	.521
Phila.	67	73	.479	Chicago	67	75	.472
Brooklyn	65	74	.468	St. Louis	63	76	.453
Pittsburgh	62	75	.453	New York	63	77	.450
Cincinnati	56	83	.403	Cleveland	45	96	.319

Yesterday's Results.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Denver, 1; Wichita, 0.
Lincoln, 6-3; Topeka, 4-8, called at end of seventh by agreement.
Omaha, 11; Des Moines, 5.
St. Joseph-Sioux City, postponed.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, 1-4; Chicago, 9-7.
New York-St. Louis, postponed, rain.
Boston, 5-5; Detroit, 2-0.
Philadelphia, 14; Cleveland, 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburgh, 2; Boston, 8.
Cincinnati, 4; Brooklyn, 5.
Chicago, 5; New York, 0.
St. Louis, 5; Philadelphia, 4.

Games Today.

Western League—Denver at Wichita, Lincoln at Topeka, Omaha at Des Moines, St. Joseph at Sioux City.

American League—No games scheduled.

National League—Cincinnati at Boston, Pittsburgh at Brooklyn, St. Louis at New York, Chicago at Philadelphia.

Federal League—Kansas City at Brooklyn, St. Louis at Brooklyn, Chicago at Baltimore, Indianapolis at Buffalo.

American Association—Minneapolis at Milwaukee, Columbus at Cleveland, St. Paul at Kansas City, Indianapolis at Louisville.

Sixty Hawkeye Boys Report for Practice

IOWA CITY, Ia., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—Football practice started at Iowa yesterday with a squad of about sixty men answering Coach Hawley's call. The Hawkeyes got a long, hard workout, lasting from three o'clock until six. Kicking and catching punts, setting-up exercises under the direction of Trainer Watson, a chalk-talk in which the first signals were given out, and a variety of other exercises made up the day's work. All of last year's regulars who are inschool were out with the exception of Max Wilson, guard, who is ill with the mumps. Houghton, center, has not yet arrived in the city, but is expected today.

Rain Mars Opening of Sioux City Races

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Sept. 21.—Rain marred the opening card at the interstate fair races. Results:

Trotting, 2:16 class, purse $400 (unfinished):

Lemark, jr.	1	2
Spartan Queen	2	1
Huxie Medium	3	4
Hal Tolus	4	3

Time, 2:17¼, 2:23¼.

Pacing, 2:14 class, Live Stock exchange, purse $1,000 (unfinished):

Dad Mix, by Robert Mix	1	1
Amoy W	3	2
Peeping Tom	2	4
Lee Dale	4	3

Time, 2:14, 2:16¾.

LITCHFIELD GETS REVENGE FOR ITS FORMER DEFEATS

LITCHFIELD, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Litchfield humiliated the Prairie Dogs on their own diamond Sunday, 10 to 6. The game was featured by hard hitting on both sides, but Hager kept the hits well scattered and struck out thirteen men, while Roberts was hit hard when hits meant runs. Eastabrook went in the box in the eighth and held the locals runless after that. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Litchfield	0	0	0	2	2	3	2	1	*—10	12	2
Prairie Dogs	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	1—6	7	3

CRAWFORD FAIR VOTES PURSES FOR SPECIAL RACES

CRAWFORD, Neb., Sept. 22.—(Special Telegram.)—The board of directors of the Crawford Tri-state fair last night voted a purse of $80 for a free-for-all trot or pace Saturday, and a $500 purse for a Crawford derby. These events are open to the world. The track is in excellent condition and fast time is expected.

SOUTH OMAHA BOWLERS OPEN ANNUAL SCHEDULE

Members of the Magic City Bowling league opened their season Monday night at the Brunswick alleys, Twenty-fourth and M streets, South Omaha. Chief of Police Briggs addressed the assembly and immediately following the various teams vied ten-pin prowess with each other.

