Appointment of Athletic Commissioner Is Asset to Big Ten

Former Illinois Coach to Rule on All Disputes

Creation of the Office in Western Conference Marks a New Era in Intercollegiate Athletics.

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Appointment of Maj. John L. Griffith of Urbana, Ill., who has been a member of the instructional staff in the department of athletic coaching at the University of Illinois since 1919, as commissioner of Western Intercollegiate conference athletics, should go a long way toward clearing up many unpleasant angles which have cropped up most every year in the Big Ten.

MAJ. J. L. GRIFFITH.

In the past, sort of a gentleman's agreement existed between coaches and directors regarding the eligibility of certain players. The status of the player or players involved was left entirely to the coach or athletic director of the institution. If either was convinced the men had not violated the code, they were permitted to compete. In most cases the question was put point blank to the athlete, who generally denied having broken any rules.

Can Investigate Without Offense.

With a commissioner, facts in the case can be presented in a legitimate manner and investigated without offense to either party. In other words, Commissioner Griffith will be a clearing house for protests, according to a statement made recently by one of the directors.

He will be called upon to smooth over any breaches which may arise between heads of athletic departments and, if necessary, will personally investigate any charges of professionalism which may be lodged with him.

Athletic directors of Big Ten institutions are interested in a constructive program primarily and a law enforcement one secondarily. Western conference athletics have grown to such proportions that the directors feel that it is a good investment to have one man give all his time to improving conditions in athletics in their conference and to safeguard the game.

The Big Ten schools will undoubtedly play to over $1,000,000 gate this fall and no $1,000,000 corporation will hesitate to spend the money to improve conditions within the corporation.

Commissioner Griffith will make his headquarters in Chicago, which will make it easy for him to make trips to all western schools. He is intensely interested in the new office and according to the directors, a better choice could not have been made. Although a valuable asset to the coaching staff at Illinois, Commissioner Griffith can do more good in his new office.

Marks New Era in Athletics.

Creation of the office marks a new era in intercollegiate athletics and plainly shows the middlewest is setting the pace in its efforts to establish clean athletics. Ever since the western conference was organized associations formed in other parts of the country have copied its rules. The Missouri Valley conference follows the rules of the Big Ten very closely, as do the Rocky Mountain and Pacific coast conferences.

Following the wholesale housecleaning after the football season last year, institutions in most every prominent eastern university investigated their athletes, with the result several were eliminated from further intercollegiate competition. The plan of the commissioner will be watched closely by associations in all parts of the country. If it has desired results it is only reasonable to assume like offices will be created in the other conference bodies.

Whether Major Griffith will resign from the committee which has conducted the national collegiate track and field games for the last two years is not known. The commissioner was one of the hardest workers on the committee and it was mainly through his untiring efforts that the games held last June on Stagg field were so successful. This meet can be developed into the country's greatest set of track and field games. In fact, it might well be called the American intercollegiate Olympics.

This Year's Meet Attractive.

This year's meet attracted entries from coast to coast, while the south was well represented. Commissioner Griffith will undoubtedly be urged to remain on the committee, because his new office will enable him to encourage athletic directors and track coaches to send representatives to the games. At any rate, indications are the western conference has made a move in the right direction and the directors could not possibly have made a better choice than that of Maj. John L. Griffith as the commissioner of athletics in the Big Ten.

Following this appointment came the announcement from Iowa City that Jimmy Ashmore, baseball and basket ball coach at the University of Iowa, has resigned to take over the athletic directorship at De Pauw. Ashmore is a capable mentor and one of the best football scouts in the country. He knows the gridiron game, while his knowledge of baseball and basket ball is just as keen as that of any mentor in the country. Ashmore will make a valuable man for the Greencastle institution.

Planet Mars Nearer Earth Than for Last 13 Years

Tenerife, Aug. 12.—Mars is paying a visit to this planet.

