Birkenstock Holds Buffalos While Teammates Hit May for 7 to 3 Victory in First Game of Series

Saints Give Their "Chucker" Dandy Support

Omaha Pitcher Stars With Willow, Pounding Out Two Doubles and Scoring One Run.

By RALPH WAGNER.

THOSE heavenly Saints from St. Joseph got into Omaha early enough yesterday to swoop down on the slipping Buffaloes and administer a 7 to 3 defeat to the herd in the initial game of the series.

Sherry Magee and his crowd arrived from Denver at 4 o'clock or thereabouts and the game didn't get underway until after 4, but when the Saints got their wings to working in the right direction it didn't take 'em very long to show the Buffaloes that a little 24-hour ride from Denver on a Rock Island train didn't mean a whole lot in their young lives. The Saints flew right after the Buffaloes in the second inning and kept fluttering about until supper time.

Buckshot May was on the firing line for the home boys, but "Buckshot's" deliveries didn't bother the Minneapolis offsprings. St. Joseph jumped on May for all he was worth and slammed out 11 hits, among them being Lewan's home run over the right field fence and Brown's three doubles. All in all the Saints got five two-baggers. Not so bad.

May Tried His Best.

May tried his best to win his game by hitting, but Buckshot couldn't do it all. The Buffaloes only got eight hits and two of 'em belong to May.

They were doubles, too, each and every one of them a dandy hit. One of Buckshot's two-ply jolts scored O'Connor in the seventh.

Birkenstock twirled the horsehide for the Saints and did right well, brethren. He held the Buffaloes to eight hits and they were well scattered. He permitted four members of the herd to stroll, two of these four walks coming in the seventh when Omaha scored it's three tallies.

Birkenstock received air-tight support and even better. The St. Joseph fielders covered all parts of the garden and some of the ground outside the playing field. Miller, the Saint center fielder, robbed Wilcox of a triple in the eighth when he ran back to ward the fence and speared Jimmy's high fly by making a dandy backhand catch. It was just plain robbery, nothing else. This sort of fielding was going on all afternoon.

Saints Score Two.

The Saints flapped their wings a couple of times in the second inning when Miller singled and Lewan knocked the ball out of the park for a home run. Result: Two scores. In the third the Saints collected three tallies. Olsen singled and Brown doubled, but the former didn't get any farther than third. Magee grounded out and then May hit Miller, filling the sacks with human beings. Lewan forced Olsen at the plate and everything was going along nicely when Gilbert up and doubled, scoring Brown, Miller and Lewan. The visiting third baseman tried to get home, but ol' Joe Bonowitz whipped the ball right into Wilder who in turn nabbed Mister Gilbert for the third out.

In the seventh the Saints added another run when Olsen singled after Birkenstock grounded out. Brown got his second double and Magee lined one down to McDonald who played catch with Wilder until they succeeded in tagging Olsen. In the meantime Brown went to third and when Buckshot made a wild pitch, scored the sixth St. Josepr score.

Buffaloes Get Busy.

The Buffaloes got busy in their half of the seventh and put over three runs on two bases on balls, double and single. Here's the way it happened: Konetchy flew out and Bonowitz grounded out. Birkenstock sort of felt sorry for the Buffaloes so walked O'Connor. Wilder also walked and then May got his second double, scoring O'Connor and advancing Wilder to third. Buckshot hit looked like a sure homer, but it fell inside the fence, therefore it wasn't a homer. Manush then singled to left, scoring both Wilder and May with the final Omaha scores. Kerr forced Heinie's brother at second and the inning ended.

St. Joseph's seventh and final score bobbed up in the ninth when Olsen walked, stole second, went to third on Wilder's overthrow to Wilcox and scored when Brown got his third double of the day. This all happened after two out and Magee made it three by skying to Bonowitz.

Gordon (Neb.) to Celebrate July 4 With Tournament

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.

Gordon, Neb., June 25. — Arrangements have been completed for the first Fourth of July celebration to be held in Gordon in 23 years. Sturdevant post of the American Legion will put on a baseball tournament on July 2, 3 and 4, at which teams from Hay Springs, Rushville and Gordon will compete. The Kiwanis club of Gardon is sponsoring the celebration on the Fourth, which will consist of speeches, races and a Wild West roundup.