Gibbons and Clabby Matched.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Mike Gibbons and Jimmy Clabby today signed for a twenty-round bout at San Francisco on the afternoon of Thanksgiving day.

BRAVES MAKE IT FIVE GAMES

Force Pirates to Walk Plank While Giants Lose Again.

BOSTON'S VICTORY IS EASY

Visitors Secure Their Only Two Runs Through Base on Balls, Double, Wild Throw and Single.

BOSTON, Sept. 22.—Today's game resulted in an easy victory for Boston over Pittsburgh, 8 to 2. As New York lost to Chicago, the local team now has a five-game lead in the pennant race.

The visitors secured their only runs through a base on balls, a double, a wild throw by Smith and Konetchy's single. Schmidt's triple in Boston's half of the opening inning tied the score. Connolly's two-bagger in the fourth sent three men home. Pittsburgh was unable to do much with Tyler's delivery after the opening inning. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Pittsburgh	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—2	6	2
Boston	2	0	1	4	0	0	1	0	*—8	12	1

Batteries: Pittsburgh, Kantlehner and Coleman; Boston, Tyler and Whaling.

Cards Win from Phils.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 22.—Errors and passes played a big part in today's game, which St. Louis won from Philadelphia, 5 to 4. Nearly all the runs of both teams were due to fielding and battery mispiays. Huggins and Magee each went to bat four times and scored two runs and yet neither wach charged with a time at bat. Huggins drew three bases on balls and was hit by the pitcher, while Magee received four bases on balls.

In the fifth inning Manager Dooin of Philadelphia threw wild to first base and a spectator in the grandstand shouted a remark which caused Dooin to order the rooters removed. A policeman escorted the rooter from the ground after the umpire got between Dooin and the spectator and prevented blows being struck. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0—5	6	3
Philadelphia	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0—4	4	4

Batteries: Perdue, Griner and Wingo; Mayer, Baumgartner and Dooin, Burns.

Reds Lose Eighteen Straight.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Cincinnati lost its eighteenth straight game here today and Brooklyn made a season's record for itself by capturing a whole series of five games.

Daubert won the game with a single in the tenth with the bases full, one out and one run needed to win. McCarty's home run in the seventh after Egan had singled with two out caused the retirement of Yingling. Douglass suddenly became wild and ineffective in the tenth. Aitchison was ineffective in the fourth and the Reds scored three runs on him. His wildness in the ninth let in Killifer with the tieing run. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1 0—4	6	1
Brooklyn	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0 1—5	8	1

Batteries: Yingling, Douglass and Gonzales; Aitchison and McCarty.

Cubs Blank Giants.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Chicago made it two out of three from New York today by taking the last game of the season in New York by a score of 5 to 0. The visitors hammered Mathewson unmercifully in the first inning and scored all their runs on three singles, a double, a triple, a wild pitch and a wild throw by Meyers. Cheney, on the other hand, was invincible and shut out the champions with three hits. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—5	10	1
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0	3	1

Batteris: Cheney and Archer; Mathewson, O'Toleo and Meyers, McLean.

Chifeds Win from the Baltimore Team

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 22.—Chicago had the better of the breaks and won from Baltimore today, 2 to 1. Two hits, a base on balls and a wild pitch, gave the visitors their two runs. Baltimore's tally was scored on a double and a single. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0—2	6	2
Baltimore	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1	8	1

Batteries: Brennan, SHendrix and Wilson; Bailey, Smith and Jacklitsch.