P. M. Rynes, astronomer, has arrived here to make observations of Mars, which is now nearer the earth than it has been for the last 13 years.

BASE BALL

National League

Cardinals Lose to Cubs.

St. Louis, Aug. 12.—The Cardinals lost to Chicago, 4 to 6, and dropped to second place in the pennant race, due to New York's double victory over Brooklyn. Doak, who started on the mound for the locals, was batted out in the sixth inning and was replaced by Haines. Osborne, Chicago's first hurler, was driven from the mound, while he relinquished to Jones only after threatening to strike Field Captain Hollocher.

O'Farrell's home run in the eighth inning, with two runners on, won the game for the visitors after the Cardinals had gained the lead by tallying four times in the fifth, sixth and seventh innings. Score:

CHICAGO	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	ST. LOUIS	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Statz, cf	4	1	0	0	0	Flack, rf	2	0	2	0	0
Hotchr, ss	5	1	2	2	3	Heck, 2b	3	0	0	0	0
Terry, 3b	5	0	2	1	4	Smith, cf	3	0	0	3	0
Grimes, 1b	4	1	0	1	0	Hornsby, 2b	4	0	0	5	0
Friberg, lf	3	0	0	0	0	Frnier, 1b	3	1	11	1	1
Hoote, rf	4	1	1	3	0	Mueller, rf	3	1	1	0	0
Krug, 2b	3	0	2	2	2	Toporcer, ss	4	0	1	3	2
O'Farrel, c	4	1	1	7	0	*Clemons, c	3	1	1	1	1
Osborne, p	2	0	0	0	0	Alexndr, c	1	0	0	2	0
						Doak, p	2	0	0	0	0
						Haines, p	0	0	0	0	0
						†Toffer, p	1	0	0	0	0
						zKnn	0	0	0	0	0
						zSchalk	1	0	0	0	0
						zGainer	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	11	12	18	10	Totals	32	7	27	13	

zRan for Clemons in sixth.
†Batted for Haines in sixth.
zBatted for Smith in ninth.

Score by innings:

Chicago	000 003 020—6
St. Louis	000 011 200—4

Summary—Runs: Hollocher, Terry, Grimes, Friberg, Krug, O'Farrell, Smith, Hornsby, Mueller, Toporcer. Errors: Terry, 2. Two-base hits—Toporcer, Clemons, Hollocher, Stats. Three-base hits: Grimes, Fournier, Toporcer. Home runs: O'Farrell. Stolen bases: Krug. Sacrifices: Hotchkiss. Left on bases: Chicago, 4; St. Louis, 9. Bases on balls: Off Osborne, 1; off Doak, 2; off Pfeffer, 1. Struck out: By Osborne, 1; by Jones, 2; by Haines, 1; by Pfeffer, 1. Hits: Off Osborne, 7 in 6 2-3 innings; off Jones, none in 2 1-3 innings; off Doak, 7 in 4 1-3 innings; off Haines, 4 in 2-3 inning; off Pfeffer, 4 in 3 innings. Hit by pitcher: By Osborne (Fournier). Winning pitcher: Jones. Losing pitcher: Pfeffer. Umpires: Moran and Quigley. Time: 2:18.

Pirates Blank Reds.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 12.—A batting rally in the seventh gave Pittsburgh a 5 to 0 victory over Cincinnati, the 13th consecutive win for the Pirates. Adams was invincible throughout. Score:

CINCINNATI	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	PITTSBURGH	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Burns, rf	4	1	3	0	0	Mville, ss	5	1	1	5	
D'ubert, 1b	4	1	15	0	0	Carey, cf	4	0	1	0	
Duncan, lf	4	1	1	0	0	Bigbee, lf	4	2	2	0	
Roush, cf	4	0	0	0	0	Bhart, rf	4	1	1	0	
Fonseca, 3b	0	0	2	4		Russell, rf	0	0	1	0	
Pinelli, 2b	3	1	1	3		Tierney, 2b	4	2	0	4	
C'veney, ss	3	0	1	6		Traner, 2b	4	0	2	3	
Wingo, c	3	0	1	0		Grimm, 1b	4	2	15	0	
Rixey, p	2	0	0	0		Schmidt, c	4	2	1	1	
Keck, p	1	0	0	1		Adams, p	2	1	0	0	
Totals	31	4	24	11		Totals	35	12	27	12	