HOEFNER BREAKS MOST TARGETS

Breaking 153 out of a possible 160 targets, Fred Hoefner managed to win the registered trap shoot held Sunday at Minden, Ia. Joe Dawson of Omaha had a high run of 84 and Frank Vierling, another Omaha shooter, had a run of 70. Scores follow:

F. Hoefner, 153; Joe Dawson, 152; W. J. McCaffrey, 151; A. A. Kaven, 150; *H. R. Patterson, 149; Sandy McDonald, 149; Frank Vierling, 148; K. Beegle, 146; L. E. Adams, 146; H. Vogt, 146; J. Ragan, 144; E. Wiese, 144; D. E. W. Jones, 143; William Holtz, 142; P. G. Cheyney, 143; William Vogt, 142; *H. W. McNamara, 140; N. S. Genung, 138; J. Meyer, 128; M. Stremen, 109; H. R. Johansen, 83x100; A. Mickelwait, 37x50; J. B. Schwegler, 36x50.

*Professional.

BASEBALL RESULTS and STANDINGS

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Standings.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.	Win.	Lose.
Wichita	37	21	.638	.644	.627
Tulsa	40	28	.588	.594	.580
Oklahoma City	35	26	.574	.581	.565
Omaha	33	30	.524	.531	.516
Des Moines	31	34	.477	.485	.470
St. Joseph	29	35	.453	.462	.446
Sioux City	26	34	.433	.443	.426
Denver	20	43	.317	.328	.313

Yesterday's Results.

St. Joseph, 7; Omaha, 3.
Des Moines, 6; Oklahoma City, 4.
Sioux City, 11; Tulsa, 9.
Wichita at Denver. Wichita failed to arrive in time for game.

STATE LEAGUE.

Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Lincoln	22	19	.627	G'd Island	27	28	.491
Norfolk	25	20	.556	Beatrice	25	27	.481
Fairbury	28	25	.510	Hastings	17	31	.354

Yesterday's Results.

Lincoln, 2; Hastings, 1.
Beatrice, 6; Grand Island, 1.
Fairbury, 11; Norfolk, 7.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	41	20	.672	Brooklyn	30	29	.508
Pittsburgh	35	23	.603	St. Louis	31	31	.500
Cincinnati	34	25	.576	Boston	20	42	.323
Chicago	34	30	.531	Phila.	17	42	.288

Yesterday's Results.

Boston, 7; Brooklyn, 4.
New York, 11; Philadelphia, 10.
Cincinnati, 6; Chicago, 5.
Pittsburgh, 3; St. Louis, 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	39	21	.650	Detroit	29	32	.475
Phila.	33	27	.550	Chicago	26	30	.464
Cleveland	32	29	.525	Wash'gton	27	33	.450
St. Louis	29	30	.492	Boston	21	33	.477

Yesterday's Results.

New York, 14; Boston, 6.
Philadelphia, 3; Washington, 0.
Chicago, 7; Detroit, 1.
St. Louis, 9; Cleveland, 4.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
St. Paul	39	18	.685	Ind'n'polis	27	32	.458
Kan. City	35	18	.660	Milwaukee	24	35	.407
Louisville	31	28	.525	Minne'p'lis	23	34	.404
Columbus	29	28	.508	Toledo	21	38	.356

Yesterday's Results.

Minneapolis, 6; Milwaukee, 2.
Louisville, 5; Toledo, 4.
Kansas City at St. Paul, wet grounds.
No other game scheduled.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

Memphis, 1; New Orleans, 4.
(All other games postponed—rain.)

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Toronto, 12; Jersey City, 5.
Syracuse, 6; Reading, 3 (10 innings.)
Rochester, 3; Baltimore, 10.

COAST LEAGUE.

Seattle, 7; Portland, 6.
No other game scheduled.

HITS AND MISSES BY THE BUFFALOES

ST. JOSEPH.

AB.	R.	H.	TB.	SH.	SB.	BB.	PO.	A.	E.
Olsen, 1b	4	1	2	2	0	1	14	1	0
Brown, ss	5	2	3	6	0	0	0	4	0
Magee, rf	5	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Miller, cf	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	2	0
Lewan, lf	4	2	2	6	0	0	0	1	0
Gilbert, 3b	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	2	2
Nufer, 2b	4	0	1	1	0	0	6	3	0
Kandler, c	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Birkenst'k, p	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	36	7	11	19	0	1	2	27	15

OMAHA.