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 22.—Batting three Pittsburgh pitchers for seventeen hits, St. Louis today defeated the locals, 10 to 4. Davenport was in good form. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	2	0	1	0	4	0	0	2	1—10	17	0
Pittsburgh	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1—4	8	2

Batteries: Davenport and Chapman; Camnitz, Walker, Adams and Berry.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Seaton outpitched Cullop in a twirlers' contest today and Brooklyn won from Kansas City, 1 to 0. The only run of the game City 1 to 0. The only run of the game was scored in the second inning on Evans's double, a passed ball and Westerzil's single. The locals fielded cleanly behind their star boxman, who was seldom in danger of being scored on and pitched himself out of the few tight places he worked into. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0	5	0
Brooklyn	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	*—1	4	0

Batteries: Cullop and Easterly; Seaton and Land.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Buffalo took today's game by a score of 4 to 1. Anderson allowed the visitors only three hits. Billiard, who started the game for Indianapolis, was relieved in the second by Mullen, who was much better, seven innings netting Buffalo only one more hit. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Buffalo	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	*—4	4	1
Indianapolis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1	3	2

Batteries: Anderson and Lavigne; Billard, Mullen and Rariden.

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COLLINS HURLS TWO WINS

Pitches Red Sox to Victory Twice Over the Tiger Crew.

HIT HARD IN THE FIRST COMBAT

Detroit, However, Only Obtains Four Hits in Second, Which is Called on Account of Darkness at End of Eighth.

DETROIT, Sept. 22.—Ray Collins performed the unusual feat of pitching Boston to victory over Detroit twice this afternoon. The scores were 5 to 3 and 5 to 0. Detroit hit the left-handed twirler hard in the first game, but obtained only four hits in the second contest, which was called on account of darkness at the end of the eighth inning. Score, first game:

									R.	H.	E.
Boston	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0—5	10	1
Detroit	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0—3	12	1

Batteries: Boston, Collins and Carrigan; Detroit, Coveleskie, Reynolds and Baker.

Score, second game:

									R.	H.	E.
Boston	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0—5	8	0
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0	4	2

Batteries: Boston, Collins and Carrigan; Detroit, Oldham, Reynolds, Boehler and McKee, Baker.

Chi Sox Beat Senators Twice.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Chicago won both games of a double-header from Washington today, 9 to 1 and 7 to 4, winding up the series with the visitors for the season. The first game went to the locals by bunching hits. Bentley weakened in the seventh inning of the second game and Chicago came from behind, driving him out of the box. Ayers was wild and the locals continued their rally, scoring six runs in the inning on four hits, a base on balls, a hit by pitched ball and an error. The second game was called at the end of the seventh inning on account of darkness. Score, first game:

									R.	H.	E.
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1—2	6	2
Chicago	0	5	1	0	0	1	0	2	*—9	10	0

Batteries: Washington, R. Williams, Engel, Shaw and Ainsmith; Chicago, Benz and Schalk.

Naps Defeat Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 22.—Bunching seventeen of their nineteen hits in three innings, Philadelphia easily defeated Cleveland, 14 to 3, today. Cleveland used three recruits in the box. Carter, who started the game, got along well until his support went to pieces. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	—3	8	6
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	4	0	6	0	4—14	19	0

Batteries: Carter, Dillinger, Bowman and Egan; Bush and Schang.

Anna Bradford Makes New World Pacing Record

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 22.—What was said to be a new world's record for 3-year-old pacers was hung up at the conclusion of the horse review futurity, purse $3,000, at the grand circuit meet this afternoon. Anna Bradford (Murphy), won; Squantum, second; Prince Jolla, third; The Whip, fourth. Best time 2:01¼.

JOHNSON PROHIBITS USE OF THE SANDPAPER BALL

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Use of the "emery ball" or the "sand paper" ball in the American league is prohibited in a ruling by President B. B. Johnson.

Managers of clubs were notified that the first offenders will be suspended for thirty days and fined $100. In addition, the game in which the ball is used will be cast out of the record, providing it is won by the team violating the rule.

Certain pitchers in the league, it is charged, rubbed a small piece of emery paper on the ball, disfiguring the cover. The trick also made the pitching more efective, it was said, as it gave the user

LARGE SQUADS REPORT FOR FOOT BALL PRACTICE

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Three hundred and eighty-four football players responded to the first call of practice issued yesterday by coaches of "Big Nine" elevens, according to statistics gathered here today.