Score by innings:

Cincinnati	000 000 000—0
Pittsburgh	000 000 51p—6

Summary—Runs: Maranville, Carey, Barnhart, Grimm (2). Schmidt. Errors: Cavenny, Wingo. Two-base hits: Tierney, Grimm. Three-base hit: Burns. Stolen base: Tierney. Sacrifices: Adams (2). Left on bases: Cincinnati, 4; Pittsburgh, 8. Bases on balls: Off Rixey, 1. Struck out: By Adams, 2. Hits: Off Rixey, 10 in 6 2-3 innings; off Keck, 2 in 1 1-3 inning. Losing pitcher: Rixey. Umpires: McCormick and Rigler. Time: 1:22.

Giants Win Double Bill.

Brooklyn, Aug. 12.—The New York Giants made a clean sweep of the three-game series with Brooklyn by winning a double-header by scores of 11 to 5 and 3 to 1. Andy High's muff of a pop fly in the seventh inning of the first game gave the Giants their winning margin after the Robins had tied the score and knocked Ryan out of the box in the sixth. Kelly hit his 14th homer in the second inning. McQuillan, formerly of the Boston Braves, pitched his first victory for the Giants in the second game. Score, first game:

First game:

NEW YORK	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	BROOKLYN	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Bancroft, ss	3	1	4	1	2	Olson, 2b	4	2	4	0	
Groh, 3b	4	1	1	2		J'ston, ss	3	0	1	0	
Frisch, 2b	4	0	2	1		B.G'fith, rf	4	1	1	0	
Meusel, lf	4	2	0	0		Wheat, lf	5	0	2	0	
Young, rf	4	1	0	0		Myers, cf	3	1	5	1	
Kelly, 1b	5	4	11	1		Wand'l, 1b	4	0	7	0	
Stengel, cf	5	1	2	1		High, 3b	4	1	0	1	
Smith, c	4	3	4	2		Miller, c	3	1	4	1	
Ryan, p	2	0	1	1		D'fur, p	0	0	0	0	
J'nard, p	2	0	0	0		Vance, p	1	0	0	0	
						M'naux, p	1	0	0	1	
						H'ling, c	1	1	4	1	
						zNeis	0	0	0	0	
						zReuther	1	1	0	0	
Totals	38	12	27	12		Totals	34	7	27	10	

zRan for Miller in sixth.
zBatted for Mammaux in sixth.

New York	010 400 204—11
Brooklyn	100 004 000—5

Summary—Runs: Bancroft, Groh (2), Frisch (2), Young (2), Kelly (2), Stengel, Smith, Johnston, Wheat, Myers, High, Neis. Errors: Frisch, Stengel, Ryan, Johnston (2), High. Two-base hits: Kelly, Reuther. Three-base hit: Young. Home runs: Kelly, Smith. Stolen base: Olson. Sacrifices: Meusel, Olson, B. Griffith. Double plays: Stengel to Groh, High to Olson to Schmandt. Meyers to Johnston. Left on bases: New York, 7; Brooklyn, 9. Bases on balls: Off Ryan, 8; off Mammaux, 2; off Decatur, 1; off Vance, 2. Struck out: By Ryan, 1; by Jonnard, 2; by Mammaux, 3; by Vance, 3. Hits: Off Ryan, 5 in 5 1-3; off Mammaux, 7 in 6; off Vance, 8 in 3; off Jonnard, 2 in 3 2-3; off Decatur, 0, in 0 (none out in seventh). Wild pitch: Vance. Passed ball: Miller. Winning pitcher: Jonnard; losing pitcher, Decatur. Umpires: Klem and Sentelle. Time: 2:18.

