

IN THE FIELD OF SPORT.

The Corn Huskers Meet With Defeat in St. Paul.

STANDING OF ALL THE CLUBS.

Another Great Crowd Witnesses the Races at the Coliseum—J. J. Hardin's Challenge—Turf and Diamond.

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Following is the standing of the Western Association clubs up to and including yesterday's games:

Table with columns: Club, Won, Lost, Per Cent. Rows include St. Paul, Omaha, Sioux City, etc.

St. Paul, Minn., May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Sioux City opened its first series of games here, to-day, and was defeated. Mains was the stumbling block.

Pickett, who with Sowders, leaves St. Paul, to-night, for Kansas City, acted like a school-boy. Webber ran into him while running the bases, and Pickett chased him around the field. The other players stood looking on, while Webber ran back to the plate, after being chased half across the diamond. Each was fined \$5. Score:

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The grandstand was packed with people and the grounds were crowded with vehicles, and the scene was one of wild enthusiasm during the entire parts of the game. The visitors scored three in the first inning on a bad misplay by centerfield; and at the commencement of the last half of the seventh, the score was 6 to 0 in favor of Plattsmouth.

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new pitcher, is a left-handed man and throws a graceful curve that is a puzzle to any batter.

EXETER, Neb., May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The ball game between the Exeter and Sutton clubs yesterday was attended by a very large crowd. The game was exciting. Score: Exeter 30, Sutton 14. Batteries—Exeter, Fowler and Bott; Sutton, Gray and Sowers.

Greeley Center 14, North Loup 7.

GREELEY CENTER, Neb., May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The H. & M. baseball team and the North Loup boys played a fairly good game here yesterday, which resulted in favor of the H. & M.'s by a score of 14 to 7. A large crowd witnessed the game.

Wabash 6, Elmwood 4.

WABASH, Neb., May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The Wabash club defeated the Elmwoods yesterday in a closely contested game. Score: Batteries—For Wabash, the Austin brothers, for the Elmwoods, Langhorst and Hillton.

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Game called to prevent Philadelphia's catch a train.

Base hits—Philadelphia 12, Indianapolis 7. Errors—Philadelphia 6, Indianapolis 5. Batteries—Peter, Wood and Decker; Getz and Buckley.

America in Association.

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A BATTLE WITH WHITE CAPS.

Atrocious Outrages Committed by the Iowa Regulators.

ONE GANG TAUGHT A LESSON.

They Meet With a Warm Reception at the Hands of a Van Hornie Man—Heavy Frosts.

Benton County WhiteCaps.

DES MOINES, May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Benton county is all excited over white caps. Sheriff Parr arrested six of the raiders. Last evening three more were taken into custody, who have bonds each for \$2,500. They were given a hearing Saturday and Monday. The raiders are all prominent citizens. One has preached the gospel. Some of the raiders who accepted the white cap or red wreath have been severely injured by shots fired by intended victims.

THE REGULATORS REPULSED.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—A special from Vinton, Benton county, says: The vicinity of Van Hornie is in a state of unwarlike excitement over the work of an organized mob. Some days ago Mr. Frank Bean and Mrs. J. W. Hughey had a quarrel about the possession and use of the stalls in a stable on a farm. Mrs. Hughey used a pitchfork in a struggle with the mob, and was severely injured. A night or two afterwards the house of J. T. Bean, the father of young Bean, was boldly entered by fifteen or twenty masked and armed men, which were assaulted in a dastardly manner. They proceeded to Frank's room, but the latter met them at the door, armed with a piece of iron two feet long, and beat them back. He laid out six of them as fast as they advanced, and no less than five shots were fired by the mob and the house was spattered with blood.

Frank, who did the most of the fighting for the family, received a flesh wound on the leg by a knife or spear, which was the mob even struck at Mrs. Bean, who was sick in bed. The next morning F. E. Tabor, of the Ashland school, who was held in a bad pistol shot wound in the left elbow. He was arrested, and the sheriff started to Van Hornie, where he arrested Clint Andrews, Gus Hussey and Bill Carter.

It Bores a Square Hole.

WATERLOO, Ia., May 29.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—A Charles City genius has recently perfected a machine which is known as an augur for "boring a square hole." The name is a misnomer, for it is not really an "augur," but a combination of knives. However, it does its work successfully. In appearance it resembles an ordinary boring machine, except that in place of the augur there are four sets of knives arranged on an endless machine that is worked by a series of cog wheels. The knives cut across the grain of the wood and the others gouge the wood out, so that when the tool passes through a piece of wood it is bored with an ordinary augur. The machine is the invention of a telegraph operator named Young, and a stock company is being organized to manufacture the machines and put them on the market.

