

THE FAMOUS BROWNS COMING

They Will Play the Kansas City's In Omaha Next Week.

TWO GAMES ON THE SCHEDULE.

A Splendid Sparring Exhibition at the Gate City Athletic Club Rooms—The Conners-Robinson Wrestling Match.

The celebrated St. Louis Browns, who have won more honors on the diamond than any club in existence, will be here Wednesday next to play the Kansas City of the American Association two games in the Missouri state championship.

President McCormick and Joe Garneau made final efforts to bring the Browns to play in Omaha last spring, but their dates were such as to prevent their coming and the people were much disappointed.

Captain Comisky, who is without exception the greatest captain-manager in the profession, will lead the team, as will, in fact, the full membership of this star organization. Big Millard will do the catching in the pit of either Chamberlain or South-paw. Hamann, the Brown's outfielder, is one of the strongest in the country, while there is also the brilliant little short-stop, "Shorty" Fuller, Robinson at second and Jack Boyer at third and Comisky at first.

Secretary Munson, of the Browns. George Munson, a well-known St. Louis newspaper man, and the secretary of the St. Louis Brown Stocking base ball club, is at the Millard. He is here making arrangements to have the two teams play two games of which will be played here Wednesday and Thursday next.

The Sparring Exhibition.

The cleverest sparring exhibition ever witnessed in Omaha, was that which occurred before the Gate City Athletic club last evening between Jack Davis, of Denver, and Jack Ryan, of Chicago. The exhibition was the premier event on the bill, Jimmy Lindsay and a novice known as Young Gordon, amused the crowd for three rounds, Gordon was but a toy in Jimmy's hands and was much gratified when the stipulated time had expired. Lindsay is certainly showing up in great form, and evinces vast improvement in science and hitting ability every time he steps into the ring.

At 9:30 Davis and Ryan crawled through the ropes and were greeted by a vigorous hand clapping. They are a couple of heavyweights, and in the vernacular of the ring, a pair of "crackers." Davis had the advantage in his opponent's hands and in the first round, though the lesser man gave a superb exhibition of the Desartian movement, being as quick as lightning and taking advantage of an opening as any top-notch in the land. Davis has as yet never been defeated, and he has had some great fights, being as quick as lightning and taking advantage of an opening as any top-notch in the land. Davis has as yet never been defeated, and he has had some great fights, being as quick as lightning and taking advantage of an opening as any top-notch in the land.

Conners vs Robin on. Articles of agreement made and entered into this, the 21st of October, by Conners and Frank Robinson, of Dakota. The parties to this agreement hereby agree to wrestle, catch-as-catch-can, best three in five falls, for \$200 a side and the championship of the west. Said match to take place at the Grand opera house, in the city of Omaha, on the evening of October 31, 1890. Second, said match to be wrestled under the same conditions and rules. The referee to be chosen on the day before the match. In witness whereof the parties to this agreement have hereunto set their hands, the day and year above mentioned.

Jack Crooks' Record.

The last number of the New York Sporting Times contains the following list of Jack Crooks, Omaha's old second baseman, now with the Columbus, O., team. Jack is making a great record for himself. In the twelve championship games he played with Columbus he has made 100 hits, including error, leading the American association with the remarkable average of .357.

The Bidder Counts the Five.

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 21.—Sporting Editor of The Bee: This is a bet please answer the following: In a game of high five, it is found, after a hard battle, that the winner has actually carried a five spot of trump. No agreement having been made to allow such a discard, what rule applies in counting?—High Five.

Postponed on Account of Rain.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—The world's championship game between the New York and Brooklyn clubs was postponed to-day on account of rain.

Shey Has a Ball.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—This was the day when the men who are going to play ball with league clubs next season should sign the contracts, but up to this evening Anson's name was the only one put down on the Chicago list. President Spalding of the Chicago club had no explanation to make. Patches from Pittsburgh and Cleveland fell the same fate, and the opinion seems to prevail that the players are waiting for the action of the board of directors.

THE SPEED RING.

LEXINGTON, Oct. 21.—The autumn meeting of the Kentucky association began to-day. The track was good and the attendance large. Summary. One Mile—Kate Malone won, Princess Bowling second, Catalpa third. Time—1:43.7.

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Larrabee Furnishes Democrats With an Endorsement of Hutchison.

HIS RECORD ON ALL QUESTIONS.

The Governor Expresses the Greatest Confidence in the Integrity and Ability of the Republican Nominee.

Larrabee Endorses Hutchison. Des Moines, Ia., Oct. 21.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The democrats have dared Governor Larrabee to publicly endorse Senator Hutchison, the republican candidate for governor, pretending that the senator was not acceptable to the anti-monopolists. The former has accepted the challenge, and to-day wrote the following very strong endorsement in a letter to a gentleman of this city. It is expected that this will satisfy the farmers' alliance as to the soundness of Senator Hutchison on the railroad question.

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Omaha's Growth From a Town of Five Thousand Souls.

KEEPING STEP WITH CHICAGO.

An Interesting Parallel in the Development of the City by the Lake—Some Points for Eastern Capitalists.

A Wonder of the West. Mr. E. Test writes of Omaha in the Boston Advertiser as follows: To write of Omaha and the west is to give the history of the foundation of a beautiful city and the conquest of an imperial domain by indomitable enterprise and energy. Twenty-two years ago, when the writer saw Omaha for the first time, it was a struggling, ambitious little community of about 5,000 souls, in the midst of a "boom," of unparalleled vigor, through the building of the Union Pacific railroad. Men came here in shoals, and more than once the daily papers complained that sixteen men were too many to lodge in one room on a night. The old Herndon house, now the Union Pacific headquarters building, greatly enlarged, was the principal hotel, and it towered like a sentinel over the infant city.

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