Score second game:

NEW YORK	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	BROOKLYN	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Bancr'ft, ss	3	1	4	1		Olson, 2b	4	2	4	0	
Groh, 3b	5	2	3	2		John'n, ss	4	0	3	1	
Frisch, 2b	4	0	1	3		B.G'fith, rf	4	2	4	0	
Meusel, lf	4	0	2	0		Wheat, lf	4	0	3	0	
Young, rf	4	1	0	0		Myers, cf	3	1	3	0	
Kelly, 1b	4	0	8	0		Sch'ndt, 1b	4	2	5	1	
Stengel, cf	4	2	4	0		High, 3b	2	1	0	2	
Snyder, c	2	1	2	3		Hung'n, c	3	0	4	1	
M'Quil'n, p	2	0	0	0		Shriver, p	2	0	0	0	
						Cadore, p	0	0	0	0	
						xReuther	1	0	0	0	
Totals	34	8	27	11		Totals	31	8	27	8	

xBatted for Shriver in eighth.

Score by innings:

New York	000 011 010—3
Brooklyn	010 000 000—1

Summary—Runs: Bancroft, Stengel (2), Myers. Error: Olson. Three-base hit: Stengel. Stolen bases: Bancroft, Groh, Stengel. Double plays: Groh (unassisted); Schmandt (unassisted); Groh, Frisch and Kelly. Left on bases: New York, 10; Brooklyn, 3. Bases on balls: Off McQuillan, 1; off Shriver, 4. Struck out: By McQuillan, 1; by Shriver, 2; by Cadore, 1. Hits: Off Shriver, 8 in 4 innings; off Cadore, 3 in 1 inning. Wild pitch: Shriver. Losing pitcher: Shriver. Umpires: Klem and Sentelle. Time: 1:40.

WIRE SHORTS

Calgary, Alta., Canada, Aug. 12—Cyril Coaffee of Winnipeg today equalled the world's record for the 100-yard dash at the annual meet of the Canadian Amateur Athletic association by running the distance in 9 3-5 seconds. The time constitutes a Canadian record for the distance. The former dominion record was 9 4-5 seconds held by Bobby Kerr of Hamilton, Ont.

New York, Aug. 12—Eight members of the British amateur golf team, four Englishmen and four Scotchmen, arrived today on the Carmania to oppose an American team August 19 at Southampton, L. I., in the first international contest for the Walker cup, and to compete later in the national amateur championship at Brookline, Mass.

Trenton, N. J., Aug. 12—Young Labadie, known as the soldier boxer, who collapsed after a bout in the Arena club here Tuesday night, died today without recovering consciousness. Officials of the club and managers of the boxers have been questioned by the police and it is expected they will be summoned when the inquest is held.

Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Aug. 12—Benjamin Mansfield, jockey who was injured when three horses fell in the sixth race at the Saratoga track yesterday, was admitted a round of applause when he rode in the battler astride Forest Love, in the first race today.

The two other jockeys who were hurt, Charlie Lang and Edward Hotlis, pleaded unavailable with their physicians to be permitted to go to the track and ride some of the remaining Saratoga fixtures.

Base Ball Results and Standings

NEBRASKA STATE LEAGUE.

Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Lincoln	20	12	.625	Fairbury	16	18	.455
Norfolk	18	12	.600	Dd. Island	12	21	.364
Beatrice	19	14	.576	Hastings	12	20	.364

Yesterday's Results.

Norfolk, 8; Fairbury, 4.
Beatrice, 6; Hastings, 1.
Lincoln, 8; Grand Island, 2.

Today's Games.

Beatrice at Norfolk.
Fairbury at Grand Island.
Lincoln at Hastings.