AB.	R.	H.	TB.	SH.	SB.	BB.	PO.	A.	E.
Manush, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	0
Kerr, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Wilcox, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
M'Donald, 3b	4	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	1
Konetchy, 1b	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	9	0
Bonowitz, cf	4	0	2	2	0	0	0	4	2
O'Connor, rf	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Wilder, c	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	7	1
May, p	3	1	2	4	0	0	1	0	1
Totals	33	3	8	11	0	0	4	27	14

Score by innings:

St. Joseph	023 000 101—7
Omaha	000 000 300—3

Summary—Home run: Lewan. Two-base hits: Brown (3), Lewan, Gilbert, Bonowitz, May (2). Hit by pitched ball: Wilder, by May. Struck out: By May, 4; by Birkenstock, 1. Base on balls: Off May, 2; off Birkenstock, 4. Double plays: Brown to Nufer to Olsen, Kandler to Nufer. Left on bases: St. Joseph, 5; Omaha, 7. Umpires: Boyle and Gaffney. Time: 1:25.

Grand Circuit Meet to Open at North Randall

Cleveland, June 25.—A grand total of $35,900 will be distributed among the horsemen at the first grand circuit 1923 meeting at North Randall track, July 2 to 7, according to announcement by Secretary Win Kinnan. Of this $16,500 is to go to the stake horses, which will race in the Edwards, Ohio, Fasig, Tavern, Experiment and Free for All events, which closed last winter. The balance is to go for the purse races, entries to which closed June 18.

The purpose program is, as usual, divided equally among the trotters and pacers, with seven races each.

All events will be on the popular three-heat plan. The colt events, which hertofore have been two in three heat affairs, are now also on the three-heat plan.

The rules of the American and Union Trotting associations, and the grand circuit will govern the meeting.

PUBLIC LINKS TOURNEY STARTS

International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Washington, June 25.—The pick of the country's park golfers teed off on the East Potomac park course today in a special inter-city tournament for the public links team championship of the United States.

Four-men teams, representing municipal links in cities from the Atlantic to the Pacific coasts, battled for the President Harding trophy, emblematic of the team championship of public courses. The cup, which must be played for every year, goes to the team turning in the lowest aggregate score of the four players.

REPORT RUTH INJURED, ACCIDENT

Boston, June 25.—With "Babe" Ruth's whereabouts a mystery today, there was no one to confirm or deny a report that he had been injured in an automobile accident. Miller Huggins, manager of the Yankees, said he "knew nothing at all about it."

Ruth's failure to appear in New Haven caused a near-riot and 10,000 fans demanded their admission back. At Ruth's farm in Sudbury a report has been received he has suffered an injury to his foot.

Helen Wills to Compete for Net Honors in East

Boston, June 25. — Word received here today from Berkeley, Cal., that Miss Helen Wills, runner-up for the national women's lawn tennis title last year, would leave for the east on July 2 and would practice for two weeks at Forest Hills, L. I., to become accustomed to grass courts. She is planning to participate in the women's tournaments at Westchester, Seabright and Nassua, and the women's national championships at Forest Hills. She will not compete in the national junior title play, although she is eligible to defend her title.

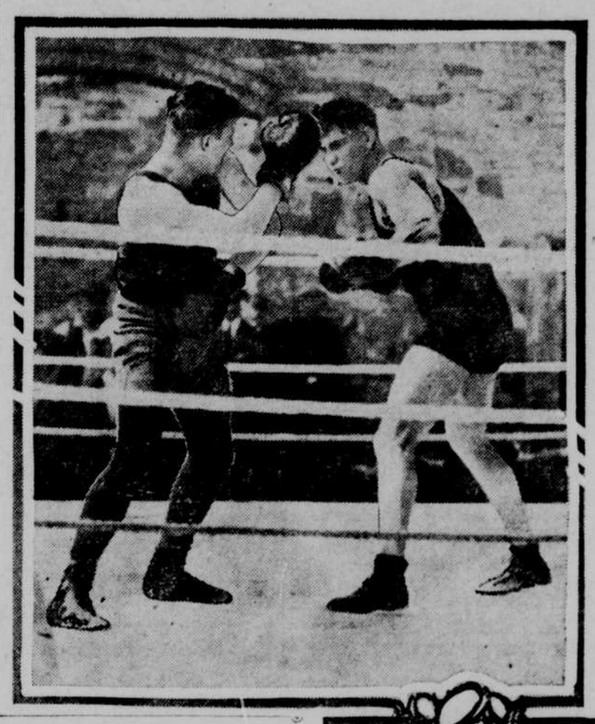
Paris—Filibert de Savoy, a gray 3 year-old, belonging to Signor Cesare Rainneci and ridden by Jack Jennings, premier jockey of the year, won the Grand Prix de Paris in a driving finish from Checkmate.