Unusually large squads reported to all of the western conference universities. Perdue topped the list with sixty-five, with Iowa second with sixty. Minnesota had fifty, Ohio forty-five, Illinois forty, Chicago thirty-five, Wisconsin thirty-four, Indiana thirty and Northwestern twenty-five.

Rain Postpones Game.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 22.—The LSt. Louis-New York game scheduled here today was called off on account of rain, which began shortly after noon. As tomorrow was to have been an open date, the teams will play the game off then.

American Association Results.

Indianapolis	11	12	3—	0	4	2					
Louisville	5	10	4—	4	4	2					
Minneapolis	1	1	6	2	2	2					
Milwaukee	3	8	3								

Why Not Publish It?

When you want a fact to become generally known, the right way is to publish it. Mrs. Joseph Kallana, Peru, Ind., was troubled with belching, sour stomach and frequent headaches. She writes, "I feel it my duty to tell others what Chamberlain's Tablets have done for me. They have helped my digestion and regulated my bowels. Since using them I have been entirely well." For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

Coach Stagg of Uni of Chicago Reported Confined to His Bed

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—It was admitted at the University of Chicago today that Alonzo A. Stagg, director of athletics, is confined to his bed by an attack of neuritis. He was not on the field yesterday for the first day of practice, being absent for the first time in twenty-two years on such an occasion.

Assistant Coach "Pat" Page was reluctant to admit that the veteran was ill, but finally said his chief hoped to leave his room next week.

Stagg has suffered from rheumatism off and on since eleven years ago. At this time Stagg exposed himself to inclement weather in an endeavor to build up a team to vanquish Michigan. Rheumatism resulted. He sat through a snowstorm to watch the game which ended in defeat for his team. He contracted pneumonia and has been compelled since to take frequent vacations because of impaired health. In athletic circles at the university today there was a disposition to regard his present illness with some concern.

TOO CHILLY AND TRACK TOO HEAVY FOR FAST RACING

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Sept. 22.—The weather was too chilly and the track slow as a result of Monday's rain for good racing at the Interstate fair grounds meet today. Only yesterday's unfinished events were carded. Summaries:

Trotting, 2:16 class, purse $400 (two heats Monday): Hal Tolus, first; Spartan Queen, second; Lemark, jr., third; Hixie Medium, fourth. Best time, 2:17¼.

Pacing, 2:14 class, Live Stock exchange, purse $1,000 (two heats Monday): Amby, first; Dad Mix, second; Peeping Tom, Third; Lee Dal, fourth. Best time, 2:14½.

Motor Speedway Ready for Trials

After experiencing delays due to inability to obtain material, Jack Prince has succeeded in completing the stripping on his motorcycle stadium speedway in East Omaha. The last of the stripping was put on yesterday and only a few finishing details are yet to be done.

The preliminary trials, which were to have been held today, will probably be held Wednesday. A dozen drivers are now here as Joe Walters and others arrived yesterday and they will soon be tuning up on the saucer track. There will be considerable practice between now and Saturday, the day of the initial race, as the riders have never before driven on such a large track. The usual distance has been a quarter of a mile and the angle of the banks of other tracks are not sixty degrees as on the Omaha track.

The riders are confident that they will be able to travel 100 miles an hour without danger and it may be that some of the more daring will exceed that speed.

Records may be smashed, as every rider in the city declares that this will be the first track on which they will dare open their machines. So great is the power of the motor bikes that seldom is a rider able to open up to full speed without jeopardizing his life, but on the larger track and the increased incline the daredevils are sure that they will have an opportunity to get every ounce of power there is in the pop-pop wheels.

Shutout for Oakland.

NICKERSON, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Clever pitching by Cook, who allowed only three hits and struck out eleven, enabled Fontenelle to shut out Oakland Sunday, 6 to 0. Fitch was bumped for a triple, four doubles and a single, striking out four. Batteries: Oakland, Fitch and West; Fontenelle, Cook and Cook.

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