Crosby's Single Beats Sioux City

Tulsa, Okl., Aug. 12.—Tulsa won in the sixth from Sioux City today, Crosby's single scoring Bauman with the winning run. The score was 8 to 5, the game being a seesaw affair from the first. Roettger walked nine men. Score:

SIOUX CITY	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	TULSA	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Ham'n, ss	5	2	1	4		Bonnett, lf	4	0	2	0	
Hem'y, 3b	3	0	1	1		Th'ton, 3b	4	1	0	1	
Kich, cf	5	2	2	2		Davis, rf	4	2	3	0	
Metz, 1b	5	2	7	0		Lamb, cf	4	0	4	0	
Ost'rd, rf	3	2	2	0		L'oliveit, 1b	4	1	9	2	
Bing'n, lf	4	0	0	0		Hav'an, 2b	4	1	2	5	
Fa'er, 2b	2	1	2	2		Stuart, ss	3	1	2	3	
Query, c	3	1	4	0		Crosby, c	3	1	2	2	
Roett'r, p	4	1	0	2		M'Lav'n, p	4	0	0	0	
Totals	34	11	24	9		Totals	34	8	27	13	

Two out when winning run was scored.

Score by innings:

Sioux City	100 102 100—5
Tulsa	200 003 003—8

Summary—Runs: Hemingway, Metz, Ostergard, Bennett, Thompson, Davis, Lamb, Bauman (2). Error: Querry. Earned runs: Tulsa, 6; Sioux City, 5. Left on bases: Sioux City, 8; Tulsa, 12. Two-base hits: Thompson, Hamilton, Metz, Ostergard. Roettger, Kich, Palmer. Sacrifice hits: Hemingway, Ostergard. Stolen base: Bauman. Bases on balls: Off McLaughlin, 2; off Roettger, 9. Struck out: By McLaughlin, 3; by Roettger, 1. Hit by pitched ball: By McLaughlin (Palmer, Hemingway); by Roettger (Crosby.) Double pays: Stuart to Leibvelt; Davis to Crosby to McLaughlin. Umpires: Lewis and Anderson. Time: 2:19.

Indians Win Two.

Oklahoma City, Aug. 12.—Edy, a recruit southpaw, made his debut with Oklahoma City, shutting out Denver in the first game of today's double-header and Oklahoma City took the second, 6 to 2. The second game was called in the sixth to enable Denver to catch a train. Score:

DENVER	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	OKLAHOMA CITY	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
O'Brien, cf	3	0	1	0		Pitt, rf	4	2	2	0	
Gomes, lf	2	0	0	0		Giardi, lf	4	1	0	0	
Shirley, 2b	4	1	2			Tate, 2b	4	1	2	1	
T.Long, rf	3	1	1	0		Felber, 3b	4	1	1	1	
Parson, 3b	3	0	0	0		McDole, 1b	4	1	7	1	
Kerr, ss	4	1	3	2		J.Long, c	4	1	5	1	
Cright, 1b	4	1	6	1		Windle, ss	4	0	1	3	
K'ien, c	3	0	2	0		Moore, cf	2	0	0	0	
V'hiz, p	3	0	0	0		Edy, p	2	0	2	2	
xWright	1	0	0	0							
Totals	30	6	24	8		Totals	34	11	27	11	

xBatted for Voorhies in ninth.

Denver	000 000 000—0
Oklahoma City	001 000 02x—4

Summary—Runs: Pitt, Tate, Felber, McDaniels. Errors: Gomes, Tate. Three-base hit: T. Long. Two-base hits: Kilhullen, Giniglardi, J. Long. Sacrifice hit: Voorhies. Stolen bases: Cartwright, Pitt. Bases on balls: Off Voorhels, 0; off Edy, 5. Hit by pitched ball: Gomes by Edy. Struck out: By Voorhels, 1; by Edy, 2. Double plays: McDaniels to Rodgers; McDaniels to Kerr. Left on bases: Denver, 9; Oklahoma City, 6. Earned runs: Oklahoma City, 4. Time: 1:55. Umpires: Holmes and Ormsby.