Indianapolis—Chick Evans of Chicago won the amateur invitation golf tournament.

Jack and Tom Busy Nowadays

JACK DEMPSEY, the fistic champion of this little ol' world, was snapped by the camera sleuth in the act of exchanging wallops with Jack Burke of Cleveland, one of the champ's sparring partners at his Great Falls camp.

In the lower picture we have Tommy Gibbons, the St. Paul challenger and his squad of sparring partners. Gibbons is shown taping his hands, which is just as important to a fighter as shooting a punch. Reading from left to right—Lackey Morrow, Jimmy Delaney, Eddie Kane, Tom Gibbons, Bud Gorman, Tillie Kid Herman, Billy Morrow and Buck Pape.



Lincoln Takes Close Game Off Hastings Team

Substitute Knocks in Winning Run to End Close Pitching Duel.

Lincoln, June 25—Carmy Debutch, taking Tanner's place in center field, when the latter was chased in the first inning, hit a triple which scored Conkey and won a pitching duel and the Hastings series for Lincoln, 2-1 today. The Links went six innings without a hit or a run. McCoy's double and Dye's single crossing the deadlocking tally in the seventh. Score:

HASTINGS	AB.	H.	O.	A.	LINCOLN	AB.	H.	O.	A.
Hogan, cf	4	0	2	0	Purdy, lf	4	0	1	0
Kunz, 2b	3	1	1	1	Tanner, cf	0	0	0	0
Cas'll, lf	3	0	2	0	De'ch, cf	4	1	1	0
Tomes, rf	3	1	4	0	Cle'd, 2b	4	0	0	1
Noack, 3b	3	0	1	4	McCoy, 1b	3	1	9	0
Epley, ss	3	0	0	1	Dye, 2b	3	1	5	3
Ech'r, 1b	3	1	10	0	Bon'ant, ss	3	0	2	3
Cheek, c	3	2	4	0	Kinkel, rf	2	0	4	0
Naegell, p	3	0	0	3	Conkey, c	3	1	5	1
xBeck	1	0	0	0	Zink, p	2	0	0	3
Totals	29	5	24	9	Totals	28	4	27	11

xBatted for Kunz in ninth.

Score by innings:

Hastings	000 100 000—1
Lincoln	000 000 11x—2

Summary—Runs: Kunz, McCoy, Conkey. Errors: Echternmeyer, Cleveland. Three-base hits: Tomes Echternmeyer. Debutch. Two-base hits: Cheek, Kunz, McCoy. Sacrifice hit: Cassel. Stolen bases: Dye, Kinkel. Bases oon balls: Of Noegell, 2; off Zink, 1. Strucq out: By Naegell, 4; by Zink, 4. Earned runs: Hastings, 1; Lincoln, 1. Left on bases: Hastings, 3; Lincoln, 4. Double plays: Bondurant to Dye to McCoy. Time: 1:41: Umpire: Walton.

Islanders Lose Again.

Grand Island, Neb., June 25.—Disorganization in the Grand Island team had much to do, in the general opinion of the patrons of today's and Sunday's game with Beatrice's third victory out of four over the Islanders today. Grand Island played listlessly and thereby marred its fielding record:

Score:

BEATRICE.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	GRAND ISLAND.	AB.	H.	O.	A.
O'L'y, cf	5	0	4	0	Tho'n, 2b	4	1	1	2
Shafer, 3b	4	0	1	4	Buser, 2b	4	1	2	4
Quinn, ss	5	2	0	3	Metz, ss	5	0	6	4
Suggs, 2b	3	2	1	3	Bow'n, lf	4	0	2	0
Spe'r, lf	5	0	1	0	O'R'y, cf	2	1	1	0
Dem'y, 1b	4	2	11	0	Mad'n, 1b	2	1	10	1
Unger, c	3	1	4	0	Broo's, rf	4	0	1	0
Welsh, rf	4	1	1	0	Barry, c	4	0	2	1
Prej'n, p	3	1	1	0	Ferris, p	4	1	0	1
					Rolfe, p	3	3	0	4
Totals	34	9	27	11	Totals	34	8	27	17