The Road to He Sold.

PORT DOUGLAS, Ia., May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—It was learned here to-day that the Minneapolis & St. Louis railway, now in the hands of Receiver Trusdale, is soon to be sold at a United States master of chancery sale to satisfy the claims of bondholders. The appointment of Trusdale, a Washburn man, as receiver, indicates that the Rock Island stockholders are in the majority. It is generally believed that the road will be purchased by Washburn and incorporated with the Rock Island, which would make it either an Omaha or Kansas City line. This report is confirmed by A. E. Jones, attorney for the receiver, who says the sale will take place during the June term of the United States court.

Two Iowa Fires.

PORT DOUGLAS, Ia., May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Early this morning the farm residence of Michael Savage, south of this city, was totally destroyed by fire. The family narrowly escaped with their lives. The granaries and all the adjoining buildings were also burned. Loss, \$4,000; no insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown.

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The Supreme Court.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The supreme court filed opinions this morning as follows:

Enos C. Hull, executor and appellant, vs W. B. Fuller, Cass district; affirmed.

J. R. Wason vs Melissa and Albert Millisk, appellants; Polk district; affirmed.

William M. Stone et al vs Marion county, appellant; Marion district; affirmed.

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A Sioux City Murder.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The body of Mike Cane, who disappeared a few days ago, was recovered from the river to-day. It has many marks of violence. The body was found a short distance below the place on the bank where the murdered man's pocketbook and a bloody handkerchief were found. There is strong evidence that Cane was made way with by the men Cavanaugh and McSwain, who are under arrest here, and who have a considerable amount of money in his pocket, and he was last seen at night in company with these men.

Fruits and Vegetables Killed.

MASON CITY, Ia., May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The frost of the past two nights is now looked at by farmers with serious concern. The heavy frost has frozen in twenty-three years. Corn, potatoes and most all garden vegetation is frozen to the ground. The wheat and oat crop is not seriously damaged. Fruit will be a very light yield. Some farmers will replant their crops, while others are hoping that the germ is not injured, and that it will spring up and grow.

Dragged to Death by a Cow.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—One of the most heart-rending scenes for a mother was that witnessed by Mrs. Thomas Hughes, at Altona, yesterday, when she saw her six-year-old boy dragged to death by a cow. The little boy thought he would get down to water, but he was pulled up by the cow and dragged to a considerable amount of money in his pocket, and he was last seen at night in company with these men.

A Fire This Morning.

STELLA, Neb., June 1.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—A fire broke out this morning the elevator and meat plant of Jameson Bros. was burned to the ground; loss, \$9,000; insurance, \$4,500.

Charged With Embezzlement.

HASTINGS, Neb., May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—On a request from St. Joseph, Mo., police arrested here, to-night, F. W. Landoli on a charge of embezzlement.

Death of Patrick Devitt.

TELEGRAPHIC information was received in Omaha last night to the effect that Patrick Devitt, of this city, died at Hot Springs, Ark., yesterday. Dr. Devitt left Omaha a short time ago to visit the Springs, with a view of recuperating. Yesterday, however, he was attacked with hemorrhage of the lungs, and died shortly afterwards. The remains were shipped last night for Omaha, and will arrive on the Missouri Pacific Sunday morning. Mr. Devitt was another in-law of Councilman Thomas Lowry.

MURDER NEAR O'NEILL.

A Fight with a Colored Man Results.

O'NEILL, Neb., May 31.—Harvey Smith, colored, shot and almost instantly killed George Logan, another colored man, in DeLoe precinct, this county. The tragedy occurred in the southwest part of the county near the line between this and Wheeler county. The particulars are meagre, but as near as can be ascertained, are as follows: There is quite a large colony of colored people there and tonight Logan and Smith, two of the leading men of the settlement, there has been for some time a marked unfriendliness. Recently a quarrel arose about some cattle. When they went to the pasture as the murdered man, Logan, was returning home with a load of corn, he was waylaid and brutally shot by Smith with a shotgun. The charge of shot struck Logan near the stomach. Logan jumped down from the wagon and almost immediately fell to the ground and expired.

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How to Capture a Railroad.