Second game:

Score second game:

DENVER	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	OKLA. CITY	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
O'Brien, cf	3	2	4	0		Giardi, lf	3	0	2	1	
Gomes, lf	3	0	0	2		Pitt, rf	3	0	1	1	
Shan'y, 2b	3	1	1	1		Tate, 2b	2	1	1	3	
T. Long, rf	3	0	0	0		Felber, 3b	3	2	0	1	
Pateen, 2b	2	0	1	0		Mdnle, 1b	3	1	7	0	
Kerr, ss	3	1	0	2		J. Long, c	3	2	3	0	
Cwrt, 1b	2	1	5	0		Winnle, ss	3	1	1	4	
Parker, c	2	0	0	1		Moore, rf	2	1	0	0	
Lnovic, p	0	0	0	0		Payne, p	2	0	0	2	
Shury, p	2	0	0	0							
Totals	21	4	14	8		Totals	23	9	18	7	

Score by innings:

Denver	000 110—2
Oklahoma City	310 02x—6

Summary—Runs: O'Brien, Kerr, Giniglardi (3), Tate, Felber (2), Moore. Error: Giniglardi. Two-base hits: Shanley, Giniglardi, Tate, Felber. Three-base hits: Moore. Bases on balls: Off Payne, 1; off Lukanovic, 1; off Salisbury, 1; Struck out: By Payne, 2. Wild pitch: Salisbury. Runs and hits: Off Lukanovic, 1 in 3 2-3 innings. Losing pitcher: Lukanovic. Earned runs: Denver, 1; Oklahoma City, 6. Left on bases: Denver, 2; Oklahoma City, 4. Time: 1:00. Umpires: Ormsby and Holmes.

Witches Win in 10th.

Wichita, Aug. 12.—Torgeson's interference on Blakesley's fly in the 10th allowed Wichita to score the winning run on Washburn's smash to deep center today, evening the series. The score was identical with that of yesterday, 9 to 8. Genin's throw nipping Butler at the plate, featured ad caused the extra inning. Score:

DES MOINES	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	WICHITA	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Genin, cf	4	1	1	5	1	Smith, cf	4	1	1	0	
Wagner,2b	4	1	4	3	5	Blakesl., lf	6	1	3	0	
Moran, rf	4	2	0	6		Washb., 2b	5	3	3	5	
Gra'am, 1b	4	0	8	2		East, rf	4	3	1	0	
Granny,lf	5	2	2	0		Berger,ss	4	3	3	3	
Turgeon,ss	5	1	4	3		Butler, 3b	3	1	0	0	
Co'nelly,3b	4	2	2	1		Haley, c	3	0	2	0	
Banner, c	5	1	4	2		M'Dow., 1b	5	1	10	1	
Cross, p	2	0	1	1		Gregory, p	4	1	0	1	
Cooper, p	2	1	0	0							
Totals	39	11	28	45		Totals	38	11	20	10	

xOne out when winning run scored.

Score by innings:

Des Moines	200 003 003 0—8
Wichita	200 103 100 1—9

New Emblem Prepared for Live Stock Experts

Washington, Aug. 12.—A new emblem of improved design for recognition of meritorious work in improving livestock is ready for distribution by the department of agriculture. The certificate measures 8½ by 10½ inches, resembles a steel engraving and is suitable for framing.

Former Empress Zita Is Hard Pressed Financially

Berlin, Aug. 12.—Former Empress Zita of Austria is hard up. Her husband's life insurance amounts to about 5,000,000 Austrian kronen, payable between 1932-33. This is hardly more than 6,000 French francs.

Zita possesses about 1,000,000 kronen, or 1,200 francs, which are mostly invested in Austrian war loans.