Score by innings:

Beatrice	003 200 000—5
Grand Island	000 100 000—1

Summary—Runs: Shafer, Quinn, Dampsey, Unger, Welsh, O'Reilly. Errors: O'Leary, Dempsey, Thompson Buser (2), Bowman, O'Reilly, Rolfe. Two-base hits: Ferris, Dempsey. Stolen base: Buser. Sacrifice hits: Madsen, O'Leary, Prejean. Double plays: Thompson to eMtz to Madsen; Quinn to Suggs to Dempsey. Left on bases: Beatrice, 9; Grand Island, 11. Bases on balls: Off Ferris, 2; off Rolfe, 11; off Prejean, 4. Struck out: By Rolfe, 1; by Prejean, 3. Hits: Off Ferris, 6 in 3 1-3 innings; off Rolfe, 2 in 5 2-3 innings. Winning pitcher: Prejean. Losing pitcher: Ferris. Umpire: Kingsberry. Time: 1:55.

Fairbury Runs Wild.

Fairbury, Neb., June 25.—Fairbury won from Norfolk 11 to 7 today. Norfolk used three pitchers trying to stop the Coyotes after they got started hitting. Hudgens hit a home run with two on bases in the eighth. Rouse and Holloway also hit home runs. Score:

NORFOLK.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	FAIRBURY.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Ath'ton, ss	5	0	2	2	2	Mee, 3b	5	2	0	4	
Tru'er, 2b	4	1	2	6		Lee, ss	5	2	2	4	
Casey, 1b	4	2	12	0		Beall, c	3	1	5	1	
Rouse, lf	4	4	3	0		Bliss, cf	5	3	2	0	
Reichle, cf	4	3	1	0		Gibson, rf	5	2	0	0	
Holl'ay, rf	4	2	1	0		Hi'gens, 1b	5	3	14	1	
Parker, 3b	4	1	0	3		Amen, lf	2	0	0	0	
Clark, c	2	0	3	0		G'dwin, 2b	4	1	4	3	
Praul, p	3	0	0	1		Harkins, p	4	2	0	5	
Federle, p	0	0	0	0							
Knapton, p	1	0	0	0		Totals	41	19	27	18	
Totals	34	13	24	11							

Score by innings:

Norfolk	460 002 010— 7
Fairbury	012 100 16x—11

Summary—Runs: Trummer, Casey, Rouse (2), Reichle, Holloway (2), Mee (2), Lee (2), Bloss (3), Higgens (2), Goodwin, Harkins. Errors: Reichle, Knapton, Lee, Beall. Two-base hits: Mee, Bliss (2). Home runs: Holloway, Rouse, Hudgens. Stolen base: Reichle. Sacrifice hits: Praul, Beall, double plays: Mee to oGdwin (2); Lee to Goodwin to Hudgens; Atherton to Trummer to Casey. Left on bases: Fairbury, 9; Norfolk, 3. Base on balls: Off Praul, 1. Struck out: By Praul 2; by Federle, 1; by Harkins, 5. Hits: Off Praul, 13 in 6 1-3 innings; off Federle, 1 in 1-3 inning; off Knapton, 5 in 1 inning. Hit by pitched ball: By Harkins (Clark twice). Umpire: Meyers. Losing pitcher: Knapton. Time: 1:55.

WEEK'S RECORD OF MAJOR TEAMS

The week's record in each major league of games won and lost with runs, hits, errors and opponents runs, including games of Saturday, June 23, follows:

AMERICAN.	W.	L.	R.	H.	E.	OR.
New York	4	2	35	71	8	27
Philadelphia	3	4	31	69	11	39
Cleveland	1	5	25	48	12	32
Detroit	3	3	30	67	3	28
St. Louis	5	1	39	63	4	14
Chicago	4	2	35	51	7	21
Washington	1	3	29	65	8	36
Boston	0	6	14	45	11	39

NATIONAL.	W.	L.	R.	H.	E.	OR.
New York	5	1	36	61	7	20
Pittsburgh	3	2	30	61	6	25
Cincinnati	4	2	18	47	5	25
St. Louis	1	5	12	42	13	25
Chicago	4	2	39	73	4	16
Brooklyn	2	4	26	43	10	21
Boston	1	4	28	54	8	36
Philadelphia	3	3	24	54	10	45

British Stars Pass Up National Open Golf Play

By THOMAS L. CUMMISKEY.
Universal Service Sports Editor.