CHICAGO, May 31.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The plan of reorganization of the Wabash Western purchasing committee, does not meet with unanimous favor among the stockholders. Said one of them to-day: "The whole thing looks to me like a very smooth confidence game. In the first place, Joy and Ashley induced all the security holders except a few bondholders, to pool their securities and elect a purchasing committee to buy the Wabash railway. We elected Joy and Ashley as the purchasing committee, with the understanding that their duties were to consist only in buying the road. Then we, the stockholders, and the debenture bondholders, were to elect the board of directors. Instead of this plan being carried out, Joy and Ashley give notice that they will themselves vote all the stock and elect the directors, and consequently dictate the management. After all this is done we are to receive stock in the new company. I understand the plan of Joy and Ashley to be to elect the latter as president of the Wabash, and to elect Edger T. Wells of Mexican International fame, as vice-president. That simply means another wreck for the Wabash. I know the majority of the stockholders are against the plan, and would far sooner see Receiver McNulta made president, but the whole lot of us can't produce a share of stock. Perhaps the stockholders, or those who are stockholders, can elect the purchasing committee and compel them to give up their stock prior to the election. Joy and Ashley would still join in such a movement."

The Freight Cut.

CHICAGO, May 30.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—A meeting of the Western Freight Association was held to-day, and a resolution was passed to work on the front end of the railroad, which soon gave way, showing within a kitchen in the center, with parlor and bedroom at either end. When the front had been battered down to the level of the windows, the smoke and I noticed a window, with frame, shutters and linings placed over a strong light fire which the emergency men had purposely lit for their consumption before leaving. I have never seen such a scene before. The windows were blown out, and the fire spread rapidly. The fire was at the pitiful sight of his burned home fronting the Seven Sister Hills, which rise behind towards the east. Here he had spent his years from his childhood, and here it was that his grandfathers had struggled out an honest livelihood for upwards of two hundred years. Even if such conduct as has been practiced on Kavanaugh should have the effect of squeezing impossible rents out of the unfortunate tenants in miserable tenements, a burned house should have a sorrowful reminiscence for Major Hely, for it was within the present charred walls of Violet Hill mansion close by that a noble member of his family once perished.

Well, the poor man who has witnessed the burning of the old homestead where his forefathers dwell some two hundred years must have felt the iron of oppression on his forehead, and he would cry: "What is to be done? Not until home rule is granted. Then despotism must cease."

WOMAN AGAINST SERPENT.

Mrs. Strait Vanquishes a Boa Constrictor in a Dark Cellar.

One of the most perilous battles between a woman and a large boa constrictor occurred at Grand View last evening, says the Kansas City Traveler.

About 7 o'clock, as Mrs. H. N. Strait, the first floor of the house, a young wife of H. H. Strait, of the Wyandotte Plumbing company, descended into the cellar of their residence on Sixteenth street, Grand View, she was startled by a loud hiss and two bright looking reptiles directly at her. Returning with a lamp the lady discovered a large snake huddled around a piece of wood. Taking a coal shovel in her hand, Mrs. Strait prepared to do battle with the monster.

The reptile, and with a loud hiss it sprang at the now thoroughly alarmed but brave woman. A blow from the shovel knocked the thrust aside, and with the rapidity of lightning the snake again recoiled to strike the woman. In five minutes the huge monster retreated and then plunge through the dimly lighted air at the woman who was so nobly defending herself. At last a well directed stroke knocked the reptile to the floor and seemed to stun it for a moment. The glittering eyes had now become two fascinating balls of flame and the great fangs worked with awful velocity. Following up the blow Mrs. Strait succeeded in hitting the boa, and the head to the tip of its tail. It supposed to have escaped from some menagerie, presumably the London circus, which is now at Armourdale.

Notes About the City.

Mrs. A. V. Spaulding, Albright, is on the invalid list.

Mrs. C. Vaughn, of Albright, is visiting friends in Fremont.

Mrs. Robert L. Wheeler and son have returned from Ponca.

Good Will Lodge, No. 3,450, Knights of Honor, will meet Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Graham arrived from Lynchburg, Va., yesterday morning.

The Baptist association have been arranging to secure lots and build a church in the Edwards.

Mr. W. E. Yerton and Editor L. F. Hinton, of the Drovers' Journal, Colonel Edward Sharp, and Engineer A. E. Collins, and the other members of the party, are in the city.

John Shultz, who has been spending some months at "Frisco and other points in California, returned Thursday evening.

Shelby and Podak will give a dance Saturday night in their hall on M street, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh.

There will be a union labor political conference at St. Joseph, Mo., Saturday and Sunday evening.

The proprietors of the Reed house will give an opening dance Saturday evening in honor of the formal opening of the new Reed hotel.

J. B. Enon, who has been traveling over the west representing Savage & Green's commission house, has returned home.