Mysterious "Killer" Appears in Florida

Millville, Fla., Aug. 12.—People in this section have long been in almost nightly fear of the prowling of some animal, said to be a panther, which makes nocturnal raids on pigstys, goatherds and now is attacking chicken roosts. One family reports the loss of seven head of geese recently, the remnants of the carcasses having been strewn generally over the landscape after the unidentified animal had evidently satiated his appetite. Pigs have been heard to squeal at night and that is the last of them.

Persons who have tried to get within range of the animal have failed so far, and some who have caught sight of the beast describe it as one of varying hues. Some say it is black, others tawny, while fishermen declare it is spotted.

American League

Tigers Beat Indians.

Cleveland, Aug. 12.—Detroit hit Coveleskie and defeated Cleveland, 10 to 1, here today. Score:

DETROIT	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	CLEVELAND	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Blue, 1b	5	1	3	1		Jamie, lf	4	1	1	0	
Cut'aw,2b	2	1	2	2		Evans, lf	1	0	0	0	
Cobb, cf	3	1	3	1		Mamby, 2b	5	1	3	4	
Veach, lf	5	3	1	0		Speaker,cf	5	2	1	0	
Heilm, rf	4	2	1	0		Steph., 3b	3	1	1	3	
Jones, 2b	4	2	1	2		J.Sewell,ss	3	1	2	4	
Haney, 3b	4	0	0	0		Wood, rf	3	1	0	0	
Rigney, ss	5	1	0	3		Guisto, 1b	3	0	11	2	
Bassler, c	5	1	1	6		O'Neill, c	2	1	2	1	
Pillette, p	3	1	1	1		L.Sewell,c	2	1	4	0	
Oldham, p	1	0	0	0		Covelea., p	1	0	0	0	
						Morton, p	1	0	0	0	
						Bleistner	1	0	0	0	
						xM'Innis	1	0	0	0	
Totals	38	14	27	15		Totals	34	10	27	14	

xBatted for Coveleskie in fifth.
xBatted for Morton in ninth.

Score by innings:

Cleveland	000 004 001—5
Detroit	000 339 11x—10

Summary—Runs: Cutshaw, Cobb (2), Veach (2), Heilmann, Jones, Bassler, Pillette, Oldham, Evans, Speaker, Stephenson, Wood, J. Sewell. Errors: Cutshaw, Wamby. Two-base hits: Jones, Heilmann, Speaker, Wood, Evans. Three-base hit: Veach. Stolen bases: Veach, Jones, Rigney. Sacrifice: Cutshaw. Double plays: Stephenson, Wamby, Guisto; J. Sewell to Guisto to L. Sewell; Cobb to Cutshaw; Rigney to Cutshaw to Blue. Left on bases: Detroit, 7; Cleveland, 8. Bases on balls: Off Coveleskie, 2; off Morton, 2; off Pillette, 2; off Oldham, 2. Hits: Off Coveleskie, 8 in 5 innings; off Morton, 6 in 4 innings; off Pillette, 8 in 6 innings; off Oldham, 2 in 3 innings. Hit by pitched ball: By Coveleskie, Jones. Struck out: By Coveleskie, 1; by Morton, 2; by Oldham, 5. Winning pitcher: Pillette. Losing pitcher: Coveleskie. Umpires: Evans and Owens. Time: 2:28.

Browns Increase Lead.

Comiskey Park, Chicago, Aug. 12.—St. Louis increased its lead to one game over New York in the pennant race by defeating Chicago, 7 to 6, while the Yankees were idle. Bisley led the attack for the visitors with three hits and a walk in five trips to the plate, and Collins, Hooper and Sheely did the heavy stick work for Chicago, the former pair making three each while Sheely smashed out four. Score:

ST. LOUIS	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	CHICAGO.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Gerber, ss	3	2	4	2		J'nson, ss	5	2	4	5	
Tobin, rf	4	0	4	0		Strunk, cf	5	2	2	1	
Sisler, 1b	5	2	9	0		Collins, 1b	5	1	3	0	
J'hson, lf	5	1	0	0		H'per, rf	5	2	3	0	
McM'us,3b	5	2	2	1		Sheely,1b	5	4	13	1	
Williams,cf	4	2	2	0		Falk, lf	5	2	2	0	
Ferrell, c	4	0	1	2		M'lisan, 2b	5	1	2	*2	
Austin,2b	4	2	1	3		H'Yan, c	4	0	2	2	
Sicker, p	2	0	1	1		Lebanon, p	0	0	0	0	
Pruett,p	0	0	0	0		Hodge, p	1	0	0	0	
W'ght, p	0	0	0	0		R'ship, p	1	0	0	0	
						xMc'Lan	1	0	0		
Totals	36	12	27	9		xJenkins	0	0	0	0	
						Totals	43	18	27	16	

xBatted for Blankenship in ninth.
zRan for Sheely in ninth.

St. Louis	000 402 000—7
Chicago	000 000 014—6

Summary—Runs: Gerber, Tobin, Sisler, Jacobson, McMunus, Austin (2), Johnson, Strunk, Collins, Hooper (2), McClellan. Errors: Austin, Yaryan. Two-base hits: Williams, Sisler (2), Austin, Falk (2), McClellan, Hooper. Three-base hits: Collins, Austin, Strunk. Stolen bases: Collins, Williams. Double plays: Sheely to Johnson, Severeid to Austin, Strunk to Johnson. Left on bases: St. Louis, 8; Chicago, 8. Base on balls: Off Courtney, 2; off Hodge, 3; off Blankenship, 1. Struck out: By Shocker, 1; by Blankenship 1. Hits: Off Courtney, 6 in 2 2-3; off Blankenship, 1 in 3; off Hodge, 5 in 2 2-3; off Shocker, 12 in 8 2-3; off Pruett, 0 in 1, pitched to 1 batter; Wright, 0 in 1. Wild pitch: Courtney. Winning pitcher: Shocker; losing pitcher, Courtney. Umpires: Hildebrand and Morlarity. Time: 2:19.

State League

McKee Holds Hastings to One Hit and Wins.

Hastings, Neb., Aug. 12.—Stellar pitching by McKee, who set Hastings down with one hit, won for Beatrice here today, 6 to 1. Good fielding cut off several hits. Score:

BEATRICE	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	HASTINGS	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
D'g'rra,2b	4	1	0	3		S.g'bein,2b	3	0	2	5	
K'bner,1b	5	1	7	0		Meisler, cf	4	1	1	0	
Quinn, ss	3	1	2			Tomes, lf	4	0	2	0	
Bo'man,cf	4	3	3	0		Serb, rf	3	0	1	0	
Mooney, lf	5	1	4	0		Witt, 3b	4	0	1	2	
L'barge,3b	3	0	0	2		E'beyer, 1b	3	0	11	0	
Wiggen, rf	2	0	4	0		Griffin, ss	1	0	0	2	
K'hman, c	4	2	8	0		Kirby, c	3	0	6	0	
McKee, p	3	0	0	0		W'gton, p	3	0	1	1	
Totals	36	11	27	7		Totals	27	1	26	11	

Quinn out, being hit by a batted ball.

Summary — Runs. Quinn (2). Delagueria, Kirchner, Bowman, Wiggen, Ziegenbein. Errors: Kirchner, Tomes. Two-base hits: Quinn, Bowman. Sacrifice hits: Serb, Griffin, Lebarge. Bases on balls: Off McKee, 4; off Wigington, 5. Stolen base: Echternmeyer. Griffin, Quinn. Doublep lay: Wigington to Echternmeyer to Zeigenbein. Struck out: By McKee, 8; by Wigington, 6. Left on bases: Beatrice, 5; Hastings, 5. Passed ball: Kahman. Wild pitch: Wig