New York, June 25.—Our national open golf title is not apt to leave these shores when the championship is decided the second week of July at Inwood, for the very simple reason that there is considerable doubt about any foreign invasion.

Nothing definite has been heard about the British stars coming over for it.

Of course, there is possibility of an 11th hour entry coming from Arthur Havers, now a British pride, because of his victory in the open play at Troon, Scotland, where he beat our Walter Hagen by a single stroke and took back the trophy that had spent two years in the United States.

Also Abe Mitchell, George Duncan, Harry Vardon, et. al., may decide to come over. But the time for entries is decidedly short, the lists closing the coming Wednesday. Unless the British stars are heard from, it looks as though Joe Kirkwood, the brilliant Australian, would be the only outstanding foreign star. And he resides in this country now.

The absence of international flavor is to be regretted, in that foreign competition always adds in great measure to the interest. It is the first time in several years that two or more British luminaries have not been here to dispute the issue with the American stars.

Walter Hagen, who has just returned from abroad, says that he talked with a number of British golfers and that not a single one of them contemplated making the trip.

AK-SAR-BEN STARTS PREPARING FOR FALL FESTIVAL RACE MEET

With the third annual Ak-Sar-Ben spring running race meet history, the barns at Ak field are gradually becoming deserted as horsemen ship their runners to other tracks.

Secretary Charlie Trimble of Ak-Sar-Ben started preparations this morning for the next race meet, carded for Ak field September 11 to 29, when the annual fall festival gets under way with the first five days of harness racing and the remainder of running races.

The race meet which closed Saturday was the most successful event of this character ever staged by Ak-Sar-Ben. The crowds were large in spite of the rains, and taking the meeting as a whole, Kink Ak realized a nice profit.

Before shipping his stable to Chicago, B. A. Jones yesterday sold Bond, 9-year-old chestnut gelding by Ethelbert-Bondora, to E. J. Looper. The trainer of the Jones-Updike stable also sold Seth's Memory, member of the Seth family, to A. L. Weston of Denver. Bond won one first, two seconds and one third out of five starts at Ak field.

Seven Carloads of Horses Shipped to Other Meetings

Seven cars of horses were shipped from Omaha to other tracks Sunday. Four of the cars have consignments for the Hawthorne track at Chicago, while three go to Dade Park track at Evansville, Ind.

B. A. Jones and Mrs. F. R. Irwin, leading money winners of the Ak-Sar-Ben meeting, will enter horses at Chicago. Mrs. Irwin shipped 13 head, including Abadane, Sea Mint, Reap, Summer Sigh, Harry D., Fern Leaf, Settle and Tooters. Others from the Irwin stable will go to Sioux City for a four-day meeting this week.

B. A. Jones shipped 13 head to Chicago. His lot included Second Thoughts and Lorenna Marcellia and others. W. Sims, owner of Dorius, Crescent, Dominator and Honest George, sent his string along, as did Milo Shields who had 12 head.

William Dondas, operator of the pari-mutuels, shipped 12 head to Dade Park. His consignment included Ray Atkins, Boreas, General Petain, Pinipuana, Casey, Bon Box, Fondle Me, Mistake, Sister Susie, Byrne and Martin Casey.

Two carloads were sent to Vancouver. The shipment included 24 head owned by A. Stillwell and Dr. Lewis.

B. F. McClain and E. Sterrett will ship two cars to Windsor, Can., today.

VETERAN TRACKSTERS WILL ANSWER CALL AT CENTRAL NEXT SEASON

ALTHOUGH it is a little early to predict what sort of a track team will represent Central High school next season, when looking down the cinder path from the watch post indications point towards a most well developed team of spiked shoe performers. Coach J. Schmidt of the Purple has for the past three years turned out exceptionally strong high school aggregations, and with a long roll of veterans the Hilltop mentor should keep the metropolis high on the Nebraska athletic map.

Fourteen letters were awarded the cinder pathers this year and with half that number returning to school Central will have a good send off when the call for tracksters is sounded next spring. The Purple will lose Captain Pope, Galloway, Torrison, Wycoff, Thompson, McGlasson and Wellman from graduation. In spite of the loss of seven letter men, Coach Schmidt has a good sized list to pick from, including 20 reserves from this season and eight wearers of the track "O."

Because of a recent ruling passed at the Hilltop institution no captain has been elected for the coming season. However, Lawson, who is the only remaining letter man who will graduate next year, may pilot the team. Lawson has been the best bet in the mile for several years, doing the distance around five minutes flat. Fetterman also remains to cover the distance events. Howell on the weights, Marrow and Price in the vault and jumps are left to uphold the Purple in the field events.

In the short and middle distances Central looms bright. Jones, the diminutive freshman sprinter, who won second honors at the state classic in the century, Price, the well known dusky trackster, and Turner will all wear the Purple and White once more. Marrow and Turner can counteract the barriers and do the hurdle work in nifty form to finish up with, while Thomas, hurler of the discus, who was ineligible for competition this year, will likely be able to show his wares again.

The athletes who remain for next year did most of the scoring in the dual meets last season. Marrow accounted for 41 points, Price, 33; Jones, 14; Lawson, 10; Fetterman, 7; Robertson, 6; Howell, 5, and the reserve artists accumulated several points besides. Percival, Cheek, Gordon, Hart, Chapman, Forcade and Ritcher will fill the vacancies left by the grads well.

Central won three out of four of the meets in which the Purple took part by large margins. The most important meet, the state affair, was lost by ineligibility of performers, but outside of that Central has hung up a record that outstaters can shoot at for a long time.

Washington Crew Is in Fine Mettle for Regatta

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 25.—Racing starts were tried by the Washington varsity on the Hudson today before the other crews had appeared on the course, where on Thursday the annual intercollegiate regatta will be held.

The Pennsylvania eights followed Washington up the river while later the Syracuse oarsmen appeared, followed by the Navy, Columbia and Cornell.

Semi-pro and Amateur

Gretna Finally Downed.

Bennington, Neb.—The Bennington baseball team finally put Gretna behind the long end of the score when the locals took the visitors for their first trimming of the season by a score of 19 to 15, the same being won with four runs in the last inning.

Crawford Beats Dakotans.

Crawford, Neb.—In a fast and interesting game here Sunday Crawford won from the Edgemont (S. D.) team by a score of 8 to 1. Minnick, on the mound for the locals, allowed two hits and fanned 12. Batteries: Edgemont—Moody, Shipper and Polberness; Crawford—Minnick and Fisher.

Florence Merchants Defeated.

Herman, Neb.—Herman defeated the Florence Merchants of Omaha by a score of 12 to 0. Hitting of the locals featured. Fitch fanned 12 visitors and allowed but three hits. Batteries: Florence—Potter and Simpson; Herman—Fitch and G. Reed.

Table Rock Wins.

Guide Rock, Neb.—The local baseball team defeated Inavale here, 6 to 8. Batteries: Guide Rock—Mathews and Losey; Inavale—Leonard and Bean.

Superior Is Victor.

Superior, Neb.—The Superior team defeated Lawrence, Neb., here by the score of 4 to 3. It was a hotly played game throughout. Batteries: Superior—Hinkson and Campbell; Lawrence—E. Karsting and Kroneing.

Wilcox, 3; Axtell, 2.

Wilcox, Neb.—Wilcox won from Axtell at baseball by the score of 3 to 2.

Syracuse, 8; Sterling, 6.

Syracuse, Neb.—Syracuse won from Sterling on the local diamond, 8 to 6.

Tobias Loses.

Strang, Neb.—The local team defeated Tobias here, the score being 18 to 5.

Auburn Loses.

Auburn, Neb.—In one of the greatest ball games ever played here, Nebraska City won from Auburn by the score of 2 to 1, the game going neck and neck, 15 innings being played to decide the winner.

Riverton, 4; Upland, 2.

Upland, Neb.—The home team went to Riverton and suffered a defeat of 4 to 2. There will be a big tournament and shooting match here next Sunday.

Bruning Wins.

Ohiowa, Neb.—The local baseball team beat Bruning here by the score of 9 to 7.

DYCK TOPS HORSESHOE PITCHERS

C. R. Dyck placed high among the Omaha horseshoe pitchers Sunday in the regular Sunday iron-flinging tournament held at Miller park.

SINGLES.

	Won	Lost	Total
C. R. Dyck	7	0	.147
Charles McClelland	6	2	.132
H. S. Hoover	5	3	.118
Ed Morave	3	4	.129
M. W. Lauritsen	3	4	.118
C. V. Ball	3	4	.117
Harry Butts	0	6	.084
Ed. H. Smith	0	6	.103

DOUBLES.

C. McClelland-H. E. Hoel	4	1	.145
C. R. Dyck-Joe Howard	4	1	.141

GAMES TODAY

Western League.
St. Joseph at Omaha.
Wichita at Denver.
Oklahoma City at Des Moines.
Tulsa at Sioux City.

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

American League.
St. Louis at Cleveland.
Chicago at Detroit.
Washington at Philadelphia.
New York at Boston.

American Association.
Columbus at Indianapolis.
Toledo at Louisville.
Milwaukee at Minneapolis.
Kansas City at St. Paul.

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

WHAT THE AMATEURS SAY-

The Union Pacific Store Department team wants to schedule games for July 1, 4 and 8. They will go to any town in the state for games. For further information communicate with "Buzz" Chamberlain at the store or home. Phone WA. 0861.

The West View Merchants defeated the Fort Calhoun club on the latter's diamond Sunday by the score of 4 to 2 in a well-played game.

Bennington trimmed Gretna at Gretna in 19 innings yesterday by the score of 19 to 16.

The American Railway Express team beat the Bellevue Town club Sunday by the score of 13 to 10.

With four new players in their lineup, the McKenney Dentists yesterday journeyed to Avoca, Ia., and defeated the club of that town by the score of 10 to 9 in 11 innings before a large crowd. The Dentists want a game for July 22. The new players in the McKenney lineup are the Haff brothers, Hefner and Mertz.

Charlie Black, postmaster, has organized a ball club among the clerks and carriers at the postoffice and is ready to battle the Postoffice Employes' club at Gifford park, Tuesday, June 26.

The Swamp Angels are on the warpath. The Angels have won all the games played thus far this season and now they are unable to schedule contests. Any team composed of players not over 14 years of age that wants to schedule games with the Angels call WE. 6944, and ask for J. Stober.

The Murphy-Did-Its did it again Sunday and added another game to their list when they defeated the Walter G. Clarks, 22 to 3.

Allen was on the mound for "Ike" Mahoney's outfit and allowed the Clarks only five scattered hits. Mahoney, with four hits, one a home run and another a double, Dreskel and Redden with three hits each, were the slugging stars for the Murphy club.

The Murphys gathered 18 hits off the deliveries of Rasmussen and Stucker.

The Woodmen of the World walloped the Standard Laundry team, 4 to 1, in the Metropolitan league. The W. O. W.'s had their hitting togs on all afternoon and the way they ran bases was more than pleasing to the followers of the Woodmen outfit.

Jimmy Moore, former State league hurler, was on the mound for the winners and struck out 14 men. He was working in dandy form and allowed the Laundry guys only six scattered hits.

Beers started for the Shirt-Washers, but the heat or something got his goat, as he only lasted six innings.

The Knights of Columbus sort of put the skids under the Schneider Electrics yesteday. The score was 14 to 6, and was a regular batting bee, the Columbus club collecting a total of 21 hits, while the "Juice Shooters" got to Hopkins for only eight scattered bingles.

Kane and Murphy were the stars for the winners, each registering five hits. Kane got a home run and two doubles, which wasn't so bad considering the hot afternoon. Murphy cracked out a pair of doubles and covered his position in right field like a blanket.

The Nebraska Tires rolled over the Union Pacific Enginemen, 11 to 1, in another Metropolitan contest. The Tires got off on the right peg in the first inning when they scored two runs. McGrath lasted the full nine rounds for the Enginemen, but was a mighty tired hurler when the last side was retired.

Probst was in good form all afternoon for the Tires. His "on-and-on bonk" was bolled up plenty, as he held the "firemen" to only two hits and Knee, right fielder for the losers, got both of 'em.

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